# 4<sup>th</sup> PCNS SDU, Sønderborg, Denmark 11-14<sup>th</sup> September 2023

## **PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME**

Program subjected to change Ver.1.

Workshop & SDU Tour Day 1 11th September 2023

13:00-14:00 Workshop Part I. Passive Components Technologies for Efficient Power Conversion; SDU & Danfoss Drive (registration required, no fee for conference attendees)

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14:30-15:50 Workshop Part II. Passive Components Technologies for Efficient Power Conversion Case Study: 25kW SiC Power Supply; OnSemi and WE; (registration required, no fee for conference attendees)

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16:00-18:00 SDU University Tour; Tour through SDU University facility and laboratories (registration required, no fee)

### Conference & Networking Day 2 12th September 2023

9:00-9:30 Welcome prof. Thomas Ebel; SDU Sønderborg and Tomas Zednicek Ph.D.; EPCI

9:30-9:55 Keynote I. *European Passive Components Market*; EPCIA European Passive Components Industry Association Thomas Ebel; EPCIA board member

9:55-10:00 EPCIA Student Awards Ceremony; Thomas Ebel; EPCIA

10:00-10:40 Speakers Introduction

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11:00-11:50 **TPI Technical Product Introduction Flash Presentations** - 5min short commercial presentations from manufacturers to introduce its hot product / news or invitations to exhibition booth

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12:40-14:10 Session I. TECHNOLOGY & ROADMAPS; Chairman:

- **1.1.** *Improving High Voltage Power Modules with new Silicon Snubber Capacitor technology*; Tom Choicy; MURATA, Germany
- **1.2.** Main failure modes on connectors Feedback from Failure Analyses on connectors all electronic sectors; Eric Zaia; SERMA TECHNOLOGIES, France
- 1.3. 3V EDLC products for a longer useful life; Gerald Tatschl; Vishay BCcomponents, Austria

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#### 14:30-18:50 Session II. MATERIALS & PROCESSES; Chairman:

- 2.1. Responsible and Stable Tantalum Supply; Kurt Habecker; GAM Global Advanced Metals; USA
- **2.2.** Extending the capacity and high voltage performance of Ta-capacitors; Melanie Stenzel; TANIOBIS GmbH; Germany
- 2.3. Voltage Dependence of Ferroelectric Class 2 Multilayer Ceramic Capacitors; Frank Puhane; Würth Elektronik eiSos GmbH; Germany
- 2.4. Thick Film on Steel Resistor Technology Increasingly Power Dense & Demanding Applications; James Spencer; TT Electronics; UK

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- 2.5. Assembly technology of electronic components for e-textiles; Tomas Blecha; University of West Bohemia; CR
- **2.6.** *Graphene derivatives for energy storage applications;* Michal Otyepka; CATRIN, Palacky University Olomouc; Czech Republic
- **2.7.** Evaluation of key parameters for supercapacitors based on activated carbons derived from the plastic waste; Vojtěch Kupka; CATRIN, UPOL University, Czech Republic
- 2.8. Smart textile speaker; Julie Hladikova; University of West Bohemia, Pilsen, Czech Republic

19:00 ------- Welcome Drink ------

### Panel Discussion & Sessions Day 3 13th September 2023

- 9:00-9:30 Keynote II. Power Conversion Semiconductors Development & Passive Components Consequences Danfoss; Denmark
- 9:30-10:30 Hot Topic Panel Discussion Power Conversion Challenges and Consequences to Passive Components

Panelists: semiconductor, passive component manufacturers & end users experts

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10:50-11:50 Session III. QUALITY & RELIABILITY; Chairman:

- **3.1** Climatic reliability of electronic parts solution of the challenge; Vladimir Sítko; PBT Works, Roznov p.Radhostem, Czech Republic
- 3.2 Selecting MLCC's That Meet High Reliability Requirements of Medical Implantable Devices; Victor Lu; Knowles Precision Devices

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12:40-14:40 Session III. (cont.) QUALITY & RELIABILITY; Chairman:

- **3.3** De-risking plan at Cryogenic Temperatures for PETERCEM microswitch; Manuel Sánchez; Alter Technology; Spain
- **3.4** Ceramic capacitors: recent in-orbit failure and proposed way forward; Adrià Escoda; ESA ESTEC; The Netherlands
- 3.5 Reliability and Failure Mode in Solid Tantalum Capacitors; Y.Freeman; KEMET YAGEO; USA
- **3.6 Degradation of Aluminum and Tantalum Wet Electrolytic Capacitors during High Temperature Storage**; Alexander Teverovsky; Jacobs/NASA- GSFC; USA

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15:00-17:00 Danfoss Drive Factory Tour (bus coach to Danfoss Drive Factory leaving SDU at 14:45) ------

18:00-23:00 Murata Gala Dinner (bus coach to Gala Dinner leaves Danfoss Drive at 17:00) ------

### Sessions & Closing Day 4 14th September 2023

9:00-11:00 Session IV. NEW DEVELOPMENT; Chairman:

- **4.1. High Energy Density NanoLamTM Capacitors for Use in Spacecraft Power Processing Units**; Angelo Yializis Ph.D; Polycharge America Inc; USA
- **4.2.** Shielding metal effect on polypropylene thin-film during focused helium-ion beam irradiation; Shova Neupane; SDU University of Southern Denmark; Denmark
- **4.3.** Layer-by-layer printing: how we fabricate the next generation of nanocomposite capacitors for more efficient power electronics; William Greenbank; SDU University of Southern Denmark; Denmark
- **4.4.** Development of a New High-performance Polymer Aluminium Electrolytic Capacitor; Shova Neupane; SDU University of Southern Denmark; Denmark

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11:20-13:50 Session V. APPLICATIONS; Chairman:

- 5.1. How to select gate resistor from discrete to back-contact-bondable resistors; Ove Hach; Vishay BCcomponents Beyschlag GmbH; Germany
- 5.2. A look at Modern Capacitors used in power conversion; Ron Demcko; KYOCERA AVX Corporation; USA
- **5.3.** Understanding the influence of ESR and Ripple Current for the capacitor selection; Alexander Nebel; YAGEO; Germany
- 5.4. Latest Generation of EMI Suppression (Film) Capacitors for xEV Systems; David Olalla; TDK; Germany
- 5.5. Advancement of power electronics through Ceramic Y-Capacitor Technology; Moaz El Ghazali; Murata; Germany

14:00-14:30 Best Paper Awards & Closing Ceremony

------ 14:30 lunch with to go option -----