

Hg August Highlights

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[Software at the all-you-can-eat buffet](#)

In the eight years since Marc Andreessen's seminal article "Why Software Is Eating the World", the industry has continued to evolve. In his latest report, David Toms, Director of Research at Hg concludes that, at the all-you-can-eat buffet of software opportunity, we are still on the first course. [Read more](#)



[Hosting is just the beginning](#)

For over a decade, Hg has invested in and supported businesses that provide technology services to SMEs across Europe.

In our latest insight, Nick Jordan, Partner at Hg, discusses an area within tech services where the firm has made a number of investments – SME cloud services. [Watch the film](#)

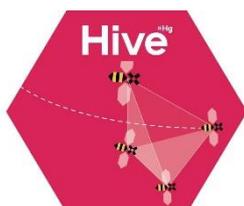
Hg News



Register Group joins team.blue

"In team.blue, Hg is supporting the creation of a true European champion in digital services for professionals. The entrepreneurs behind team.blue have created a highly innovative business, with exceptional customer feedback and the ability to scale rapidly across geographies."

Nick Jordan & Joris Van Gool, Hg. [Read more](#)



Hive grows by 1000 in 12 months

Hg's digital community, Hive, has gone from strength to strength this year. It connects senior executives across the Hg portfolio to discuss best practice and issues important to the success of your business. [Visit Hive](#)



IRIS enters agreement to acquire FMP

"Bringing FMP Global into the Group is transformative, expanding IRIS Software Group's footprint into the US and other international markets, while also further strengthening our position in the UK payroll and HR sectors." Kevin Dady, CEO of IRIS. [Read more](#)



Ben Meyer recognised in the Legal Tech Power Rankings

Congratulations to Ben and his team, who placed at number 2 for their work with Litera Microsystems and Workshare.

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Our Thinking



Hg Insight: A View from the top with Stephen Baxter

In the first of a new series of interviews with leaders from across Hg's portfolio, Elizabeth Wallace speaks to Stephen Baxter, ex-CEO of JLA and current Portfolio Partner at Hg. [Watch the film](#)



Allocate acquires Enterprise Study

UK-based Enterprise Study is a Software-as-a-Solution company offering Learning Management Systems and an online training marketplace. [Read more](#)



Elona Mortimer-Zhika to become CEO of IRIS

“Elona’s exceptional leadership qualities have been instrumental in her roles as CFO and COO. Her humility, extraordinary track record of success, and exceptional business acumen make her an outstanding leader and one I am proud to work with.”

Kevin Dady, current CEO.

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Patchwork and Allocate team up to deliver interoperability for NHS staffing

Patchwork’s specialist temporary staffing technology will now integrate with Allocate’s HealthMedics rostering solution, helping healthcare providers staff their wards more effectively whilst reducing agency spend. [Read more](#)



Litera acquires Doxly

“We are excited to have the backing of a company that shares our same core beliefs around providing an end-to-end solution to solve our customers problems.”

Doxly transforms the complex, chaotic process of managing legal transactions into a streamlined, efficient process.

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IT Relation announces acquisition of Miracle

The transaction significantly reinforces both companies’ competencies and customer offerings whilst strengthening the Group’s position in managed IT services to SMEs in Denmark. [Read more](#)