

New CEOs for RAMPF Production Systems and RAMPF Polymer Solutions

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Grafenberg, Germany, June 30, 2022. RAMPF Production Systems and RAMPF Polymer Solutions will be led by new management teams as of July 1. The long-standing CEOs Bernd Faller and Dr. Klaus Schamel are retiring today, June 30.

RAMPF Production Systems

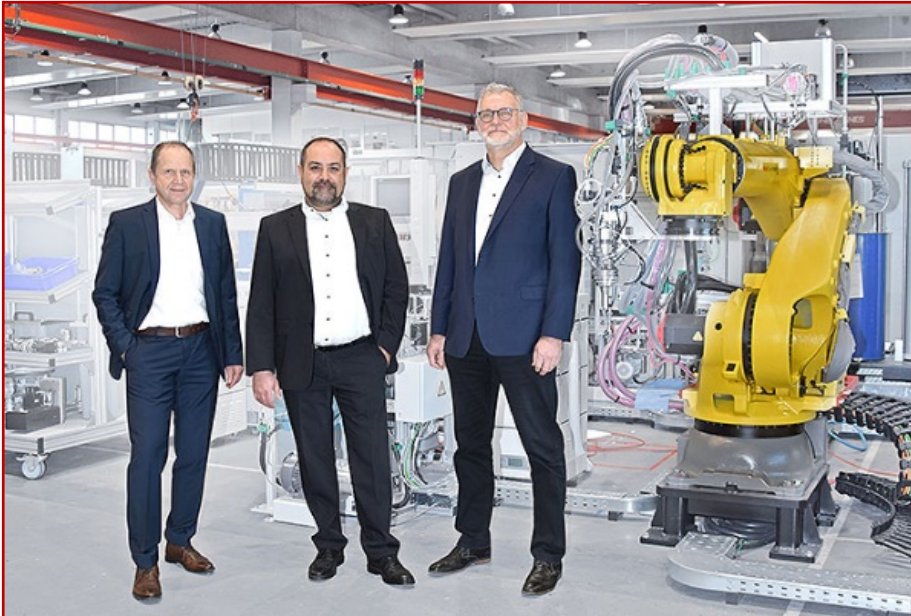
The specialist for automated production systems with integrated dispensing technology will be led by Hartmut Storz and Stefan Huber.

- > Stefan Huber will follow Bernd Faller as CEO of RAMPF Production Systems. The mechanical engineering technician and technical business economist began his career at RAMPF in 2014 as Regional Sales Manager. In 2017, the 41-year-old was appointed Director of Project Management. As CEO, Stefan Huber will be responsible for project management, operations, and materials management.
- > Hartmut Storz has been CEO of RAMPF Production Systems since 2017. The 63-year-old began his career at RAMPF in 2004 as Head of Sales & Marketing. As CEO, Hartmut Storz is responsible for sales, marketing, commercial management, and product management (development, construction, control technology, application technology).

Bernd Faller is retiring after 19 years as CEO of RAMPF Production Systems. During this time, the company's product portfolio in the field of mixing and dispensing technology was significantly expanded, including the development of automated solutions. Today, highly complex, holistic systems with a high degree of automation are produced and delivered to customers worldwide. Under the leadership of the 62-year-old, the number of employees has grown from 65 to more than 200. In addition, two large production facilities were built at the company's head office in Zimmern ob Rottweil.

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Hartmut Storz, Stefan Huber, and Bernd Faller (from left to right)

RAMPF Polymer Solutions

The manufacturer of reactive resin systems based on polyurethane, silicone, and epoxy will be led by Dr. Christian Weber and Peter Barwitzki.

- > Peter Barwitzki will succeed Klaus Schamel as CEO of RAMPF Polymer Solutions. The trained industrial clerk and business assistant has more than three decades of experience in the chemical industry, including 20 years leading renowned companies in and outside of Germany. As CEO, Peter Barwitzki (58) will be responsible for sales.
- > Dr. Christian Weber has been CEO of RAMPF Polymer Solutions alongside Klaus Schamel since 2021. The 53-year-old, who holds a doctorate in chemistry, started his career at RAMPF in 2018 as Head of Development. As CEO, Christian Weber is responsible for technology.

Dr. Klaus Schamel has been CEO of RAMPF Polymer Solutions since 2008. Over the past 14 years, the industry expert with a doctoral degree in chemistry has developed the company into a market and innovation leader through a targeted personnel strategy, effective infrastructure investments, and a market-driven expansion of its product portfolio. Under the aegis of the 65-year-old, the IATF 16949 quality standard was introduced, with which further large key accounts in the automotive sector were won. Through stringent internationalization, sales with international customers more than quadrupled.

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The CEOs of the international RAMPF Group, Matthias and Michael Rampf, and company founder Rudolf Rampf thank Bernd Faller and Klaus Schamel for their outstanding achievements for the RAMPF Group – “With their strategic vision, they have significantly shaped their respective companies and set them up for a promising future. RAMPF Production Systems has long been more than a supplier of dispensing technology, but a holistic systems manufacturer for customer-specific solutions. RAMPF Polymer Solutions has grown very strongly in recent years and, as part of a global strategy, will expand into new markets together with the international RAMPF companies. The cooperation with Bernd Faller and Klaus Schamel was not only very successful and trusting – it was also very enjoyable. With Stefan Huber and Peter Barwitzki, the respective leadership teams will be staffed with proven experts and managers who will set new accents and continue the long-standing success together with the current CEOs, Hartmut Storz and Christian Weber.

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The RAMPF Group stands for **engineering & chemical solutions** and caters to the economic and ecological needs of industry with six core competencies:

- > **RAMPF Machine Systems** based in Wangen (Göppingen), Germany, develops and produces multi-axis positioning and moving systems, trunk machines, and basic machines based on high-precision machine beds and machine bed components made from alternative materials such as mineral casting, ultra-high performance concrete, and hard stone.
- > **RAMPF Production Systems** based in Zimmern o. R., Germany, develops and produces production systems with integrated dispensing technology for bonding, sealing, foaming, and casting a wide variety of materials. The company also offers an encompassing range of automation solutions relating to all aspects of process engineering.
- > **RAMPF Composite Solutions** based in Burlington, Ontario, Canada, is a holistic composites supplier to companies in the aerospace, defense, transportation, medical, and green technology industries. The company offers a complete suite of services including composite part design and engineering, and metal-to-composite conversion engineering.
- > **RAMPF Eco Solutions** based in Pirmasens, Germany, develops chemical solutions for the manufacture of high-quality recycled polyols from polyurethane and PET waste materials. This company also designs and builds customized multi-functional plants for customers for the manufacture recycled polyols.
- > **RAMPF Polymer Solutions** based in Grafenberg, Germany, develops and produces reactive resin systems based on polyurethane, epoxy, and silicone. Its product portfolio includes liquid and thixotropic sealing systems, electro and engineering casting resins, edge and filter casting resins, and adhesives.
- > **RAMPF Tooling Solutions** based in Grafenberg, Germany, develops and produces board and liquid materials for cutting-edge modeling and mold engineering. The range of skills includes made-to-measure services and products such as pastes, large-volume and full-size castings for Close Contour models, and prototyping systems.

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