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A1 Scales

www.a1scales.co.uk

With many years of experience in supplying the automotive industry with weighing and counting equipment, enables them to find a suitable cost-effective solution to your weighing requirements A1 Scales is an independent ISO 9001 approved weighing machine company based at Team Valley in Gateshead, offering Calibration, Service, Repair, Hire & Sales to all types of weighing equipment.

Active Composites

www.activecomposites.com

Active Composites produces a range of moulded polyurethane components used in the automotive industry. The company, which manufactures at Ashington in Northumberland, makes parts from high and low density structural foams, glass-filled PU, integral skins and elastomers. Products for the automotive industry include internal impact pads, foam pads for centre consoles and door panels. It is able to create lightweight, bespoke parts to match customer specifications in just about any shaped required.

Adient

www.adient.com

Adient is a global leader in automotive seating. With 75,000 employees operating 230 manufacturing/assembly plants in 33 countries worldwide, we produce and deliver automotive seating for all vehicle classes and all major OEMs. From complete seating systems to individual components, our expertise spans every step of the automotive seat-making process. Our integrated, in-house skills allow us to take our products from research and design all the way to engineering and manufacturing – and into more than 25 million vehicles every year.

Advanced Propulsion Centre UK

www.apcuk.co.uk

The Advanced Propulsion Centre (APC) supports the research, development and production of low-carbon propulsion technologies in the UK. It is a ten-year commitment between government and industry to facilitate the investment of £1 billion for the acceleration of bringing low-carbon propulsion technologies to market and creating opportunities for the supply chain.

Amtech RP

www.amtech-rp.co.uk

At Amtech Rapid Prototyping we offer a wide range of services to help you realise your design, such as: 3D Printing using layer additive technology, professional hand finishing, spray painting service, vacuum casting, model making, and specialist finishes such as chrome paint, CNC machining RIM casting and vacuum forming.

Animmersion

www.animmersion.co.uk

Animmersion design and develop a range of engaging interactive experiences delivered on a variety of innovative display devices. From dashboards to apps and animations, content is developed to showcase products and services in an interactive and visually engaging manner.

Arcadis

www.arcadis.com

Arcadis, the leading global natural and built asset design and consultancy firm, plays an integral role in delivering some of the world's most important projects. From programme delivery of the Stadiums for the Qatar 2022 World Cup, Burj Khalifa and HS2 to Thames Tideway Tunnel and Lower Thames Crossing, we work in partnership with our automotive clients, such as JLR, BMW, GM, DS, PSA, Toyota, Ford and Magna to improve quality of life of both their employees and in the environments they occupy.

Arco

www.arco.co.uk

As market leaders we offer the widest range of PPE in the UK. Our National Distribution Centre holds an impressive 22,000 products and our network of over 40 branches cover the UK and Ireland, ensuring you can get what you need when you need it. If you have got a large order or bespoke requirements then come and talk to us about a deal.

Arlington Automotive

www.arlington-automotive.com

Arlington Automotive North East is a medium sized company in the UK that can provide a 'one stop shop' for all pressing/welding/painting and assembly operations from our in-house facilities. We are continually investing in new processes and new technology. We adapt our business to deliver accordingly, ensuring QCD is world class.

ARRK Europe

www.arrkeurope.com

Representatives from ARRK Europe's Prototyping, Tooling and Low Volume Production divisions will be on hand to discuss our range of product development solutions available to designers, engineers and buyers. This includes large scale 3D Printing, Tooling and Low Volume Production in plastics, composites and metals.

Aston Martin

www.astonmartin.com

The blueprint for all Aston Martins remains constant – characterful and exciting sports cars built to the highest standards. All are imbued with Power, Beauty and Soul – combining pure performance and true sporting ability with passion, refinement, luxury and exceptional beauty. The current Aston Martin model range comprises the iconic Vantage range of V8 Vantage S, and pure sporting capability of V12 Vantage S, the timeless DB9 GT, luxurious Rapide S four-door sports car and ultimate super GT – the Vanquish.

Automotive Investment Organisation

<https://www.gov.uk/government/groups/the-automotive-investment-organisation>

The AIO works with overseas investors to increase investment into UK Automotive. We focus on the supply chain, motorsport and the UK's automotive R&D sector. We also help companies export from the UK.

AV Dawson Ltd

www.av-dawson.com

AV Dawson is a truly multimodal logistics provider offering services including road transport; rail freight; quayside loading and unloading as well as warehousing and storage, all from its Teesside Hub. With a dynamic road fleet, a choice of rail terminals and shipping berths we provide effective and cost efficient solutions for the transportation of a variety of conventional & project cargos.

AVID Technology

www.avidtp.com

AVID is a leader in the design and manufacture of electrified powertrain and advanced thermal management systems for heavy-duty and high-performance electric (EV) and hybrid vehicles (HEV) and improving conventional internal combustion engine (ICE) efficiency through parasitic loss reduction, efficient thermal management, lubrication, electrified ancillary systems and waste heat recovery.

Avon TSA

www.avon-group.co.uk

Avon Group are a unique group of industrial manufacturing centres focussed on 'Engineered Solutions'. This broad term embraces Design, Project Management and Tool Production; Gaskets, Seals and Washers; Rubber mouldings and Extrusion; Plastics in various forms from Injection moulded to Twin Sheet Vacuum Formed; Acoustic non-woven materials with Heat Sealed edges; Assemblies and Kitting.

Axiom Engineering Associates

www.ax-ea.co.uk

Axiom Engineering Associates Ltd uniquely combines expertise in Mechanical and Materials Engineering with a range of Inspection and Testing services. Providing services to a number of sectors including the automotive, process industries (Chemicals, Petrochemicals, Oil & Gas), bulk storage and manufacturing to both U.K. and international markets.

Ben

www.ben.org.uk

Ben is a not-for-profit organisation that partners with the automotive industry to provide support for life to its people and their families. As an independent charity, our tailored, holistic care and support services focus on the four main pillars of peoples' health and wellbeing: financial, physical, mental and social, enabling people to navigate life's toughest challenges and empowering them to make lasting, positive change.

Bender UK

www.bender-uk.com

BENDER UK is part of the global German owned BENDER Group. Our intention to focus on electrical safety is a pledge we make to both our existing and future customers. We have been doing our best every day for over 65 years with this goal in mind. We are committed to using innovative technologies to find solutions for your particular sector and application in order to guarantee the ultimate in electrical safety for people and machines.

Bentley Motors

www.bentleymotors.com

With an unparalleled 95-year heritage, Bentley Motors creates powerful, handcrafted luxury cars at its factory in Crewe, England.

Bespoke Electrical

www.bespoke-limited.co.uk

Bespoke Electrical Limited are a specialist in their field of automation, control & special purpose machine building company which can offer a full turnkey package from design, installation, testing and certification. Capable of offering full Electrical & Mechanical Engineering ranging from PLC, Robotics, pneumatics, hydraulics and fully automated special purpose machines.

