



## Minerva Czech Republic celebrates 25 years of success

Minerva Czech Republic, established business partner of Siemens PLM and exclusive supplier of QAD enterprise applications to the Czech market, has been helping manufacturing companies in the Czech Republic to operate more efficiently for 25 years.

During this time, this leading supplier of enterprise applications has worked with a wide range of manufacturing companies including Bioveta, Colorlak, Fuji Koyo Czech, IG Wateeuw, Hamé, KORADO, Madeta, Obaly Morava, Retigo, Tescan Orsay Holding, TOS Varnsdorf, Unex, United Bakeries and VOP CZ. One example of where Minerva Czech Republic has been helping manufacturers to improve the management of their business processes is the automotive sector. As the only member of the ODETTE Automobile Association based in the Czech Republic, Minerva has been providing automotive suppliers with training and auditing of the MMOG/LE global standard for 10 years. The company's wider achievements are reflected in its current ranking of 45 in the annual IDG list of TOP 100 ICT companies in the Czech Republic.

Petr Koptík, Sales Director and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Minerva Czech Republic, comments on the company's success. "We are delighted that Minerva has grown to become a stable, medium-sized enterprise with a proud track record of implementing QAD ERP in more than 200 companies over the past 25 years." He continues, "Last year we registered a slight increase in implementations including a number of interesting contracts in the Czech Republic as well as further afield as part of wider international projects with our business partners. These include highly respected multinational companies such as QAD and Siemens PLM Software where we also provide ongoing technical support for their system implementations. Whether large or small, we appreciate the opportunity to work with all of our customers and look forward to many years of ongoing success."

The importance of this partnership with customers was celebrated during the recent gala evening to mark the occasion of company's 25th anniversary. Held at the Brno Observatory in June, Mr Koptik presented awards to Colorlak, United Bakeries, Unex, IG Wateeuw ČR and EPCOS OHG, primarily for the excellence of their partnership.

Jean-Claude Walravens, Senior Vice President of QAD in the EMEA region, comments



on the role that Minerva has played, and not just in the Czech Republic. “Minerva is a key partner in the EMEA region and I am delighted to congratulate everyone in the company on the occasion of this significant anniversary.” He continues, “During our partnership, we have awarded Minerva a number of QAD prizes for fast implementation in addition to a number of ‘Distributor of the Year’ awards as part of our assessment of all distributors in the EMEA region. I would like to thank Minerva for its excellent partnership and I look forward to many further years of mutual cooperation and satisfied customers.”

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Minerva Czech Republic is the exclusive supplier of enterprise applications by QAD Inc. in the Czech Republic and Slovakia. For two decades, Minerva has been supplying solutions for improved production planning (APS) SIMATIC IT Preactor by Siemens PLM Software in Europe. Minerva helps manage manufacturing companies with greater efficiency, control and productivity. Minerva offers its customers a full range of services from software installation, consulting and system integration to cloud solutions. For more information see [www.minerva-is.eu](http://www.minerva-is.eu).