# WELCOME

# **Annual General Meeting 2023**

Wavestone | July 27, 2023



# SPEAKERS









PASCAL IMBERT

CEO

PATRICK HIRIGOYEN

COO

LAURENT STOUPY

Meeting Secretary

**OLIVIA GUEGUEN** 

CFO



#### Supporting large organizations in their most critical transformations

# Pure player in consulting ~€530m in 2022/23

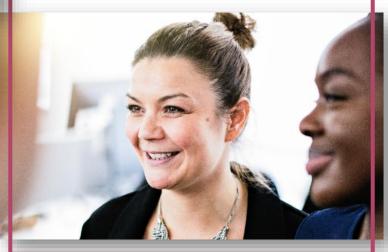




Business Technology Sustainability

# **Europe US, Asia**

~4,400 employees





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# ACTIVITY AND HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE 2022/23 FISCAL YEAR



#### 2022/23 annual revenue grows by +13%

Audited consolidated data at 03/31 (in €m)	2022/23	2021/22	Change	Change at constant scope <sup>1</sup> and on a constant forex basis
12-month total	532.3	470.1	+13%	+7%

<sup>1</sup> Excluding Everest Group consulting, consolidated since 05/01/2021; why innovation!, consolidated since 11/01/2021; NewVantage Partners, consolidated since 01/01/2022; Nomadéis, consolidated since 04/01/2022; PEN Partnership, consolidated since 08/01/2022; and Coeus Consulting, consolidated since 10/01/2022.

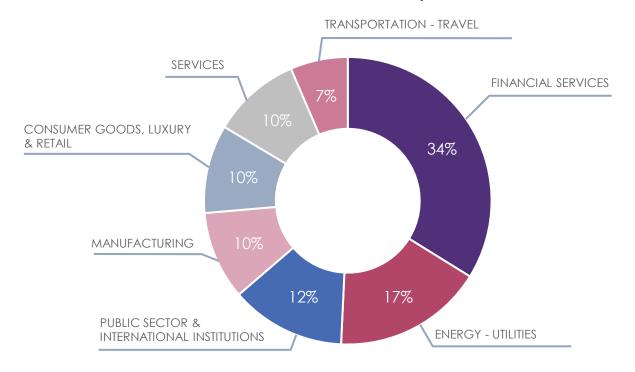
#### / €532.3m at the end of the 2022/23 fiscal year – up +13%, of which +7% was organic growth

- > €528.6m at constant exchange rates, in line with the annual target of €525m
- > three external growth acquisitions during the year: the sustainable-development consulting firm Nomadéis in France, and the firms PEN Partnership, and Coeus Consulting in the UK
- > working day impact of -0.3%

#### +4% increase in sales prices over the fiscal year; consultant utilization rate down at 73%



#### Distribution of revenue at March 31, 2023



2022/23 Revenue	
FRANCE	80%
INTERNATIONAL	20%

TOP-20 CLIENTS 2022/2	23
EDF	6%
SOCIETE GENERALE	6%
TOTALENERGIES	6%
CREDIT AGRICOLE	5%
SNCF	5%
AXA	4%
LA POSTE	4%
BNP PARIBAS	4%
ENGIE	3%
L'OREAL	2%
BPCE	2%
UGAP	2%
STELLANTIS	2%
ALLIANZ	1%
CHANEL	1%
GROUPAMA	1%
MINISTRY OF HEALTH	1%
MINISTRY OF THE ARMED FORCES	1%
SAINT GOBAIN	1%
MINISTRY OF THE ECONOMY	1%

#### Three new acquisitions during the fiscal year

- Nomadéis France
- - CSR consulting ~20 consultants
  - revenue of €1.9m in 2021/22
  - acquisition price in enterprise value: €2.8m
- PEN Partnership UK



- revenue of £19.6m for the year ended March 31, 2022
- acquisition price in enterprise value: £22.5m and an earn-out of up to £7.5m
- Coeus Consulting UK 🎇
  - IT strategy consulting ~45 permanent employees and 10 contractors
  - revenue of £9m over the 12-month period ended September 30, 2022
  - acquisition price in enterprise value: £17.5m and an earn-out of up to £3.5m

Nomadéis: the backbone of Wavestone's sustainability business

#### **New dimension for the UK:**

- size of the office has tripled
- a value proposition that covers a broader range of skills
- synergies quickly established between the three firms



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# CSR RESULTS FOR THE 2022/23 FISCAL YEAR



