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LzLabs forms Alliance with KPMG to smooth UK organizations' mainframe journey to the cloud

LzLabs partners with KPMG to advise senior business and IT leaders on legacy IT transformation

Zurich, 02 October 2019 - [LzLabs](#) today announced it has signed an Alliance Agreement with [KPMG UK](#), the professional services firm, to offer Advisory, Risk, Deal consultancy and other services to UK customers seeking to modernize legacy IT. The Alliance will enable KPMG and LzLabs to help businesses better understand, plan and deliver such projects, specifically positioning KPMG's advisory capabilities and LzLabs Software Defined Mainframe® (SDM) as an integral path to mainframe modernization.

As organizations seek to integrate legacy applications with modern enterprise computing practices based on Linux and in the cloud, global advisory firms have an opportunity to guide and advise senior IT leaders in the development of appropriate technology strategies leading to business and technology simplification, cost and risk reduction whilst accelerating their digital transformations.

KPMG will advise on target architecture and transformation program design, full business case justification, sourcing, service and cloud integration strategies, risk analysis and due diligence with a focus on client value and return on investment.

Mark Cresswell, CEO of LzLabs, said: "This Alliance has emerged in response to the increasing demand, we have both seen, from organizations looking to modernize their core systems."

Phil Crozier, Partner at KPMG UK, said: "The combination of LzLabs technology and KPMG's advisory proposition allows us to unlock clients from legacy mainframe applications and data and accelerate their approach to digital transformation."

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About LzLabs

LzLabs is a software company that develops innovative solutions for enterprise computing customers, including the LzLabs Software Defined Mainframe®. The company was founded in 2011 and is headquartered in Zurich, Switzerland.

About the LzLabs Software Defined Mainframe®

LzLabs Software Defined Mainframe® enables customers to run mainframe workloads on x86 or the cloud without recompilation or data reformatting. This approach significantly reduces the risks associated with mainframe migration, enables incremental modernization and integrates applications with DevOps, open-source and the Cloud.

About KPMG

KPMG LLP, a UK limited liability partnership, operates from 22 offices across the UK with approximately 16,300 partners and staff. The UK firm recorded a revenue of £2.338 billion in the year ended 30 September 2018. KPMG is a global network of professional firms providing Audit, Tax, and Advisory services. It operates in 154 countries and has 200,000 professionals working in member firms around the world. The independent member firms of the KPMG network are affiliated with KPMG International Cooperative ("KPMG International"), a Swiss entity. Each KPMG firm is a legally distinct and separate entity and describes itself as such.

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