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Avanade appoints Bhavya Kapoor to lead Southeast Asia business

SINGAPORE, December 13, 2021 – <u>Avanade</u>, the leading digital innovator on the Microsoft ecosystem, today announced the appointment of Bhavya Kapoor as managing director to lead its Southeast Asia business. In this role, Bhavya is responsible for accelerating the growth of Avanade's business as well as expanding Avanade's capabilities and pool of talent in the region.

Based in Singapore, Bhavya reports directly to Rodrigo Caserta, Avanade's Growth Markets Area President. He will also be part of the company's Growth Markets Leadership Team.

Bhavya joins Avanade with close to two decades of diverse experience in business management, technology and consulting, and a strong track record of establishing and scaling businesses in high-growth markets that included Asia Pacific, Japan, Middle East and the Indian subcontinent.

"Bhavya brings an intimate knowledge of the region to Avanade, and we are delighted to have him onboard. As the digital economies in Southeast Asia continue to grow with more resilience for the future, I'm confident Bhavya's passion for people, technology and innovation will unleash significant growth opportunities for our clients, our communities, and our team," said Caserta.

Commenting on his appointment, Bhavya said, "Avanade is well-known for its unparalleled Microsoft expertise and its purpose of making a genuine human impact. I'm thrilled to be joining the business at a time when organizations are increasingly recognizing the imperative to be more inclusive, responsible and sustainable. I look forward to significantly growing our local capabilities, helping our clients embrace continual change, and making a positive impact through greater digital adoption."

Bhavya has a Master's in Business Administration (MBA) from SP Jain School of Global Management and a Bachelor of Engineering in Electronics and Communications.

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