



The Materials Metrology™ Company

Press Release

## ReVera Names Alain Harrus to Board of Directors

Semiconductor industry veteran boosts executive bench at materials metrology company

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**Sunnyvale, Calif., March 15, 2007** – ReVera Incorporated, the materials metrology company, today announced the appointment of Alain Harrus, Ph.D., to its Board of Directors. A distinguished semiconductor processing technologist and more recently an investor in high-growth, early-stage companies, Harrus brings a combination of technology know-how and business expertise to ReVera as it expands its installed base of market-leading metrology solutions. Harrus is currently a partner at Crosslink Capital, a San Francisco-based venture capital firm.

Harrus' appointment comes at a time of growth for ReVera. In the last six months, the company has seen accelerated demand for its VeraFlex™ metrology system. A succession of orders from SMIC, Toshiba and the Crolles2 Alliance document the tool's performance advantages and its role as a yield enabler in today's advanced fabs. The order momentum also highlights the tool's growing adoption as the metrology solution of choice to address the increasing level of sensitivity for the full range of leading-edge films and structures in both development and production environments.

"Alain's unique understanding of semiconductor manufacturing challenges at the leading edge, coupled with his knowledge of ReVera's innovative materials metrology solutions makes him a valuable addition to our board," commented ReVera CEO Dave Ring. "He is a strong champion of ReVera's technology and an engaged advisor on our R&D and strategic growth initiatives. We are pleased to welcome him to our board and we look forward to benefiting from his counsel."

Harrus' semiconductor industry experience includes roles at AT&T Bell Laboratories, Lam Research and Novellus Systems, where he served as vice president and chief technology officer. At Crosslink Capital, he focuses on the firm's core technology/semiconductor investing activities. Harrus holds a BS degree in Mathematics and MS degree in Physics from the University of Paris XI at Orsay, France, and Ph.D. in Experimental Solid State Physics from Temple University in Philadelphia.

### **About ReVera**

ReVera Incorporated is a leading provider of materials metrology solutions for advanced semiconductor processing. Its products allow device manufacturers to measure, monitor and control critical materials properties, enabling them to rapidly integrate and manage new materials and processes required for the most advanced IC devices. ReVera systems are proven in production in a broad range of applications, and are backed by a global network of applications, field service, sales and logistics personnel. ReVera was established in 2004 as a management-led spin-out from Physical Electronics and its wholly owned subsidiary, Charles Evans and Associates.