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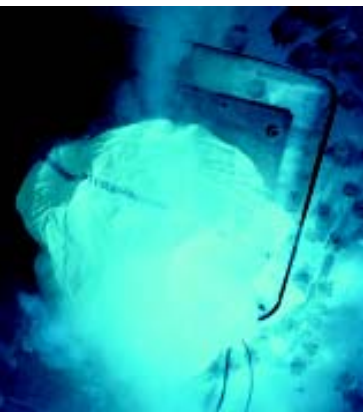
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8th International Symposium
and Exhibition on Sophisticated
Car Occupant Safety Systems

Karlsruhe, Germany
Congress Center

2006,
December 4 – December 6



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Announcement

Welcome

Sophisticated car occupant systems like airbags and belt restraint systems are the most increasing safety devices in recent times. Although the benefits are well-known by experts, a need of close cooperation between all interested parties is undoubtedly necessary.

The 8th Airbag Symposium in 2006 will again be the market place for engineers, scientists, legislators, managers and marketing people to exchange information, to get and to improve contacts, to stimulate further progress and to promote advanced car passenger safety systems on a neutral stage.

The Fraunhofer Institute for Chemical Technology ICT is the leading independent research and development facility on airbag technology and testing. As a division of Fraunhofer, Europe's largest organization for applied and contract research, Fraunhofer ICT offers a unique and neutral event for automobil industry suppliers and public authorities.

Welcome again in Karlsruhe, Germany, meeting the world of Airbag 2006.

Dr.-Ing. Karl-Friedrich Ziegahn
Chairman of the Symposium

A Series of Events

- Symposium with **invited lectures** from leading experts
- Technical and scientific Poster-Session – open for your contribution
- Expanded exhibition
- Public press meeting

Invited Lectures

by worldwide leading experts

- Legislation framework on car occupant safety
- Traffic safety
- Accident studies
- Car occupant safety
- Injuries, medical aspects
- Risks, statistics
- Car deformation studies
- Airbag technology, trends and new developments
- Gas generators and inflators
- Sensor systems
- Quality, reliability, service life
- Disposal, environmental aspects
- Market introduction, marketing, PR
- Vision: the ultimate approach for passengers safety

Your Contribution

All oral lectures are **invited papers**.

Other technical and scientific contributions are possible by poster presentations along with written manuscripts, which are being included in the proceedings. These contributions shall be on the frontiere of technical development. Pure commercial presentations will be assigned to the exhibition.

Poster authors will be registered as participants.

Please submit your poster title, 300 words abstract and author(s) name(s) by

June 1, 2006

reaching the symposium organizer.

Exhibition

A limited number of booths is available for commercial applications. Exhibiton place will be sold on a first-come-first-serve-base.

Please contact the organizer **as early as possible** for your reservation but not later than

May 8, 2006