Bignall Group

www.bignall.co.uk

For over 40 years Bignall Group have helped inspirational designers, engineers and entrepreneurs create their dreams. Exporting to over 20 countries across sectors as broad as agriculture to oil & gas, we use this experience to challenge what a particular idea might look like and how it might be used. We then bring it to life.

BMW Group

www.bmwgroup.com

The special fascination of the BMW Group not only lies in its products and technology, but also in the company's history, written by inventors, pioneers and brilliant designers. Today, the BMW Group, with its 31 production and assembly facilities in 14 countries as well as a global sales network, is the world's leading manufacturer of premium automobiles and motorcycles, and provider of premium financial and mobility services.

Böllhoff Group

www.bollhoff.co.uk

As an international service provider with own production and development department, Böllhoff is one of the leading suppliers of fastening and assembly systems. With a network of 40 locations in 24 countries with more than 2,800 motivated employees makes its contribution to optimizing the customer's productivity and processes.

Bond Dickinson

www.bonddickinson.com

Bond Dickinson is a full-service commercial law firm with a focus on major sectors including manufacturing, energy and natural resources, financial institutions, insurance, private wealth, real estate, retail and consumer goods and transport and infrastructure. The firm advises a range of clients from FTSE 350 companies, public and private sector organisations, and charities to wealthy individuals.

Bradley O'Mahoney

www.bradleyomahoney.co.uk

Bradley O'Mahoney has over 25 years' experience providing public relations and communications support to the manufacturing sector. Its NEAA clients include Hyperdrive Innovation, Faltec UK and Comau UK. Its core services include internal and community engagement and corporate profile raising.

British Steel

www.britishsteel.co.uk

British Steel is one of the leading steel manufacturers in Europe, producing around 3 million tonnes of quality steel products every year. We have manufacturing facilities across the UK and France, supplying premium products around the world. We also have a global network of regional sales teams, so our global customers receive local service.

BSI Group

www.bsigroup.com

BSI is the business standards company that helps organisations all over the world make excellence a habit. For more than a century it has been challenging mediocrity and complacency to help embed excellence into the way people and products work. That means showing businesses how to improve performance, reduce risk and achieve sustainable growth. Clients range from high profile brands to small, local companies in 182 countries worldwide.

Business Durham

www.businessdurham.co.uk

Business Durham is the economic development company for County Durham, working on behalf of Durham County Council to deliver the environment for business and economic growth. Business Durham works closely with partners to encourage an enterprise culture, helping entrepreneurs to turn bright ideas into successful reality and students to develop enterprise skills to become our future business leaders.

Caldan Conveyor Limited

www.caldan.com

Caldan Conveyor Ltd has over 50 years' experience in designing, manufacturing and installing overhead and floor conveyors systems. CALDAN has successfully installed more than 4,500 conveyor systems in 6 continents worldwide for a series of applications including: Painting and surface treatment systems; Assembly and line sequencing; Automated warehousing

Calsonic Kansei Europe

www.ckeurope.com

Calsonic Kansei Europe is a supplier of heat exchange, air conditioning, exhaust, interior, and electronic automotive components headquartered in the UK with operations spread throughout Europe in Spain, Romania, Russia, France and Germany.

Career & Coaching

https://www.linkedin.com/company/career-&-coaching-ltd?trk=ppro_cprof

Executive Coaching and Mentoring used to develop; performance leadership, management development and effective teams. Initiated in NE England now expanding into UK coverage and Europe. Working with transition candidates to achieve their potential in their careers.

Cell Pack Solutions

www.cellpacksolutions.co.uk

Cell Pack are an award winning custom battery pack manufacturer, designing and manufacturing battery packs to your specification. Cell Pack Solutions was established in November 1998 and the company has grown steadily over the last 15 years, outgrowing the initial incubator unit of 150 sqft to eventually taking up three of the larger manufacturing units at TEDCO, South Shields totalling 3,000 sq. ft.

Cellular Solutions

www.cellular-solutions.co.uk

Cellular Solutions is a specialist in communications and business systems – including software, broadband, mobile and landline – and has been embedded into the North East's industrial landscape for more than 20 years. We understand the issues faced by manufacturing and engineering businesses and shape solutions to overcome these challenges.

Cepac

www.cepac.co.uk

Cepac is the UK's leading independent corrugated packaging provider. We bring together leading brands, advanced technologies and smart materials to create and deliver high-performance solutions. With a deep-rooted experience in supplying the Automotive Industry, Cepac are the perfect partner to drive change and steer improvements through your supply chain!

Club Nissan

www.myclubnissan.co.uk

Fantastic Discounts on New Nissan and Infiniti Vehicles with Club Nissan. CLUB NISSAN offers NEAA members and their immediate families, exclusive discounts on the Nissan and INFINITI range. Club Nissan will be at the NEAA Expo 2017 to discuss how NEAA members can start claiming their exclusive discounts codes for Nissan and INFINITI.

Comau

www.comau.com

Comau develops and produces process automation, manufacturing and service products and specialises in delivering turnkey solutions. It employs 12,500 across the globe and the UK operation, with an annual turnover of circa £100m, is widely recognised within the industry for its supply of high profile contracts to Jaguar Land Rover to deliver complete systems in the UK.

Cramlington Precision Forge

www.cpf1-tvs.com

Accredited to TS 16949, we provide high quality, precision-forged components to the commercial vehicle sector and industrial markets. This near net technology was developed originally to manufacture bevel gears for differential applications but this is now being used on many other forging applications including shafts, clutches, differential gears, drive couplings, bogie gears and helical gears etc.

Cummins Ltd

www.cummins.com

Cummins designs, manufactures, distributes and services diesel and natural gas engines and related technologies, including fuel systems, electronic controls, air handling, filtration, emissions solutions and electrical power generation systems.

CW Applied Technology

www.cwappliedtechnology.com

CW Applied Technology is an 'Application Driven Electronic Product Development & Manufacturing Solution Company'. We design and develop bespoke products for customers and we also manufacture from prototype through to volume. Always focussed on the application!

CzechInvest

www.czechinvest.org/en

CzechInvest is a Czech government's official investment and business development agency. We help foreign companies to find their business partners and provide them all the necessary information about doing business in the Czech Republic when investigating their trade and investment opportunities.

CzechTrade

www.czechtradeoffices.com

CzechTrade UK, your trusted Czech Republic business body, mainly concentrates on global automotive and promoting Czech suppliers with typically strong USPs and innovation potential. This effort is matched by a new supplier database which has the ambition of being the most comprehensive and powerful buyers' tool ever seen in the Czech Republic.

D&S Services

www.dandss.co.uk

D&S Services offer design and manufacturing, predominantly to the automotive industry. We specialise in standard and bespoke stillages, gravity fed racking, trollies and work stations. We aim to create design options that are fit for purpose, simple in design, robust, reflective of our customers' production, logistics health and safety and quality parameters.

Dale Carnegie Training

www.dalecarnegie.co.uk

Founded in 1912, Dale Carnegie Training has evolved from one man's belief in the power of self-improvement to a performance-based training company with offices worldwide. It focuses on giving people in business the opportunity to sharpen their skills and improve their performance in order to build positive, steady, and profitable results.

