



Request for Participation (RFP) — submission deadline May 31, 2016

Introduction/Overview

In 2016, SEMICON Europa will feature an enhanced INNOVATION VILLAGE (IV) with the focus on connecting early-stage companies with strategic investors, venture capitalists and other relevant stakeholders for the third time.

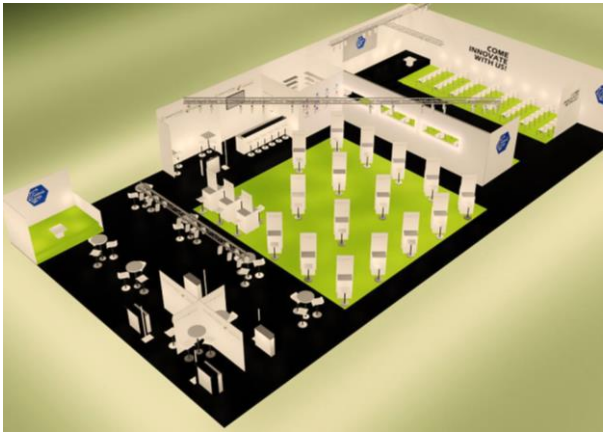
How to Participate

To be considered for this opportunity, you must submit a completed application form. This will give our Silicon Innovation Forum (SIF) committee an idea of the activity and profile of your company/innovation team. The SIF Committee will then review the applications and invite a certain number of applicants to participate in the Innovation Village.

Key Dates

5/31/2015 Deadline for RFP Applications

6/15/2015 Final approval of Participants



Package includes:

- Pitch @ Innovation Arena
- Kiosk with back wall with company logo, lockable counter with electricity, bar stool
- 5 exhibitor passes
- Promo code to invite customers and partners

Price

Start Up Member: 419 Euro,

Start Up Non Member: 519 Euro

Growth Company Member: 559 Euro

Growth Company Non Member: 699 Euro

Company Information

Company

Contact person

Address

City

Zip Code

Phone

Email

Web (URL)

VAT No

Are you a SEMI member?

Yes

No

Please indicate your type of company

Start up (less than 5 years since founding)

Growth company (more than 5 years since founding)

Date

Signature

Please submit your request to semiconeuropa@semi.org



Description

Problem

Stage of Development

Solution

Financial Needs

Technology

Applications

Business Model

Investment opportunity

Market

Competition

Business Sectors

Company Information

Materials for semiconductors
and electronics (incl flex materials)
Equipment for electronics
manufacturing
Micro- and nanotechnologies
Electronics for Medtech
Electronics for Automotive
Cleantech

Years in Business
Number of Employees
IP associated
with technology
Active Customer Base

SEMICON® Europa 2016

STIPULATIONS/TERMS & CONDITIONS

CONTRACT

This contract includes the Application/Contract for Exhibit Space, the Payment Information Form, the Exhibitor Services Manual, and these Stipulations/Terms & Conditions ("**Contract**"). In the event of any conflict among any of these documents, this Stipulation/Terms and Conditions will prevail over all other documents. All documents, including the Exhibitor Service Manual, can be found online at www.semiconeuropa.org. This Contract is entered into between an exhibiting company ("**Exhibitor**") and SEMI Headquarters ("**SEMI**"), based in San Jose, California, USA.

PRIORITY POINTS, BOOTH SPACE ASSIGNMENT AND PAYMENT

Booth space assignment is based on a regional point system. Only SEMI Members can build and use points. Should the requested space be previously assigned or the floor layout change, SEMI will make reasonable efforts to provide suitable alternate space based on when application and payment were received. An Exhibitor's ultimate placement by SEMI shall be considered final, provided that SEMI reserves the rights to relocate an Exhibitor at any time, at its sole discretion, for the overall good of the show. SEMI is not obligated to reimburse the Exhibitor for any costs arising from such relocation.

PAYMENT TERMS

20% (non-refundable) deposit must be submitted along with the Exhibit Space Application Form. Exhibitors will receive follow-up invoices for the remaining balance due of 80% which is due by **April 26, 2016**; respectively. If an Exhibitor does not comply with these Payment Terms, SEMI reserves the right to release such Exhibitor's space for re-assignment and shall be entitled to retain the 20% non-refundable deposit.

