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## **Acando acquires consulting firm Bitec - specialized in mobile solutions.**

**With the acquisition of the Finnish company Bitec, Acando strengthens its position in mobile technology projects and mobile solutions in Finland and other Nordic countries.**

The purchase means that Acando will be able to offer its customers more diverse and more sophisticated solutions and services in the mobile area.

Bitec Oy develops B2B-applications and services for various mobile platforms and the Web. Bitec has a central area of expertise related to mobile solutions and how to integrate them into corporate business systems in a user-friendly way. Bitec has five consultants, all of which will come to Acando.

- The acquisition enables us to offer our mobile solutions to an ever wider customer base. Bitecs expertise and long experience in mobile solutions gives us the potential and strength to deliver the best mobile related solutions for business systems, says Acando Oy's Managing Director Ferhat Kaya.

- We strive to be a reliable partner for our customers and to provide them with effective solutions and services. By combining Acando's broad international experience with Bitecs excellence in mobile solutions, we will have the opportunity to broaden our offerings significantly, says Janne Raita Niemi, director of mobile business.

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