#### Continued progress on sustainability in 2022/23

- / Employee engagement
  - > Great Place To Work® certification for all offices, 1st in France
  - > staff turnover rate under control
- / Re-expression of the firm's values: "The Positive Way"
- / Implementation of a trajectory aligned with the SBTi's Net Zero Standard
  - > validation of short-term (2026) and long-term (2050) targets by SBTi
- Achievement of the objective of being in the 5% of most successful companies
  - > EthiFinance ESG Ratings (ex Gaïa Research): 80/100; Top 5% nationally
  - > Ecovadis: score of 78/100, "Platinum" level, Top 1%
- / .... but an area for improvement in the year ahead
  - > client satisfaction, measured by the NPS®, below our target



#### Most 2022/23 targets achieved

	Commitments Indicators		Indicators		2022/23 results
Improve clients' satisfaction and support		NPS®1		50	45 🗙
	them in sustainable performance	Number of projects carried out using the responsible consulting approach		300	119
	Promote <b>employee engagement</b> , well-being,	Employee engagement index		74	74
2	and quality-of-life at work	Staff turnover rate		15%	16%
3	Act for <b>diversity</b> , and create an inclusive working environment where everyone is free to	Proportion of women in management		34.5%	35%
be themselves and has the same opportunity to fulfill their potential		Number of employees with a disability		58	49
4	Be a good <b>corporate citizen</b> that behaves	Employees trained in applying the business ethics charter		95%	96%
ethically and responsibly	Workforce time spent on societal commitments		1.0%	1.3%	
	Minimize the impact of our activity on the <b>environment</b>	Reduction in carbon footprint, compared	Scopes 1 and 2 (total Wavestone footprint)	-17%	-51%2
5		with 2019/20	Scope 3 (footprint per employee)	-25%	-27%²

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The NPS ® or Net Promoter Score ® is a tool for measuring customer satisfaction, which can range from -100 to 100 (NPS ® is a registered trademark of Bain & Company, Inc., Satmetrix Systems, Inc., and Fred Reichheld ).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As part of the SBTi trajectory, emissions are now calculated and reported using the GHG Protocol methodology. The scope of the SBTi commitment includes all three scopes (market-based) and excludes optional emissions as defined by the GHG Protocol (hotel accommodation, remote employee working, external use of sites) and firms integrated in the 2022/23 fiscal year.

#### Development of our offer on sustainable development challenges

#### **Key points**

#### Nomadéis,

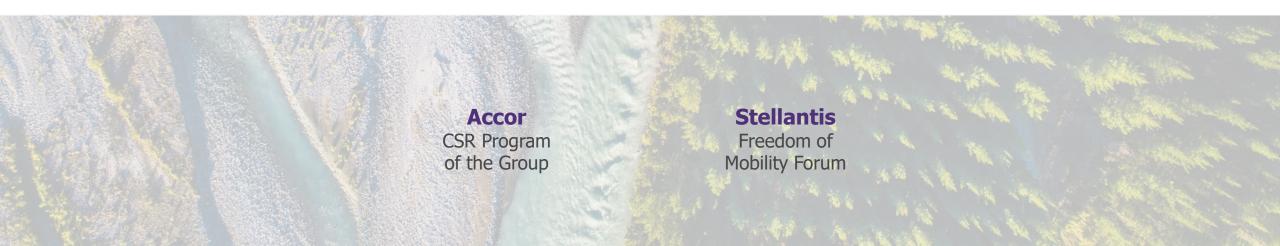
the backbone of Wavestone's sustainability business

#### 150+

consultants & experts in the Sustainability team

#### The Sustainability offer

- CSR strategy and governance: materiality analysis, CSR strategy & roadmap, ESG reporting, etc;
- Transformation of functions: green IT, responsible purchasing, etc;
- / Reducing carbon footprint





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# FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE 2022/23 FISCAL YEAR



#### EBIT margin of 14.5% in 2022/23

Audited consolidated data at 03/31 (in €m)	2022/23 (12 months)	2021/22 (12 months)	Change
Revenue	532.3	470.1	+13%
EBIT	77.0	74.8	+3%
EBIT margin	14.5%	15.9%	
Amortization of client relationships	(1.5)	(1.5)	
Other operating income and expenses	(2.9)	(0.5)	
Operating income	72.7	72.8	0%
Cost of net financial debt	(1.8)	(0.9)	
Other income and expenses	(2.3)	(0.0)	
Income tax expenses	(18.5)	(20.9)	
Group share of net income	50.1	51.0	-2%
Net margin	9.4%	10.9%	