GENERAL RULES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Each Exhibitor acknowledges that this Contract is entered into with SEMI. Each Exhibitor further acknowledges that the SEMICON show is organized and owned by SEMI Headquarters and that SEMI Europe will be appointed by SEMI to manage the Exhibition.
2. Each Exhibitor agrees that the rules and regulations of SEMI are made a part of this Contract and agrees to be bound by them. Each Exhibitor further agrees that SEMI has the full power to interpret and enforce all rules and regulations in the best interest of the SEMICON show.
3. The signatory to the Application for exhibit space or his/her designee shall be an official representative of the Exhibitor and shall have the authority to certify representatives and act on behalf of the Exhibitor in all negotiations.
4. Applications from companies with delinquent balances due to SEMI will not be processed. This includes, but is not limited to, unpaid liquidated damages/cancellation fees from prior expositions.
5. SEMI Membership must be active at all times to receive member pricing; otherwise, SEMI will invoice for the non-member rate.
6. SEMI reserves the right to change the venue and date of the Exhibition under certain circumstances. In the event of a change of venue and/or date, or cancellation of the Exhibition, except as provided under the heading "Cancellation/Change of Exhibit," the Exhibitors shall not be entitled to any claim for damages arising from such change or cancellation.

QUALIFICATIONS OF EXHIBITING COMPANY

Exhibitors must be manufacturers or independent representatives of manufacturers that produce equipment or materials for use by the semiconductor, flat panel display and electronic design automation industries, or that are used in relevant ancillary work (such as trade magazines or books, software houses, etc.). SEMI reserves the right to determine the eligibility of any product for display, and the Exhibitor shall immediately remove any product determined by SEMI to be ineligible for display upon SEMI's request. The Exhibitor represents and warrants that none of its products on display will infringe the rights of any third party. If any third party raises a claim against SEMI for the products displayed by the Exhibitor, SEMI shall have the right to terminate this Contract immediately upon notice to the Exhibitor and Exhibitor shall indemnify and hold SEMI harmless against all losses and liabilities associated with such a claim.

USE OF SPACE

An Exhibitor may not assign, sublet or re-sell, in whole or in part, their contracted space. An Exhibitor may share its contracted space with its affiliate for co-exhibiting, provided that: (i) such co-exhibitors shall comply with all conditions and rules and regulations applicable to the Exhibitor that is party to this Contract (a "primary Exhibitor"); (ii) the primary Exhibitor shall continue to be primarily liable for all its

obligations under this Contract; (iii) the PRIMARY Exhibitor MUST have the prominent identification in its entire contracted booth space; (iv) the contracted space MUST appear as one unified booth and; (v) all booths MUST be staffed at all times during exhibit hours.

LIABILITY

TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMISSIBLE UNDER APPLICABLE LAW, IN NO EVENT SHALL SEMI BE RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE FOR ANY SPECIAL, NON-COMPENSATORY, CONSEQUENTIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, STATUTORY OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES OF ANY KIND, NOR SHALL EITHER OF THEM BE RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE FOR ECONOMIC LOSSES, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, GOODS, LOSS OF TECHNOLOGY, RIGHTS OR SERVICES, EVEN IF ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES, WHETHER UNDER CONTRACT THEORY, OR TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE, TO THE EXTENT REASONABLE, STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Contract, the maximum aggregate liability of SEMI to any Exhibitor, affiliated Co-Exhibitors or any of their employees, officers, directors, representatives or subcontractors related to, or in connection with this Contract or the event, will be limited to the total amount of fees paid by the Exhibitor to SEMI hereunder in connection with the Event.

To the fullest extent permissible under applicable law, SEMI will not be liable for damages to property or injuries to any persons from any cause whatsoever by reason of occupancy of exhibit space by Exhibitor, affiliated co-exhibitors, or any of their employees, subcontractors, agents or representatives. Further, each Exhibitor hereby agrees to indemnify, and holds harmless, SEMI and each of their respective officers, directors, employees, subcontractors, representatives and agents from all liabilities, losses, damages, costs, fees (including without limitation court costs and reasonable attorney's fees) and expenses that might result from any cause whatsoever with respect to breach of this Contract; the acts, omissions or representations of Exhibitor and/or Co-Exhibitors; and/or the Exhibitor's exhibit including, without limitation, theft or other loss from exhibit booth.

The Exhibitor agrees to pay promptly for any and all damage to the exhibition building or its equipment, incurred through carelessness or otherwise, caused by the Exhibitor, affiliated Co-Exhibitors, or their employees, subcontractors, agents, or representatives. General security will be provided to Exhibitor, but SEMI shall in no event be liable for any loss or damages whatsoever due to any lack or failure of such security. Exhibitor assumes full responsibility for any loss of equipment and/or display material, resulting from theft or any other cause whatsoever.

