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# **1st Digital International Congress 2021 on Aluminium Brazing and Aluminium Heat Exchanger Technologies for HVAC&R together with a Digital Exhibition**

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen, dear colleagues,

We warmly welcome you to the 1st Digital International Congress on Aluminium Brazing in combination with Aluminium Heat Exchanger Technologies for HVAC&R.

Many things in our life have changed dramatically since the last congresses in 2018 and 2019. The Covid19-virus has taken a firm grip on the whole world. Production in a lot of companies was affected and global supply chains were interrupted. In 2020, the Aluminium Brazing event had to be cancelled - and this year we are moving the International Conference Heat Exchanger Technologies for HVAC&R into the virtual world.

For this reason, we brought together the best of both special fields and we look forward to welcoming you to the first Digital Congress on these two topics. A Digital Exhibition will complement the congress. This event will unite scientists, engineers and technical personnel from all over the world, who are involved in the research, development and application of aluminium brazing technology.

Even in these times the technical developments are progressing. Everywhere digitalization has advanced, business processes have been optimized and customer relationships were strengthened. Joining and brazing as well as heat exchangers production are complex technologies that need to be continuously developed. They are based on current research results, applicable standards and guidelines as well as adapted training methods.

DVS is pleased and proud to meet the attendees on this international virtual platform. We would particularly like to thank the presenting authors for their valuable contributions. We thank all participants for their interest and we wish everyone an interesting congress.

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