

## eXpat Fact@ry Scene

Watch it made in Dalian

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This regular new feature will take you behind the scene of Factories, featuring guided factory tours which are fun and informative.

Meet the people responsible for making the big wheels turn. Through the eyes of Focus Dalian, experience the products, the company, the technologies, and the manufacturing marvels that fuel the economy and have brought most of us to China.

## **FOMAS Dalian**

The Fomas Group is an italian industrial enterprise active on an international scale, in a position to operate at very high levels of quality in the field of Forgings and Seamless Rolled Rings Circular Lamination technology.

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### Fomas Precision Forging Dalian

Fomas Dalian is part of the Rings Division of FOMAS Group. It started its production in Dalian in August 2008. Its main objective is to produce the same level product quality and service as other FOMAS production units. The ring rolling production lines installed here are state-of-the-art technology developed by the FOMAS Group. This cutting edge technology enables FOMAS Dalian to produce quality rolled rings, cylindrical or profile mainly for the bearing and transmission/automotive sector.



# The Product: From Steel to Process Rings Rings can be supplied as rolled, annealed, shot blasted and machined. (Heat treatment, machining available in the plant.) In house design and tooling

department provide a high flexibility.

## Meet Stephane Clementi

Stephane Clementi, the GM of Fomas Dalian, shares his thoughts on working and living in Dalian.

### A: Stephane, is this your first foreign assignment, and how do you feel about it?

Q: This is my first expatriation and I want to thank the FOMAS Group for giving me this wonderful opportunity. It is very exciting to start a project from scratch; it gives you the feeling of being a true pioneer. My parents did the same in the mid 60 when they immigrated from Italy to France. But 45 years later, they still live in France where I was born. My sister lives there too, she teaches French at a high school.

#### A: Do you think history will be repeated, and you will stay in Dalian for a long time? What do you think of Dalian?

Q: Well, living and working in Dalian is a fascinating experience. It is a pleasure to work in Dalian with my Chinese colleagues, who have amazing energy and very strong motivation. They are always ready to learn more, and our skills are developing very rapidly. As for staying for a long time here, who knows what further adventures are in store for us.

### A: What about the rest of your family? Are they enjoying the China Adventure as well?

Q: It was essential that this adventure is a good experience for the rest of my family as well. I would first like to thank my wife Patty who has accepted this challenge, despite the fact that we are deeply connected to our relatives who live 9000 kms away from Dalian. My three sons are really happy and bloom in the Dalian American International School. It is a chance to open their mind in this incredible fabulous international environment. China is going to change you for ever. Focus Dalian wishes you the very best for the future. Thank you Sumi, for the good wishes! We will all be different after this fascinating experience and certainly more prepared to start on a new quest.

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