

## North Sixty-One nominates for a seat in the JCP<sup>SM</sup> Executive Committee

North Sixty-One Ltd is a leading Specification and Maintenance Lead of Java™ ME optional package APIs and supplier of the related TCKs. We are Specification Leads in fourteen Java ME JSRs. Our team members have a long background in participating in the Java Community Process since its creation and leading and contributing in many Java ME related JSRs.

North Sixty-One Ltd is a software company based in Finland. Java technology is our core competence and a significant part of our business. We want to be active in the Java Community Process and support the usage of Java technologies in particular in the mobile and embedded markets. Our desire is to help to bridge the gap between the current Java ME and Java SE/EE environments and allow all essential functions to be available across all Java editions.

In the JCP, we support open and transparent processes in the development of the specifications, with meritocracy based equal opportunities to participate by individuals, small corporations as well as big enterprises. The output of the JSRs must be usable on fair and reasonable terms, including allowing compliant open source based implementations of the specifications, and taking into account the business environment where the technologies are used.

On the technical topics, we want to progress a harmonized Java environment across the Micro Edition as well as Standard and Enterprise Editions. In Java ME, we see a need to modernize the environment to align with the latest core Java features in SE/EE. In EE, Java should maintain its competitiveness in enterprise computing as well as in modern cloud infrastructure.

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