UXC Connect achieves Advanced Data Centre Architecture Specialisation from Cisco in Australia

Sydney, Australia, 29th May 2012 UXC Connect, Australias largestlocally owned and operated IT infrastructure company has today announced thatit has achieved the Advanced Data Centre Architecture Specialisation fromCisco.This specialisation recognises UXC Connect as having fulfilled thetraining requirements and program prerequisites to sell, design and deploy comprehensive Cisco Data Centre solutions.

The specialisation provides role-based training in three essentialareas: Unified Fabric for optimising data and storageneeds; Unified Computing for streamlining data centre resources and unitingnetwork, computational, storage and virtualisation platforms; and UnifiedNetwork Services for advancing the way application delivery and securityservices are provided in the data centre network or computing environment.

According to Iggy Pintado, Director, Marketing and InnovationatUXC Connect,this achievementnot only recognises UXC Connects strength and legacy but it also allows it toadd additional value and support to its customers.

Its extremely rewarding to have achieved the Advanced DataCentre Architecture specialisation from Cisco, with whom UXC Connect has had aworking relationship for more than 14 years, said Pintado. This certificationcomplements UXC Connects existing relationships with industry leading vendorsin the data centre space. We have a unique understanding of how thesetechnologies interconnect and this adds value to our customers because itallows us to maximise the efficiencies and capabilities of our solutions.

Additionally this Cisco certification enables UXC Connect to helptransition our customers to the private cloud, which is the next step for thedata centre.

As a Cisco Advanced Data Center ArchitectureSpecialized Partner, UXC Connect has made a significant investment in the training required to help customers accelerate theirbusiness growth, reduce the total cost of ownership, and extend the life of itscurrent infrastructure by making its data center more efficient, agile andresilient, said Ralph Nimergood, vice president of data center architecturefor the worldwide partner department at Cisco.

The Cisco ResaleChannel Program provides partners with thetraining required to build sales, design and technical talent and thenvalidates their skills through a third-party audit.

UXC Connect has a strong background in providing data centresolutions to Australias leading businesses across government, health andeducation sectors.

UXC Connect is a Cisco Gold certified partner.

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About UXC Connect

UXC Connect is a leading Australian ICT infrastructuresolutions and services company. With innovation as its guiding principle, UXCConnect thinks nationally and acts locally. Its flat, state-based structureallows UXC Connect to be flexible and relevant to its customers, usingtechnology to deliver solid business outcomes. Offering broad and deepcapabilities across market-leading products and services, UXC Connectssolution offerings are underpinned by a flexible and agile approach to design,delivery and support.

UXC Connect, part of UXC Limited, employs more than650 staff across the country, has more than 1500 customers and has a commandingpresence in the Australian technology market.

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