

New managing director for Kontron Transportation

Vienna, 1 July 2024 – Michael Jeske (53) joins the Kontron Transportation Group as new Managing Director on July 1, 2024.

Michael Jeske takes over the position of Managing Director of Kontron Transportation from 1 July 2024. Together with Richard Neussl he will head the Kontron Transportation group and will take over the responsibility for the finance and fulfillment departments.

Michael Jeske is a top manager with many years of management expertise in the IT industry with a focus on development, production and quality assurance. He worked with Kontron AG since 2009 in several top management positions in the areas of development and operations, most recently as Vice President Operations.

Michael Jeske has had a great passion for Railways as the most efficient form of travel. “I myself am our customers' best customer. Every year I travel around 45,000 kilometers on public transport. I was delighted to be offered the opportunity to join the management team at Kontron Transportation. I am starting my new role with a great passion for railways, enthusiasm for technology and enjoyment of teamwork and look forward to working with my highly valued colleague on the management board Richard Neussl, the employees of Kontron Transportation and our customers and business partners”, says Michael Jeske.

Michael Jeske lives with his wife and his three youngest children in Austria on the countryside. In his free time, he draws energy from his family and his hobbies of cycling, hiking and photography. For the dedicated family man, teamwork is the basis for a company's success, which is why he relies on cooperation and pragmatic solutions.

Kontron Transportation stands for predictability, reliability and continuity. With this mindset the company follows its vision to develop and deliver leading-edge communication solutions for mission-critical environments and enables its customers digital evolution.

About Kontron Transportation

Kontron Transportation GmbH is a global leading supplier of end-to-end communication solutions for mission-critical networks. Core customer segment are railways throughout Europe and beyond.

The focus is on systems to produce, transport and process voice, data and video information reliably and securely in an efficient and sustainable way. This include GSM-Railways, FRMCS (future railway mobile communication system), MCx (mission-critical over public networks) with IWF (interworking functions). Enhanced radio solutions and radio access networks, transmission networks, private cloud platforms and cybersecurity concepts round off the portfolio. From this portfolio selected communication products are also offered to utilities and enterprises. In addition specific mobility products such as validators and fare collection systems are offered to public transport operators.

As a driving force in the definition and specification of FRMCS standards, Kontron Transportation is significantly involved in standardization working groups and European research projects such as Morane. The company has more than 690 employees, 11 sites all over Europe and is headquartered in Vienna. Kontron Transportation is part of Kontron Group.

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