

Press Release

# smino announces collaboration with Solibri to deliver next generation BIM model management and quality control

Rapperswil, 19. March 2024 – Thanks to collaboration between smino and Solibri, customers can now benefit from integrated cloud-based collision checking to support the existing range of workflow operations offered by smino.

smino AG, provider of the leading software solution for planning and construction projects, has successfully developed the *first direct connection* of a CDE (Common Data Environment) to Solibri 's cloud services.

With this connection, smino offers its customers new model checking functionality. They can now check construction projects directly online and automatically and carry out general quality and collision checking whenever needed.

This innovative connection allows them to use Solibri 's advanced analysis and quality assurance tools seamlessly within smino, significantly streamlining the workflow and improving project quality.

These new functions are initially available exclusively to Swiss customers.

## Win-Win Partnership

Both companies are convinced that this collaboration will significantly increase efficiency and productivity in the construction industry and further advance the digital transformation of the sector.

**Christoph Degendorfer**, Managing Partner and Head of BIM Operations at smino, is delighted about this milestone: "We are proud to support our customers in getting started with these new functions and are convinced that future construction projects can be implemented with even better quality and, above all, more efficiently. The expansion of BIM functionalities in our solution is groundbreaking for the future of smino. We are delighted to be doing this with a strong partner like Solibri at our side."



**Russell Anderson,** Chief Marketing Officer at Solibri, sees great potential in this new partnership: "The very core of Solibri's brand and business is the belief that good BIM is paramount for project success. The notion of seamlessly delivering quality and workflow management is what we believe digital construction is all about. We look forward to seeing how our new collaboration with smino will benefit the customer now and into the future."

**Nando Schürch, CEO of IDC,** Solibri 's distribution partner in Switzerland, is convinced of the new partnership: " smino is a very interesting partner for us due to its deep roots and growing popularity in the Swiss market . This will enable us to further expand Solibri 's strong position in Switzerland. "

## Automated checks possible

The model checking function marks the first step in the integration of the bimspot solution , which was taken over by smino .

The visual check and version comparison of BIM models is already possible today using the smino viewer. Automatic model checks in the form of collision and quality checks are now being added.

The models are automatically searched for errors based on rules. For example, collisions between concrete walls and ventilation ducts can be found, or whether room boundaries have been modeled correctly. These errors can then be converted directly into tasks on smino and also exported to correct the models. This saves time and ultimately money for users.

## About smino AG:

smino was founded in 2016 by Sandor Balogh and Silvio Beer to provide the construction industry with a digital tool to address current and future challenges. Since 2022, Christoph Degendorfer has joined the founding team through the integration of bimspot.

Today, smino supports construction clients, architects, planners, and companies worldwide in successfully implementing their projects. With employees at 4 locations (Cologne, Rapperswil, Vienna, and Zurich), smino strives to enable over 11,000 companies to focus on what matters most: building. <u>www.smino.com</u>



## About Solibri

Solibri is the leader in BIM Quality Assurance and Quality Control. Providing out of the box tools for BIM validation, compliance control, design process coordination, design review, analysis and code checking. Solibri's corporate message is to develop and market quality assurance solutions that improve the quality of BIM-based design and make the entire design and construction process more productive and cost effective. Solibri's customers include major building owners, construction companies, architects and engineering firms in more than 70 countries. Solibri is part of the Nemestchek Group.

## About the Nemetschek Group

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