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## Baton handoff at the top of eu.esco

eu.esco, the European Association of Energy Service Companies, has recently elected Volker Dragon (Siemens) as new Chairman following the baton handoff of Tobias Huber (Siemens). eu.esco thanks Tobias Huber for his commitment and his engagement during his time as Chairman. We wish him all the best for the future.

Following his election, Volker Dragon declared: "Since its foundation, I've seen the impressive work done by the organization and its members. I look forward to building upon eu.esco's successes as we continue to act as a catalyst for the industry's best business practices and facilitate regular interaction between the relevant stakeholders. After all, Energy Performance Contracting as a business model is an important facilitator, supporting the European Union in achieving its climate and energy objectives, ensuring competitiveness and improving the employment rate across the European Community."

eu.ESCO was founded in 2009 by the European Building Automation and Controls Association (eu.bac) and aims at advancing the energy services market by increasing its transparency, trustworthiness and business impact.

### About eu.esco and eu.bac



eu.bac is the European Building Automation and Controls Association. It represents some 85% of the European manufacturers of products and systems for home and building automation. eu.bac has founded the European Association of Energy Services Companies (eu.esco) for promoting Energy Performance Contracting as the sustainable solution for improving energy efficiency in existing buildings using the guaranteed energy savings to pay for the installation. For a full and

updated overview of our membership, please see [www.esco.org](http://www.esco.org)

More importantly, eu.bac members' products, systems and services manage over half of the energy demand in the European Union, reducing waste, ensuring flexibility and moderation of demand and increasing efficiency. By providing distributed intelligence, eu.bac members' products, systems and services ensure that the built environment is ready and able to respond to smart grid signals, demands and supplies.

eu.bac, has developed its own robust certification scheme, eu.bac CERT, and an on-site system audit scheme based on EN 15232. eu.bac CERT assures that technologies (products and systems) in the area of building automation and controls are in conformity with European Directives and with European Standards. The eu.bac CERT mark is the symbol that represents energy efficiency, quality and reliability. eu.bac system audit ensures an efficient and sustainable integrated operation of technical building systems resulting in high indoor environment quality and energy savings over the complete life cycle of the system.

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