Press release

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OWIS with new owner  
Ruediger Ruh takes over the company with effect from January 1, 2021

The company OWIS from Staufen im Breisgau (Germany), a specialist in optical beam handling and positioning systems, settled its corporate succession. The previous managing director and shareholder Ruediger Ruh will take over the company with effect from January 1, 2021. The previous co-partner Diana Breiner, daughter of the company's founder Herbert Breiner, left the company at the end of the year after many successful years.

Ruh, who joined the company as managing director in 2018, studied precision engineering at the FH Furtwangen (Germany). He worked for many years as a development engineer, development manager and as managing director. His focus was on mechanical engineering, optical sensor technology and laser technology.

New business division OWIS Engineering

With the takeover, OWIS gains a strategy focusing on the future. It will maintain and expand its well-established standard product portfolio, which is characterized by very high precision and quality. The products are primarily used in research and development of well-known research institutes and industrial companies.

Key component of the strategy is the newly created OWIS Engineering division. The company hereby further expands its system expertise in customer-specific solutions as well as in the development of complete system solutions.

OWIS GmbH celebrated its 40th anniversary in 2020.

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Ruediger Ruh, new owner and managing director of OWIS GmbH

About OWIS

OWIS – optical beam handling and positioning systems. We at OWIS dedicate ourselves to these technologies for more than 40 years. The wide product portfolio of optical beam handling components and positioning units is characterised by their combinability, highest precision and reliability. In the OWIS Engineering business unit, complete beam delivery systems and individual multi-axis alignment and handling systems are developed and built. The vacuum product line includes manual and motorised positioners as well as beam delivery components and systems.

With our own research and development department as well as a very high vertical range of manufacture, we can optimally respond to our customers' requirements. This makes OWIS the perfect system partner. Quality and precision are our top priorities, which we owe above all to our qualified and long-standing employees.

As a family-owned company in Germany we supply research facilities and industrial companies around the world – "Made in Germany". Above all, laser technology in sectors such as measurement and testing technology, research and science, the semiconductor industry, biotechnology and medical technology, image processing and sensor technology, analytics and diagnostics have greatly appreciated our high-precision products for decades ­­– **lasers love OWIS.**

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