

Fibre to the Home Council Europe

Media Update: May 2014

Webinar: European FTTH Forecast, 2013-2018: Behind the Numbers

Tuesday 27 May 2014 @ 11AM – 12AM CEST

This webinar will discuss the latest forecast on the European FTTH market. Heavy Reading Chief Analyst Graham Finnie will give a detailed analysis of the development of FTTH networks in Europe, Russia and Turkey. This will include the thinking behind the forecast that just under 22 million homes in the EU will be connected by FTTH/B in 2017 and what this means for the Digital Agenda targets. He will also explain why Russia will continue to be the biggest national market with more than 15 million home connected by 2018. The webinar will also look at some individual countries, investigate the role of incumbents and alternative operators, and look at the balance between FTTH to MDUs and SDUs.

Register for this webinar today.

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18 March 2014

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www.ftthcouncil.eu/resources?category_id=10

Just published!

FTTH Council Europe Annual Report 2013–2014, Ten Years of Fibre to the Home Council

In this Jubilee Edition of its Annual Report, the FTTH Council Europe celebrates its 10th anniversary this year. We took this opportunity to dedicate a full section to this unique occasion and document the successful history of our organisation. It also offers a review of our successful activities in the working year 2013/14.

[Download the Annual Report 2013-14](#) (PDF) >

‘Getting Europe back on the fibre track’ is the theme of the FTTH Council Europe’s strategic work plan 2014

Members of the FTTH Council Europe met in Amsterdam on 7 and 8 April for the General Assembly where they set the course for the coming years. Six members of the Board were elected and Karin Ahl was confirmed as President of the FTTH Council Europe. The strategic work plan for the coming year is “getting Europe back on the fibre track.”

[Read the press release](#) (PDF) >

FTTH Council Europe offers ‘Observer’ Status to network operators

The FTTH Council Europe has introduced an Operator Observer Status for network operators. This will allow broadband network operators to benefit from the detailed research data that FTTH Council Europe makes available for their members. It will also enable operators to participate in selected working groups of the FTTH Council Europe.

“By introducing the Operator Observer Status the FTTH Council Europe ensures to include the network operators in our work. At the same time we keep our neutrality on specific operators’ agendas as our objective is the acceleration of FTTH deployments in Europe,” explained Hartwig Tauber, Director General of the FTTH Council Europe.

Further details on the Operator Observer Status and the application process will be available at [FTTH Council Europe](#) in May.

[Find out about FTTH Council Europe membership](#) >

Upcoming Media Events

Meet us at ANGACOM in Cologne, Germany, on 20—22 May!

The FTTH Council Europe will have a booth at ANGACOM Exhibition & Congress www.angacom.de, the leading event for the cable television industry, in Cologne, Germany, on 20—22 May. Journalists are welcome to drop by to see us at Hall 10.2 - Booth D39 - where you can do some networking over a cup of coffee or pick up the latest copies of the *FTTH Smart Guide*, *FTTH Handbook*, *FTTH Business Guide*, the latest case studies and the *Annual Report 2013-2014*, a jubilee edition on 10 years of FTTH Council Europe.

Hartwig Tauber, Director General, and Nadia Babaali, Communications Director, will be attending this event, and are available for interviews. To arrange an interview, please contact nadia.babaali@ftthcouncil.eu.

INVESTORS DAY

Investors Day - Cooperation Models for Cable Operators

21 May 2014, ANGACOM, Cologne

Attendance is free of charge.

IMPORTANT: The event will be held in German!

Kooperationsmodelle für Kabelnetzbetreiber

Besuchen Sie den FTTH Council Europe Investors Day und treffen Sie Investoren aus den Bereichen Pensions- und Infrastrukturfonds, Private Equity, etc., sowie Berater, Projektbetreiber, Regulatoren, politische Entscheidungsträger als auch Netzbetreiber.

Ein umfassendes Programm finden Sie hier: [Investors - Programme](#)

Zeit: 10:00 – 15:00 MESZ

Ort: Koelnmesse, Congress Centrum Ost, 2. OG, Raum 5 (direkt oberhalb der ANGACOM), Messeplatz 1, 50679 Köln, Deutschland (Bitte beachten Sie die Hinweisschilder)

Zutritt: Zum Besuch der Veranstaltung benötigen Sie ein ANGA COM Messticket (22€), das wir Ihnen nach der Registrierung auf Anfrage (info@ftthcouncil.eu) kostenlos zur Verfügung stellen.

The FTTH Council Europe will also be speaking or exhibiting at the following events:

3 – 5 June	FTTH Council Asia-Pacific Conference 2014 www.ftthcouncilapevents.com	Penang, Malaysia
17 June	NextGen Expo Scotland www.nextgenevents.co.uk/events/nextgen-expo-scotland	Glasgow, UK
23 – 25 June	FTTH Council Americas' Conference & Expo 2014 www.ftthannual.org	Fort Lauderdale, Florida, U.S.

Journalists are invited to interview FTTH Council Europe executives at events where they are speaking, or by phone at any time.

For an appointment, please email: nadia.babaali@ftthcouncil.eu.

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Be first to find out about the latest developments at the FTTH Council Europe by joining our active social media communities. We have over 4413 members in our LinkedIn Group, 2176 followers on Twitter and 1184 “likes” on Facebook – so you’ll be in good company!



About the FTTH Council Europe:

The FTTH Council Europe is an industry organisation with a mission to accelerate the availability of fibre-based, ultra-high-speed access networks to consumers and businesses. The Council promotes this technology because it will deliver a flow of new services that will enhance the quality of life, contribute to a better environment and increase economic competitiveness. The Council consists of more than 150 member companies.

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