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**From: Axel Huebner**

Dear All,

It is quite some time ago ...

In the meanwhile a lot has changed for me. After I had left ND, I joined Philips Research in Aachen, the most western city in Germany. Three months ago, I joined Infineon Technologies in Munich, which meant that I changed from research to development (feels like a big improvement), the topic changed (it is closer to what I did during my PhD and Postdoc), and I moved about 450 miles within Germany. Still, many things are new, but I feel pretty good. It seems to me that it has been the right decision - in addition, Munich is probably one of the best places to be in Germany!

Last autumn, I also tried to participate in a triathlon and a half-marathon. Unfortunately, I got an injury - fatigue fractures or periostitis in both legs (my orthopedist was not sure). Anyway, after a short break I have recovered quite well and I have started to train again - I just have to find a good pool and a nice group for swimming (one of the things I really miss here - going for a swim during lunch break and meeting nice people there ...). So, I will try again to participate in some events this year - there are many of them here in Munich and the surrounding area. I will let you know how it will have performed if ...



I attach a picture to this mail (just in case ...) taken during one of my last holidays (almost one year ago) on Lanzarote Island (an impressive volcano island), where I biked almost two weeks.

Hope to see you all again - please let me know when you come to Germany or you are close-by!

Best regards,

Axel