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exceet and eHealth Competence Center at Niederrhein University agree on Collaboration

- Joint research and development projects
- · Knowledge transfer between science and technology for a future-oriented healthcare system
- Promotion and support for bachelor and master theses

Rotkreuz, Düsseldorf, Krefeld, February 15, 2016 – exceet Secure Solutions AG, a member company of exceet Group, offers solutions for the business segments IT security and IoT (Internet of Things), with a special focus on healthcare. Effective immediately, exceet will be collaborating with the Competence Center eHealth (CCeH) of Niederrhein University to initiate and conduct research and development projects.

Joint Progress through Collaboration

One of the core competencies of exceet Secure Solutions is the implementation of secure eHealth solutions. The company has already realized a large number of projects in the healthcare field and in early 2015 successfully completed the development of the public key infrastructure required for the core telematics infrastructure in the run-up to the introduction of the new electronic health card (eGK) in Germany. Like the Competence Center eHealth at Niederrhein University, exceet has set itself the goal of intelligently connecting healthcare players via state-of-the-art information technology. This can be accomplished by deploying telemedicine solutions and patient-focused, user-friendly sensor technology and introducing standardized terminologies and inter-operable interfaces. By providing secure, patient-oriented solutions, the collaboration partners plan to work together to address demographic and healthcare policy issues.

Win-Win Situation for Healthcare Innovation Topics

The adoption of the "Act for Secure Digital Communication and Applications in Healthcare (eHealth Act)" is driving the digitalization of the healthcare market, with a special focus on secure, inter-sectoral exchanges of information. Here the challenge is to create synergies between IT and patients while taking full account of the wider medical environment. "As a provider of secure eHealth solutions, our stated objective is to connect healthcare players, digitize the relevant processes in industry and the healthcare supply system, and optimize processes that benefit patient rehabilitation", says Christian Schmitz, managing director of exceet Secure Solutions AG. Dr. med. Thorsten Hagemann, Medical Consultant at exceet Secure Solutions, adds: "This makes regular communication between business and science more important than ever. We look forward to taking hot healthcare topics forward in collaboration with the application-oriented Competence Center eHealth at Niederrhein University."

Niederrhein University provides an ideal basis for research and education by promoting interdisciplinary projects. "exceet offers our students the opportunity to gain concrete insights into the latest developments in digitized medicine and health telematics", says Dr. med. Sylvia Thun, Professor of Healthcare Information and Communications Technology at Niederrhein University. "exceet's knowhow

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in developing digital solutions for secure date exchanges with a special focus on the healthcare market makes the company a valuable collaboration partner for our research projects." In addition to exceet's participation in research and development projects, on-the-ground information exchanges will provide active support for bachelor and master theses.

About exceet Group

exceet is an international technology group specializing in intelligent electronics, complex and reliable electronics.

About exceet Secure Solutions

exceet Secure Solutions specializes in connectivity solutions and offers consulting, hardware, software and services in this field. We focus on M2M solutions and IT security, with special expertise in the fields of e-health and industry. Our portfolio is supplemented by HSMs, PKI solutions as well as products and services for qualified signatures and time stamps, including Trust Center operation.

About Niederrhein University

With a student body of over 14,500, more than 80 courses of study and 10 faculties, Niederrhein University, based at Krefeld and Mönchengladbach, looks back on a 150-year history. It is one of the largest and best-performing German universities of applied sciences. The institution's profile includes applied research and practically oriented studies as well as on-the-ground application of results.

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