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### **Electrification of public transport: fully electric city bus Mercedes-Benz eCitaro is presented**

Mercedes Benz has presented its fully electrically-powered city bus eCitaro. The bus will be manufactured in series at the Mannheim production plant. The first eCitaros will be delivered at the end of 2018 and go into operation in the framework of a so-called customer-oriented road test. Rhein-Neckar-Verkehr GmbH signed the associated declaration of intent with Daimler subsidiary EvoBus GmbH in November 2017 ...

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### **First passenger train with fuel cell technology on track**

The German Federal Railway Authority (Eisenbahn-Bundesamt - EBA) today issued approval of the Alstom company's "Coradia iLint" for passenger service on the German rail network. This is the first passenger train in the world to be powered by a hydrogen fuel cell. This means the first two prototypes on the line in the Elbe-Weser network/ Bremervörder (Lower Saxony) area can go into operation ...

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### **Contracts signed for the construction of two hydrogen refuelling stations in the Rhineland**

In 2019 two hydrogen refuelling stations will be developed for Regionalverkehr Köln GmbH (RVK) – one on their premises in the Rhine-Sieg district (Meckenheim) and one in the Rhine-Bergisch district (Wermelskirchen). A consortium of partners comprising Linde, Framatome, EMS and the Forschungszentrum Jülich is responsible for their construction and evaluation ...

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## NOTIFICATIONS / EVENTS

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### **Symposium "Zero Emission Shipping – Alternative energy systems for sustainable shipping"**

04.09.2018, SMM, Room Marseille / Hamburg Messe und Congress, Messeplatz 1

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### **China Europe Mobility Summit**

27.-28.09.2018, Haus der Wirtschaft, Willi-Bleicher-Strasse 19, 70174 Stuttgart, Germany

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### **4th HYPOS-FORUM**

16.10.2018, BMW production facility, Leipzig, Germany

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### **Vernetzungskonferenz Elektromobilität 2018 (Electric mobility network conference)**

12.-13.11.2018, Hotel „Andel's by Vienna House Berlin“, Landsberger Allee 106, 10369 Berlin

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### **2018 European Zero Emission Bus Conference**

27.-28.11.2018, Cologne, Germany

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