

**Dr. Franz Richter**

Chairman, non-executive member of the Board of Directors, German citizen

Education

BSc Mechanical Engineering, Münster University of Applied Sciences, Münster, Germany

MSc Physics, University of Bielefeld, Bielefeld, Germany and Technical University of Darmstadt, Darmstadt, Germany

PhD Mechanical Engineering, Technical University of Aachen, Aachen, Germany

- 1985 – 1988** Scientist at Carl Zeiss, Oberkochen, Germany
- 1988 – 1990** Scientist at Fraunhofer Institute for Laser Technology, Aachen, Germany
- 1990 – 2004** Various roles at Süss MicroTec SE, including CEO (1998-2004) and COO of Süss Holding AG and CEO of Karl Süss Verwaltung GmbH (1997-1998), Garching, Germany
- 2005 – 2007** President of Semiconductor Equipment segment, Unaxis, at OC Oerlikon, Pfäffikon, Freienbach, Switzerland
- 2007 – 2016** CEO and cofounder of Thin Materials GmbH, Eichenau, Germany
- 2016 – 2021** CEO of Süss MicroTec SE, Garching, Germany

Current mandates: Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Fraunhofer Institute IZM, Berlin, Germany, since 2009; Chairman of the board of directors of Scint-X Technologies AB, Kista, Sweden, since 2014 (member of the board of directors since November 2014, chairman of the board of directors since February 2015), Scint-X sold all assets and has no operational business anymore.

Two non-remunerated mandates at a non-listed company (not in operation anymore) and a research organization; no significant official functions or political offices.

No further mandates for Board memberships or consulting activities for important Swiss or foreign organizations. No significant official functions or political offices.