

Press Release

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GAFA 2025 Drives Innovative Façade and Glass Technology for Sustainable Architecture in Southeast Asia

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Messe Munchen International (MMI) Asia - a leading exhibition and conference organizer in Asia, is set to hold the Glasstech Asia & Fenestration Asia (GAFA) 2025 exhibition as the foremost business interaction event for the glass and façade industry sectors in Southeast Asia. Collaborating with PT Debindo Global Expo as the local organizing partner, GAFA 2025 will also hold a series of thematic industrial conference agendas.

In addition to receiving international support such as the global BAU Network, and strategic partners like the Singapore Glass Association and Glass Alliance, GAFA 2025 is also strengthened by support from domestic associations such as PERAFI (Indonesian Façade Specialist Association) and AKLP (Indonesia Flat and Safety Glass Association). This event marks the 21st edition of Glasstech Asia and the 8th edition of Fenestration Asia.

The exhibition will take place from 6-9 November 2025 at ICE BSD City and is targeted to become an onsite business interaction platform connecting over 250 exhibitors with 5,000 professionals from the glass, manufacturing, construction, and façade sectors, as well as policymakers ready to share updates on business and industry regulations.

During the four-day event from 6–9 November 2025, Glasstech Asia & Fenestration Asia 2025 will present developments in the glass and façade industry, covering the latest technologies, energy-efficient materials, and sustainable designs. The exhibition features hundreds of participants, including leading companies like **PT Asahimas Flat Glass Tbk** and **Pelitamaju Facades**, showcasing various innovations, technical solutions, and business opportunities in the modern building sector.

The implementation of the GAFA 2025 exhibition integrated with conferences coincides with the momentum of significant development in Indonesia's glass and façade industry, which has solidified its position as the largest economic powerhouse in Southeast Asia and a vital gateway to the ASEAN market. Not only as a destination for fulfilling the needs of the construction and property sectors, GAFA 2025 also offers a variety of glass product options for the manufacturing, automotive, and other sectors.

Furthermore, GAFA also serves as an important reference for various the latest innovative features in the glass and façade industry, which show a positive trend in developing environmentally friendly and energy-saving products for green buildings and infrastructure. One of these is the smart glass product category, which is in high demand in the Asia-Pacific flat glass market.

Not only showcasing various industry innovations and technologies, GAFA 2025 also presents a series of key programs such as the Asia Façade & Glass Conference 2025, the Innovation Pitching Forum, the Future Arcologies – Façade Design Competition, the Glazing Competition 2025, and the Business Matching Programme. Through this series of programs, the exhibition is expected to become a collaborative space for glass and façade industry professionals to exchange insights, forge partnerships, and accelerate the adoption of innovation for sustainable architecture and smart building technology in Indonesia.



During the press conference, a number of speakers were present to present their roles and focus in GAFA 2025. Regarding the vital role of modern glass materials, **PT Asahimas Flat Glass Tbk** affirmed its commitment as a main exhibitor. They will highlight flagship product innovations, particularly energy-efficient glass solutions designed to address the challenges of Indonesia's tropical climate, with the primary goal of strengthening the adoption of green building materials in the national market.



Meanwhile, **Pelitamaju Facades** highlighted the rapid growth and significant potential in the façade sector, not only in Indonesia but also in the East Asia region. They view GAFA 2025 as a crucial event to open new partnership opportunities and demonstrate products with the most advanced technology. Pelitamaju's main focus is to showcase adaptive and sustainable façade systems that can enhance building efficiency.



Support also came from the Indonesia Flat and Safety Glass Association (AKLP) as a supporting partner in Indonesia. AKLP outlined various efforts to position Indonesia as a competitive glass business hub on the national and international stage. One of the main focuses of AKLP's collaboration is the organization of the Asia Façade & Glass Conference 2025, held jointly with PERAFI. This three-day conference is designed to discuss the future of façade innovation, sustainable architecture, and smart building technology.



Along the same lines, **PERAFI** (**Indonesian Façade Specialist Association**) detailed the scope of their collaboration, which focuses on professional expertise development. PERAFI will be actively involved as a main partner for the Asia Façade & Glass Conference 2025, which will feature visionary themes such as 'Harmonising Nature and Architecture', 'Shaping Indonesia's Skyline', and 'Tomorrow's Vision'. Their hope is that GAFA 2025 can accelerate the adoption of sustainable façade innovations and enhance the competence of façade specialists in Indonesia.



Ms. Annie Suwapit, Exhibition Lead, Glasstech & Fenestration, BAU Asia, as the main organizer, outlined the event's global vision. "We are very enthusiastic about bringing GAFA back to Indonesia after 6 years; this is a rapidly growing market with very exciting architectural potential. This year, we will highlight innovation trends in green architecture and smart materials, which are in line with the development focus here. Our hope is that GAFA 2025 can be a catalyst for all participants and the industry to collaborate and grow."



Representing the local organizing partner, **Mr. Rafidi Iqra Muhamad**, **Director of PT Debindo Global Expo**, also shared his optimism. The event is seen as compelling because it runs alongside IndoBuildTech Expo Part 2, giving GAFA a strong chance to gain visibility among more professionals. "GAFA's presence in Indonesia is the right move, aligning with the government's current momentum in bolstering local industries and markets, especially in the glass, aluminum, and façade sectors. We hope this collaboration can synergize with all stakeholders to ensure GAFA is a well-targeted exhibition that is able to meet the demands of these industrial sectors," he remarked.

The staging of Glasstech Asia & Fenestration Asia 2025 is expected to create new momentum for the progress of the national architecture and construction industry, in line with Indonesia's focus on energyefficient buildings and green infrastructure initiatives. Visitor registration is now open, and professionals are invited to be part of the most influential glass and façade exhibition in Southeast Asia. Registration to visit the exhibition person can be done via the official website http://ishk.infosalons.com.cn/reg/gafa25id/registeren/login, while further information about the event can be accessed at https://glasstechasia.com.sg/2025/exhibition/about-the-event/ .

Speakers Present at the Press Conference

- 1. Mr. Rafidi Igra Muhammad Director of PT. Debindo Global Expo
- 2. Mrs. Annie Suwapit Exhibition Lead, Glasstech & Fenestration, BAU Asia
- 3. Mr. Rifan Pramanda Assmen, Marcom and Sales Support of PT Asahimas Flat Glass Tbk
- 4. Mr. Christian Jonathan Director of Pelitamaju Facades
- 5. Mr. Darma Putra Narjadin Member of the Advisory Board of the Indonesia Flat and Safety Glass Association (AKLP)
- 6. Mr. Fibra Reelianto General Chairman of the Indonesian Façade Specialist Association (PERAFI)

About Glasstech Asia & Fenestration Asia

As Southeast Asia's leading exhibitions for the glass and façade industries, Glasstech Asia and Fenestration Asia drive business development, technical innovation, and international partnerships, shaping the region's future in architectural glass and building envelopes.

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