#### Available cash and cash equivalents of €27.1m at March 31, 2023

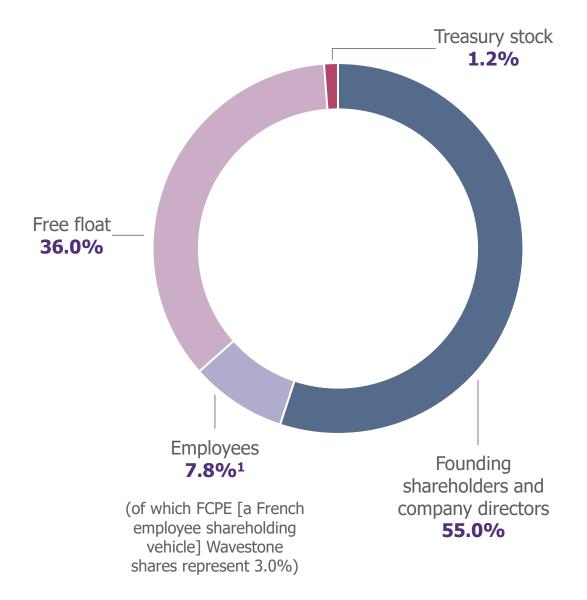
Audited consolidated data at 03/31 (in €m)	3/31/23	3/31/22
Non-current assets of which goodwill including rights to use leased assets	272.8 235.4 13.2	214.9 178.5 14.5
<b>Current assets</b> of which trade receivables	193.1 176.6	171.1 147.8
Cash and cash equivalents	70.8	108.3
TOTAL ASSETS	536.8	494.2

Audited consolidated data at 03/31 (in €m)	3/31/023	3/31/22
<b>Shareholders' equity</b> of which minority interests	299.1 0.0	257.0 0.0
<b>Financial liabilities</b> of which less than one year	43.7 5.7	47.9 8.1
Lease liabilities	15.9	18.1
Non-financial liabilities	178.2	171.3
TOTAL LIABILITIES	536.8	494.2

#### **Net cash and cash equivalents¹: €27.1m**

compared with €60.3m net cash and cash equivalents at March 31, 2022

#### Breakdown of share capital at March 31, 2023



Number of shares: **20,196,492** 

No potential dilution<sup>2</sup>

Dividend to be proposed at the Shareholders' Annual General Meeting of July 27, 2023: €0.38 per share



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> From March 31, 2023, Wavestone calculates this figure on the basis of article L225-102 of the French Commercial Code.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Prior to the announcement of the combination with Q\_PERIOR

#### Evolution of the share price since January 1, 2022



#### Data for 2023 YTD

Wavestone: +13% CAC Mid & Small: +1%

Wavestone €50.90\* -6%

CAC MID & SMALL\*\*



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# ZOOM ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE



#### Wavestone accelerates in the field of Artificial Intelligence



**Sales effort** 



**Training** 



**Partnerships** 



**Visibility** 

#### First successes with our clients



**Luxury sector** 

Wavestone supports major French companies in defining and deploying Generative AI use cases: for points of sale, client relations, and internal uses



**New collaborative tools** 

In line with major workplace transformation programs, Wavestone is preparing its clients for the arrival of new tools, such as Microsoft 365 Copilot



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# COMBINATION PROJECT BETWEEN WAVESTONE & Q\_PERIOR



#### Create a European global consulting champion

# Two successful consulting firms, already partners for several years

- Partnership since 2019 (non-equity)
- Success of business collaboration: development of joint business opportunities by leveraging geographical and industry complementarities
- Success of human collaboration: shared values and a genuine proximity between the teams



#### Now, a new joint project to respond to the transformation challenges of the world's largest companies

- Build a strike force in the consulting market
- Offer a much broader geographic footprint to global clients
- Combine even more closely strengths and complementarities, with key expertise and transversal capabilities
- All united around a common set of values:
   The Positive Way (client satisfaction, employee development, responsibility & ethics, and team spirit)

#### **Joint client stories**







#### A clear roadmap to growth and sustained profitability

## **Growth** model

#### Average annual growth of around +15%.

through a combination of organic growth and acquisitions

#### International expansion

on two priority geographic zones: UK & USA, and consolidating positions in Asia

#### Ambitious platform

for new talent and future integration of new consulting firms

# Financial targets

2025<sup>1</sup>

Around At least **€1 bn**Revenue EBIT

Longer term

Sustain a
15% pace
of growth<sup>2</sup>

Around
15% EBIT
margin

# HR & CSR performance

#### Benchmark employer,

recognized Great Place to Work® in each of its major countries

At the forefront of social, societal and environmental responsibility issues:

in the top 5% of companies in terms of CSR performance

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#### Financial terms of the transaction