Dawsonrental MHE

www.dawsonrentalsmhe.co.uk

We provide forklift truck and warehouse equipment solutions to suit any budget or need. Our counterbalance forklifts are durable, delivering high levels of productivity and our warehouse trucks offer high efficiency and reliability. Our rental options offer you the financial benefit of being funded off balance sheet with no residual value or end of term disposal headaches. Whether long term or short, your rental can be offered with a variety of inclusive service level and maintenance options.

Dontyne Systems/ Dontyne Gears

www.dontynesystems.com

Dontyne Systems supplies software and consultancy services aimed at efficient design and manufacture of gear systems in the automotive sector. Our Gear Production Suite (GPS) software can optimise design and reduce costs. Dontyne Gears carries out R&D for customers validating improved designs from GPS and reduced times for production.

DS Smith Plastic & Foam

www.dssmith.com/foam-products

Foam Products designs and manufactures returnable packaging and component solutions for many of the world's biggest industries. Our products are tailored specifically to the customers' requirements, delivering solutions to prioritise the supply cycle and sustainability goals to ensure the perfect solution.

DTR VMS

www.dtrvms.com

DTR VMS is a full service supplier, designing and manufacturing advanced technical products to address noise, vibration and harshness (NVH) and improve vehicle comfort. As part of DTR Corporation, we are able to share and leverage our technology and manufacturing capabilities globally. This enables us to support our customers locally and manufacture globally.

Durham University

www.dur.ac.uk/bis

Durham is a residential collegiate university with long traditions and modern values. Durham University brings together relevant expertise from across the departments to support the automotive industry worldwide. Research themes include aerodynamics, electric vehicles including charging integration, stress, vibration, acoustic analysis, low carbon vehicles, real-time sensing for future vehicle autonomy, as well as operations and supply chain management, and statistical mathematics to enable better asset management.

Eastern Seals

www.easternseals.co.uk

Our group is built on two of the UK's leading suppliers in automotive sealing technology. We supply a vast range of sealing solutions for cars, motorcycles, buses, trucks, trains and other heavy duty vehicles. Automotive parts can be supplied with Level 3 PPAP documentation, along with CPK and PPK controls.

EDM Zone

www.edmzone.co.uk

EDM Zone is passionate about being part of your manufacturing and engineering projects and understands the challenges you face in sourcing high precision parts. With over 30 years of experience, EDM Zone established itself as an Electrical Discharge Machining (EDM) specialist in 2007. Since then EDM Zone has continued to provide high precision engineering solutions to business like yours along with great service and the adaptability and ingenuity to deliver no matter what the challenge.

EK Automation

www.ek-automation.com

E&K Automation GmbH, founded by Dieter Eilers and Juergen Kirf in 1980, joined forces with Indumat GmbH at the start of this millennium. The group, now known as EK Automation, has more than fifty years of experience in the design and implementation of Automated Guided Vehicle systems. Automated Guided Vehicles (AGV) and state-of-the-arts Transport Robots from EK Automation help you improve your intralogistics in a targeted manner; make many processes in your organisation more efficient and increase productivity.

Elring Klinger (GB) Limited

www.elringklinger.com

Design and manufacture of cost effective Heat and Acoustic shielding solutions, speciality hard and soft gasketing design and production in Teesside based bespoke manufacturing facility. UK manufacturing division of global group with access to full service provision for all shielding and gasket requirements.

E-Max Systems

www.emax-systems.co.uk

ERP Systems, MRP Systems & CRM Systems for: engineering, manufacturing and distribution – tailored to your needs. Our passion is to help our customers achieve a competitive advantage by harnessing the power of our ERP system, MRP system and CRM system software solutions.

Emirates

www.emirates.com

Founded in 1985, Emirates connects people and places around the globe, inspiring travel and facilitating trade across 155 destinations in 83 countries. With a modern and efficient fleet of over 250 aircraft, we offer a daily service to Dubai and beyond from Newcastle Airport operated by a beautiful Boeing 777-300 series aircraft.

ERIK JUHLER

www.erikjuhler.com

ERIK JUHLER recruitment agency, a recruitment company which operates in niche markets. We recruit contract, temporary and permanent staff across the shipping & marine, transmission & distribution and engineering sectors both nationally and internationally.

ETL Solutions

www.etlsolutions.com

Our company was founded in 2002 to integrate complex data. Transforming data is all that we do: we develop robust software to consolidate data, we implement it rigorously and we provide first class support. We are a co-operative, owned by our employees, which gives us the freedom to make decisions in the long-term interest of the company.

Evolution MRO

www.evolutionmro.com

Evolution MRO is a supply chain management service. Evolution provides integrated RFID inventory management and intelligent vending machine solutions that seamlessly control and distribute stock throughout any facility. Evolution customers benefit from superior control of strategic parts, just-in-time part ordering and direct, on-going savings to the bottom line.

Express Managed Services

www.ems-ltd.net

Express Managed Services Ltd provides electrical infrastructure, technical design, installation and turn-key support to the industrial, commercial, domestic and education sectors. Founded in 2005, we have built an excellent reputation for the quality of our services. From our base in the North East of England, we are ideally placed to provide services both regionally and nationally.

Far North

www.far-north.co.uk

Far North is an all-encompassing Business Development Consultancy. We aim to fulfil your growth potential by reviewing your existing business strategy or developing a new, bespoke business model. Focusing on increasing turnover and new customer additions we take clients into new territories and diverse industries.

FEG Ltd

www.feg-global.com

FEG Ltd are a UK based Engineering Company who pride themselves in solving client's problems across air pollution control, project management & sustainability. We specialise in Design & Build, Project Management and Consultancy for industrial, manufacturing and process industries.

Festo Ltd

www.festo.com/automotive

Festo supports companies in the automotive industry that are looking to increase their productivity. As well as being available to discuss automation projects we are keen to speak with businesses looking to reduce their energy costs, develop their people or discover what Industry 4.0 might mean for the future of their business.

FLASH Europe

www.flash.global/en

FLASH Group, it's more than 30 years of experience of urgent premium logistics. An expertise that sharpened over the years and translated into significant growth, both financial and human. For FLASH is a group of men and women sharing the same values and working together to find solutions to specific logistic needs, in Europe and internationally.

Flowstore Systems

www.flowstore.co.uk

Flowstore design manufacture and supply modular framework systems designed for Lean manufacturing and visual management solutions. These include line side racking, assembly cells, work stations, floor markings & safety signage and container handling solutions.

FM Coatings

www.fmcoatings.co.uk

At FM Coatings we pride ourselves on the highest levels of paint application and finish, with world class yields and best in class finish. From simple mono-coats to highly technical finishes, FM Coatings have the ability to meet the highest demands from a customer.

Ford Component Manufacturing

www.ford-engineering.com

Ford Components are an award-winning specialist in engineered components for the automotive, defence, Rail, Off-road, Marine and other related high technology industries. Our businesses provide a first-class, made-to-print turnkey component solution to a broad range of customers.

