

Press Release

Recaro Aircraft Seating honored with Focus Open Special Mention Award for newest business class seat

The CL6720 seat earns Recaro Aircraft Seating its fifth Focus Open Award in the past decade

Schwaebisch Hall, Germany, July 8, 2021 – Recaro Aircraft Seating (Recaro) has been honored with a Focus Open Special Mention Award for its newest business class seat. The CL6720 business class seat was first introduced to the market in 2019 and will be flying on several airlines as of 2022.

The CL6720 maximizes comfort and space to optimize the experience for business passengers. The mini-suite feel is created through the smooth sliding doors, quality finish and ambient lighting. State-of-the-art ergonomic features include numerous comfort positions, a six-way adjustable headrest, premium foam technology and a 1.98-meter bed length. All mechanisms were developed and programmed in-house at Recaro ensure their operations can be run seamlessly and without jerking.

Sustainability was at the forefront of the design process for the business class seat, which resulted in the CL6720 being the lightest seat in its class by 10-20% and can help lower CO2 emissions. By finding innovative ways to lengthen the seat's life cycle with the use of high-quality and durable materials, the

CL6720 supports airlines in their pursuit of reducing the industry's carbon footprint.

“The Focus Open Award is a significant honor and we are happy to see the CL6720 generate some buzz,” said Dr. Mark Hiller, CEO and Shareholder at Recaro Aircraft Seating. “We will use the recognition as a motivator to continue building out our business class seat portfolio.”

Every year, hundreds of companies and design agencies from around the world submit their most innovative product and concept solutions. The Focus Open Award competition is held by the Baden Wuerttemberg International Design Academy. This is the sixth Focus Open Award won by Recaro since the competition's inception in 1991.

About Recaro Aircraft Seating

Recaro Aircraft Seating is a global supplier of premium aircraft seats for airlines and OEMs. The market leader in economy class seating is known for product innovation, award-winning customer service and “driving comfort in the sky.” As Recaro expands its global footprint, the family-owned company remains committed to reliability, efficiency, sustainable practices and supporting employee growth. Headquartered in Schwaebisch Hall, Germany, Recaro employs 2,100 people worldwide across its sites in China, Poland, South Africa and the United States, and earned €295 million in revenue in 2020. For more information, please visit [Home - RECARO Aircraft Seating \(recaro-as.com\)](https://www.recaro-as.com)

About Recaro Group

The Recaro Group comprises the independently operating divisions Recaro Aircraft Seating in Schwaebisch Hall and Recaro Gaming in Stuttgart as well as the Recaro Holding located in Stuttgart. The automotive seating business as well as the child seat and stroller business are operated by licensees. For more information, please visit www.recaro.com.

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