



You aren't having a déjà vu. And we're not telling you the same story as last year. We have simply been recognized once again by Focus – as the **Growth Champion of 2024.**

Year after year ... the business magazine Focus Business and Statista – Germany's leading online platform for statistics – analyze the 13,300 fastest-growing companies out of 2 million companies in 21 sectors. And the top 500 are honored with this award.

In fact, we were part of this group last year, too. But as we all know, once is not never enough. And that's why we're even more pleased to be among the **Growth Champions once again in 2024!**

In the **Germany-wide overall ranking**, we are in a solid **138th place**. In terms of specific sectors, things literally went like a well-oiled clock for us: **7th place in the „Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals“** category. We are once again proud of this award! Such a great confirmation of our work. A great end to the year. And, together with our sixth company anniversary, a great reason to celebrate.

We have repeatedly proven to ourselves and everyone else that growth is possible even in difficult and crisis-ridden times. Our figures speak for themselves: six years after the company was founded in 2017, we have generated an impressive 23 million euros in revenue with 14 employees and are proud to have 300 loyal and new customers worldwide. At this point, we would like to repeat ourselves and say thank you – to our customers, to our supply partners and to our outstanding HOC team.