

EtherCAT Technology Group
Members

ETG Technical Committee Meeting on Wednesday, March 17th, 2010

February 2010

Dear ETG Member,

we invite you to participate in the ETG Technical Committee (TC) Meeting at the Mercure Hotel Wings Frankfurt Airport in Raunheim, conveniently located close to the Frankfurt Airport.

The TC meeting will again cover a wide range of topics: Please find them on page 2 of this invitation.

**The ETG Technical Committee Meeting starts at 9:30 a.m. (March 17th), registration starts at 9 a.m.
End of the meeting will be 5:15 p.m.**

On March 16th there will be a free of charge **EtherCAT Training Class** and a half day **Safety over EtherCAT Seminar** in the afternoon. Please have a look at the separate invitation for these events.

There is no participation fee, only the meeting package has to be paid directly to the hotel. You find details regarding the location on page 3. Presentations will be held in English, if non German speaking members sign up.

Please register online as soon as possible in order to help us with the organization.

Registration deadline is Monday, March 8th, 2010.

Registration for the Training Class and the Technical Committee is available online:

http://www.ethercat.org/registration_tc

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best regards,

Dr. Guido Beckmann
Chairman Technical Committee
EtherCAT Technology Group

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Agenda

09:05 a.m.	<i>Shuttle bus leaves Frankfurt Airport Terminal 1, Hall C, Exit 7, Arrival Level</i>
09:00 a.m.	Registration + Welcome Coffee
09:30 a.m.	Technical Committee Meeting
12:15 p.m.	Lunch Break, Coffee
01:30 p.m.	Technical Committee Meeting
03:30 p.m.	Coffee Break
03:40 p.m.	Technical Committee Meeting
05:15 p.m.	End of Meeting
05:25 p.m.	<i>Shuttle Bus leaves to airport (arrives Frankfurt Airport Terminal 1 at 05:52 p.m.)</i>

Meeting topics include among other things (sequence may change):

- Working Group (WG) Reports
 - WG CiA402 Drive Profile
 - WG EtherCAT Automation Protocol
 - WG Conformance
 - WG Device & Network Description
 - WG FDT/DTM
 - WG Master Classes
 - WG Safety
- EtherCAT Specification and Knowledge Base Updates
- Application specific device description
- MDP: General Modular IO Master
- Station Identification
- ETG Activities
 - Plug Fest in Europe, North America and Asia
 - IEC Standardization, etc.
- Miscellaneous

ETG Meeting Location

Mercure Hotel Wings Frankfurt Airport

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http://www.mercure.com/mercure/fichehotel/gb/mer/2204/fiche_hotel.shtml

The Mercure Hotel Wings Frankfurt Airport offers 4-star comfort and 417 rooms including 250 apartments with a kitchenette as well as studios with a lovely roof terrace. The hotel has its own parking facilities and a free airport shuttle service to the nearby airport. There are twelve conference rooms available for events of up to 130 people. Guests can use the fitness center and sauna free of charge, relax in the pretty winter garden or enjoy a beauty treatment.

Since the ETG membership is free of charge, the meeting costs are covered by the participants.

Meeting costs are charged by and directly payable at the Hotel.

Special Room Rate for Meeting Attendants.

(Please book your room as soon as possible, because there is only a limited contingent.)

The Meeting Package includes:

- Meeting room charge (Air Conditioned Room)
- Coffee Breaks
- Drinks in the Meeting Room
- Lunch incl. 1 drink (if checked by online registration)
- Dinner incl. 1 drink (if checked by online registration)
- Parking or Airport Shuttle

How to get there

- by Car:

A3 exit Raunheim, "Raunheim/Ortsdurchfahrt", turn right 2000m after town sign into Moselstr. - the Hotel is signposted.

- by Train:

Take train to Frankfurt Airport and shuttle bus from there (Departures see below). Or: S-Bahnhof Raunheim (S8,S9), ca. 1 km from Hotel. S-Bahn leaves Frankfurt Main Station track 103 every 15 minutes (:01 :16 :31 :46), arrives 22 minutes later.

- by Plane:

Take shuttle bus from Frankfurt Airport Terminal 1, Hall C, Exit 7, Arrival level, Large Shuttle Bus labelled "Wings Shuttle". Bus takes about 25min.

Shuttle Bus Departures

08:05; 09:05; 10:05; 11:05 (a.m.)
12:05; 01:05; 02:05; 02:55 (p.m.)
03:55; 04:55; 05:55; 06:55 (p.m.)

