## Avanade Netherlands signs Microsoft Partner Pledge for an inclusive and sustainable future

Avanade Netherlands has signed Microsoft Partner Pledge as one of the first Dutch partners as part of their commitment to make a genuine human impact on the world.



**UTRECHT; OCTOBER 12, 2021 –** Avanade, the leading digital innovator on the Microsoft ecosystem and 16-time Microsoft Partner of the Year, today announced to have signed the Microsoft Partner Pledge.

Microsoft and Avanade are passionate about the role of transformational technology and the benefits that come with it. But in addition, we are also aware of the impact that large-scale industries can have as consequences. With Partner Pledge, Microsoft contributes with partners on the themes of Digital Skills, Diversity & Inclusion, Responsible & Ethical AI, and Sustainability.

At Avanade we're committed to being responsible in everything we do, from our purpose – to make a genuine human impact – to forward-looking leadership and sustainability. Being a responsible business isn't new to Avanade. As a leading digital innovator, we've long understood the power of people and technology to change things for the better.

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## **About Avanade**

Avanade is the leading provider of innovative digital and cloud services, business solutions and design-led experiences on the Microsoft ecosystem. Our professionals bring bold, fresh thinking combined with technology, business and industry expertise to help make a human impact on our clients, their customers and their employees. We are the power behind the Accenture Microsoft Business Group, helping companies to engage customers, empower employees, optimize operations and transform products, leveraging the Microsoft platform. Avanade has 50,000 professionals in 25 countries, bringing clients our best thinking through a collaborative culture that honors diversity and reflects the communities in which we operate. Majority owned by Accenture, Avanade was founded in 2000 by Accenture LLP and Microsoft Corporation. Learn more at <a href="https://www.avanade.com/en">https://www.avanade.com/en</a>.

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