Acquisition by Wavestone of 100% of Q\_PERIOR's share capital

Transaction based on an enterprise value of €330.0 million¹

• Base price: Equity value of €321.9 million (ajusted<sup>2</sup> net debt: €8.1 million)

In addition, earn-out of up to €35.0 million, conditioned by Q\_PERIOR's EBIT at March 31, 2024

#### Financing:

- 79.0% of the base price financed by the issuance of new Wavestone shares (reference price: €54), representing 23.3% of the current share capital<sup>3</sup>
- Remaining of the base price (€67.6 million), plus the earn-out of up to €35.0 million (if any), financed in cash on Wavestone's available funds

#### Transaction expected to be EPS accretive from fiscal year 2024/25

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding any potential earn-out.

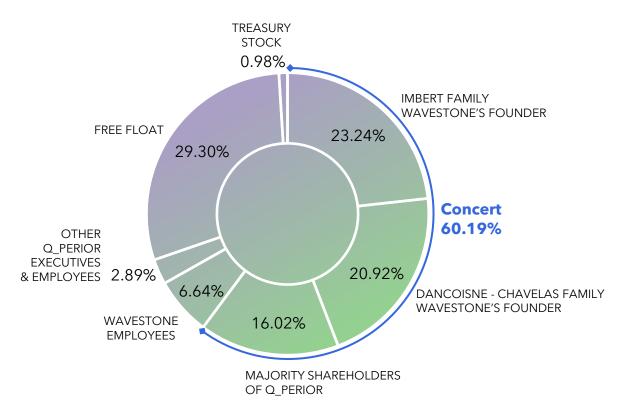
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Including financial net debt, debt-like items, and approximately €8 million corresponding to the value of some minority stakes owned by managers involved in the development of some Q PERIOR's subsidiaries.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Consisting of 20,196,492 shares as of June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

# Ownership and voting rights after transaction

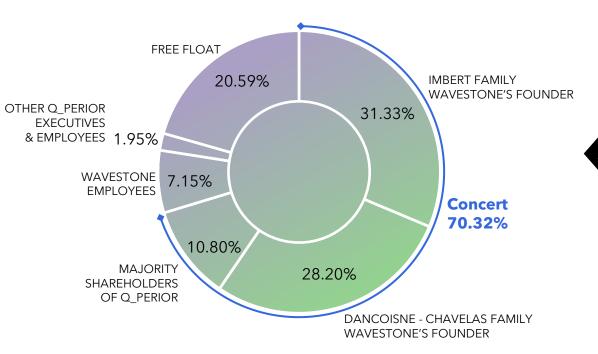
#### **Breakdown of share capital**

(24,906,332 shares)



#### **Breakdown of voting rights**

(36,960,842 voting rights<sup>1</sup>)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Exercisable voting rights.

## Governance & leadership teams after the combination

## Q\_PERIOR's key executives would join Wavestone's management team: broader and more international Executive Committee



New Executive Commitee members from Q\_PERIOR

#### The Board of Directors would be composed of:

- 6 Directors representing the controlling shareholders (4 representatives of Wavestone and 2 representatives of Q\_PERIOR)
- 6 independent Directors (1 newly appointed, proposed by Q\_PERIOR)
- 3 employee representatives
- Appointment of the 3 new members will be submitted to the shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting called to ratify the transaction

- 50%
  Independent
  Directors (excl.
  employee rep.)
- **42%**Women
  Directors



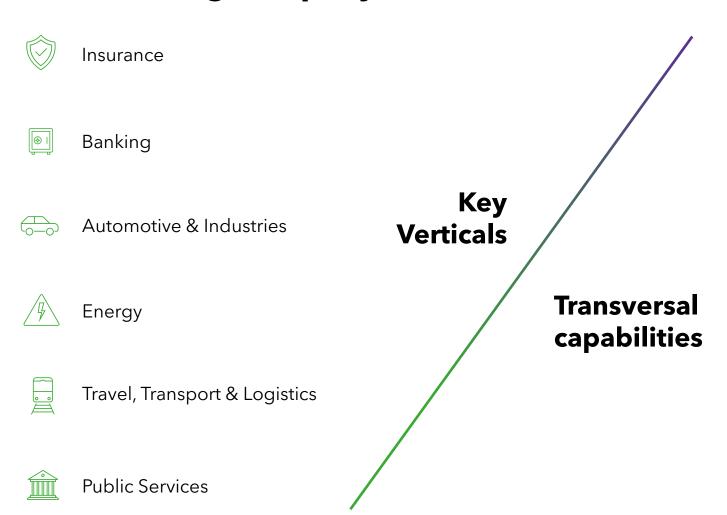
### **Q\_PERIOR - A leading business and IT consulting company**







