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ebm-papst again receives the "Innovative through Research" award

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For the third time after 2014 and 2016, the fan specialist ebm-papst has been awarded the seal of approval "Innovative through Research" by the Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft, for its research and development work. Since 2014, the Stifterverband has awarded this seal of approval to companies in the field of research and development, rewarding their efforts as innovation drivers. The seal, which is valid for two years, honors companies "that show a special commitment to research and development," as the association says.

"The increasing demands on digitization require us to continuously bring new innovations to the market in this area, in order to further expand our technological leadership. We are therefore pleased that our high level of innovation activity has once again been honored with the seal of approval 'Innovative through Research','" emphasizes Dr. Bruno Lindl, Group Managing Director for Research and Development of the ebm-papst Group.

With its think tanks in Dortmund and Osnabrueck, ebm-papst has already further expanded its research activities in the field of digitization and the development of new business models. These "think tanks" are intended to bring new innovations to the market on an ongoing basis. Additionally, ebm-papst cooperates with numerous universities and research institutions, such as Heilbronn University of Applied Sciences or the University of Stuttgart.

Caption (Photo: Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft)

Fig. 1: Official seal of approval from the Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft.

About ebm-papst

The ebm-papst Group is the world's leading manufacturer of fans and motors. Since it was founded, the technology company has continuously set global industry standards: from interconnected, electronically controlled EC fans and aerodynamic improvements for fan blades to the use of materials that conserve resources. In fiscal year 2016/17, the company achieved sales of over €1.9 billion. ebm-papst employs over 14,000 people at 26 production sites (in Germany, China, the US and elsewhere) and in 49 sales offices worldwide. Fans and motors from the world
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market leader are used in many sectors, including ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration, household appliances, heating, automotive and drive engineering.