Formula Plastics

www.formula-plastics.co.uk

Formula Plastics manufactures injection moulded components and assemblies for the automotive industry. With over 20 years' experience and already supplying many tier 1 companies, we are expanding our production capacity. Current range includes moulding from 50T to 650T. With ISO14001 & EcoVadis Silver CRM rating we demonstrate our commitment to excellent standards.

Frank Dudley

www.frankdudley.com

FDL are an ISO 140001 & TS 16949 accredited component manufacturer specialising in Metal Pressings, Assemblies & Interior & Exterior Brightware. We have involvement in projects from the R&D stage, through initial samples, prototypes, full production and spares. We believe our Brightware cell highlights FDL's commitment to right first-time manufacturing. Onsite we have a

range of 25-630T progression and single action presses producing Seating, BIW, chassis & suspension components from Stainless, Alloys & mild steel.

FS Design

www.fsdesign.co.uk

FS Design is a product design and development consultancy that specialises in creating products for automotive industry suppliers and other sectors. The Sunderland-based business was established in 2002 with an initial focus on working with Tier 1 and Tier 2 automotive suppliers to design the components they require.

GAMBICA Association

www.gambica.org.uk

GAMBICA is the Trade Association for Instrumentation, Control, Automation and Laboratory Technology in the UK. The Association's primary objectives are to further the successful development of the industry and to promote the competitiveness and profitability of member companies.

Galaxy Safety Solutions

www.galaxysafety.co.uk

Galaxy Safety is as demanding as the consumer and always places manufacturing emphasis on the users' priorities and requirements. Our company places an emphasis on the value added benefits, the value added benefits of purchasing Galaxy gloves include: control of quality, design technology, customer service and support.

GB Belting

www.gbbelting.co.uk

We supply to a diverse range of markets who call upon our experience, problem solving 'know-how' and comprehensive materials stockholding to ensure production lines keep rolling, deliver extra production efficiencies or suffer minimal downtime - planned or unplanned.

Gestamp Tallent

www.gestamp.com

Gestamp is an international group dedicated to the design, development and manufacture of metal automotive components. The Group specialises in developing innovatively designed products to achieve increasingly safer and lighter vehicles, thereby reducing energy consumption and environmental impact.

Ginho Group

www.ginho-group.com

Specialist producer of stainless steel, alloy steel and carbon steel investment castings. The UK is responsible for the entire European market with Germany division being responsible for key market activities in Germany for the turbo charger market.

Gospelware

www.gospelware.co.uk

Gospelware are innovators and problem solvers working at the forefront of app technology, digitalising and advancing business processes. Working with Manufacturing and Engineering businesses, including Nissan, developing user-centred apps which improve production processes. Migrating legacy systems such as spreadsheets or outdated databases to scalable, secure web and mobile applications.

Great Annual Savings

www.greatannualsavings.com/neaa

Great Annual Savings Group (GAS) gives businesses and their owners the power to control their running costs. GAS has saved other companies millions of pounds in 2017 alone, thanks to the Group's suite of cost reduction services including energy procurement & management, water procurement, payment services, waste management and more.

Hall & Angus

www.hallandangus.com

Hall & Angus take a different approach to your workplace substance and alcohol misuse/ abuse issues. We firmly believe that by training managers and educating staff about the complicated subject of substance and alcohol misuse/ abuse it will ultimately make the testing of an individual a last resort as opposed to a first resort.

Horizonworks Marketing

www.horizonworks.co.uk

Horizonworks is a full service strategic marketing company with vast experience in strategic marketing, public relations, design, brand development, digital marketing and event management. We have an established track record in the automotive, manufacturing and engineering sectors and we specialise in working with companies from strategy to delivery.

Horizon PPS

www.linkedin.com/in/claire-kitson-defty-95b51523

Horizon P.P.S. Limited are a solutions provider based on your People Process and Strategic issues. Usually based around direction, competence and cost. A coaching partner to any business with the aim at creating long term independence with the skills retained internally to the company.

HTA Real Estate

www.htare.co.uk

HTA Real Estate are the only commercial property consultants dealing solely with industrial property and land throughout the North East. From small workshops to large warehouses and development sites such as Follingsby Park and Turbine Business Park next to NMUK.

Hyperdrive Innovation

www.hyperdriveinnovation.com

Hyperdrive develops innovative technologies to power electric vehicles, homes and businesses. We bring to the market clean energy alternatives to fossil fuels, working with national and international brands to electrify their fleets for vehicle use in city centres, construction sites and transport hubs.

Icon Plastics

www.iconplastics.co.uk

Icon Plastics are a precision plastic injection moulder supplying plastic parts and complex assemblies into the Automotive, Electronics, White Goods, Agriculture and Building Industries. Operating from a 40,000 sq. ft. factory on a 2 acre site based in Teesside, Icon Plastics employs 60 staff. It has 28 Injection Moulding machines ranging from 22T to 700T fitted with modern robotics.

Impeller Assurance & Resilience

www.impeller.co.uk

Impeller experts deliver innovative solutions in business performance, safety, resilience and emergency response to support clients around the world. Impeller experts have a wealth of experience to provide solutions for business, industry and public sector effectiveness.

Innovation North East/ SuperNetwork

www.supernetwork.org.uk

Use our connections to strengthen your business. We bring people together to generate fresh ideas, new market opportunities, knowledge and money. Together North East England is rising to the challenge.

Invest North East England

www.investnortheastengland.co.uk

It's what we are famous for. Hard work, unrivalled business accommodation and a great return on your investment. As one of the UK's fastest growing economies, our highly-skilled, flexible workforce, connectivity to global markets and low cost base are a powerful combination.

Invest South Tyneside

www.investinsouthtyneside.co.uk

Invest South Tyneside provides a range of support to automotive suppliers to locate and grow in North East England; including bespoke premises, sourcing suppliers and recruiting skilled staff. The International Advanced Manufacturing Park will create over 260,000m² of industrial space adjacent to the Nissan plant.

Jaguar Land Rover

www.jaguarlandrover.com

Jaguar Land Rover is one of the world's leading producers of premium cars. Innovation and design give our customers experiences they love for life – anticipating and exceeding their needs and expectations.

J6

www.j6ltd.com

Since 1997, J6 Cost & Efficiency Management Specialists, has been assisting small and FSE100, 250, and 1000 organisations across most industry sectors to improve their efficiency and reduce their operating costs, achieving significant savings. Using a holistic approach, subject specialists, ongoing data management and innovative technology, ensure the savings achieved are sustainable and continuous.

James Jones & Sons (Pallets and Packaging) Ltd

www.jamesjones.co.uk

The newly formed pallet and packaging operation within the James Jones Group is made up of the four Group businesses previously trading under their own identities: Unit Pallets, TWP Packaging, Larch Ltd and Trueperch. By integrating the pallet and packaging businesses we are able to offer customers the benefits of some of the most advanced pallet manufacturing facilities in the UK, a national distribution network and a complete range of pallets and specialist timber packaging.

