**Invitation to Innovation Forum for Automation – Booster Session**

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**New year, same passion! 2022 has just started and we all know what time of the year it is?! Exactly! Innovation Forum Time!**

As we already announced in autumn 2021 we want to meet in person again. Therefore we shifted our 2-day-conferene “19th Innovation Forum for Automation” to June 30 – July 1 this year.   
**To shorten the dry spell until the next Innovation Forum we invite you to a short but intense free of charge online Booster-Session on February 10:**We will take you on a journey through the wide spectrum of the manufacturing automation landscape. From a deep insight of an expert in the semiconductor market, to new perspectives on manufacturing automation in the production of industrial electrolyzers, leading us all the way through to a very intimate look into the story of digitalization of a leading semiconductor manufacturer.

**Let’s boost your automation efforts with helpful inputs and an inspiring exchange.  
You can look forward to presentations from:**

**1. Presentation on: The semiconductor value chain: Market outlook (Speaker to be announced soon)**

**2. Ulrike Sampermans, Vice President Digital Transformation, X-FAB Group:**

Digital Transformation - the X-Fab Journey

**3. Hergen Thore Wolf, Director Product Management, Sunfire:**Electrolyzers for hydrogen generation: From manufactory to series production

**4. Expert panel with the speakers and managing directors of AND member companies**

**You don’t want to miss this! Register now for Innovation Forum for Automation – Booster Session**

**When: February 10, 2022; 10am – 12pm CET  
Where: This event will be held online and it is free of charge.**

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Best regards on behalf of the CEOs of the AND member companies.

The event will be initiated by the Automation Network Dresden (AND) and all its member companies Kontron AIS, Fabmatics, SYSTEMA and XENON. The four companies have been successfully working together on automation projects in the high-tech industry for more than 20 years. Commonly, we are shaping progress towards industry 4.0 and setting standards with regard to current automation trends.