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### **Press Release**

# Continental and Method Park enter into a framework agreement

#### A strengthened partnership

Continental and Method Park conclude a new framework agreement. Both companies consider this agreement a strong commitment to their cooperation since it covers the entire Method Park portfolio and ensures faster and easier access to the consulting company's services and products for Continental.

Erlangen, May 20, 2020 – The automotive supplier Continental and the software and systems company Method Park reinforce their long-standing cooperation with a new framework agreement. For Continental, this agreement ensures easier access to the entire Method Park portfolio, and in particular, to consulting on Automotive SPICE®, support for the challenges of Application Life Cycle Management (ALM), and defining processes in the process management solution Stages.

#### Acceleration of the ordering process

For both companies, this contract means even more stability and price continuity. Method Park is particularly happy about the acceleration of the ordering process: "We are pleased that we now can support the various departments at Continental even faster and easier," emphasizes Michael Landwehr, authorized representative at Method Park.

The new contract is valid for three years with immediate effect, covering Continental and all affiliated companies.

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#### Worldwide support

Continental holds a company license of the process management tool Stages, a solution developed by Method Park. Worldwide, over 14,000 employees at Continental use this tool to define, model, and implement processes. Method Park will continue to support them at Continental's locations in Germany, Eastern Europe, India, and the US.

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#### **About Method Park**

Method Park specializes in complex product engineering in the environments of the automotive, medical, and aerospace industries. Method Park's portfolio includes consulting and engineering services, a comprehensive training program, and the process management tool "Stages". Method Park was founded in 2001. On a worldwide basis, the company has supported and coached its customers on process optimization, compliance to industry-specific standards, and legal regulations, as well as the management of projects, products, and guality assurance. Method Park offers a practice-based training program on all current topics around Software & Systems Engineering. With "Stages", Method Park offers a model-based process management tool, which supports its users on the definition, communication, and application of complex processes, particularly in the engineering environment – globally, beyond organizational borders and always in compliance with various industry-specific standards. With around 200 employees, the company group is located in Erlangen, Frankfurt on the Main, Hamburg, Munich, and Stuttgart as well as in Detroit, Miami, and Pittsburgh in the US, and generated an annual turnover of 21 million euros in 2019.

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