# Q\_PERIOR - A leading business and IT consulting company



Agile Transformation & Project Management

Business Intelligence & Data Analytics

Customer Management & Omnichannel

Cybersecurity

Financial & Management Accounting

IT Strategy, Sourcing & Service Management

Platforms & Software Development

Risk Management, Compliance & Regulation

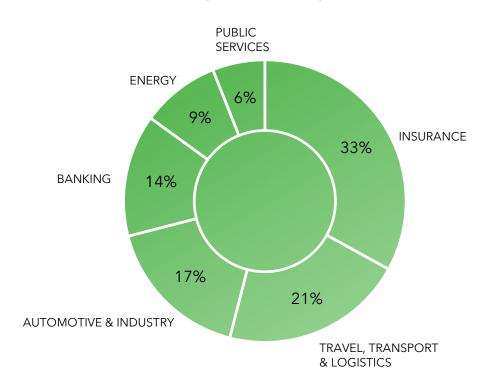
SAP Consulting & Implementation

Test & Change Management

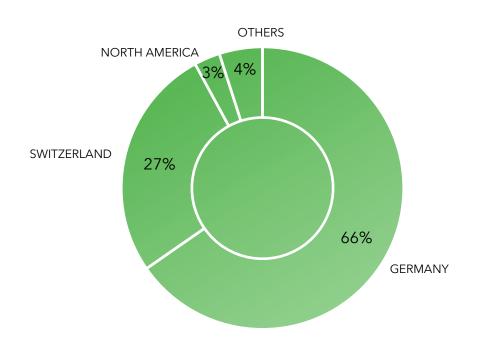
# CREATE A EUROPEAN GLOBAL CONSULTING CHAMPION

# **Q\_PERIOR** - Distribution of revenue at December 31, 2022

#### By industry



#### By geography





BMW
DEUTSCHE BAHN
DZ BANK
ENBW
ERGO

KANTON LUZERN

MAN

MUNICH RE

STADTWERKE MUNSTER

SWISS RE

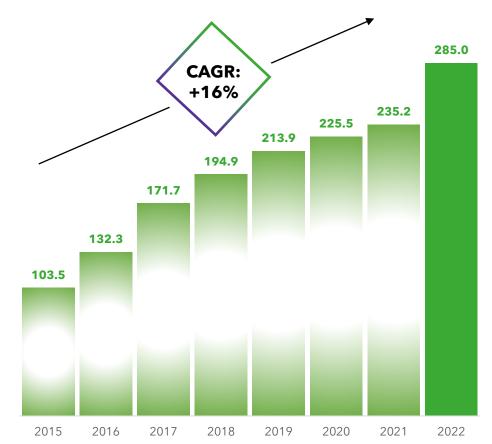
TWO EUROPEAN MAJOR PLAYERS



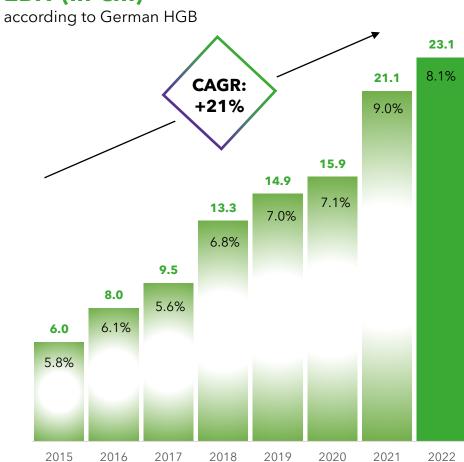
# **Q\_PERIOR** - Track record of sustained growth and profitability

#### Revenue (in €m)

according to German HGB



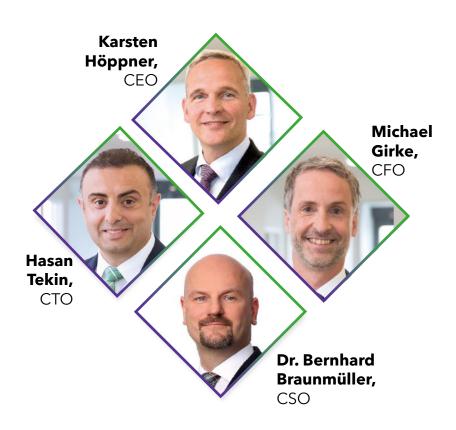
#### EBIT (in €m)





