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News

Campus as a base for the Pôle de Compétitivité

A programme similar to the Pôle de Compétitivité in Crolles (France) is also being developed on the High Tech Campus Eindhoven. The idea originated by Minister Brinkhorst who visited Crolles earlier this year. The initiative is being organised by MEDEA+, Philips Semiconductors, ASML and ASMI. ITEA, ESI and Holst already support the initiative. At this moment around 40 companies and knowledge institutes are connected to the programme. The Pôle de Compétitivité Eindhoven is going to focus on Europe-wide development of nanotechnologies and embedded software (the 'ENIAC' and 'ARTEMIS' roadmaps). In 2006 the objective of this form of cooperation is: to support open innovation institutes, such as the Holst Centre and ESI, and promote the cooperation in the field of R&D (ao ITEA, MEDEA+ and several Dutch projects). After 2006 the programme will also include: promotion of interaction between businesses and knowledge institutes and encouragement of SME companies in this field. The Pôle de Compétitivité is initially being coordinated from High Tech Campus 60, but in the future it will be based in The Strip.

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Philips Applied Technologies arrives on the Campus

The new business unit 'Philips Applied Technologies', which is a merger of PDSL and Philips CFT, is moving to the Campus. The company employs 1200 people, approximately 600 of whom will move in groups to their new workplace between 9 and 28 December. The new High Tech Campus Eindhoven site offers extensive opportunities for cooperation with important parties. For example, Philips ETG is also located in the new Philips Applied Technologies building on the Campus, and this will give an additional boost to cooperation between these parties. Furthermore, Philips Applied Technologies aims to further intensify and extend its effective cooperation with Philips Research and other parties within Corporate Technologies. Philips Applied Technologies firmly believes that, thanks to the high-tech facilities in the new building and on the Campus, it will be able to offer a broader package to its customers.

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Arrival of Atos Origin

Atos Origin is to open its doors at High Tech Campus 51 and 52 - the new building next to the Semiconductors Competence Center - at the start of December. The company expects to benefit from links with the high-tech environment and is locating some 700 ICT employees on the Campus.



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National Innovation Event

The High Tech Campus Eindhoven together with Philips will take part in the 'National Innovation Event' by organizing an interactive debate titled: 'open innovation, the key to Dutch and European success'. Participants in the debate, amongst others, will be Mr. Hendriks (chairman of the board of Philips Electronics The Netherlands), Mr. Lombaers (Holst Center), Mr. Van der Poel (chairman of Technology Liaison Region Eindhoven foundation), Mr. Daemen (Center for Molecular Medicine) and on behalf of the Small and Medium-sized Enterprises Mr. Kok and Mr. Hezemans. Mr. Brinkhorst (Minister of Economic Affairs and member of the national innovation platform) will attend the debate.

For more information, click [here](#).



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