

CURRICULUM VITAE

FRANZ JOSEF EMMINGER

SERIAL ENTERPRENEUR

EDUCATION

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Degree: Engineer Federal technical college of aerospace engineering Airbase Brumowski, Austria 1991 -1995

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EXPERTISE

- Fund raising
- Leading development teams
- Managing international private and public stakeholders (customer, supplier, authorities, political representatives,...)
- Media & press management
- Innovation & Development
- Injection molding of microstructures
- Mechatronics
- Photobioreactors

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ABOUT ME

born on the 1st of April 1977 in Hainburg an der Donau, AUSTRIA, I've started and lead many successful projects. I have lots and lots of ideas... far too many, but my strength is implementing

Working is life. I love creating my own reality and chances for others. I'm a team worker and strategist.

"Everyone knew it was impossible, until a fool who didn't know came along and did it." — Albert Einstein

EXPERIENCE

2020 SARCURA GMBH

DIRECTOR ENGINEERING & CO-FOUNDER

SARCURA GmbH: Cell Therapy Solutions - Sarcura is developing an innovative and highly integrated CAR-T cell manufacturing platform that will allow shorter turnaround times and is key to ensure more efficient, safer and affordable cell therapy products.

- Design and test engineering concepts for fluid management
- Coordination of technology and development partner
- Prototyping
- Patent research and evaluation
- Fundraising

2018 THE COOLING COMPANY GMBH

CEO & CO-FOUNDER

The Cooling Company GmbH: Product development of emergency body cooling systemS

2018 LAUHALALAND

ESTABLISHMENT OF A PRIVATE COASTAL FOREST PRESERVE

LauhalaLand - Private Coastal Forest Preserve

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- CERTIFIED COMPACT FLUID SIMULATION TRAINING Autodesk Simulation 2013
- TRADE CERTIFICATE FOR MECHATRONICS
 2010
- LICENSED SHIP MASTER 2004
- TRAINEE INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATE 2004
- NLP TRINERGY SEMINAR FOR MANAGERS
 ZENS COMMUNICATION 2004

PERSONAL DATA

- Date of birth: 01.04.1977
- 2 children
 Jana (2003)
 Felix (2007)

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EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

2015 HONUA HOLDING GMBH

CEO & FOUNDER

honua holding GmbH: Several R&D projects.

2008 ECODUNA AG

CTO & CO FOUNDER

2018 Founding and maturing a startup company,

developing and producing photobioreactors for the cultivation of micro-algae, 40 employees

- Technical development of a closed loop bioreactor concept
- Fundraising
- Stakeholder management
- Hiring and managing technical teams
- Lead customer acquisition

Starting from the scratch in 2005 with growing microalgae in plastic bottles on the own roof, the concept was proven at a final scale of 230km (!) reactor length on 10.000m² footprint producing 100t biomass per year in 2018

2006 ETEC ENGINEERING GMBH

R&D MANAGER

2008 Configuration of combined heating and power station Projects for special Fuels

- Evaluation of concepts using alternative biofuels
- Early prototyping
- Technology screening

2003 3A MEDIA PRODUKTION & HANDEL GMBH

MANAGER TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT

2006 Production and trading of DVD recordable

- Developing upstream production process of DVD recordable in a cleanroom environment
- Injection Molding of microstructures incl development of analytical methods (atom force microscope)
- train and lead a team of operators
- building relationships with international technology partners and suppliers

LINGUISTIC PROFICIENCY

GERMAN

NATIVE LANGUAGE

ENGLISH

SECOND LANGUAGE; FLUENT

PROFILE

- Comfortable thinking outside my box
- Incredibly open to new concepts and ways of life
- Finding simple solutions for complex technical problems
- Bringing big ideas and finishing what I have started
- Leaving good ideas behind for better ones

INTERESTS

- Fire breathing
- Funambulating
- Scale Modelling
- Travelling

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AWARDS

2014 ENERGY GLOBE WORLD AWARD 2014 - 1ST PLACE
THE WORLD AWARD FOR SUSTAINABILITY ECODUNA

2012 DR. ERWIN PRÖLL ZUKUNFTSPREIS 2012 - 1ST PLACE
FUTURE PRICE BY THE GOVERNOR OF LOWER
AUSTRIA DR. ERWIN PRÖLL ECODUNA

2010 AWARD FOR TECHNICAL INNOVATION BY THE AUSTRIAN ECONOMIC CHAMBERS 2010 ECODUNA

2010 AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING INNOVATION BY THE GOVERNMENT OF LOWER-AUSTRIA 2010 ECODUNA

2009 RIZ GENIUS AWARD 2009 - 1ST PLACE ECODUNA

FILED PATENTS

WO002019010516A1 13.07.2018 PORTABLE COOLING APPLIANCE

WO002018041859A1 30.08.2017 PHOTOBIOREACTOR HAVING MOVABLE MAINTENANCE DEVICE

WO002017045003A2 14.09.2016 BELT DRYER AND METHOD FOR DEWATERING MICROALGAE

WO002016176698A1 02.05.2016
DEVICE FOR A PHOTOCHEMICAL PROCESS, SUCH AS A PHOTOCATALYTICAL AND/OR PHOTOSYNTHETIC

WO002016168871A2 22.04.2016 METHOD FOR OBTAINING, IN PARTICULAR FOR HARVESTING, ALGAE AND MICROORGANISMS

WO002016011468A1 22.07.2015
METHOD FOR A PHOTOCHEMICAL PROCESS, SUCH AS A PHOTOCATALYTIC AND/OR PHOTOSYNTHETIC

WO002015179888A1 27.05.2015 METHOD FOR A PHOTOCHEMICAL PROCESS, SUCH AS A PHOTOCATALYTIC AND/OR PHOTOSYNTHETIC

WO002011022742A1 17.08.2010 ELECTRICALLY DRIVEN VEHICLE

WO002010102316A2 08.03.2010
DEVICE FOR A PHOTOCHEMICAL PROCESS

WO002009094680A1 27.01.2009
METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PHOTOCHEMICAL PROCESS