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# **KARIN RUSSBERG APPOINTED DIRECTOR HR AND SUSTAINABILITY AT SEMCON.**

**Karin Russberg has been appointed Director HR and Sustainability of the Semcon Group.**

Karin Russberg has solid experience of strategic HR work and leadership issues on a global level and currently has a role as head of Global Talent Management at AB Volvo. Karin will assume her new position on August 14, 2017 and will report to the President and become a member of Semcon's Group management team.

"It is inspiring to join an innovative company in an exciting phase and be responsible for both HR and sustainability. I look forward to being part of Semcon's continued development and the strengthening of the company's attractiveness as an employer with content that increases commitment among the employees", says Karin Russberg, appointed Director HR and Sustainability at Semcon.

Since 1995, Karin has held a number of different HR-related positions within AB Volvo and Volvo Trucks.

"This new role, with responsibility for HR and sustainability, is very important to further strengthen Semcon's employer brand among both existing and potential employees. Karin's long experience and engagement suits our organisation well. There are also substantial synergies between HR and sustainability - in particular in the Group's ambitious work for equal opportunities", says Markus Granlund, President and CEO at Semcon.

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