

HCL Technologies Selected as an Inaugural Member of Cisco Eos Partner Program

HCL Qualifies to Provide Enhanced Platform-Driven Social Entertainment Services to Media and Entertainment Companies Worldwide

Sunnyvale, Calif./Noida, India – January 06, 2010 – [HCL Technologies](#) Ltd. (HCL), a leading global IT services provider, today announced that [Cisco](#), the worldwide leader in networking, has named HCL an inaugural member of the Cisco Eos Partner Program, an ecosystem developed to help Media and Entertainment companies enhance entertainment experiences built on the Cisco Eos™ social entertainment platform.

[Cisco Eos](#) is a hosted “software as a service” platform that enables Media and Entertainment companies to more economically create, manage and monetize social entertainment experiences built around their portfolios of branded content. By leveraging the Cisco Eos platform, organizations can generate revenue and loyalty by engaging online audiences with interactive, social experiences while eliminating the need to invest in, develop and maintain a proprietary web platform internally.

Through this relationship, Cisco Eos customers can leverage HCL’s deep-rooted expertise in social media and end-to-end platform-driven technology solutions to help them design and deploy Eos-powered websites and optimize platform management and operations. HCL’s flexible global delivery model will enable organizations to achieve superior performance while significantly reducing costs.

“HCL has played a pioneering role in leveraging a platform-driven approach, and remains committed to providing innovative solutions to its media and entertainment clients,” said Karan Puri, senior vice president and global vertical head, retail, media and telecom, HCL. “We are pleased that our expertise and leadership in this arena has positioned us as a Cisco Eos partner. We are committed to creating transformational value for Cisco in this engagement and look forward to a long and mutually rewarding relationship.”

“Cisco Media Solutions Group is pleased that HCL has demonstrated its commitment to the Cisco Eos platform by building a strong portfolio of services practices and software expertise,” said Loretta Brown, vice president, Cisco Media Solutions Group Services and Support. “We are confident that HCL will bring value to our media & entertainment customers.”

HCL’s Media and Entertainment practice offers end-to-end, business-driven technology solutions to the publishing, gaming, music, ISV, business information services, broadcasting and new media sectors worldwide, through in-depth domain knowledge and expertise garnered from long-term customer relationships and strategic partnerships with many of the world’s leading Media and Entertainment companies.

About HCL Technologies

HCL Technologies is a leading global IT services company, working with clients in the areas that impact and redefine the core of their businesses. Since its inception into the global landscape after its IPO in 1999, HCL focuses on 'transformational outsourcing', underlined by innovation and value creation, and offers integrated portfolio of services including software-led IT solutions, remote infrastructure management, engineering and R&D services and BPO. HCL leverages its extensive global offshore infrastructure and network of offices in 26 countries to provide holistic, multi-service delivery in key industry verticals including Financial Services, Manufacturing, Consumer Services, Public Services and Healthcare. HCL takes pride in its philosophy of 'Employee First' which empowers our 54,443 transformers to create a real value for the customers. HCL Technologies, along with its subsidiaries, had consolidated revenues of US\$ 2.3 billion (Rs. 11,270 crores), as on 30th September 2009 (on LTM basis). For more information, please visit www.hcltech.com

About HCL Enterprise

HCL is a \$5 billion leading global Technology and IT Enterprise that comprises two companies listed in India - HCL Technologies & HCL Infosystems. Founded in 1976, HCL is one of India's original IT garage start-ups, a pioneer of modern computing, and a global transformational enterprise today. Its range of offerings spans Product Engineering, Custom & Package Applications, BPO, IT Infrastructure Services, IT Hardware, Systems Integration, and distribution of ICT products across a wide range of focused industry verticals. The HCL team comprises over 60,000 professionals of diverse nationalities, who operate from 26 countries including over 500 points of presence in India. HCL has global partnerships with several leading Fortune 1000 firms, including leading IT and Technology firms. For more information, please visit www.hcl.in

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