

Press release:

**Prodways Entrepreneurs supports the development of SILLTEC,
specialised in Led and Laser technologies**

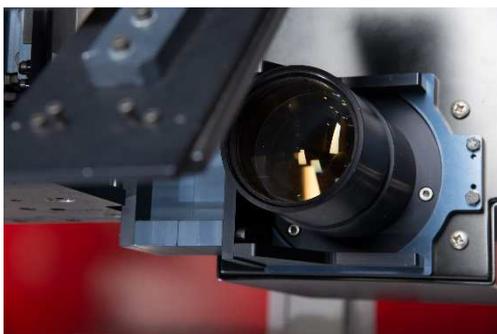
Three months after its launch, Prodways Entrepreneurs, subsidiary of Groupe Gorgé and specialised in the financing and support of the European 3D printing sector, invests in SILLTEC (a company located in the Paris region) to support its growth.

A company renowned for its innovative culture

Founded by Julien Decloux, an engineer specialised in laser, optics and vision, SILLTEC is growing primarily in two markets:

- 3D printing: SILLTEC develops and produces a range of DLP-based UV projectors essential for the manufacture of certain 3D printing industrial systems combining very high precision and productivity, which are used in particular in the biomedical, aeronautical and even jewellery industries;
- Laser cleaning and stripping: SILLTEC is developing and producing a range of sturdy and innovative laser machines dedicated to industrial cleaning and the restoration of heritage.

Incubated in Orsay (Essonne) at IncubAlliance, SILLTEC is also supported by BPI France and the Paris Region through *Paris Région Entreprises* (formerly *Centre Francilien de l'Innovation*). Furthermore, SILLTEC works with renowned scientific institutions, such as the *Laboratoire de Recherche des Monuments Historiques* (French Historic Monument Research Laboratory) and the *Centre de Recherche sur la Conservation du Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle* (French Research Centre on the Conservation of the National Museum of Natural History).



A shared outlook

The added value of SILLTEC is its ability to develop and produce compact, powerful and resolute devices which are among the most effective on the market. Philippe Laude, Chief Executive Officer of Prodways, was "won over by the high added value of SILLTEC's expertise in applications dedicated to 3D printing and by its potential for growth in sectors other than 3D printing, such as laser cleaning".

Thanks to this affiliation with a leading manufacturer in the field of additive manufacturing, SILLTEC will participate in the futures technological innovations of the 3D printing sector. According to Julien Decloux, chairman and founder of SILLTEC: "Prodways Entrepreneurs became part of SILLTEC's growth plans at the right time; its financial support and ongoing guidance will enable SILLTEC to achieve sustainable growth".

Through this accompaniment, Prodways Entrepreneurs is continuing to develop an innovation ecosystem around Prodways, which will thereby benefit from all the dynamism offered by SILLTEC, a promising company with unique expertise. Moreover, Prodways is already integrating the technology developed by SILLTEC into its 3D printing systems. New joint developments are underway, which should confirm Prodways' positioning on the global 3D printing market.

More information : www.prodways-entrepreneurs.com / www.SILLTEC.fr

About us:

Prodways, subsidiary of Groupe Gorgé, assists major industrial firms with innovations and production processes by providing 3D printers, premium materials and services.

Prodways Entrepreneurs is a financing and support solution dedicated to the European 3D Printing sector.

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