## IRT3000 magazine is ISTMA's new media partner!

Starting 2018, ISTMA (International Special Tooling and Machining Association) has confirmed the IRT3000 magazine as its media partner. As the most influential industry magazines in the Adria region, IRT3000 and IRT Adria have partnered with the world tooling and machining association ISTMA and will be presented to the European and international toolmakers and machine builders in April at the traditional meeting in Zürich, Switzerland.

"The IRT3000 magazine has been covering the activities in the tool&mouldmaking industry for a very long time, convincing us that IRT3000 has got what it takes to become ISTMA's official media partner. Our industry and professionals will benefit from a reputable regional publication such as IRT3000, so we are looking forward to our continued collaboration," said Bob Williamson, president of ISTMA association.

Fresh news from the toolmaking industry bimonthly

The IRT3000 issues published in the "odd" months will include the latest news and presentations of ISTMA projects, focusing on the achievements of toolmakers and machine builders from the old continent, including those made by Slovenian companies.

## The toolmaking statistics is ready

As 2017 drew to an end, ISTMA has published its annual Statistical Year Book. The 2017 ISTMA Statistical Year Book provides a detailed analysis of data concerning the production, export, import and market dimension, as well as value unit indices for the most important classes of tools and machines. Several new data categories were also added in this edition, based on the authors' comparative analyses of operation of 10 major key players by category. The Year Book presents data from 29 ISTMA member countries, including Slovenia.







