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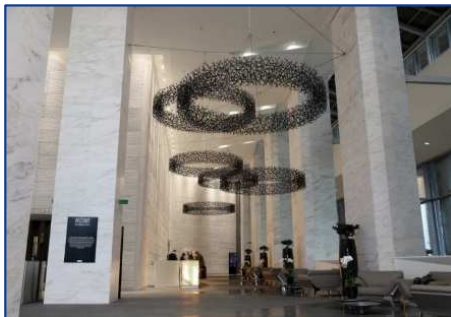
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New business project, new head office: Expanscience moves to Tour First, a vehicle for the company's new challenges

Paris, 20 April 2017 ■ Built in 1974 and completely renovated in 2011, the Tour First, based in Paris - La Défense, will be welcoming Laboratoires Expanscience on Monday 24 April. This move is part of an ambitious business project resolutely focused on innovation. The new head office will help develop collaborative work and facilitate interdepartmental communication and cooperation in shared spaces for the 240 employees of Expanscience's head office.



"In a context where agility and constant adaptation to our markets are key to fulfilling our ambition to develop, our objective is to make the head office a vehicle for the company's challenges: innovation, international business, Corporate Social Responsibility." says Jean Paul Berthomé, President of Laboratoires Expanscience.



"To make this innovative project a success and support change, an ad hoc 'First Expanscience' project committee has been created, representing all the company's functions. The employees have been involved from the start of the project. Various groups participated in discussions on working spaces, new ways of working together, the future ways of the company and optimisation of the paper/filing policy." explains Emmanuelle Dumas, Project Director and Communication Director.

"This move will be an opportunity to promote greater openness and closeness between employees and between departments. Our future operating modes and the layout of our offices play a key role in this dynamic." concludes Emmanuelle Dumas.

Consistent with its Corporate Social Responsibility policy, the new Expanscience head office occupies a building certified High Environmental Quality and LEED Gold¹. Out of the 44 floors of the Tour First, Expanscience employees occupy the 8th and 9th floors on two office spaces of 1,965 m² each.

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(1) LEED Gold: Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) is a North American system of standardisation of buildings with high environmental quality. A building can achieve four levels: certified, silver, gold or platinum. Evaluation criteria include: energy efficiency, water consumption, heating efficiency, chosen materials, etc.

About Laboratoires Expanscience

In 2016, Expanscience – a French independently-owned pharmaceutical and dermo-cosmetics laboratory – generated turnover of €274.7 million, 54.3% of which was through exports.

Its solid reputation as an innovator and as a specialist in skin and the treatment of arthritis has been built around its leading brands – Piasclédine 300 and Mustela in particular.

Laboratoires Expanscience in figures

- Date created: 1950
- 2016 turnover: €274.7 M
- 90 distributing countries
- 14 subsidiaries
- 1044 employees
- 71 million products manufactured in 2016
- Activities: Dermo-Cosmetics, Dermatology, Rheumatology, Cosmetic active ingredients

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