Notwithstanding the above, nothing in this Contract excludes or limits SEMI liability in relation to death or personal injury caused by i) their respective negligence or willful or reckless misconduct; ii) any fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation; and iii) any other liability that cannot, as a matter of law, be limited or excluded.

TRADEMARKS AND OTHER INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Exhibitor agrees that any content or materials that include any SEMI trademark must be approved in writing by SEMI prior to publication. If approved, such use shall be in accordance with applicable trademark law and SEMI's trademark guidelines as revised from time to time. Exhibitor agrees that any such use shall inure solely to the benefit of SEMI, and that Exhibitor shall not obtain any right in the SEMI trademarks beyond the rights expressly granted by SEMI. Exhibitor further agrees not to register any SEMI's trademark or confusingly similar trademarks with any governmental authority, and not to challenge the rights of SEMI in any SEMI trademark. Exhibitor agrees to modify or remove any content or material published by Exhibitor in connection with this provision upon SEMI's request.

Exhibitor represents and warrants that it owns or has a license to all rights, title and interest in and to all materials including its logos and trademarks, and any patented designs and inventions, copyrighted works, service marks, trade, business and domain names, and any other intellectual property that it provides to SEMI ("**Intellectual Property**") and that the use of any such Intellectual Property does not violate any license agreement which Exhibitor may have with any third party or infringe on the rights of any third party.

Exhibitor hereby grants to SEMI a non-exclusive, limited license to use Exhibitor's trademarks and logos and other Intellectual Property from the date of acceptance by SEMI of Exhibitor's application and until and including the period of the Event solely in connection with SEMI's

promotion of the Event and Exhibitor's participation in the Event, including without limitation on the SEMI or SEMICON Europa website and in publications, advertising, and brochures. Exhibitor must supply samples of such trademarks and logos and other Intellectual Property and agrees to indemnify, and holds harmless SEMI and each of their respective officers, directors, employees, subcontractors, representatives and agents from all liabilities, losses, damages, costs, fees (including without limitation attorney's fees) and expenses that might result from use of such logos and trademarks and other Intellectual Property in connection with the Event, including as a result of any third party claims against SEMI for infringing or misappropriating any intellectual property rights of the third party.

CANCELLATION / CHANGE OF EXHIBIT

If SEMI should be unable to hold the exhibition for any cause beyond its reasonable control, or if it cannot permit the Exhibitor to occupy its space due to causes beyond SEMI's reasonable control, SEMI has the right to cancel the exhibit with no further liability than a refund of the stand space rental less a proportionate share of the exhibition expenses incurred by SEMI. SEMI shall in no event be liable for incidental or consequential damages to Exhibitor arising from or relating to such cancellation. Should Exhibitor's display and/or material fail to arrive, Exhibitor is nevertheless responsible for the rental of its exhibit space.

COMPLIANCE WITH RULES

Each Exhibitor assumes all responsibility for compliance with pertinent ordinances, regulations, and codes of duly authorized local, state, federal and international government bodies concerning fire, safety, and health, together with the rules and regulations contained in the Exhibitor Services Manual. All aisles and service areas must be kept clear with boundaries set by the Fire Department and SEMI.

ANCILLARY EXHIBITION SERVICES

All Exhibitors are entitled to additional ancillary services offered by SEMI. These ancillary services include:

1. Supply of Exhibition Only admission passes for exhibitor's customers (quantity of passes determined by booth size).
2. Clerical support during exhibition (Show Management Office)
3. Access to advertising opportunities in exhibition catalog and/or online exhibitor listing.
4. Assistance with preparation and organization of approved forums, press conferences, user group meetings, and special exhibitions.

INSURANCE

Exhibitor, at its sole cost and expense, will insure its activities and equipment used in connection with the Event and will obtain, keep in force, and maintain a valid commercial and civil insurance policy (contractual liability included) and errors and omissions in each case in an amount equivalent to US\$1,000,000. If the above insurance is written on a claims-made form, it will continue for two (2) years following the Event. Such coverage and limits will not in any way limit the liability of Exhibitor. Upon the execution of this Contract, Exhibitor will furnish SEMI with certificates of insurance evidencing compliance with all requirements, and Exhibitor will promptly notify SEMI of any material modification of the insurance policies. Such certificates will provide for thirty (30) days' advance written notice to SEMI of any cancellation of insurance policies; indicate that SEMI has been endorsed as an additional insured under such coverage; and include a provision that the coverage will be primary and will not participate with, nor will be excess over, any valid and collectable insurance or program of self-insurance maintained by SEMI.

