



From left to right: Edgar Lehmann (CFO of SPIE Switzerland) and Pierre Savoy (CEO of SPIE Switzerland) with Matthias Falland and Patrick Sommer, the two founders of Corporate Software

## Press release

# **SPIE signs an agreement for the acquisition of Corporate Software AG**

**Bern, December 5th, 2024** – *SPIE, the independent European leader in multi-technical services in the areas of energy and communications, announces the signature of an agreement to acquire 100% of Corporate Software AG. The IT consulting and service provider is specialized in Microsoft's Data Platform and Power Platform technologies, combined with Artificial Intelligence (AI) and data analytics.*

Since its founding in 2011, Corporate Software AG has built an excellent reputation and established itself as a trusted IT consulting and service provider in Switzerland. Its 21 highly

skilled employees have in-depth expertise in Microsoft technologies and an innovative approach to leveraging business transformation.

The acquisition will allow Corporate Software Ltd. to maintain its agile and innovative culture while benefiting from the support, resources, and stability of SPIE ICS AG.

Through this acquisition, SPIE Switzerland AG expands its AI and cloud services expertise, gains access to highly skilled professionals, and strengthens its offerings in automation, data analytics, and AI-driven solutions.

**Matthias Falland** and **Patrick Sommer**, Co-Founders of Corporate Software remain in place to develop the business:” *We are looking forward to our future together at SPIE. This is a natural step for us to take the potential of our solutions and services to the next level. Over the years, we have built strong expertise in Microsoft technologies, data platform, and automation, and SPIE ICS provides the perfect platform to expand this further. With SPIE, we will be able to work on even larger and more diverse projects, supporting our customers with innovative IT services and solutions for a rapidly changing digital landscape.*”

**Pierre Savoy**, CEO of SPIE Switzerland and Member of the Management Board SPIE Germany Switzerland Austria: *"We are delighted to welcome new colleagues to SPIE. Acquiring Corporate Software allows us to deepen our expertise in cloud transformation, Microsoft technology, and artificial intelligence, enhancing our ability to drive efficiency and innovation for clients. This move aligns with our mission to empower businesses through digital transformation, automation, and data intelligence."*

**Markus Holzke**, Managing Director of SPIE Germany Switzerland Austria: *"We are very pleased to be strengthening our digitalisation expertise for our customers in Switzerland and beyond! We look forward to a successful future together!"*

### **A Partnership with Clear Benefits**

The combination of SPIE ICS AG's robust infrastructure and Corporate Software AG's agile and specialized expertise in Microsoft technologies and AI creates a unique opportunity for both companies to accelerate their growth and innovation. Together, SPIE Switzerland and Corporate Software are well-positioned to lead the way in driving digital transformation, automation, and data intelligence in Switzerland and beyond.

SPIE expects to close the transaction in Q1 2025, subject to customary closing conditions.

## About SPIE Switzerland

As a subsidiary of SPIE Germany Switzerland Austria, SPIE Switzerland offers services in the areas of ICS (Information & Communication Services), MTS (Multi-Technical Services) and IFS (Integral Facility Services) with around 600 employees at 6 locations throughout Switzerland.

SPIE Germany Switzerland Austria is a subsidiary of the SPIE Group. With our broad expertise in the field of technical services, we are committed to achieving the energy transition and digital transformation alongside our customers.

The SPIE Group is the independent European market leader in multi-technical services in the areas of energy and communications. With more than 50,000 employees and a strong local presence, SPIE achieved consolidated revenue of €8.7 billion and consolidated EBITA of €584 million in 2023.

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