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Karl Lamprecht is President and CEO of the ZEISS Group and oversees the Brand, Communications and Public Affairs, Executive Corporate Office, Patents, Research & Technology, Strategic Development, and Ventures. He is also responsible for the Australasia, China, India, and Southeast Asia sales regions.

In addition to his office as Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Carl Zeiss Meditec AG, a company listed on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange, Karl Lamprecht is a Member of the Supervisory Board of Körber AG, Hamburg. He is also Chairman of the Aalen University Council.

Karl Lamprecht was born in 1964 in Zell am See, Austria. He studied physics at the University of Innsbruck and graduated in 1990 (Mag. rer. nat.). In 1993 he obtained his doctorate (Dr. rer. nat.) in physics from the University of Innsbruck. In 1995 he also completed an MBA at the Graduate School of Business at the University of Chicago.

Milestones in his career

- 2020 President and CEO of the ZEISS Group
- 2018 Appointment to the Executive Board of the ZEISS Group
- 2017 Head of the Semiconductor Manufacturing Technology business group and President and CEO of Carl Zeiss SMT GmbH
- 2015 Member of the Management Board of the Semiconductor Manufacturing Technology business group and Head of the Semiconductor Manufacturing Optics strategic business unit
- 2008 Head of the Laser Optics strategic business unit and Managing Director of Carl Zeiss Laser Optics GmbH
- 2005 Joins ZEISS as Vice President of Strategic Business Development at Carl Zeiss Semiconductor Manufacturing Technology AG
- 2002 Investment Director at AdAstra Venture Consult GmbH, Munich
- 1995 Consultant at McKinsey & Company, Inc., Munich