

## Faraday Future Announces Werner Wilhelm as Executive Launch Director

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LOS ANGELES--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Apr. 23, 2024-- Faraday Future Intelligent Electric Inc. (NASDAQ: FFIE) ("Faraday Future", "FF" or "Company"), a California-based global shared intelligent electric mobility ecosystem company, announced that consultant Werner Wilhelm is assisting the Company as Executive Launch Director, effective immediately.

With an extensive background spanning over four decades in the automotive industry, Mr. Wilhelm brings a wealth of experience and a proven track record of successful vehicle launches and executive management.

Werner Wilhelm's career includes pivotal roles at leading automotive companies such as Audi AG, Volkswagen AG, and Magna Steyr, where he held positions from bodywork designer to Vice President of Research & Development. Notably, as the Executive Launch Director of the car brand Qoros Auto Co., Ltd. in China, Mr. Wilhelm successfully managed the launch of three car models. Most recently, Mr. Wilhelm has been involved in various consulting roles, enhancing operational efficiencies and product strategies for automotive firms in Germany, Austria, and China.

Matthias Aydt, Global CEO of Faraday Future, stated, "Werner's expertise in automotive engineering and project management will be crucial to us when the Company is enhancing its overall delivery capabilities in the areas of vehicle engineering, product delivery, and supply chain."

YT Jia, Founder and Chief Product and User Ecosystem Officer, said, "Bringing Werner Wilhelm onboard is a human resource step towards accelerating our entrance into the SOD-3 phase, significantly reducing costs, and enhancing the performance and quality of our products. Werner's extensive experience in the automotive industry will be instrumental in helping achieve these objectives efficiently."

## **ABOUT FARADAY FUTURE**

Faraday Future is the pioneer of the Ultimate AI TechLuxury ultra spire market in the intelligent EV era, and the disruptor of the traditional ultra-luxury car civilization epitomized by Ferrari and Maybach. FF is not just an EV company, but also a software-driven intelligent internet company. Ultimately FF aims to become a User Company by offering a shared intelligent mobility ecosystem. FF remains dedicated to advancing electric vehicle technology to meet the evolving needs and preferences of users worldwide, driven by a pursuit of intelligent and Al-driven mobility.

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