

Media release

British Trade Commissioner for Europe visits the FlexBase Technology Center in Laufenburg

Laufenburg, September 10, 2026 – Yesterday, FlexBase Group welcomed Ceri Morgan CBE, the British Trade Commissioner for Europe, as well as several representatives from the British Embassy in Bern, to Laufenburg.

During her visit, Ceri Morgan CBE gained insight into the scope of the project and the role that the planned vanadium-flow battery storage system is expected to play in the future for the integration of renewable energy, the stabilization of the European power grid, and the energy supply for the planned AI data center and technology campus.

Particular emphasis was placed on the collaboration between FlexBase and Invinity Energy Systems. As the British technology partner, Invinity is contributing vanadium flow battery technology, which is particularly well-suited for large stationary storage applications. Together with other European project partners, a storage solution is being developed in Laufenburg that will contribute to the integration of renewable energy and provide additional flexibility in the power system.

The visit also underscores the project's international significance. The Laufenburg Technology Center addresses key challenges facing energy systems far beyond Switzerland's borders: the integration of renewable energy, grid stability, security of supply, and the growing energy demands of digital infrastructure.

Marcel Aumer, founder, Group CEO, Chairman of the Board, and founder of FlexBase Group, says:

"The Laufenburg Technology Center demonstrates that energy infrastructure and digital infrastructure must be considered together. Ceri Morgan CBE's visit is yet another sign to us that this project is also gaining international recognition. With Invinity, we have a European technology partner at our side that brings crucial expertise in the field of vanadium flow batteries. Together, we are working to build an infrastructure in Laufenburg that is relevant to Switzerland and, at the same time, provides solutions to global challenges."

Ceri Morgan CBE, British Trade Commissioner for Europe, says:

"It's impressive to see the construction site in Laufenburg and learn more about the added value that Invinity brings to this significant project, as well as to gain a deeper understanding of vanadium battery technology. This is an excellent example of the United Kingdom's innovative strength and competitiveness, as well as its ability to successfully implement international projects. Such developments are not only of great economic importance but also help to further strengthen economic ties between the United Kingdom and Switzerland."

Jonathan Marren, Chief Executive Officer of Invinity Energy Systems, says:

"We were delighted to welcome Ceri Morgan CBE to the Laufenburg Technology Center and to showcase the role that British innovations play in one of Europe's most significant energy infrastructure projects. This is a striking example of cooperation between the United Kingdom and Switzerland, combining Invinity's UK-manufactured vanadium flow battery technology with Switzerland's vision, investment, and implementation expertise."

The project underscores the growing international demand for Invinity's flexible energy storage technology as a key factor in the expansion of renewable energy, energy security, and next-generation AI infrastructure. The ability to implement projects of this scale is the result of many years of innovation and development work, supported by British institutions such as the National Wealth Fund and DESNZ. "We are very pleased to be working with FlexBase to bring this project to life, one that we believe will set new standards for the integration of clean energy, grid infrastructure, and AI-enabled power systems."

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Founded in 2022 by Marcel Aumer and Sascha Carroccio, the FlexBase Group's vision is to create new and modern jobs for Laufenburg and the entire region using modern and innovative technologies in the fields of information technology and energy. The group includes FlexBase Holding AG, FB Real Estate AG, FB Data AG, FB Storage AG, FB Power AG, and FlexBase Service AG.



Photo: Ceri Morgan, CBE (center left), with Marcel Aumer (to the left of Ceri Morgan) and representatives from Invinity, FlexBase, and the British Embassy at the project site of the Laufenburg Technology Center. (Photo credit: FlexBase)



Above: Work on site is proceeding as planned. The excavation work has now been successfully completed. (Photo credit: FlexBase)