Biography

Ricky Hudi
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Founder & CEO
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After studies of electrical engineering at OTH Regensburg, Ricky Hudi started his career path with BMW as a systems engineer for the In-house development of powertrain electronics with special emphasis on the architecture of complex highend realtime embedded systems.

He then transferred within BMW to BMW Technik GmbH, where he was able to extend his knowledge throughout the entire field of vehicle electronics.

In mid 1997 he joined AUDI AG. There he headed as VP the Advanced Engineering of Electronics, specializing in the development of innovative systems for the new Audi A8.

In early 2000 he became VP Infotainment Systems, where he introduced systems coming out of Advanced Engineering - primarily Audi MMI - into series production.

In October 2003 Ricky Hudi transferred within Audi from Development to Production, where he was VP Production Planning of Electronic Systems until August 2008. In this period he expanded the electronics expertise in domestic and overseas Audi plants, and achieved significant cost savings – both in ongoing series as well as for all new vehicle projects.

In January 2009 he took over as Executive Vice President Development Electrics/Electronics AUDI AG. Ricky Hudi has driven automotive innovation in the field of electronics with great passion. Thereby, Audi was able to continuously set new standards in all models.
In September 2016 Ricky Hudi founded his own company "FMT - Future Mobility Technologies" for the design and development of future mobility technologies with emphasis on Autonomous Driving, Digitization and End-to-End Architectures.

Directing a global network of key player companies and people he is working as a strategy, technology and management advisor.

He is Chairman of the Industry Advisory Board for HERE, Chairman of the Advisory Board for the International Congress of Automotive Electronics in Ludwigsburg and serves on the Open Innovation Advisory Board for Samsung and on the Technology Council for Harman.

Ricky Hudi is co-founder for TTTech Auto AG in Vienna and Chairman of "The Autonomous".

Ricky Hudi about himself on his webpage:

Over the past 29 years I could contribute together with my teams to pioneering share of todays modern automotive electronics, gaining huge and precious experience.

Now it's my pleasure and ambition to continue in actively donating shaping the technologies of future's mobility.

Following my slogan: "Innovation driven by passion".