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Fastener World Exhibitions Footprints

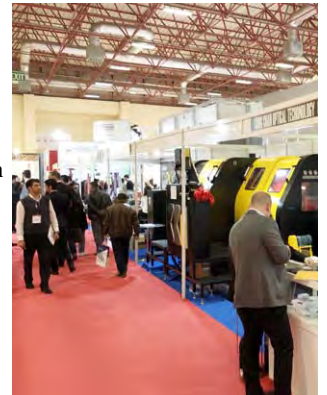
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The Middle East/Turkey

Fastener Fair Turkey 03/01-03

Taiwanese exhibitors: Ray Fu, Cham Hung, Dahbin, Unipack, Tung Fang, Diing Sen, Taiwan RDP, San Yung, Pinguod, Chan Change/Chang Horng, Homn Reen and Transway

The biennial Fastener Fair Turkey took place on March 1-3 at IFM-Istanbul Expo Centre located in Istanbul, the biggest city of Turkey. Main exhibits showcased in the two halls this year included: Industrial Fasteners, Construction Fixings, Assembly & Installation Systems, Fastener Manufacturing Technology and Related Machinery & Service. This Fair drew the attendance of nearly 200 specialized exhibitors from 13 countries (Turkey, Italy, Germany, USA, Spain, France, UK, Netherlands, Israel, Taiwan, India, Japan and China). Turkish exhibitors, in particular, were the largest exhibiting group. Leading Turkish companies were also present to exhibit their products and exchange information with other domestic/foreign buyers. Fastener World also brought 12 companies to the show to showcase their main products. They hoped to demonstrate the advantageous features of Taiwanese products to visiting buyers and establish partnerships with more potential buyers from Turkey and neighboring countries.



Europe

International Hardware Fair Cologne 03/04-07

International Hardware Fair Cologne opened its doors during March 4-7 at Koelnmesse fair grounds, gathering as many as 2,700 exhibitors from more than 50 countries displaying fasteners, hand tools, industrial supplies, fittings and other products. 80% of those exhibitors came from abroad. The hand tools area had 1,650 exhibitors, the industrial supply area had 450, the fasteners & fixings area had 350, and the other areas had 298 exhibitors. The total exhibitor count grew 5% compared to the last edition. This year the show held the E-Commerce Summit inviting many e-commerce giants to provide exchange and consultation on digitalization as a response to German hardware industry going for e-commerce under Industry 4.0. The show also came with a Start-up Village providing opportunities of collaboration between traditional hardware companies and e-commerce start-ups.



Europe

Wire & Tube Düsseldorf 04/16-20

Following the success of 2016, Wire & Tube Düsseldorf once again opened its gates at Düsseldorf Exhibition Centre on April 16-20, 2018. As 2018 is the 30th anniversary of this show, Wire & Tube Düsseldorf 2018 not only became bigger in scale, but also became more international than ever. This year the show drew around 2,600 exhibitors in attendance (on a net exhibition space of 118,000 sqm) to showcase their latest wire and tube technology and service. In addition to leading Taiwanese companies coming to exhibit at the show, Fastener World Inc. was also present this year to help fastener companies, which would like to tap into European and neighboring markets, reinforce their promotion and strive for more exposure in the int'l market through on-site dissemination of free magazines and e-books. According to the post-show statistics of the organizer, the 2018 show drew the attendance of more than 70,000 visitors from around 130 countries in total to establish business contact, make inquiries and place orders. The next show is scheduled to take place in 2020 again.



N. America

Fastener Fair USA 04/11-12

Taiwanese exhibitors: Wingtone, All Gain Industry, Cornwall, Easylink, Konfu, Shin Guang Yin, United Master United, Canatex, Channng Chin, Chun Yu Works, Dunfa, Home Soon, Jet Fast, Liang Ying, Mols, Multiform Fasteners, Ray Fu, Sato Fastener, Sheh Kai and Yung Ming Fastener.

On April 11-12, the first edition of Fastener Fair USA took place at the Huntington Convention Center in Cleveland, OH and successfully drew the attendance of more than 2,000 fastener related buyers and professionals, exceeding the expectation of the show organizer. 250 exhibitors from 20 countries came to exhibit at the 2018 fair located in the heart of the Midwest manufacturing region of the U.S. and established face-to-face contact with local buyers from the distribution, automotive, aerospace, energy, civil engineering and construction industries. The next edition of Fastener Fair USA is scheduled to take place at the Cobo Center in Detroit, MI on May 22-23, 2019.



South Asia

Fastener Fair India 05/18-19

Taiwanese exhibitors: Anchor Fasteners, Best View, Chang Horng, Chao Jing Precise Machines, Mega Link, Chien Tsai Machinery, Chirek Fastener, Home Soon, Homn Reen, Hung Li (Hurmng Yieh), Ray Fu, Sumeeko, Yeswin Machinery, Yih Tieng Machinery

After the successful edition in 2016, Fastener Fair New Delhi again opened its gates at Pragati Maidan Exhibition Centre on May 18-19 this year. 165 exhibitors from India, Taiwan, Japan, Germany, Turkey, S. Korea and China were present.

The onsite correspondent of Fastener World Magazine reported, "The most specialized fastener exhibition in South Asia- Fastener Fair India, always draws the attendance of nearly 3,000 industry professionals every year and more than 90% of these visitors are local Indian company owners or purchasing representatives from the management level, who have years of experience in purchasing fasteners or related machines from Taiwan, China, other Asian countries or European/American countries. In this 2-day event, hundreds of local Indian and overseas visitors came to visit Fastener World's stand at the fair and asked for more suppliers information. Companies which were unable to be present at the fair this year could also establish unrestricted contact with buyers and reinforce the international awareness of their products through the exposure in Fastener World's publications. Fastener Fair India has become one of the most important events in Fastener World's annual int'l promoting schedule. In addition to the fair this year in New Delhi, we are also planning to bring several Taiwanese companies to exhibit at Fastener Fair India held in Mumbai next year to help them extend their business reach there."



More shows Fastener World will attend... (★ means shows represented by Fastener World)

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| 06/20-21 Fastener Fair Mexico ★ | 10/03-04 Torque Expo Coventry | 10/21-23 Int'l Fastener Show China |
| 06/20-22 Fastener Expo Shanghai ★ | 10/03-05 M-Tech Osaka | 10/30-11/01 Int'l Fastener Expo ★ |
| 08/29-31 Hand Tools & Fastener Expo | 10/10-12 China Int'l Hardware Show | 10/30-11/02 Korea Metal Week |
| 09/06-08 Expo Nacional Ferretera | 10/16-18 Fastener Poland ★ | |
| 09/26-29 Fastener Shanghai | 10/17-19 Taiwan Hardware Show | |

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