# **Q\_PERIOR - Governance & shareholding**

#### **Executive Board**



#### **Supervisory Board**



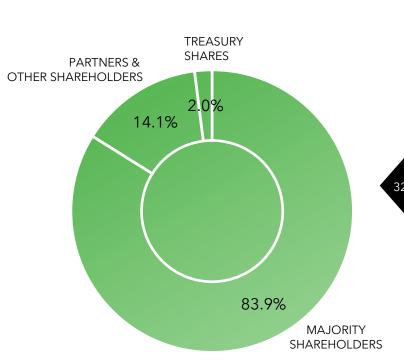
**Stephan Marchner**Chairman of the
Supervisory Board



Dr. Karsten Schween

Markus Enggist

**Current ownership** 





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# RECENT NEWS & OUTLOOK



#### Buoyant start to the 2023/24 fiscal year: Q1 revenue up +17%

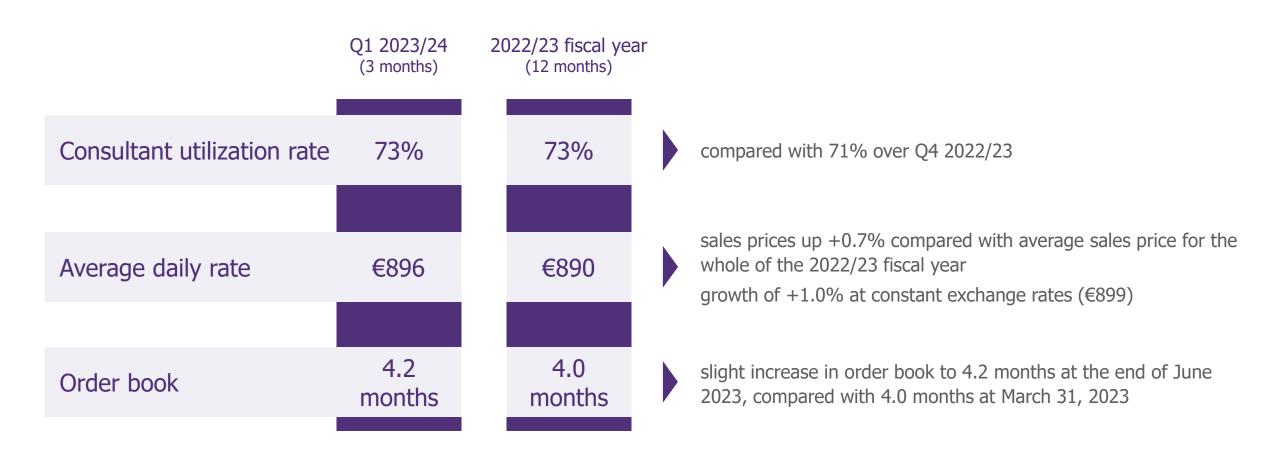
Revenue  In €m - unaudited consolidated data	2023/24	2022/23	Change at constant scope <sup>1</sup> and on a constant forex basis	Change
Q1	143.3	122.0	+11%	+17%

<sup>(1)</sup> Excluding PEN Partnership, consolidated since August 1, 2022; and Coeus Consulting, consolidated since October 1, 2022

#### / Q1 2023/24 consolidated revenue of €143.3m

- $\rightarrow$  a solid increase of +17%
- / Organic growth of +11%
  - > despite a very unfavorable working day impact over the quarter (-2.9%)
  - > slightly ahead of the firm's business plan and supported by the increase in the firm's headcount at the end of the 2022/23 fiscal year

#### Recovery in the consultant utilization rate in Q1 at 73%; sales prices up by +1%



# Staff turnover rate returns to its normative level and slowdown in recruitment activity

- / 4,348 employees at June 30, 2023
  - > compared with 4,406 at March 31, 2023 the end of the 2022/23 fiscal year
  - > downturn typical of this time of year

- / Slowdown in recruitment activity over the year
  - > due to a more uncertain business environment and lower staff turnover rate

- / Staff turnover rate of 15% at June 30, 2023 (on a rolling 12-month basis)
  - > compared with 16% at March 31, 2023

