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**Five new apprentices join Getzner Werkstoffe**

**New recruits to be trained by the vibration protection expert from September**

**Buers, Austria. In September 2019, five young people will start their apprenticeships at Getzner Werkstoffe. This will bring the number of apprentices employed at the company to fourteen, in roles ranging from laboratory technician to metal technician, industrial management assistant and IT technician. Some of the apprenticeships will be carried out on a rotational basis.**

On 2 September 2019, five new apprentices will arrive for their [first day at Getzner](https://lehre.getzner.com/) in Buers. Vadim Beljansky and Marco Schneider will be trained as a laboratory technicians, Chiara Amann is learning the trade of an industrial management assistant, Sandro Studer that of a metal technician and Jeremy Zemasch will be trained as IT technician. In addition to the five new apprentices, Getzner is currently training nine other young people as skilled laboratory technicians, metal technicians, industrial management assistants and IT technicians. “We would like to say a warm welcome to our new apprentices. Getzner offers a versatile and fascinating training period to its young recruits. We are happy to qualify Vadim, Marco, Chiara, Sandro and Jeremy to be highly sought-after specialists,” states apprenticeship officer Reinhard Gantner.

**Learning in different departments**

Depending on the apprenticeship, some apprentices will be completing a rotation course to ensure that they gain a comprehensive insight into the various fields of work at Getzner. This means that the apprentices will spend several months at a time working in different departments at the [vibration protection](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iogTUmxLcl4) company, allowing them to form an impression of which areas best fit with their talents and which tasks interest them the most. "As part of our rotations, you gain experience in new departments, so it's a good way to get to know the company as a whole. Each rotation makes an apprentice a little more independent and flexible and in the end you can connect each step of the process," explains Miriam Sparr, who just completed her training as an industrial management assistant this summer.

Caption: The five new apprentices on their first day of work at Getzner Werkstoffe (from l. to r.): Schneider Marco, Beljansky Vadim, Chiara Amann, Sandro Studer and Jermey Zemasch

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**Getzner Werkstoffe GmbH**

[Getzner Werkstoffe](https://www.getzner.com/en) is the leading specialist in the field of [vibration isolation and protection](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=koMOxXcDZAw). Its solutions are based on the products [Sylomer®](https://www.getzner.com/en/products/sylomer), [Sylodyn®](https://www.getzner.com/en/products/sylodyn), [Sylodamp®](https://www.getzner.com/en/products/sylodamp) and [Isotop®](https://www.getzner.com/en/products/isotop), all of which were developed and manufactured at Getzner's own facility. They are used in the rail, construction and industry sectors to reduce vibrations and noise, improve the service life of bedded components and minimise the need for maintenance and repairs on tracks, vehicles, structures and machines. The company was founded in 1969 as a subsidiary of Getzner, Mutter & Cie.

Getzner markets its vibration protection solutions around the world. Alongside its locations in Buers and in Germany, Getzner also has offices in China, France, India, Japan, Jordan and the USA. Its tightly-knit distribution network in Europe is complemented by its distribution partners in the USA, South America and the Far East. Partners in a total of 40 countries around the world distribute Getzner Werkstoffe products to every location. By reducing noise and vibrations, Getzner is making a valuable contribution towards enhancing the quality of living and working conditions.

**Facts and figures – Getzner Werkstoffe GmbH**

Founded: 1969 (as a subsidiary of Getzner, Mutter & Cie)

Chief Executive Officer: Juergen Rainalter

Employees: 490 (360 in Buers)

2018 turnover: 100.3 million euros

Business areas: Railway, construction, industry

Headquarters: Buers (AT)  
Locations: Beijing, Kunshan (CN), Munich, Berlin, Stuttgart (DE), Lyon (FR),   
 Pune (IN), Amman (JO), Tokyo (JP), Charlotte, Decatur (US)

Ratio of exports: 93 percent

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