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New dual leadership for Grenzebach Romania

- Silviu Nica and Zina Cristea are the new management of Grenzebach Romania S.R.L. in Iasi, Romania
- Both will continue to advance the establishment of the site as a production and development center of the Grenzebach Group
- The site's structural expansions are due to be completed in the end of 2023

IASI/Romania. Grenzebach Romania S.R.L. in Iasi, Romania, will continue its road to success with a new dual management team. In March, Silviu Nica and Zina Cristea have taken over the management positions. With around 200 employees, alongside strengthening the glass, building materials, and intralogistics business units, they focus on developing the site into another manufacturing and engineering center for the Grenzebach Group.

Experienced dual leadership

Silviu Nica and Zina Cristea have been working for the Romanian site of the Grenzebach Group for years. Their many years of service and experience prompted the management of the Grenzebach Group to appoint Nica and Cristea as dual managers of Grenzebach Romania. "It is essential for us to accompany our customers reliably on their journey through their markets with profound know-how. Both continuity and an open mind for the world of tomorrow are equally vital for us. I am sure that Silviu Nica and Zina Cristea will ideally complement each other with their know-how and confidently lead Grenzebach Romania into the future," explains Dr. Steven Althaus, CEO of the Grenzebach Group.

Cristea will be responsible for Finance & Business and supporting the HR, IT, and Shipping functions in addition to her role as Managing Director of Grenzebach Romania as CFO.

In addition to his management duties, Nica will have overall responsibility for the site as COO. He is also responsible for engineering, purchasing, logistics, planning, production, quality, and on-site management functions.

Moritz Ückert, the previous Managing Director of the lasi site, will remain available to Nica and Cristea in an advisory capacity in addition to his future responsibilities as Senior Vice President Global Operations and will continue to support the expansion of the site.

Strengthening the location

Nica highlights: "We can build on a strong foundation and will continue to write the Grenzebach Romania success story. With our new, local production and development center, we are the ideal hub for our European core business." "We are also positioning ourselves as an attractive company and employer in the region," adds Cristea.

With the site expansion, Grenzebach is creating around 100 new jobs. The expansion will be located on a 30,000-square-meter site directly adjacent to the company's existing location. The modern production center will provide generous



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The modern production center will provide generous space for development and service in addition to production areas for the glass, building materials, and intralogistics sectors.

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About Grenzebach Romania S.R.L.

As a manufacturing & engineering center of the multinational Grenzebach Group, Grenzebach Romania provides customers with products and solutions "Made in Europe" for the glass, intralogistics and building materials industries. Customers benefit not only from years of experience in mechanical and plant engineering but also from comprehensive know-how in automation, which is rooted in the knowledge and technology of CNUD EFCO and Grenzebach. Located between Central Europe and Southeastern Europe and bordering the Black Sea, Grenzebach Romania is an ideal hub for worldwide transport via sea freight, road, and railway. About 160 employees focus on producing and developing processes and plants that meet current and future requirements for digitalization and automation. Values such as sustainability and partnership play central roles for the company.

About Grenzebach

Grenzebach is a leading automation solution provider for the global glass, building materials and intralogistics markets. In addition, the company develops new application areas, such as various recycling processes, friction stir welding, the automation of industrial additive manufacturing, digital networking, or solutions for sustainable energy generation such as solar-active façades. Grenzebach ranks among the international technology leaders in its markets. The global manufacturing footprint, with production sites in Germany, Romania, the US, and China, as well as additional worldwide locations, ensures on-site customer support. More than 3,000 systems installed in more than 55 countries stand for quality and reliability. Since the company opened its doors over 60 years ago, it has been owned by the founding family. With an export ratio of more than 90 percent, Grenzebach is a global player.

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