K Hartwall

www.k-hartwall.com

K. Hartwall was founded in 1932 in Söderkulla, Finland. Over the years we have generated in-depth knowledge of logistics processes and their financial and environmental impacts. Today we bring logistics efficiency by delivering innovative solutions, including returnable load carriers and services around them.

Kasai UK

www.kasai-uk.com

KASAI UK LTD supplies high quality interior automotive components for Nissan Motor Manufacturing UK and Honda Manufacturing UK from its two plants in the UK.

Katmex

www.katmex.co.uk

Katmex, an engineering company based in Stockton, provides steel processed parts and fabrications to off road vehicle manufacturers and heavy engineering industries. 130 highly trained employees contribute to the success of the business, taking an active role in supporting the company's commitment to H&S, environment and quality management.

Kelly Services

www.kellyservices.co.uk

Kelly founded the temporary staffing industry in 1946, and has maintained a leadership position through the years based on a valuable premise: we invest in people. Today that focus benefits our customers wherever they operate around the globe—in a growing number of specialized fields.

Knowledge Transfer Network

www.ktn-uk.co.uk

The KTN run the UK's Innovation Network. We connect people to speed up innovation, solve problems and find markets for new ideas. Working with large and small companies, government agencies and research organisations, with tech hubs, start-ups and public funding bodies, VCs and private investors, KTN has built a unique network that helps enterprising people and companies reach the full potential of their innovative capabilities.

KOIOS Technology

www.sgpconsulting.co.uk

KOIOS Technology Limited is a bespoke business software and consultancy business specialising in highly-regulated and safety-critical applications. We work across the corporate, SME and public sector spectrum; often engaging with well-funded, technology innovators.

Komatsu UK

www.komatsu-kuk.com

Komatsu UK, based in Birtley, manufacturers products ranging from 20t through to 80t class crawler excavators. The latest generation of dash 11 crawler excavators is EU Stage IV Engine Emissions Regulations compliant and again raises customer expectations of what an excavator can deliver.

KUKA Robotics

www.kuka.com/en-de/about-kuka/corporate-structure/kuka-robotics

KUKA offer over 40 years of experience as an automated robotic system and solution integrator within the manufacturing industry. From concept to completion, KUKA will work with you to ensure that we support your business' growth and tailor our systems to the specific needs of your operation, delivering solutions that improve business efficiencies, increase productivity and deliver cost savings through best practice management.

KZN Solutions

www.kznsolutions.co.uk

KZN Solutions specialises in the delivery of Lean training tools and techniques designed for employees of all levels working in the education, manufacturing, transactional, warehousing,

logistics and service sectors. In fact any industry which has a hunger and need for continuous improvement will benefit.

Lear Corporation (UK)

www.lear.com

Lear Corporation is ranked #151 on the Fortune 500 with world-class products designed, engineered and manufactured by a diverse team of talented employees. As a leading supplier of automotive seating and electrical, Lear serves its customers with global capabilities while maintaining individual commitment.

Lenze

<http://www.lenze.com/en-gb/about-lenze/lenze-in-united-kingdom/>

Lenze Ltd is one of the few providers in the market who are alongside you for the entire development process of your machine – from initial ideas all the way to after-sales, from the control system all the way to the drive shaft. This is what we call Motion Centric Automation. This partnership brings in the latest drive & automation technology, makes your projects run faster and gives you more time for your particular design expertise.

Life Saving Training

www.lifesavingtraining.co.uk

First Aid and Health and Safety in the North East. We're hell-bent on delivering outstanding quality in a cost effective way. All our courses are well thought out, always bang up to date, well-resourced and we're consistently told our courses are the best around.

Lockton

www.lockton.com

More than 6,000 professionals at Lockton provide 50,000 clients around the world with risk management, insurance, employee benefits, consulting and retirement services that improve their businesses. From its founding in 1966 in Kansas City, Missouri, Lockton has attracted entrepreneurial professionals who have driven its growth to become the largest privately held, independent insurance broker in the world and 9th largest overall.

Macfarlane Packaging

www.macfarlanepackaging.com

Macfarlane Packaging is the largest distributor of protective packaging products and services in the UK, serving over 20,000 businesses nationwide. Our national reach means our expertise and experience is available to you right now, wherever you are based, to protect your products, your brand and your business.

MAKE it Sunderland

www.makeitsunderland.com

Investing in Sunderland is a low risk, high reward opportunity. At the heart of the UK's only net exporting region, Sunderland makes more cars than Italy. With a rich industrial heritage, Sunderland attracts, supports and nurtures successful enterprises, from start-ups to new technologies. Sunderland. Making your business our business.

Manufacturing Technologies Association (MTA)

www.mta.org.uk

With a record of serving and representing the UK's engineering based manufacturing sector stretching back over a century – and kept close to the modern realities through its organisation of

the UK's biggest manufacturing technologies trade show, MACH – the MTA has an unrivalled perspective on the industry's strengths and challenges.

Marine Safety Supplies

www.marinesafetysupplies.com

We have been operating for 12 years and are situated in Newcastle in the North East of England. We have over 85 years' experience in the design and manufacture of ladders such as embarkation ladders and pilot ladders as well as safety nets which include helideck nets.

Materialise UK

www.materialise.com

Materialise incorporates more than 25 years of 3D printing experience into a range of software solutions and 3D printing services, which together form the backbone of the 3D printing industry. Materialise's open and flexible solutions enable players in a wide variety of industries, including healthcare, automotive, aerospace, art and design, and consumer goods, to build innovative 3D printing applications that aim to make the world a better and healthier place.

McDonough Marketing Communications

www.mmc.agency

We're a strategic marketing company that specialises in marketing for lead generation and the growth of your business and we've got a proven track record in delivering results. We'll work in partnership with you to create a full marketing strategy and plan, and we can then roll it out as your outsourced marketing team.

McGavigan

www.mcgavigan.com

Whether your product design seeks differentiation or greater cost efficiency, we combine technical capability with the ethos of listening, to ensure your engineered plastic components meet your needs and that of the market you wish to serve.

Mecaplast Group - Peterlee

www.mecaplast.com

Mecaplast designs, develops and manufactures plastic parts and complete systems for vehicle car bodies and engines. Customers include most of the leading car manufacturers, including Toyota, GM, VW, Renault, Nissan and BMW.

Mineral Insulated Cable Company

www.temperature-house.com

The Mineral Insulated Cable Company (MICC) produces cable able to withstand very high temperatures which is used in components that are making cars cleaner. The Washington-based business has been manufacturing mineral insulated cable since the 1930s, which is used internationally across a range of applications where safety is paramount.

Moulding Technology

www.mouldingtechnology.com

Moulding Technology established in 2005, has over twenty years combined experience in moulding and finishing large and small plastic parts for a range of sectors including automotive, electronic consumer goods, medical and construction industries.

Nelson Stud Welding UK

www.nelson-europe.co.uk

Nelson design and manufacture advanced technology semi and fully automated stud welding systems for the automotive industry and tier suppliers. Our systems include modular feeders and servo weld heads. The weld heads can be robot or static mounted. Our control system uses industry standard devices to communicate with a robot or plc.

