

## News Release

### **Alexandra Wachschütz joins Communications at Infineon Austria**

*VILLACH, October 6, 2015 – Since joining the group in July, Alexandra Wachschütz (39) has been rounding off the Infineon Technologies Austria Communications team, where she is responsible for Press Relations, Marketing Communications and Event Management.*

"Infineon is one of the most successful companies in Austria. Every day we find the microchips developed and produced here in the widest imaginable variety of applications, from the car to the smartphone all the way to the automatic teller card. And communicating all this is an extremely exciting job," Alexandra Wachschütz is glad to report about her new challenge. For the last ten years the trained Communication Scientist and PR expert was in charge of Marketing and PR at Carinthian bank *Volksbank Kärnten*.

Furthermore, Theresa Waniek (34) has taken over as head of Internal Communications. Also a Communication Scientist and a commercial artist, Ms. Waniek has been with Infineon since November 2014 and was previously responsible for Marketing Austria and Slovenia at Semmelrock Stein & Design.

Communication Scientist Andrea Reif (27) has been a part of the Communications team since 2013. Ms. Reif supervises the area of Sponsoring and supports Internal Communications and Event Management as well.

Says Alexander Tarzi, head of Communications: "Energy efficiency, mobility and security are global megatrends that Infineon addresses with its semiconductor solutions. Its extensive range of activities in research and development, production and responsibility for business performance make Infineon an essential player and an important factor in Austria's future as a business location. We now have a first-class team excellently suited to effectively convey and highlight these focus points in communications."

#### **About Infineon Austria**

Infineon Technologies Austria AG is a Group subsidiary of Infineon Technologies AG, a leading worldwide provider of semiconductor solutions that make life easier, safer and greener. Microelectronics from Infineon cut energy consumption in everything from

entertainment technologies and household appliances all the way to industrial facilities. They also make basic contributions to increased comfort, safety and sustainability in vehicles and make secure electronic transactions possible in an increasingly networked world.

Infineon Austria is the only Group site outside of Germany to combine expertise in research and development, production and global responsibility for business performance. Headquartered in Villach, Infineon Austria has branch offices in Klagenfurt, Graz, Linz and Vienna. With more than 3,300 employees (1,200 of which work in research and development) from over 60 countries, the company achieved revenues of 1.3 billion Euros in fiscal 2014 (ending in September). A research rate of 25 percent of overall revenue makes Infineon Austria the strongest research company in Austria.

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