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Nemetschek Group Partners with Stanford CIFE to Advance Innovation in AEC/O Industry

Munich/Washington D.C., October 2, 2025 – The Nemetschek Group, a leading global provider of software solutions for the AEC/O (Architecture, Engineering, Construction & Operations) and media industries, today announced astrategic partnership with the Center for Integrated Facility Engineering (CIFE) at Stanford University, a world-leading research hub transforming the architecture, engineering, and construction (AEC/O) sector through technology, collaboration, and innovation.

The partnership was formally highlighted at Bluebeam's Unbound conference

during Professor Georg Nemetschek's keynote, reinforcing its strategic significance and demonstrating how research insights are transformed into actionable, industry-changing solutions.

CIFE, led by Director of CIFE and Kumagai Professor at the School of Engineering at Stanford University, Martin Fischer, is globally recognized for pioneering research in integrated facility engineering, computational modeling, and technology-driven project delivery. By combining Nemetschek's expertise in intelligent software offerings – including ALLPLAN, Bluebeam, dTwin, Graphisoft, and Vectorworks – with CIFE's academic rigor, this partnership empowers students, faculty, and researchers to explore advanced building information modeling (BIM), computational design, and emerging technologies such as generative AI in the built environment.

Aligned with CIFE's **Elite Membership**, the collaboration provides unique benefits that amplify impact:

- Direct Engagement with Cutting-Edge Research: Nemetschek gains priority access to CIFE's research projects, pilot studies, and faculty expertise, connecting real-world practice to academic innovation.
- Exclusive Knowledge-Sharing: Participation in private forums, roundtables, and workshops allows Nemetschek to influence emerging research agendas while staying ahead of industry trends.
- Advanced Education and Talent Development: Joint initiatives shape curricula, labs, and mentorship programs, providing early access to top-tier talent and strengthening workforce readiness.
- **Technology Showcase and Validation:** Nemetschek solutions are applied in CIFE research contexts, validating real-world impact while generating case studies and demonstrable outcomes.

Professor Georg Nemetschek, founder of the Nemetschek Group, commented: "I am honored to announce Nemetschek's partnership with Stanford University's Center for Integrated Facility Engineering (CIFE). This collaboration is not only an academic milestone, but also a promise to advance AI research in the Built World, shaping the digital future of construction with the best minds, tools, and collaborative spirit."

Through this partnership, Nemetschek and Stanford University are actively advancing a global benchmark for university-industry collaboration – delivering measurable impact across research, technology adoption, and talent development, and driving the AECO sector toward a more intelligent, efficient, and digitally empowered future.

The Nemetschek Academic Program is a global platform connecting students and educators with world-class technologies, ensuring the next generation of AEC/O professionals are prepared for a digital-first future. The Nemetschek–CIFE partnership directly reinforces this mission, creating a shared space where academic excellence and industry innovation converge to accelerate technology adoption and educational transformation. The partnership strengthens the Nemetschek Global Academic Program (NGAP) by embedding cutting-edge research into student learning pathways, while simultaneously advancing the Nemetschek AI Hub's objectives of applying artificial intelligence to practical, high-impact use cases in the built environment. By aligning institutional missions, this collaboration amplifies value for both academia and industry, fostering knowledge, talent, and solutions that directly shape the future of AEC/O. For more information as well as collaboration opportunities, visit Global Academic Program.

About the Nemetschek Group

The Nemetschek Group is a globally leading software provider for the digital transformation in the AEC/O and media industries. Its intelligent software solutions cover the entire lifecycle of construction and infrastructure projects and allow creatives to optimize their workflows. Customers can plan, construct, and manage construction projects more efficiently and sustainably, and develop digital content such as visualizations, films, and computer games in a creative way. The software company drives new technologies such as artificial intelligence, digital twins, and open standards (OPEN BIM) in the AEC/O industries to increase productivity and sustainability and continuously expands its portfolio, including through acquisitions and investments in innovative start-ups. More than 7 million users are currently using the customer-focused solutions. Founded by Prof. Georg Nemetschek in 1963, the Nemetschek Group today employs more around 4,000 experts.

The company, which has been listed in the MDAX and TecDAX since 1999,

achieved a revenue of EUR 995.6 million and an EBITDA of EUR 301.0 million in 2024. Since the end of 2024, the Nemetschek Group is certified in accordance with ISO 27001, the internationally recognized standard for information security management systems (ISMS).

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