



## **GERMANY-SINGAPORE BUSINESS FORUM 2018**

**Tuesday, 24 April 2018, 9:30AM – 4:00PM**

**Hannover Messe Fairground, Hall 2, ROM room**

Inaugurated in 1994, the biennial Germany-Singapore Business Forum (GSBF) has been instrumental in promoting business and capability partnerships between German and Singaporean companies. This year, the GSBF is held in conjunction with Hannover Messe 2018, the world's leading industrial technology and integrated energy show.

We are honoured to have Singapore's Minister for Trade and Industry, Mr S. Iswaran, grace the GSBF this year. The forum's two panel sessions will feature industry veterans sharing insights into the latest opportunities to explore Germany-Singapore collaboration and capture regional market opportunities for sustainable growth.

The GSBF this year includes a startup networking session – "Springboard to Asia". Co-organised with German Accelerator Southeast Asia, the session will acquaint entrepreneurs about the Singapore startup ecosystem and scaling opportunities in Southeast Asia.

The GSBF business matching session will also provide participants with a platform to explore collaboration with like-minded counterparts.

### **GSBF 2018 Programme**

Time	Details
0930 – 1000	Registration and Networking Coffee
1000 – 1045	Speeches by VIPs, including Singapore's Minister for Trade and Industry, Mr S. Iswaran
1045 – 1100	MOU Signings and Announcements
1100 – 1145	Panel discussion 1: Partnering for Success in ASEAN markets
1145 – 1230	Panel discussion 2: Co-innovation for the Industry of the Future
1230 – 1240	Closing Remarks
1240 – 1340	Networking Lunch

### Concurrent Sessions

1340 – 1600	Pre-arranged 1-to-1 Business-matching session (Held in ROM room)
1400 – 1600	Startup networking session with German Accelerator: Springboard to Asia (Held in Paris room)
1600	End of the GSBF 2018

### Confirmed panellists



**Mr Timo Prekop**  
Executive Member of  
the Board, OAV



**Mr Steven Koh**  
Executive Director,  
Singapore Precision  
Engineering &  
Technology  
Association (SPETA)



**Dr Armin Bruck**  
President & CEO,  
Siemens Pte Ltd,  
Singapore



**Mr Camillus Yang**  
Vice-President,  
Sunseap Group



**Dr Claus Trenner**  
President,  
Singaporean-German  
Chamber of Industry  
and Commerce



**Dr Alpesh Patel**  
Associate Partner,  
McKinsey & Company



**Mr Ted Chen**  
Co-Founder and Chief  
Product Architect,  
Evercomm Uni-Tech



**Mr Robert Hodges**  
Senior Director  
(MedTech),  
SGInnovate

Participation in GSBF 2018 is complimentary for registered guests on a first-come-first serve basis.

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