CANCELLATION OR REDUCTION OF EXHIBIT SPACE BY EXHIBITING COMPANY

1. In the event of cancellation (partial or full) a written notice must be received by SEMI.
2. If canceled on or before **July 26, 2016**, a cancellation fee of 20% of the canceled space will be assessed by SEMI.
3. If canceled after **July 26, 2016**, a cancellation fee of 100% of the canceled space will be assessed by SEMI.
4. SEMI will issue the final invoice reflecting all fees imposed on Exhibitor's account per the terms and conditions of this Contract.

Cancellation fee assessments are not transferable and may not be used for any other payments due.

Reduction of exhibit space may result in booth relocation. SEMI reserves the right to reassign cancelled booth space, regardless of the liquidated damage/cancellation fee assessment. Subsequent reassignment of cancelled space does not relieve the canceling

Exhibitor of the obligation to pay the assessment. SEMI must receive written notification of any cancellation. All booths must be set and show ready by 6:00 pm on the day prior to the opening of the event. Failure to do so will be considered a cancellation, unless SEMI has been notified and has approved in advance otherwise.

DATA PROTECTION

SEMI may collect and process personal company data in order to perform its obligations pursuant to this Contract as well as to provide Exhibitors information about future events. Such data will not be transferred or shared with any other entity other than SEMI and its affiliates. By submitting personal company data to SEMI, Exhibitors expressly consent, on behalf of their officers and employees, to the transfer and processing of that personal company data in Europe and in the United States. Exhibitors have the right to access and correct their personal company data, and in some circumstances may be entitled to delete their personal company data, by contacting SEMI show management.

GOVERNING LAW / ARBITRATION

This agreement shall be governed by the laws of California without regard to principles of conflicts of laws. Any controversy, dispute, or claim arising out of or relating to this agreement, including the existence, validity, interpretation, performance, breach or termination hereof, or any other dispute between the Exhibitor and SEMI arising out of or relating to the SEMICON Show, shall be referred to and finally resolved through arbitration in accordance with the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association in effect on the date of this Agreement.

In the event of any conflict between these governing law/arbitration rules and the provisions of these terms and conditions, the provisions of these terms and conditions shall govern. Notwithstanding the foregoing, should adequate grounds exist for seeking immediately injunctive relief for a violation of any term or condition of this agreement, any party hereto may seek and obtain such relief, provided that, upon its obtaining such relief, such action shall be stayed pending the resolution of arbitration proceedings.

Judgment upon the decision rendered or awarded by the arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof, or application may be made to such court for a judicial recognition of the decision or award or an order of enforcement thereof, as the case may be. The costs of arbitration including, inter alia, reasonable attorneys' fees, expenses associated with the arbitration, and the costs of filing or enforcing the arbitration, all as determined by the arbitrator, shall be paid entirely by the non-prevailing party.

GENERAL

The relationship between the parties is that of independent contractors. Exhibitor is not an employee, agent, partner or legal representative of SEMI and shall have no authority to assume or create obligations on behalf of SEMI or the Event. Exhibitor shall not assign to a third party its rights, or obligations, or any portion thereof without the prior written consent of SEMI, which consent SEMI may grant or withhold at its sole discretion. Any attempted assignment without such consent by SEMI shall be void and of no effect, and shall constitute a material breach by Exhibitor of its obligations hereunder.

This Contract is the only agreement between the parties pertaining to its subject matter, and supersedes any draft or prior or contemporaneous agreement, discussion, or representation (whether written or oral) between the parties. All conditions, warranties or other terms not expressly contained in this Contract which might have effect between the parties or be implied or incorporated into this Contract, whether by statute, common law or otherwise, are hereby excluded. This agreement may be amended or modified in a writing signed by each party. Aside from the parties hereto, no other person or entity is entitled to be from the rights and obligations hereunder and there are no third party beneficiaries hereto.

The failure of either party to assert a right hereunder or to insist upon compliance with any term or condition of this agreement will not constitute a waiver of that right or excuse a similar subsequent failure to perform any such term or condition by the other party. None of the terms and conditions of this Contract can be waived except by the written consent of the Party waiving compliance. If any provision of this agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, then the remaining provisions will nevertheless remain in full force and effect, and the parties shall negotiate in good faith a substitute, valid, and enforceable provision that most nearly reflects the parties' intent in entering into this Contract.