Newcastle University

www.ncl.ac.uk

Newcastle University is a modern civic university with a proud tradition, committed to world-class academic excellence - but excellence with a purpose. At Newcastle University, we have always focused on academic excellence and the impact of our academic work. Today, these long-held ideals are more relevant than ever. They define our vision for the University – the kind of university we wish to be.

Nifco UK

www.nifcoeu.com

Nifco UK is an Eaglescliffe based car parts manufacturer. The company produces plastic components that are used in the engines, interiors and exteriors of cars made by Nissan, Ford, Honda, Toyota, Vauxhall Opel and Jaguar Landrover. Nifco is headed up by Mike Matthews MBE, a former apprentice, who is vice chair of the North East Automotive Alliance.

Nissan

www.nissan-europe.com

Nissan has one of the most comprehensive European presences of any overseas manufacturer, employing more than 17,000 staff across locally-based design, research & development, manufacturing, logistics and sales & marketing operations. The Nissan Sunderland Plant produces the Nissan Qashqai, Juke, Infiniti Q30 and the 100% electric Nissan LEAF.

North East Local Enterprise Partnership

www.northeastlep.co.uk

The North East Growth Hub, operated by the North East Local Enterprise Partnership, is home to a directory of business support, finance and events. If you are looking to scale-up your business, grow your team or finance a new venture, make sure you visit www.northeastgrowthhub.co.uk to find out what opportunities are available.

Northumbria University

www.northumbria.ac.uk

Northumbria is a research-rich, business-focused, professional university with a global reputation for academic excellence. It is based in the heart of Newcastle upon Tyne, which is regularly voted the best place in the UK for students.

NRG

www.nrgplc.com

NRG is a leading provider of recruitment services to the automotive sector in the North of England. Whether it be flexible workforce management, specialist recruitment or executive search and selection, NRG's extensive human resource capabilities deliver recruitment plans in totality. Our service adds value at every point of the recruitment process and includes post recruitment analysis, quality feedback evaluation, recommendations for efficiencies in process, cost and staff turnover to maximise output and support continuous improvement.

Nusafe

www.nusafe.co.uk

Nusafe is a speciality PPE and workwear supplier, providing custom-fit solutions in supply optimisation. Servicing complex companies with diverse requirements, we are an industry expert in consolidation through partnership. Nusafe is committed to ensuring clients experience continuous improvement throughout service duration, providing benefits in compliance, control, efficiency, and cost-savings.

O'Brien Waste Recycling Solutions

www.obrienwaste.com

O'Brien Waste Recycling Solutions is a fast-growing business operating in a dynamic industry. Through our customer-first approach and investment in innovative technology solutions, we are continually ahead of the curve in the waste management sector. As the North East's largest waste recycler, our goal since our inception in 2006 has been to provide a range of environmentally friendly, multi-stream waste collection and recycling solutions for businesses of all sizes.

Oculus HR

www.oculus-hr.co.uk

Shining a light on HR. Oculus HR is a vibrant, forward thinking HR consultancy based in the North East. We offer trusted, best practice HR solutions to all types of employers with a proven knowledge and experience in and around the North East's Automotive Sector.

Peak Performance Partnership – 3P

www.3p.co.uk

3P is a business performance consultancy that specialises in growing people, growing talent and growing business. Established in 2013, the 3P team have a combined experience of over 100 years of improving business performance in blue chip companies and an in depth knowledge of the link between people engagement and improved business output.

Pferd Ltd

www.pferd.com/uk-en

PFERD is the leading brand for the development, production and support, as well as the distribution of tool solutions for surface finishing and material cutting. In keeping with a tradition that dates back more than 200 years, PFERD operates as an independent, internationally oriented family-owned company in the long term.

Plus Point Technical Services

www.pluspointquality.co.uk

We are the UK's automotive industry experts, specialising in the management and recruitment of talented industry professionals within the automotive sector. Plus Point provides a fully managed professional service solution to manufacturing quality issues for tier one and major UK based OEMs.

Polymer Compounders

www.polymer-compounders.com

Since our creation in 1993 PCL have progressively increased the product range it offers to now include ABS, Polycarbonate, PC/ABS alloys, ASA and other engineering thermoplastics. Our versatile manufacturing plant allows us to offer tailored materials, as demanded by your application.

Port of Tyne

www.portoftyne.co.uk

The Port of Tyne in North East England is one of the UK's major deep sea ports - a vital trading gateway to Europe and beyond. Investment of over £120m in the past 10 years has created the infrastructure to deliver continued growth of the Port's diverse businesses, encompassing conventional and bulk cargoes, car terminals, cruise and ferry, logistics and estates.

PROFIL UK

www.profil.eu

PROFIL develops pierce nuts and studs which are fastened to metal parts by means of a riveting process. We are a full system supplier who also designs and manufactures automated feeding equipment which is customized to meet the individual production requirements of our customers. PROFIL is a pioneer in mechanically joined fastener technology.

Properties Unique

www.propertiesunique.com

Properties Unique Ltd are the "Award Winning" luxury Serviced Accommodation provider for the North East of England and boasts of an unrivalled "Outstanding Customer Service" reputation. Our staff are truly committed to meeting the needs of our guests. Nothing is too much trouble to ensure that you, as our guest, receive the unique care, friendly and attentive service you so rightly deserve.

Protech City

www.protechcity.co.uk

Protech City is an IT asset retirement and Microsoft Registered Refurbished. Working in partnership with local authorities, school, colleges and large corporations who require IT disposal and recycling services, we recycle and professional refurbish computers and sell them back to the community at an affordable price.

Q Hotels

www.qhotels.co.uk

We have 26 unique four star hotels across the UK each with its own individual character and team of welcoming staff. You can stay in a countryside retreat or at the heart of the city, but every time you'll receive the tailored QHotels experience - all thanks to our brilliant people. We know every customer is different, which is why our dedicated staff are always on hand to help - whether that's to cater for fussy little ones, arrange a spa treatment or help you organise a 250-strong conference.

Reprotec UK

www.reprotec.co.uk

Reprotec were formed in 1988 to supply and install the optimum products available to protect the fabric of our industrial buildings. We now supply a full range of flooring, roofing and wall systems. Our systems are the greenest products available to include warranties of up to 25 years.

RFID direct

www.rfiddirect.eu

RFIDdirect Ltd, based in Mold – North Wales (UK), is a specialist supplier of RFID technology within the European market. RFIDdirect is focused on RFID software and components for productivity improvement in lots of businesses. Our business is based around tackling common production and logistical chain issues to speed up business cycles.

Rittal

www.rittal.com

Since its foundation in 1961, Rittal has continuously evolved into the world's leading systems provider for enclosures, power distribution, climate control, IT infrastructure and software & services.

RMS - Resource Management Solutions NE

www.rms-recruitment.co.uk

Resource Management Solutions NE Ltd (RMS) are a well-established, progressive business who deliver a diverse range of Employment Solutions across the UK. As an independently owned business, with a 'one team, one culture' ethos we have always prided ourselves on our ability to provide a unique service amongst major competitors.

