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Torge Thönnessen is Co-Founder and Managing Director of CUSTOMCELLS®. Thönnessen studied chemistry at Philipps University Marburg and Lund University in Sweden. He started his professional career as a scientist at Fraunhofer ISIT in various projects on the industrialization of lithium battery cell manufacturing from laboratory to industrial scale. During this time, he worked for various start-ups to commercialize specific types of lithium battery cell technology at both the battery system and electrode level. In 2012, the scientist founded CUSTOMCELLS® together with Leopold König as a spin-off of the Fraunhofer Company.

Today, the CUSTOMCELLS® Group is one of the world's leading companies in the development of special lithium-ion battery cells. CUSTOMCELLS® develops and produces application-specific battery cells at the company's sites in Itzehoe (Schleswig-Holstein) and Tübingen (Baden-Württemberg). The range of services extends from prototyping and small and medium series production to the construction of micro and gigafactories.

Thönnessen brings more than eight years of experience in electromobility, battery cell development, product development, and process analysis and optimization to the company.