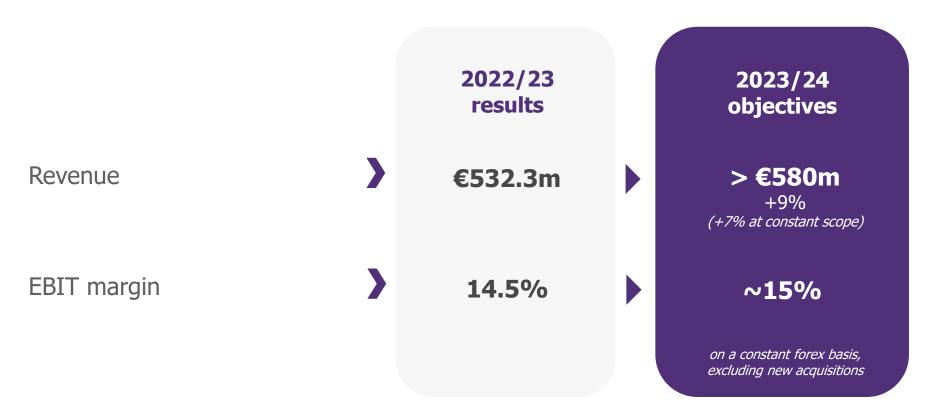


## Start to the fiscal year that exceeded expectations; prudent approach maintained for the rest of the year

- / Q1 2023/24 slightly ahead of business plan, despite working day impact
  - > recovery in the consultant utilization rate after a significant drop in the previous quarter
  - > prices remained solid
- / More marked volatility and a wait-and-see approach from decision makers
  - > maintenance of intense business development activity
  - > confirmation of a more cautious recruitment plan
- / Continued pursuit of the external growth policy
  - > priority to targeted acquisitions in the UK and US, without ruling out tactical purchases in other geographies



## 2023/24 objectives



Reminder: profitability for H1 2023/24 will be penalized by an unfavorable working day impact (-2.4%)





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# BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT (OTHER INFORMATION)



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### Introduction of Mrs Florence Didier-Noaro



#### Florence DIDIER-NOARO

A graduate of Neoma and Sciences Po Paris (EM), Florence Didier-Noaro began her career in financial auditing with Deloitte in 1989. In 2001, she became a partner at Deloitte France, in charge of French and international accounting standards, and then of public offering and accounting standards adoption projects (IFRS, US). In 2007, still with Deloitte, she became partner in charge of transformation projects for the finance function. In 2013, she joined the sustainable development audit and consulting business, which she headed from 2014 and in this capacity joined the Management Committee of the Enterprise Risk Services business in France. In 2017, she left Deloitte to pursue her sustainable strategy consulting activities, which she still pursues today (Innwise).

At the same time, Florence puts her skills in accounting and auditing, and in strategy and sustainable performance, to work for companies as a Board member.



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## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT



## Management and control of the company

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### Corporate officers compensation

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## STATUTORY AUDITORS' REPORTS



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## QUESTIONS & ANSWERS





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## VOTE ON THE RESOLUTIONS



> Test of electronic voting boxes

This resolution confirms that the cocktail reception will be held at the close of the Annual General Meeting.







#### RESOLUTION 1 | ORDINARY PART

> Approval of the annual reports and financial statements for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the Company's individual financial statements at March 31, 2023 showing net income of €32,387,440.







#### **RESOLUTION 2 | ORDINARY PART**

> Approval of the consolidated annual reports and financial statements for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the Company's consolidated financial statements at March 31, 2023.







#### **RESOLUTION 3 | ORDINARY PART**

> Appropriation of earnings for the fiscal year ended March 31, 20223, setting the dividend and the dividend payment date



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the distribution of a dividend of €0.38 per share. The dividend will be paid on 08/04/2023.

• Net profit for the fiscal year €32,387,440

• Dividends €7,581,611

• Dividend per share €0.38

• Payment of the dividend fron 08/04/23







> Approval of related-party agreements



The purpose of this resolution is to approve a related party agreement authorized during the year 2022/23.

The period of suspension of Patrick Hirigoyen's employment contract during his term of office as Chief Operating Officer of Wavestone is taken into account in calculating the seniority acquired by him under his employment contract.







#### **RESOLUTION 5 | ORDINARY PART**

> Compensation of corporate officers / Vote Ex Post: Approval of the information mentioned in I of Article L. 22-10-9 of the French Commercial code for the year ending March, 31, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the information relating to the compensation paid or allocated to each corporate officer in respect of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023.

Refer to the corporate governance report







#### **RESOLUTION 6 | ORDINARY PART**

> Compensation of corporate officers / Vote Ex Post: Approval of the components of compensation and all benefits of any kind paid to Mr Pascal Imbert in his role as Chairman of the Management Board until July 28, 2022 and his role as Chief Executive Officer from that date



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the fixed and variable components of compensation and all benefits of any kind paid during the year ended March 31, 2023 or allocated in respect of the same year to Mr Pascal Imbert in his role as Chairman of the Management Board until July 28, 2022 and his role as Chief Executive Officer from that date.

