



## Press Release

### Leo Brecklinghaus appointed Business Unit Manager for Optifit

Leo Brecklinghaus, 44, has been appointed Business Unit Manager for the business unit Optifit Jaka-Möbel GmbH in Germany. He has been acting as Local Manager since the beginning of this year. Prior to this he held the position as Technical Manager for the company since 2000. Optifit is Nobia's specialist manufacturer of flat-pack kitchens and bathrooms.

Leo Brecklinghaus holds a master of Engineering. He absolved the technical college in Rosenheim. Before joining Optifit he worked over 13 years for the German furniture company Hülsta, last as Technical Manager.

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See also Nobia's Website; [www.nobia.se](http://www.nobia.se)

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