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Electronics Visionaries Meet®*

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INTERNATIONAL ELECTRONICS FORUM (IEF2025)

ABOUT THE FORUM



Since its founding in 1989, Future Horizons has been a leading global authority in semiconductor industry analysis. Its flagship event, the International Electronics Forum (IEF), launched in 1991, attracts senior industry executives from around the world.

The Forum, designed around a mix of formal presentations and informal networking sessions, fosters a relaxed and engaging atmosphere. It serves as a premier networking platform for C-suite executives and senior management, drawing key decision-makers from top global IT and AI companies.

Many attendees leverage the Forum to explore business and collaboration opportunities. As a result, the Forum serves not only as a premier industry event but also as a valuable platform for PR, inward investment, and marketing for host countries and venues.

Strategically timed to coincide with the second-quarter financial reporting lull, this year's event, IEF2025, will begin on Sunday, July 13, and conclude with lunch on Tuesday, July 15.

Attendees are encouraged to arrive early or extend their stay to fully experience the local history and culture. A cultural and sightseeing programme is planned for Sunday, July 13, before the formal opening.

We will collaborate with the host country's government, tourism and investment agencies, and academic institutions to maximize promotional opportunities and foster long-term industry cooperation and investment.

To enhance the Forum's uniquely convivial atmosphere, spouses are encouraged to accompany attendees. A relaxed social programme is planned for Monday, July 14, and they are warmly welcomed to join all Forum social functions and receptions.

The Forum's success relies on high-quality, spacious facilities, making the choice of venue crucial in providing an environment where attendees can seamlessly blend business with personal enrichment.

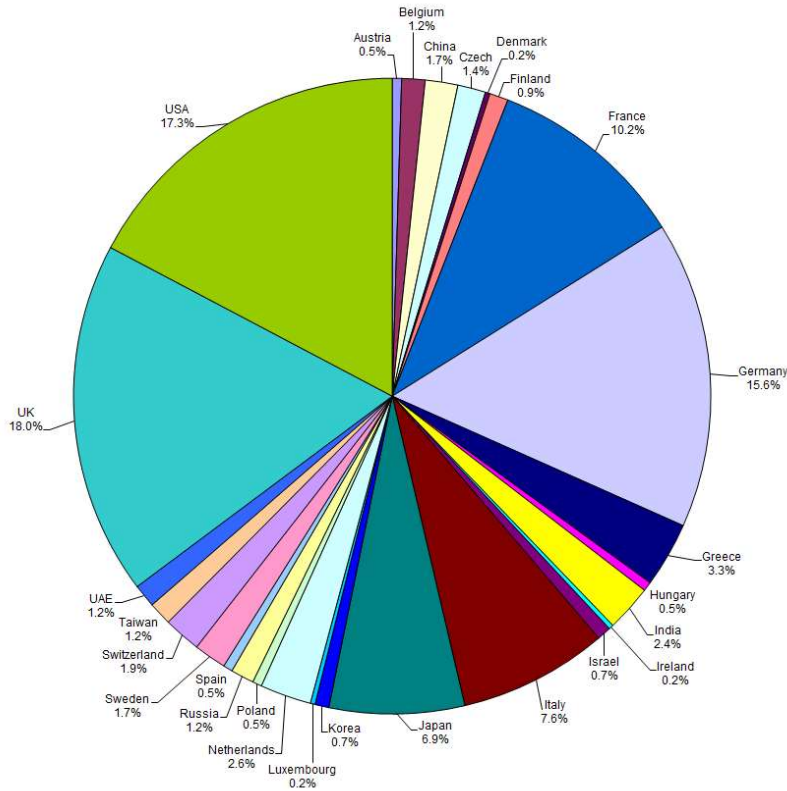
Past locations include Caesar Park Penha Longa, Sintra, Portugal; Grand Hotel, Florence, Italy; Hilton Castle District, Budapest, Hungary; Hilton International, Dresden, Germany; Hilton International, Rabat, Morocco; InterContinental Hotel, Prague, Czech Republic; Madinat Jumeirah, Dubai, UAE; Vesuvio & Excelsior Hotels, Naples, Italy; Sheraton Hotel, Bratislava, Slovakia; and Sheraton Hotel & Conference Centre, Catania, Sicily.

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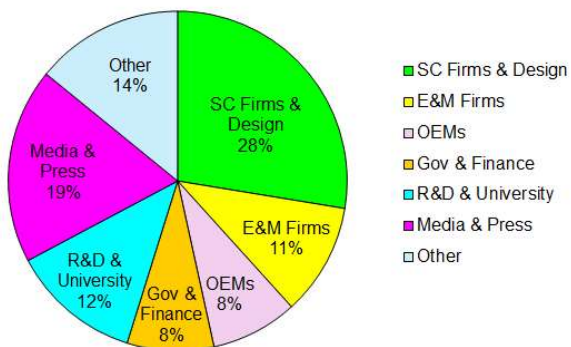
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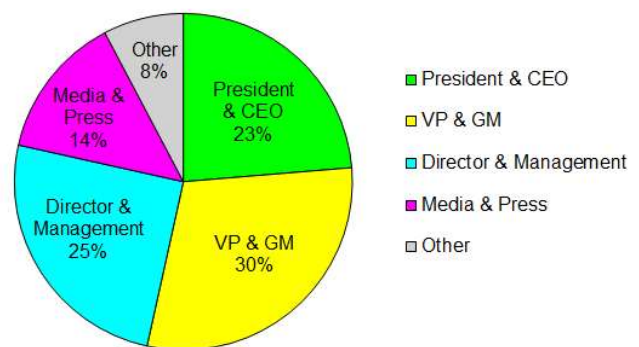
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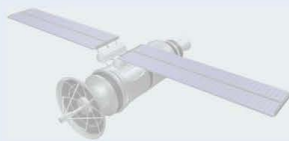


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April 1989**

**6th Decade
Of Semiconductor
Industry Experience**

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Started With The First
Commercial IC**

**Detailed Analysis
plus
The Reasons Why**



Established in April 1989, Future Horizons provides market research, technical appraisal and industry analysis for use in due diligence opportunity assessment, business planning and new market development. Its industry information seminars and forums are widely considered to be the best of their kind. Emphasis is placed on the worldwide microelectronics and associated electronics industry and European market environment.



Malcolm Penn is the founder and CEO of Future Horizons, with over 55 years experience in all aspects of the IT industry, from semiconductors to end-electronics equipment; advance research to manufacturing and applications together with an extensive network of C-level industry contacts. He has worked extensively throughout Europe as well as in the United States, the former USSR, Japan and Korea, and was an early pioneer of pan-European research and product development collaboration in the 1970s during his tenure with ITT Europe.

His wide range of experience includes brokering partnerships and helping firms develop their joint activity relationships. Prior to establishing Future Horizons, he held various operations, marketing and business development positions in the semiconductor and IT industry having worked his way through university as a professional musician.



Mike Bryant is Future Horizons CTO. With more than 45 years in the electronics industry, he is an experienced RF and analogue/mixed signal IC design engineer, specialist in providing IC design and consultancy services on hardware and systems design partitioning, software and digital signal processing design methodology and implementation. Recognising the convergence of many software and digital hardware design techniques, Mike was one of the first in Europe to use HDL and

logic synthesis exclusively for all logic design

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