

INITIATIVES

ACAM

ACAM Aachen Center for Additive Manufacturing

Together with partners from science, the Fraunhofer Institutes for Laser Technology ILT and for Production Technology IPT founded the ACAM Aachen Center for Additive Manufacturing in 2015. The aim of ACAM is to help manufacturing companies implement additive manufacturing in their production processes. The Center for Additive Manufacturing is run by Prof. Johannes Henrich Schleifenbaum (Fraunhofer ILT) and Kristian Arntz (Fraunhofer IPT).

ACAM bundles the competencies of different research institutes in their services on the RWTH Aachen Campus Melaten. ACAM brings together an expert community that deals with additive manufacturing and continues to systematically develop its know-how in this area. The existing expertise is made directly accessible to the users.



*ACAM Community meeting on February 20, 2019
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In terms of training, ACAM offers tailor-made seminars. Interested companies can participate in the ACAM community for a fee. If required, the partner companies can also establish their own resources directly on the campus. The employees of these companies can also take part in training and further education programs offered by RWTH Aachen University and are involved in the university environment.

Strategic partners of ACAM

- Fraunhofer Institute for Laser Technology ILT
- Fraunhofer Institute for Production Technology IPT
- Access Technology GmbH
- KEX Knowledge Exchange AG
- Institute for Tool-free Production IwF, an institute associated to the FH Aachen University of Applied Sciences

RWTH Aachen University

- Chair for Laser Technology LLT
- Chair for Digital Additive Production DAP
- Chair of Production Engineering of E-Mobility Components PEM
- Nonlinear Dynamics of Laser Processing Instruction and Research Department NLD
- Chair and Institute of General Design Engineering of Mechanical Engineering ICT
- Machine Tool Laboratory WZL
- Institute for Automotive Engineering IKA
- Institute of Plastics Processing IKV
- Institute for Material Applications in Mechanical Engineering IWM

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