

## **Press Release**

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## New Management at Raith China

With effect from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, Xiaoyu Sun has resigned as General Manager of Raith China Co. Ltd.

Mrs. Sun was enormously successful in enabling the transition and integration of several Germantech Team members with longstanding experience in Raith products with Raith BV China employees, to form a single powerful Raith China Co. Ltd. working team. "Implementing this transition while at the same time steering the new team to achieve record bookings from the China marketplace in 2017 is an outstanding achievement, for which I can only congratulate Xiaoyu", says Dirk Brüggemann, President of Raith China Co. Ltd.

At the same time, Mrs. Sun also oversaw operations at Germantech Co Ltd., with all remaining principals and products. "It was a fantastic experience to drive the foundation of Raith China, but it is now time for me to dedicate my focus 100% on actively developing the future of Germantech Co Ltd. again", states Xiaoyu Sun, General Manager of Raith China and Germantech.

From July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, Raith China Ltd. will be led by the well-known and experienced management team of Yue Tian, as General Manager taking care of operations, and Truman Zhu, as Vice General Manager looking after sales and marketing. Both have worked for Raith and with Raith products for many years and have built up outstanding product and market knowledge during that time. "I have now been working on Raith products for nearly 7 years, and I am looking forward to taking over general management of Raith China Ltd. My objective is to focus on further growing the



From right: Yue Tian, Xiaoyu Sun, Truman Zhu

service and support structure for about 60 Raith electron beam lithography and nanofabrication systems and 80 Raith ELPHY lithography attachments in China", says Yue Tian, the new General Manager of Raith China. "Only by providing good quality local support and expertise we can fulfill our Chinese clients' expectations of good investments over the coming years. This will be the foundation for our further expansion and success in the China market place", affirms Truman Zhu, Vice General Manager of Raith China and head of sales in China.

Raith would like to thank Xiaoyu Sun for her outstanding efforts and results during the foundation process of Raith China Co Ltd. and for laying down the basis for further success and growth. At the same time, Raith wishes Yue Tian and Truman Zhu every success in advancing Raith's success in China.

## About Raith:

Raith is a leading provider and manufacturer of systems for nanofabrication, electron beam lithography, focused ion beam nanofabrication, nanoengineering and reverse engineering. Founded in 1980 and headquartered in Dortmund, Germany, the company offers solutions for researchers and engineers in both academic and industry settings. With nearly 250 employees supporting customers in Europe, the Americas, Asia, and the Pacific region, Raith provides a professional support infrastructure that delivers added value to its customers. Raith counts high-level universities, academic institutions as well as companies in the high technology business among its clientele. For more information please visit <u>www.raith.com</u>.

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