



10 February 2016

Major international companies join AIPH as Affiliate Members

In recognition of the growing importance of the International Association of Horticultural Producers (AIPH), Affiliate Membership has been eagerly taken up by major companies and organisations supplying and supporting the global ornamental horticulture industry.

The following businesses and organisations have recently been welcomed as Affiliate Members:

- PRIVA – global supplier of climate and irrigation management control technology and software.
- Philips – researchers and suppliers of LED lighting technology for growers.
- HortiAlliance - Integrated platform of suppliers of services, capital goods, consumables, seeds and cuttings to growers world-wide.
- Doppelmayr – Manufacturer and installer of cable car systems relevant for international horticultural exhibitions.
- Val'hor – The umbrella organisation for ornamental horticulture in France.

These businesses join MPS Sustainable Quality and Bavaria International Exhibition Organizing already approved as Affiliate Members earlier in 2015.

AIPH President, Bernard Oosterom welcomes the new Affiliate Members and comments: “I am pleased to see major international businesses like these joining AIPH. Together with the trade association members we will become an even stronger force in supporting ornamentals growers worldwide.”

AIPH Affiliate Membership is open to businesses related to the ornamental horticulture, exhibitions and landscape industry that would like to support the work of AIPH and utilise this extensive international network.

Affiliate Membership costs only 500 euro per year and approved members are entitled to access all AIPH membership benefits. See www.aiph.org/join-aiph for more information on the benefits of membership and how to join.

Contacts

Tim Briercliffe, AIPH Secretary General

Email: sg@aiph.org Tel: +44 (0) 118 9308956

Mobile: +44 (0) 7885 750324

Website: www.aiph.org

Follow AIPH on Twitter [@AIPHglobal](https://twitter.com/AIPHglobal)

Notes for Editors:

International Association of Horticultural Producers (AIPH)

Since 1948, AIPH has united horticultural producers in an international community that thrives to this day. Much has changed in that time. Technologies advanced, cities rose from the ground, and we have become more connected than ever. As a result, our essential bond with nature has been weakened. AIPH strives to reignite and uphold an appreciation of plants that we believe is a basic human instinct. We support the work of grower associations globally and together we champion a prosperous industry, growing plants that enhance lives, advance societies and sustain our planet, for this generation and the next. For further details visit www.aiph.org