



# New NTT Colleagues

## —We welcome our newcomers to the NTT Group

This is a corner of the NTT Technical Review where we introduce our new affiliate companies.

### **BIT.Group**

**SAP service provider; established in 2004; headquartered in Bautzen, Germany**

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Founded in 2004, BIT.Group GmbH stands out as a provider of innovative services for national and international customers. The multi-certified SAP\* partner has about 380 employees and offers extensive SAP services focusing on SAP application management, technology services, application lifecycle management, and cloud services.

In June 2016, BIT.Group GmbH and itelligence AG, a Germany-based SAP consultancy firm and a subsidiary of NTT DATA Corporation, reached an agreement for itelligence AG to acquire 100% of outstanding shares in BIT.Group GmbH.

With this acquisition, itelligence AG is cementing its position as one of the leading information technology service providers in Germany with a strong focus on cloud and SAP managed services. For further information about the acquisition, please visit: <http://itelligencegroup.com/us/crprtprsrlls/itelligence-acquires-application-management-and-cloud-specialist-bitgroup/>

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### **VietUnion**

**Payment service provider; established in 2008; headquartered in Vietnam**

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Since 2011, NTT DATA Corporation has been investing in VietUnion Online Services Corporation (VietUnion), a group company of Saigon Construction Corp (SCC). VietUnion has been expanding its payment business primarily through “Payoo.” Payoo enables users to make different sorts of bill payments for almost all the big chain retailers, nearly 4000 stores in total throughout Vietnam, such as convenience stores, ICT (information

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\* SAP is a registered trademark of SAP AG in Germany and in several other countries all over the world.

and communication technology) shops, shopping centers, and supermarkets. Payoo also has a mobile application for smartphones that enables customers to pay charges via Internet banking provided by over 20 local banks. VietUnion also provides various software solutions such as a mobile POS (point of sales) system, smart-card solutions for transportation, location-based solutions for billers, and platforms for tuition fee management and collection for 1700 schools in Ho Chi Minh City.

In June 2016, NTT DATA Corporation reached an agreement to purchase additional shares in VietUnion through its subsidiary NTT DATA Asia Pacific Pte. Ltd and to take on VietUnion as an NTT DATA Group company. Partnered with SCC, NTT DATA Corporation is committed to support VietUnion in strengthening its internal structure as well as establishing its position in the market in order to generalize non-cash payment in the country. For further information about the acquisition, please visit: <http://www.nttdata.com/global/en/news-center/others/2016/062300.html>

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