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New appointments for the UITIC's EC Members!

The UITIC (International Union of Shoe Industry Technicians) is pleased to announce that two members of its Executive Committee have been appointed to important new positions and would like to congratulate them:

Li Yu Zhong, member of the UITIC's Executive Committee since 2011, has been elected as Chairman of the China Leather Industry Association during its annual meeting in Shanghai on August 30.

Miguel Angel Martinez, Treasurer and new member of the UITIC's Executive Committee, has been appointed new Director of INESCOP, during an Extraordinary General Assembly of Members on June 30.



Some UITIC's EC Members during the 19th Congress in Chennai: Yves MORIN, Françoise NICOLAS, Sergio DULIO, Leandro de MELO, **Miguel Angel MARTINEZ, Li YU ZHONG**, Uwe THAMM, V.B. PARVATIKAR, William WONG.

ABOUT UITIC

The International Union of Shoe Industry Technicians (UITIC), established in 1972, is an organization which aims at developing technical knowledge in the footwear industry, in particular by organizing international conferences on a regular basis and by taking the initiative in setting up information exchanges between its members, exclusively in the field of technology. UITIC's main activity is to organize the most prestigious meeting of experts in the world, an International Technical Congress. This event tackles the latest technical problems or innovation in the footwear industry. Visits of footwear factories and related industries are organized. UITIC's members are technicians from associations and research centers, private companies and footwear experts, coming from 27 countries.