



## **Han Hendriks**

*Chief Technology Officer*

*Yanfeng Technology*

Han Hendriks has been appointed as Chief Technology Officer (CTO) at Yanfeng Technology with effect from September 1, 2019. With a vision for Smart Cabin, Yanfeng established Yanfeng Technology, which integrates all of the group's R&D activities in the areas of interiors, seats, electronics, safety, and exteriors. Yanfeng Technology has a strong focus on the integration of digital technology into all interior components and systems. The new division has its headquarters in Shanghai and runs its European business from Neuss, Germany.

In his new function Han is globally responsible for Yanfeng's smart cabin vision and strategy, portfolio management and partnerships, the execution of new product development projects for all product groups from initial research and ideation to market launch and tech sales and marketing. Before he was appointed to the new position, he acted as CTO of Yanfeng Automotive Interiors (YFAI).

Han Hendriks was born in 1965 in Helmond (the Netherlands) and has more than 25 years of experience in the electronics and automotive industry. Since 1999 he has occupied various management posts at Johnson Controls. These included his work as Vice President Product Development Interiors and General Manager, Europe Region. Before this he acted as Vice President, Global Product Center, Instrument Panels/Cockpit Systems. Before starting work at Johnson Controls, Han worked for companies such as Fluke (Danaher) and Oce (Canon). He holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Architectural Design from the Academy of Applied Arts in Maastricht. He also successfully completed a post-graduate Industrial Design program at the Università Dell 'Arte in Florence. Furthermore, he gained a Master in Business Administration at the University of Westminster in London. Han has lived and worked in the Netherlands, the USA, Germany, and Italy. He speaks Dutch, German, English and Italian.