



## **SLM Solutions: Sam O’Leary to join SLM Solutions as new COO**

**SLM Solutions AG announces that Sam O’Leary will join SLM Solutions Group AG’s management board as Chief Operating Officer.**

As COO he will be responsible for production, product development/R&D as well as supply chain management. With the addition of Sam O’Leary, SLM gains a highly experienced manager with deep experience in the areas of the development and commercialization of additive manufacturing systems as well as the industrialization of production processes and optimization of supply chains.

Mr. O’Leary ideally complements SLM Solutions’ management board and will significantly contribute to the profound change process initiated in May 2019 by CEO Meddah Hadjar and to the overall success of the Company. Meddah Hadjar, CEO of SLM Solutions commented: “We are extremely happy for such a competent and experienced individual like Sam to join our team. With his experience he will significantly contribute to strengthening our innovation leadership and will help drive the implementation of our strategy to regain a leadership position in our industry.”

Sam O’Leary joins from General Electric where he most recently was director of product development for the Concept Laser business and was responsible for the development and commercialization of all product lines. Prior to this, he served in roles at Alstom/GE and Score Group plc. Mr. O’Leary is 36 years old and a British citizen.



**About the company:**

SLM Solutions Group AG from Lübeck, Germany, is a leading supplier of metal-based additive manufacturing technology. The company's shares are traded on the Prime Standard of the Frankfurt Stock Exchange. The company focuses on the development, assembly, and sale of machines and integrated system solutions in the field of Selective Laser Melting. SLM Solutions currently employs more than 400 people in Germany, France, Italy, the USA, Singapore, Russia, India, and China. The products are used worldwide by customers in the aerospace industry, the energy sector, healthcare, and the automotive sector.

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