

Profiles of Participating German Energy Efficiency Companies



3F North America, Inc.
www.3f-gmbh.de

3F is a specialist in customized and environmentally friendly adhesive tapes, coatings and laminating.

3F's strength lies in developing true-to-size solutions in a timely manner, doing so on a contract-work basis or by order of clients for our customers, from, among others, the automotive, electronics, construction and medical industries.

3F may specialize in double- and single-sided adhesive tapes, foam tapes and transfer tapes, but the company also constantly develops new solutions for coating and laminating.

3F is interested in meeting the following companies:

- Distributors
- Manufacturer of rubber products
- Installation contractors



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HOMATHERM[®]
the evolution of insulation

Homatherm
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Homatherm is a manufacturer for wood-fibre insulating materials. This innovative insulation material can save energy through its' high energy efficiency. Furthermore **Homatherm** insulation will also create healthy room climate by creating an ideal heat protection during hot summer months, noise insulation as well as fire and humidity protection.

Homatherm is interested in meeting the following companies:

- Investors (if possible with a background in the area of building materials or wood)
- Dealers with clients in the fields of roof renovation, wood finishing or studwork (dry lining)
- Large scale construction companies, that insulate roofs and facades as well as built frame house
- Architects with a focus on energy efficient building



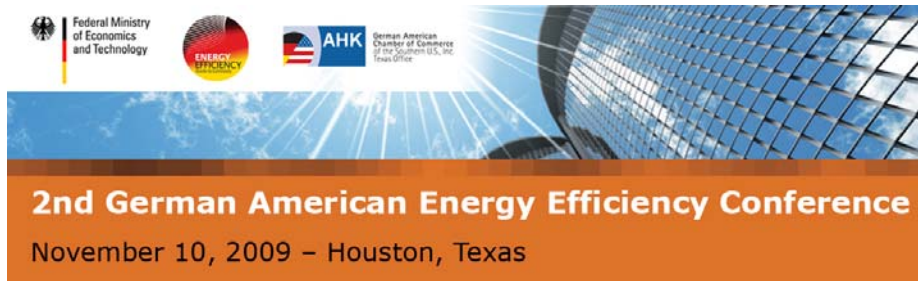
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Officium Design Engineering, LLC
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Officium Design Engineering, LLC is a planning office specializing in the design of tensile structures.

Based in Stuttgart, Germany with a North American office located in Chicago, the architects and engineers of **Officium** cooperate with other design professionals to create modern self-supporting structures using high quality stainless steel building elements, cables, and stainless steel cable nets. The range of projects is limited only by one's imagination – from railing infill panels and safety nets to zoo enclosures and green facades.

Officium offers comprehensive design and engineering consulting services that encompass all phases of a project, from conceptualization to realization.

Officium developed the X-TEND[®] stainless steel cable net in cooperation with the rope manufacturer Carl Stahl. The material keeps its shape, has a high tensile strength, does not require any maintenance and offers excellent durability. X-TEND[®] mesh can be made-to-measure and installed seamlessly in infinite lengths and widths, making it a design solution for a wide range of uses. It is especially well-suited for elegant three-dimensional applications.

Officium Design Engineering, LLC is interested in meeting the following companies:

- Architects and landscape architects who design green facades, trellises, and canopies
- Representatives of the State Government / Department of Transportation



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RAICO

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RAICO Bautechnik GmbH develops and distributes high-quality glazing systems for curtain walls windows, and conservatories. RAICO is a technology leader in the industry, with long-term experience in metal engineering. RAICO offers aluminum curtain walls, steel curtain walls, timber curtain walls, glass roofs, passive house curtain walls and other solutions.

One recent and famous reference project of RAICO is the new Mercedes Benz museum in Stuttgart, Germany.

RAICO Bautechnik GmbH is interested in meeting the following companies:

- Architects / Planners
- Representatives from the Processing Industry in the sector of Wood / Aluminum / Steel



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sunsale international LLC

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sunsale international LLC is a broker specialized in building-integrated solar solutions „made in Germany“ (if desired planning and montage as well) which introduces innovative German solar technology (photovoltaic and solar thermal) manufacturers to US builders, architects, installation agencies and government authorities, contractors, real estate planning offices, mall management companies and others.

sunsale international LLC provides a wide range of innovative solar products that are exclusively manufactured in Germany and offer highest quality standards with an established engineering reputation. Sunsale International has relationships with a wide variety of suppliers and is not limited to one vendor.

sunsale international LLC has a local team in Germany which maintains close relationships with the manufacturers. This enables the broker to stay updated on the latest production developments and up-and-coming solar innovations. This advantage is directly passed on to the customers, eliminating costly middlemen and branch-office charges, saving the customers time and research

sunsale international LLC is interested in meeting the following companies:

- Industrial key accounts or architects, contractors, construction companies etc. in the sector of commercial and residential constructions
- Decision makers such as architects or advisors in construction companies
- Salesmen



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WACKER Chemie AG is a globally-acting German chemical company which develops, manufactures and distributes products for the chemical and semiconductor sector. The WACKER Group has developed five independently operating units: SILTRONIC, WACKER SILICONES, WACKER POLYMERS, WACKER POLYSILICON and WACKER FINE CHEMICALS. In 2007, the company established a joint venture with SCHOTT, one of the leading global solar panel manufacturers.

The division **WACKER POLYMERS** is a leading producer of innovative binders and polymer additives, geared towards energy efficiency and achieving global green building standards. WACKER's construction dispersions and polymer powders are key components of exterior insulation and finish systems (EIFS).

WACKER materials can be used for walls, flooring, facades, concrete & masonry, windows & doors, wet areas and infrastructure. In addition to residential building projects (e. g. installing a thermal insulation system for the first Syrian building), the diversified project range also includes commercial and cultural building projects such as the Cairo Television Tower in Egypt or the Hirsvogel Hall in Nuremberg.

WACKER Chemie AG is interested in meeting the following companies:

- dry-mix mortar and construction chemicals manufacturers
- Architect and civil engineering offices / companies who are interested in being focused on ETICS concept (architects, civil engineers, applicators, insulation materials producers and traders)
- Lobbyists for Energy Saving concepts in the State of Texas (representatives from the Technical Universities, Independent Consultants, Architects, State Employees in corresponding ministries)
- people who promote ETICS and Energy Saving concept in the market (Editors and Journalists of specific magazines, advertisers)



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The international **Xella Group** works in the fields of building materials, dry lining systems and raw materials.

The Ytong, Hebel and Silka brands make **Xella** the world's biggest manufacturer of aircrete and calcium silicate blocks. Fermacell is the leading brand for gypsum fibre boards. The lineup is completed by Ytong Multipor, the young brand for mineral insulation and the Fermacell Aestuver brand for fire protection.

As a premium brand manufacturer with an extensive product portfolio and comprehensive service, **Xella** operates a proprietary technology and research centre in Germany.

Located near Berlin, the centre develops solutions for tomorrow's construction sector.

- Building materials
- Dry lining systems
- Raw materials
- Technology & research

Xella Baustoffe GmbH is interested in meeting the following companies:

- General contractors
- Investors
- LEED accredited architects



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