• Refer to the corporate governance report



#### **RESOLUTION 7 | ORDINARY PART**

> Compensation of corporate officers / Vote Ex Post: Approval of the components of compensation and all benefits of any kind paid to Mr Patrick Hirigoyen in his role as member of the Management Board – General Director until July 28, 2022 and his role as Chief Operating Officer from that date



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the fixed and variable components of compensation and all benefits of any kind paid during the year ended March 31, 2023 or allocated in respect of the same year to Mr Patrick Hirigoyen in his role as member of the Management Board – General Director until July 28, 2022 and his role as Chief Operating Officer from that date.

• Refer to the corporate governance report







#### **RESOLUTION 8 | ORDINARY PART**

> Compensation of corporate officers / Vote Ex Post: Approval of the components of compensation and all benefits of any kind paid to Mr Michel Dancoisne in his role as Chairman of the Supervisory Board until July 28, 2022



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the fixed and variable components of total compensation and other benefits paid or awarded to Mr. Michel Dancoisne, in his role as Chairman of the Supervisory Board until July 28, 2022, in respect of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2023.

Refer to the corporate governance report







> Appointment of Mrs Florence Didier-Noaro as Director



The purpose of this resolution is to appoint Mrs Florence Didier-Noaro as Director.



Term of office: 4 years, i.e. until the close of the Ordinary General Meeting called to approve the financial statements for the year ending March 31, 2027







> Reappointment of Mr. Rafael Vivier as Director



The purpose of this resolution is to reappoint Mr Rafael Vivier as Director.



Term of office: 4 years, until the close of the Annual Shareholders' Meeting called to approve the financial statements for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027.







> Reappointment of Mr. Christophe Aulnette as Director



The purpose of this resolution is to reappoint Mr Christophe Aulnette as Director.



Term of office: 4 years, until the close of the Annual Shareholders' Meeting called to approve the financial statements for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027.







#### RESOLUTION 12 | ORDINARY PART

> Determination of the fixed annual sum allocated to Directors in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to determine the overall annual amounts allocated to Directors from the year starting April 1, 2023.

- Amounts allocated to Directors from the year starting April 1, 2023: €294,000
- In its previous decision, the General Meeting had set the overall annual amount at €271,000







#### RESOLUTION 13 | ORDINARY PART

> Approval of the compensation policy for Directors in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to approve of the components of the compensation policy for Directors in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023.







#### RESOLUTION 14 | ORDINARY PART

> Compensation of corporate officers / Vote Ex Ante: Approval of the compensation policy for Mr Pascal Imbert in his role as Chairman - Chief Executive Officer in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the components of the compensation policy for Mr Pascal Imbert in his role as Chairman - Chief Executive Officer in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023.

Refer to the corporate governance report







#### **RESOLUTION 15 | ORDINARY PART**

> Compensation of corporate officers / Vote Ex Ante: Approval of the compensation policy for Mr Patrick Hirigoyen in his role as Chief Operating Officer in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023



The purpose of this resolution is to approve the compensation policy for Mr Patrick Hirigoyen in his role as Chief Operating Officer in respect of the fiscal year starting on April 1, 2023.

Refer to the corporate governance report







#### RESOLUTION 16 | ORDINARY PART

> Authorization delegating power to the Board of Directors to trade in the Company's shares



The purpose of the resolution is to authorize your Board of Directors to have the Company purchase its own shares.

#### **Objectives**

- Cancellation by way of a capital reduction
- To honour obligations related to the issue of shares giving access to the capital
- Employee shareholding
- Liquidity contract
- Any other objective permitted by law or current regulations

#### <u>Features</u>

- Limited to 10% of the share capital
- Maximum purchase price per share:
  - €126 for a liquidity contract
  - €94 in other cases
- Abstinence during a period of public offering except where an intervention is required to meeting a commitment for the delivery of shares, for example, to cover employee share allocation plans
- Duration of 18 months







#### RESOLUTION 17 | EXTRAORDINARY PART

> Delegation to the Board of Directors to make the necessary amendments to the Articles of Association



The purpose of the resolution is to delegate the power to amend the Company's Articles of Association to comply with laws and regulations to the Board of Directors, subject to ratification of such amendments by the next Extraordinary General Meeting.







### > Powers to carry out formalities



The purpose of the resolution is to grant the powers to carry out the formalities required following the General Meeting.









Join us on October 30, 2023

(after stock market closing), for the publication of the H1 2023/24 revenue

