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## Director of ST Crolles elected president of Sitelesc

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PARIS — The Sitelesc, the French Electronic Tube and Semiconductor Industry Guild, announced it has elected Dr. Gérard Matheron, operational director of STMicroelectronics' facility in Crolles, near Grenoble, as president.

Dr. Matheron succeeds to Jean Vaylet, who becomes president of honor and Sitelesc's vice president. Vaylet had been elected president of Sitelesc in April 2004.

Dr. Matheron graduated in Physics from the National Polytechnic Institute of Grenoble (INPG) in 1977. He then joined the Laboratory for Electronic and Information Technologies of the French Atomic Energy Commission in Grenoble, where he worked in microelectronics research until 1984.

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From 1984 to 1989, Dr. Matheron worked as a civil servant for the Ministry of Industry in Paris, in charge of the definition and implementation of the French policy for microelectronics. He was part of the first governmental group assessing the industrial initiative known as JESSI (Joint European Sub-micron Silicon Initiative).

In 1989, he joined SGS-THOMSON (now STMicroelectronics), with responsibility for R&D relationships with other European partners active in microelectronics. In 1991, he was appointed programs director for ST's central R&D organization.

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Dr. Matheron became Office Director for MEDEA in April 1998.