

# Topcon Goes Live

Topcon GB & Ireland hosted its first ever live demonstration event to showcase the technology and techniques used in highways construction, quarrying and site management

The event, which took place 22-24 September at Stoneleigh in the Midlands, also featured presentations from leading figures in the construction industry, including Autodesk and Skanska and was attended by key clients and partners, such as HS2 and Network Rail.

David Bennett, Business Manager at Topcon said "It was great to give our customers and partners a flavour of our latest technology live in action and bring the workflow to life.

"The fascinating talks from our partners and clients, such as Autodesk, Skanska and Lynch demonstrated best practice in the industry and how businesses can work together successfully to make efficiencies in the work processes. We are already looking forward to next year's event."

The technology on display included mmGPS technology, a combined Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) with an accurate



altitude reference, meaning it can give information about a fixed point while allowing for height correction. Topcon's UAS also took to the skies with a live flight demonstration at the event.



Partners for the event, who bought the paving, quarrying and site management process to life, included Williams, Wirtgen, Vogele, Hamm, RDS Technology, Tierra, Lynch, Autodesk and Komatsu.

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# Boost for UK SMEs AT INTERGEO 2016

British exhibitors to enjoy streamlined access to INTERGEO services and facilities, thanks to an agreement between Hinte GmbH and GeoConnexion

Hinte GmbH, Germany's biggest organiser of technology trade fairs, has appointed GeoConnexion Ltd. of Cambridge as its exclusive UK agent for INTERGEO, the world's largest annual exhibition and conference devoted to geodesy, geoinformation and land management.

Under the arrangement, GeoConnexion - which already hosts the UK Pavilion

at INTERGEO - will act as a single point of contact for all UK-based companies and organisations seeking information on the event; handle bookings for exhibition space and facilities, and provide them with an enhanced level of support before, during and after the show.

The proportion of overseas visitors and exhibitors attending the event has grown significantly over recent years and Hinte CEO, Christoph Hinte, sees this trend continuing. "Half of the record-breaking 16,500 visitors to this year's INTERGEO in Stuttgart (15-17 September) were from outside Germany and this is attracting a growing number of British companies to promote their products and services to potential partners, distributors and customers. We expect their presence to be even greater at next year's INTERGEO in Hamburg and GeoConnexion is

the ideal partner to simplify and streamline their booking and support arrangements."

For GeoConnexion Managing Director, Mai Ward, the move is a logical next step in a partnership that has developed over the past 15 years. "We initially participated in INTERGEO as a media sponsor and have extended this over the past three years to organise and host the UK Pavilion. Interest in the event has grown enormously, and thanks to our close working relationship with Hinte, we are now well placed to help all British companies gain the most from their attendance at this world-class event."



Pictured at INTERGEO in Stuttgart (from L-R): Daniel Katzer, Managing Director Hinte GmbH, Micki Knight, Sales & Marketing Director, GeoConnexion Ltd, Mai Ward, Managing Director, GeoConnexion Ltd, and Christoph Hinte, CEO, Hinte GmbH