RTC North

www.rtcnorth.co.uk

Specialising in the commercialisation of new products and services, we work with individuals, businesses and the public sector to help create more innovative and vibrant economies. We have vast experience of helping organisations with all stages of the innovation and IP commercialisation process and currently use this expertise to support partners at a UK regional, national and European level.

Sears Seating

www.searsseating.com

Founded in 1855, the Sears Manufacturing Company pioneered the development of specialist seats for the agricultural, construction and industrial vehicle industries. Upon entering the market Sears immediately established a reputation for supplying technologically advanced products that offered unparalleled comfort and durability. These qualities became the hallmark of a Sears seat, making Sears number one in the off road seating industry, a position which, through progressive innovation, we still hold today.

Semta

www.semta.org.uk

Led by employers, our job is to transform the skills and productivity of the people who power our engineering and advanced manufacturing technologies sectors, enabling UK industry to compete on the global stage. We bring together employers and education to focus action on skills.

Sigma ASL

www.sigma-asl.com

Sigma ASL finds innovative answers to highly complex engineering problems. Using modelling & simulation techniques, our team of engineers can refine and optimise designs to meet precise needs –Using state of the art machinery and software, our Korean plant produces castings in Aluminium, Magnesium iron and steel.

Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders (SMMT)

www.smmt.co.uk

The Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders (SMMT) is one of the largest and most influential trade associations in the UK. Its resources, reputation and unrivalled automotive data place it at the heart of the UK automotive industry. SMMT is the voice of the UK motor industry, supporting and promoting its members interests, at home and abroad, to government, stakeholders and the media.

Solutions Recruitment

www.solrecruit.co.uk

We offer a range of services, from temporary and permanent recruitment to full service recruitment outsourcing. With several sector specialisms we have grown over the last 30 years because of our reputation for delivering outstanding service and exceptional results. Totally client-focused in our approach; we build recruitment solutions to suit your needs.

Spearhead Interactive

www.spearheadinteractive.com

Spearhead Interactive is a leading emerging technology agency, providing a diverse, award-winning range of services and solutions in corporate / commercial strategy, technology & interactive software. Products, components, plant, sites are brought to life; integrating and overlaying animation, functionality, data and systems onto 3D CAD - enabling access through PC, mobile, AR & VR hardware

Springmasters

www.springmasters.com

The Springmasters Group, incorporating Valley Springs and Belleville Springs, is one of the leading and most diverse manufacturers of springs in the UK. As a result of multi million pound investment, the group offers a comprehensive range of compression, extension, torsion and flat metal springs and wire forms.

Square One Law

www.squareonelaw.com

Square One Law is a commercial law firm based in Newcastle upon Tyne. We are passionate about helping our clients improve their businesses and working with individuals to reach their strategic objectives. We work closely with entrepreneurs, owner-managed businesses, high net-worth individuals, fast growing businesses and strong brands.

Solutions Recruitment

www.solrecruit.co.uk

Established in 1984, Solutions are a privately owned recruitment group with offices across the UK and internationally. We offer a range of services, from temporary and permanent recruitment to full service recruitment outsourcing. With several sector specialisms we have grown over the last 30 years because of our reputation for delivering outstanding service and exceptional results.

Sunderland Engineering Training Association (Seta)

www.seta.co.uk

Seta is a not-for-profit engineering Group Training Association that delivers apprenticeships, traineeships, and a wide range of standard and bespoke commercial training courses. Seta provides accredited, industry-recognised training, delivered by highly knowledgeable staff with extensive industry experience.

Synchronology

www.synchronology.com

Think of our software product Singlepoint as a 'spreadsheet killer'. We meet many companies running important processes in spreadsheets and other manual methods; as a direct result they are losing control, visibility and efficiency. We can turn that around and help drive better quality, delivery and financial and time savings.

Talk Works

www.talk-works.org.uk

Talk Works is a Psychology Service based in the North East of England, improving staff wellbeing and productivity in the automotive industry. Our training service facilitates workshops on Stress & Mental Health Awareness, Staff Engagement & Better Sleep for shift-workers. Our clinical service delivers counselling and psychological therapy.

Teesside University

www.tees.ac.uk/schools/sse/

We offer unique and distinctive styles of courses with one aim in mind: to develop the next generation of problem solvers, innovators and leaders that employers and society need. Our aim is to provide you with an excellent university student experience, and at the same time to equip you with the skills, knowledge and confidence that will launch you, as a graduate, on your chosen career path.

The Nine Software Company

www.nineworks.co.uk

We provide software consultancy, software development and software support services to businesses and public sector organisations. We work with all sizes of business from SME's to Fortune 500 companies. Our company can improve your business processes by stripping out labour intensive and paper based processes using digital solutions which enable automation, self-service and greater efficiency.

Thomas Swan and Company

www.thomas-swan.co.uk

Thomas Swan & Co. Ltd. is an independent chemical manufacturing company, founded in 1926 and based in County Durham. With offices in the UK, USA and China, we serve the domestic and international markets and export to over 80 countries worldwide. We are one of the UK's largest producers of graphene, and are dedicated to the supply of high-performance materials which deliver value for our customers in a variety of new and emerging markets.

Tomlinson Hall & Co

www.tomlinson-hall.co.uk

Founded in 1919, Tomlinson Hall has vast expertise in pump distribution and manufacturing. Boasting extensive engineering experience, it offers full service solutions to industry challenges. It is a distributor for major pump brands, including DEPA, ELRO, Grundfos and Mono, and also manufactures its own liquid ring vacuum pump, Liquivac (www.liquivac.co.uk).

Total Control Pro

www.totalcontrolpro.com

Headquartered in Northampton's Innovation Centre, England, Total Control Pro Limited is a leading provider of cloud technology to manufacturing industries worldwide. Through its network of users, TotalControlPro™ provides Production Control, Work in Process (WIP) tracking and Business operation control to some of the most prestigious and reputed manufacturing facilities around the World.

TR Fastenings

www.trfastenings.com

TR is this year's Meet the Buyer Sponsor for the NEA Expo.

Come and meet the team on stand 44. Our aim is to be seen as the vendor of choice for the Tier 1's who support global OEM's, as a full service provider (FSP), giving end 2 end support from design and manufacture, right through to smart logistic solutions to reduce the total cost of ownership.

Tunkers-Expert UK

www.tuenkers.de

As a German family-owned enterprise in second generation, we have developed from technical engineers into an international supplier of automation technology for serial production. We share the enthusiasm for technology with our worldwide staff of 500, never failing to strive for the better more innovative solution.

Tyne Valley Plastics

www.tynevalleyplastics.co.uk

Tyne Valley Plastics are an ISO9001:2015 accredited sub-contract plastic injection moulding company based in Prudhoe who mould all commercially available plastics. Our team of experienced plastics professionals offer customers the complete service for plastic components. From transferring existing production tooling to full management of new product introduction TVP can help.

