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Dr. Klaus-Henning Noffz received his Ph.D. in Physics from the University of Heidelberg with his thesis about detection systems for high energy physics with multiple FPGA systems. In 1997 he founded Silicon Software together with Dr. Ralf Lay. Within the group of FPGA experts at Silicon Software, cutting-edge series of off-the-shelf and OEM hardware and software products, and innumerable programming customizations were developed and implemented.

Silicon Software is a manufacturer of intelligent imaging processing products and FPGA programming environments, and one of the technology leaders for machine vision components worldwide. In 2006, VisualApplets, the innovative hardware programming tool, was honored with the international VISION Award.

Silicon Software is member of the AIA, EMVA, VDMA and HCI, additionally engaged in the standardization groups for Camera Link, Camera Link HS, CoaXPress and GigE Vision. Since 2012, Dr. Klaus-Henning Noffz has been a member of the board of the VDMA Germany and member of the advisory board of the VISION exhibition, Landesmesse Stuttgart.