

Press release

Next generation at STI Group - Andrea Oehler becomes Managing Director

After her induction period at the headquarters in Steinach, Andrea Oehler takes over the management of the entire STI Group and thus the function of Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of all locations. She follows in the footsteps of her father, Dr. Edgar Oehler, who has successfully managed the company for over 60 years. Dr. Edgar Oehler will concentrate on being Chairman of the Board of Directors and will assist his daughter in an advisory capacity.

Andrea Oehler is delighted about this further milestone in her professional career. With the many intensive years she has spent working for the company in various departments, she is perfectly ready for this new challenge.

"I am delighted that my daughter Andrea, is accepting my inheritance, and I am convinced that she will continue to lead the STI Group successfully and with an eye to the future in the interests of the company and all its employees" says Dr. Edgar Oehler.

"Hartchrom AG has always been part of the family for me. I grew up with it and feel very connected to the company. I am therefore extremely pleased to take over the management and, together with the entire STI Group team, to keep on building the strengths of our company and set new things in motion. I am very much looking forward to this task and to the trust placed in me by the family, the Board of Directors and the employees at all locations," says the new Managing Director.



Andrea Oehler and Edgar Oehler



Andrea Oehler

About STI Group

Under the umbrella of the STI Group, the long-established Swiss company STI Group Hartchrom AG, based in Steinach on Lake Constance, has been developing individual complete solutions for the finishing of various surfaces worldwide for decades. A total of over 500 employees work at several production sites in Switzerland, Germany, France, the USA and China. 500 employees work at several production sites in Switzerland, Germany, France, the USA and China. STI Group offers functional surface technology: galvanic processes, thermal and mechanical coatings, paint coatings, conversion and combination coatings and many more. The globally operating company has become synonymous with quality and precision in surface finishing, working for successful international industrial companies and finishing their small to very large components with any geometry, individual parts as well as series. STI Group is the global market leader in the paper and printing, general industries and defence technology sectors. In addition, the STI Group has achieved a leading position in the surface finishing of various components for engine construction as well as the automotive and aerospace industries.