It is each exhibiting company's responsibility to read and comply with all rules and regulations as stated in the Exhibitor Services Manual. Each exhibiting company will be fully responsible for all costs involved should the exhibiting company violate rules and regulations that require remedial action by SEMI.

Please mark one of the three payment options referenced below and complete that related section. This form must be included with your Exhibit Application/Contract.

1. PAYMENT BY CHECK (USD Only)

Company Name: _____
Make checks payable to SEMI and send to:
SEMI
Dept. 05607
San Francisco, CA 94139 USA
(Please refer to oanda.com to obtain a daily exchange rate for EURO/USD)

2. PAYMENT BY WIRE TRANSFER (EURO Only)Bank Transfer Remittance Information:

Please have local German domestic EUR payments sent to us as follows:

Beneficiary's name: Semiconductor Equip Materials Int'l.
Account No: 1010175644
Bank Code (BLZ): 50021000

The account is held with:
ING Bank Deutschland AG
Hahnstrasse 49
60528 Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Please have EUR Wire Transfers sent to us by using the following instructions:

Beneficiary's name: Semiconductor Equip Materials Int'l
IBAN: DE57500210001010175644
SWIFT: INGBDEFF

Please note that the name and address of the ING is not required as part of the instruction. The SWIFT address will route the payment appropriately. The name and address is provided for information only.

3. PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD

Due to the high service charge imposed by the credit card companies, SEMI can only offer credit card payment, as an option, to the following:

- On-site booth assignments (20% deposit)
- Payment from new exhibitors with applications received within 90 days before the show.

Credit Card Type:	Visa	MasterCard	American Express
Company Name:	_____	_____	Amount: EURO _____
Card Number:	_____		
CVC Code:	_____	_____	Expiration Date: _____
Card Holder Name: (as it appears on card)	_____		
Card Billing Address:	_____		
Card Holder Signature:	_____	Date:	_____

If your company requires a purchase order prior to remitting payment, please attach a copy of your purchase order when submitting your Application/Contract and provide SEMI with your purchase order number: _____

Please return this completed form with your Application/Contract by mail or fax to:
SEMI US Fax 1.408.943. 7953 or SEMI EU 49.30.8187.8879 or semiconeuropa@semi.org

VAT INFORMATION

FRENCH VAT INFORMATION

SEMICONDUCTOR EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS INTERNATIONAL VAT Treatment on SEMI Services in France

Semiconductor Equipment and Materials International (hereinafter: "SEMI®") is an international industry association, headquartered in the USA. SEMI organizes the SEMICON® Europa Trade Show which is held in France. Within the framework of the show, SEMI provides various services to French and non-French businesses, and to other industry affiliated participants and individuals. These services comprise rental of floor, meeting space and related ancillary services at the trade show, conference seminars, education programs and the sale of publications/informational material.

According to Article 283-1, Articles 44 and 196 of the Directive 2006/112/EU of the French Tax Code, the place of supply of services related to exhibition service is the place where customer resides. French Public Guidelines (BOI-TVA-DECLA-10-10-20-20130409 § 10 to 40) provides that when the supplier is not established in France, the recipient of such services is liable for the VAT payment under the reverse charge mechanism if it is a VAT-taxable company which has a French VAT identification number.

In this respect, SEMI will not have to issue an invoice showing French VAT, exhibition service is France VAT exempt (except for France/EU individual with no French/EU VAT identification number). The recipient (including EU VAT registered customer) will be liable for VAT under the reverse charge mechanism in their own country of residence, if applicable.

Based on Articles 259 A-5°-a and 259 A-5° of the French tax Code, entrance fees to fairs and exhibitions shall be the place where those events actually take place (i.e France in the case at hand). However, according to the French Public Guidelines aforementioned, as SEMI is not established in France, it will not have to issue an invoice showing French VAT when the VAT-taxable recipient will be VAT registered in France. VAT exemption – Article 283-1 of the French Tax Code.

For entrance fees invoiced to private individuals and companies that are not French VAT registered, SEMI will have to issue an invoice showing French VAT at the rate of 20% (as from January 1st, 2014).

For general inquiries regarding the contents of this document, please contact Mary Durkton at SEMI Headquarters. Phone (408) 943-6927, Fax: (408) 943-7941 Email: mdurkton@semi.org

Additional References: French Tax Code