PayneGroup Achieves Microsoft Gold Application Development Competency

PayneGroup has now been part of the Microsoft Partner network for more than 20 years

SEATTLE, WA (JANUARY 26, 2017) - PayneGroup Inc., a software and professional services company that specializes in solving client problems with workflow processes and security software utilities, announced today that it has again attained a Microsoft Gold Application Development competency, demonstrating a "best-in-class" ability and commitment to meet Microsoft Corporation's customers' evolving needs in today's dynamic business environment and distinguishing itself within the top 1 percent of Microsoft's partner ecosystem.

"Once again, we are extremely pleased to have achieved a Gold Application Development Competency in the Microsoft Partner Network. Achieving this competency demonstrates our expertise and commitment to leveraging the latest technology to deliver solutions that drive proven benefits for our customers," said Donna Payne, CEO of PayneGroup. "Our strong association with Microsoft is as important to us now as it was when we first became part of the Microsoft partner program more than twenty years ago."

To earn a Microsoft gold competency, partners must successfully complete exams (resulting in Microsoft Certified Professionals) to prove their level of technology expertise, and then designate these certified professionals uniquely to one Microsoft competency, ensuring a certain level of capacity. They also must submit customer references that demonstrate successful projects (along with implementing a yearly customer satisfaction study), meet a revenue commitment (for most gold competencies), and pass technology and/or sales assessments. Earning the Application Development competency helps partners differentiate themselves as a trusted expert to their customers through development and deployment of commercial or custom applications built using core Microsoft technologies.

About PayneGroup

PayneGroup is a software and professional services company that specializes in solving client problems with workflow processes and security. They develop software tools, built on top of the Microsoft platform, that help people create and work with documents, collaborate and share files

securely, and offer professional services that are designed to transfer knowledge to our customers. PayneGroup simplifies the document creation process through templates, reusable phrases, integration with content and document management systems, and easy-to-use customized paragraph numbering. Their software is priced for the enterprise as well as for individuals where quality does not have to come at a high price.

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