Unipres UK

www.unipres.co.uk

Unipres (UK) Limited are a tier 1 supplier to Nissan, Honda and Renault. Located in Sunderland since 1987 we are a state of the art manufacturing plant and supply key car Press and Assembly body structural parts that use high strength steel, tailored blank welding and hot press technology.

WERMA UK

www.werma.co.uk

WERMA UK Ltd design and manufacture beacons, sounders and intelligent systems for process optimisation - all simple to retrofit, low-cost and wireless. Monitor up and down time of machines and equipment with SmartMonitor. AndonSpeed is the ideal call for action system for manual workstations. StockSaver monitors lineside flowracks - Kanban without cards.

Westray Recruitment

www.westrayrecruitment.co.uk

Westray Recruitment Consultants are a team of specialists committed to helping clients and candidates fall back in love with the recruitment process. Founded in 1990, we have developed an expert, boutique recruitment consultancy that has filled a gap in the market, recruiting across the Professional, Engineering, Manufacturing and Commercial sectors.

Woodland Group

www.woodlandgroup.com

Woodland Group is a medium sized privately owned international freight forwarder providing logistics solutions to the automotive sector. We have offices in the UK, Europe, USA and Hong Kong. We have an office and warehouse in Seaham in the North East.

Wubbleyou Ltd

www.wubbleyou.co.uk

Wubbleyou provide web development services, responsive design, e-commerce and online marketing. As qualified online marketing professionals, we know what it takes to build websites that generate income and build tools to help save you both time and money.

Zenith People

www.zenithpeople.com

Zenith People is an innovative, friendly and professional recruitment and training business. We have a passion for our work and enjoy working in partnership with our Clients and Candidates to deliver effective recruitment solutions to meet their diverse requirements. We have truly regional coverage and the ability to service key industrial and business centres across the North East.

Zero Carbon Futures

www.zerocarbonfutures.co.uk

Zero Carbon Futures manage innovative projects including EV infrastructure roll-out, EV battery development and battery storage, providing project management, marketing, training and insight into low carbon technologies. ZCF connects industry, government and academia to support the transition to a low carbon future.

ZF TRW

www.zf.com

Under the 'Active & Passive Safety Technology' division, ZF will continue the successful business activities of TRW Automotive, acquired in May 2015. In cooperation with the other divisions, we are harmonizing ZF system solutions to shape the future megatrends such as efficiency, safety and automated driving. The division includes product line business units such as braking, steering, occupant safety and electronics.

Czech Republic Profiles

ALMET

www.almet.cz

ALMET is a Czech manufacturer and supplier of pistons for combustion engines and compressors with more than 80 years of tradition. The company specializes in piston casting and machining especially for diesel engines of lorries, tractors, ships and locomotives up to 350mm diameter but its product range also includes pistons for engines of passenger car, delivery vans, small aircrafts and more.

BattSwap

www.battswap.com

BattSwap offers instant energy recovery for electric cars. The technology solves problem of long charging times and high costs especially in commercial fleets. Fleet operator as a customer can enjoy zero emissions mobility with all day long operation and save more than 25% of costs comparing with petrol fleet cars.

Brano Group

w: www.brano.eu

Brano Group is a major Czech indigenous Tier 1 supplier covering many automotive sectors such as interior/exterior trim, electricals, chassis or BIW. We can supply the following items to both OEMs

and Tier 1s including side and fifth door latches, hood locking systems, integrated latches, bonnet hood and fifth gate hinges, pull door handle, hydraulic and air brakes components and devices plus much more.

Futaba Czech

www.fcz.cz

Futaba Czech is a subsidiary of Futaba Industrial Co. Ltd, a Japanese company. The company's motto is to produce "Quality products at low costs". The company slogan is enforced not only in the production of automobile components, but also in the research and production of manufacturing tools and office equipment.

Galatek

www.galatek.cz

Galatek focuses on producing machines and equipment according to the European quality standards and supplying complete painting facilities and production lines for surface treatment to a wide range of clients, particularly medium to large sized firms. We select and verify the most suitable technological process applicable and draw up design plans. Once approved, the equipment is thoroughly researched and developed, the next stages being manufacture and installation.

GUMOTEX

www.gumotex.cz

GUMOTEX is a traditional supplier of parts for the automotive industry, specifically for passenger cars, trucks and buses. For us, as development supplier, the quality, functionality, reliability and design are of the up-most importance. Our product portfolio includes PUR interior parts, PUR exterior parts (acoustic foam for pillars, engine compartment etc.), EPP parts, sun visors and plastic parts.

HTP

www.htpcr.cz

Finding the right technological solution is our motivation for successful cooperation. Since 1996 HTP offers wide range of services in custom manufacturing and its main technologies are Sheet Metal Works, Robot Welding, Pressing, High Precision Machining, High-End Fastening Technologies, Powder Coating, Surface Finishing and Heat Treatments and Assembly.

Jihostroj

www.jihostroj.com

Jihostroj is a Czech engineering and manufacturing company with years-long tradition dated back to the year 1919 and wide experience in the field of precise engineering and hydraulics. The core company businesses are aerospace equipment and mobile and industrial hydraulics. The main production program of the company is complemented by other activities, including heat and surface treatment, production of instruments and gauges, tools and made-to-print production.

Otsuka Brano

www.otsukabrano.cz

As a manufacturer specializing in Functional Auto Parts, we provide services from development through mass production. Our main product range is handbrake levers for the automotive industry. We supply our products mostly to Japanese cars.

Project Controls

www.projectcontrols.cz

Project Controls is a Czech private owned company with over 25 year experience in development and production of control and release cables for automotive industry. The company mainly develops and produces cable assemblies across all applications (door locking systems, seating adjustments, bonnet release, 5 door emergency release cable and power closing) and also complete assemblies including interior plastic components such as control levers.

RETEX

www.retex.cz

We are a modern and dynamic firm focusing on the production and development of nonwovens. Our products are intended largely for the production of components for the car manufacturing and construction industries. Our key deliveries include the automotive sector, which is the most demanding in terms of the requirements for long-term reliability, quality, narrow tolerance, flexibility in responding to customer requirements and non-acceptance of deviations.

SKD

www.skd-bojkovice.cz

The SKD Company concentrates on precision engineering and tool- making production while specializing in the engineering and production of injection moulds and stamping tools especially for the automotive industry. Our firm has developed dynamically for the entire period of its existence and every year it invests considerable finances in the latest machines, technologies, personnel and company know-how.

Tawesco

www.tawesco.cz

Tawesco s.r.o. is a leading Czech supplier of tooling, stamping and welded parts to automotive industry. The company motto is "Together to be among the best" which reflects a continuous work on inner processes and development of people. This also means a strong commitment to significantly invest in further company growth through 2019.

Tomatex

www.tomatex.cz

We are a Czech company processing leather, leatherette, fabric and other materials for production of interior parts for automotive industry. We offer reliable production of various flat laminated sandwiches and cutparts, embossing of patterns and logos, functional and decorative sewing of parts and their wrapping onto plastic inserts. We supply finished upholstered interior parts for cars of world-famous brands like Land Rover, Daimler, Volkswagen, Audi and others.