

**PRESS RELEASE** 

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Hoche Avocats advised the founders of Harmonie Technologie, expert in cyber strategic consulting and solutions integration, in the context of its integration into the Pr0ph3cy group

Founded in 2005 by David Sportes and Xavier de Korsak, Harmonie Technologie has 150 employees who assist major CAC40 and SBF120 companies and middle market leaders in their sectors in developing and implementing their cybersecurity strategy.

The PrOph3cy group, composed of consulting companies Silicom and OpenCyber as well as the online training platform Seela, is specialized in cybersecurity for over 40 years.

A real asset for PrOph3cy, Harmonie Technologie brings complementary expertise in order to offer a 360° service: strategic cyber consulting, solution and infrastructure integration, audit and penetration testing, security products, training and cyber training.

This strategic transaction for the PrOph3cy group affirms its ambition to become one of the leading cyber pure players in Europe.

The transaction has been supported by IK Partners, financial shareholder alongside Arthur Bataille since October 2021, and financed by an ad hoc financing by Eurazeo Private Debt.

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Harmonie Technologie's legal counsel: corporate – <u>Hoche Avocats</u> – Grine Lahreche (partner), Guillaume Martinet (partner), Audrey Szultz (associate) and Imane Sayah (associate); tax – <u>Arsene Taxand</u> – Franck Chaminade (partner) and Ludovic Genet (associate).

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