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CU Innovation Day „Tailored Structures“

Dear Sir or Madam,

We are pleased to cordially invite you to the CU Innovation Day 2026 “Tailored Structures”! The sixth edition of this event series will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, 7–8 October 2026, at the University of Stuttgart and the Institute of Aircraft Design (IFB).

Organized by the CU working group “Tailored Structures” and the IFB at the University of Stuttgart, the event will once again provide a platform for expert exchange on fiber-reinforced composite structures with the greatest possible lightweight potential and their variable-axial properties. The focus will be on the latest advances in the design, manufacture, and application of ultra-lightweight structures.

At a Glance:

When:

7th - 8th of October, 2026

Where:

Universität Stuttgart,
Universitätsstraße 28-34, 70569
Stuttgart

Presented by:

Composites United

Abstract submission deadline:

August 30th, 2026

Publication of the final program:

September 10th, 2026

We also cordially invite you to actively contribute to the program as a speaker. If you would like to apply for a presentation, please send us a short abstract by 30 July 2026 at the latest. The abstract should include the title of the presentation, the name of the speaker, the institution, and a meaningful description of the topic, and should not exceed half a page. You are welcome to supplement your abstract with informative visuals.

Please, send your abstracts to:

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We look forward to your participation and to discussing the future development of sustainable and resource-efficient composite concepts with you.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact **Dr.-Ing. Stefan Carosella** (stefan.carosella@ifb.uni-stuttgart.de), **Prof. Dr.-Ing. Axel Spickenheuer** (spickenheuer@ipfdd.de), or **Dr.-Ing. Thomas Heber** (thomas.heber@composites-uni.com).

