

Eurasia Rail will bring together the international railway industry members

Eurasia Rail International Rolling Stock, Infrastructure & Logistics Exhibition, which hosted 200 companies and 11,949 visitors from 25 countries in the last year, is preparing to host the leading names of the global railway industry in Izmir on April 10-12, 2019.

In Eurasia Rail, which is recognized as “only in the Eurasia Region and one of the world’s 3 largest rolling stock exhibitions”, the conferences will be held simultaneously with the exhibition and the agenda will include the latest innovations, developments, technologies, and industry investments.

Along with the important participants from countries such as Germany, France, Czech Republic, China, Italy, and Russia, the leading companies of the industry such as Siemens, Alstom, Skoda, Huawei, Yapıray, Ministry of Transport, TCDD and its affiliates, Bozankaya, Bombardier, Knorr Bremse, Metro İstanbul, Metro Izmir, Caf, Kardemir, Aselsan, and Yapı Merkezi will attend the Eurasia Rail.

Organized by EUF - E Uluslararası Fuarçılık, one of the group companies of ITE, the organizer of premier exhibitions in leading industries of Turkey, Rolling Stock, Infrastructure & Logistics Exhibition will be held for the 8th time on April 10-12, 2019 in Izmir, Gaziemir.

The exhibition which will be held in an area of nearly 14 thousand m2 is also supported by **T. R. Ministry of Transport and Infrastructure, State Railways of the Republic of Turkey, The Union of Chambers and Commodity Exchanges of Turkey (TOBB), Small and Medium Enterprises Development Organization (KOSGEB), and T.R. Ministry of Commerce.** Also, Eurasia Rail's conference partner is events and media business company **SmartRail World**, operating within the **Railway Gazette Media Group**, specializing in railway and metro network technologies.

While contributing to the creation of new business and cooperation opportunities for the industry, Eurasia Rail, which attracts great attention from the domestic and foreign industry professionals, will also bring the latest innovations, developments, technologies, and industry investments to the agenda in the conferences which will be held simultaneously with the exhibition.

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During the three-day events program which will take place simultaneously with the exhibition, the technological developments in the rolling stock industry and procurement and operational issues will be discussed in the conferences, roundtable meetings, and workshops. The events which will include the expert reviews, case studies, and recent developments in the industry will bring together the experts specialized in their profession and have a strong position within the industry.

In order to help you create your roadmap, stay ahead of your competitors, increase your sales, and maximize customer satisfaction, the agenda of the Eurasia Rail conference program cover:

- Infrastructure
- Signaling ve Telecom
- Railway vehicles and train operations
- Cybersecurity
- Data management
- Passenger experience
- Headlines concerning the industrial collaborations

The Eurasia Rail Conference program will give you the opportunity to examine the new products and systems in the industry in detail and will bring up the national and international transportation projects, design, data usage, collaboration management, challenges of the business, and lessons learned to the agenda.

Eurasia Rail: only in the Eurasia Region and one of the world's 3 largest Rolling Stock, Infrastructure & Logistics exhibition...

ITE Turkey Transport & Logistics Group Director Semi Benbanaste: "Thanks to their fast, economical, environment-friendly, safe and modern nature, rail systems become more and more important throughout the world. While the investments of especially European countries continue in order to increase modernization and transport capacity of railways, our country also set great targets and investment plans in this direction. Within this scope, Turkey has set the goal to reach 25,000 km of total railway length. High-speed train investments have great importance in achieving this goal and we are aiming to connect 42 cities, where 77 percent of the country's population lives, with high-speed railways until 2023. We are planning to build 3,500 km of hyper-speed railways, 8,500 km high-speed railways. In addition to that, we are planning to reach a total of 25,000 km railway length in 2023 by building 13,000 km of new railways including 1,000 km conventional railways. On the other hand, there are also targets of renewing 4,400 km of railway, completing the renewal of all lines, increasing the railway conveyance rate to 10% for passengers and 15% for freight. We aim to support the industry in

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reaching these valuable targets with Eurasia Rail, in which we have brought together the leading industry representatives of the world since 2011.”

Pointing out that Eurasia Rail is the only railway exhibition in the Eurasia region and one of the three biggest railway exhibitions in the world, Benbanaste gave information about the exhibition to be held in April. Benbanaste said: “Eurasia Rail, which helps professional visitors to meet the top producers of the industry and gives them the chance to closely follow innovations, is preparing to become a highly productive platform for railway industry as it does every year. There will be important participants from countries such as Germany, France, Czech Republic, China, Italy, and Russia. In fact, France Office of the Commercial Counsellor has announced that it will support only Eurasia Rail in Turkey in 2019, which is a very important decision. In addition to these important developments, leading companies such as Siemens, Alstom, Yapıyay, Ministry of Transport, State Railways of the Republic of Turkey (TCDD) and its subsidiaries, Bozankaya, Bombardier, Knorr Bremse, Metro Istanbul, Metro Izmir, Caf, Kardemir and Aselsan have approved their participation. While it is planned that the bilateral negotiations to be held within Eurasia Rail organized for the 8th time in Izmir on 10-12 April 2019 will make a major contribution to the railway industry and national economy, we will also talk about the latest innovations and technologies in the industry with our comprehensive events program.”

The exhibition will host hosted buyers from target markets...

"Eurasia Rail Hosted Buyers Program," which will be held in order to create buying, business development, new business, and cooperation opportunities to the industry representatives, will be organized by ITE Turkey and T.R. Ministry of Trade. This year, Eurasia Rail 2009 will host national and international professional buyers from Qatar, Algeria, Czech Republic, China, France, the Netherlands, Spain, and Italy along with Turkey.

About ITE Turkey

ITE Turkey is the Turkish branch of the ITE Group, the international exhibition company that organizes 150 exhibitions and conferences worldwide with 32 offices in 20 countries and a staff comprising of over 1,000 experienced employees. Organizing leading exhibitions for the leading industries of Turkey, ITE Turkey consists of the companies **YEM Fuarçılık**, **EUF - E Uluslararası Fuar Tanıtım Hizmetleri** and **Platform Uluslararası Fuarçılık**.

Organizing the leading exhibitions of Turkey in industries such as **construction, tourism, cosmetics, foods, railway systems, and logistics**; ITE Turkey draws its strength from the global network of the ITE Group as well as its experience in Turkey and the region. By sharing its strong global network in the exhibition industry with other industries it operates in, ITE Turkey

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creates new opportunities for business, collaboration, and purchasing and makes contributions to the development of the industry. www.ite-turkey.com

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Operating under the umbrella of ITE Turkey, EUF - E Uluslararası Fuar Tanıtım Hizmetleri A.Ş. has been organizing exhibitions since 1999 in sectors such as energy, construction equipment, food, furniture, stationery, promotion, water and wastewater treatment, tourism, rail systems, and logistics. With the help of the global information network and the experience of ITE Group as well as global collaborations, EUF A.Ş. carries out the EMITT (East Mediterranean International Tourism & Travel Exhibition), EURASIA RAIL (International Rolling Stock, Infrastructure & Logistics Exhibition), and WORLDFOOD ISTANBUL (International Food Products & Processing Technologies Exhibition).

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