

**A new frontier, Annalise.ai:  
Artificial intelligence and medical imaging to enhance health outcomes for patients**

**9 December 2019** I-MED Radiology Network, Australia's leading diagnostic imaging provider and Harrison.ai, a healthcare artificial intelligence (AI) company are delighted to announce the formation of a new joint venture, Annalise.ai. Annalise.ai will pave the way for AI technology to improve the delivery of imaging services to patients and health practitioners.

This exciting partnership will see radiologists and AI engineers develop world-leading prediction engines for key imaging modalities (such as X-ray, mammography and CT) to assist radiologists to efficiently and accurately diagnose diseases and injuries.

Chief Medical Officer of I-MED Radiology Network, Dr Ron Shnier, said "As one of the largest medical imaging providers in the world, I-MED Radiology Network is committed to staying at the forefront of technological developments in medical imaging. Annalise.ai's deep neural networks will be trained with millions of labelled anonymised imaging data, the most significant anonymised data-set in a medical imaging AI project to date. The tools will be developed by radiologists for radiologists with broad use-cases and seamless integration into the radiologists' workflow. The improvement in efficiency, accuracy and safety will result in improved patient outcomes."

"We are delighted to be working with Harrison.ai. Their clinician-led approach and track record of developing AI that improves patient outcomes makes them the ideal partner for I-MED Radiology Network." Dr Shnier said.

Chief Executive Officer of Harrison.ai, Dr Aengus Tran, said, "Addressing the challenge of delivering high quality health services to growing populations requires new technologies to improve efficiency and quality. Working with I-MED Radiology Network will enable Harrison.ai to leverage an exceptional team of radiologists and one of the largest and most diverse medical imaging datasets globally. I-MED Radiology Network is the ideal partner for Harrison.ai to create world-leading AI tools for radiology."

Chief Executive Officer of Annalise.ai, Dimitry Tran, said "With the support of its shareholders, Annalise.ai is uniquely placed to develop AI products to improve the delivery of medical imaging services, not just here in Australia but globally."

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### **About I-MED Radiology Network**

I-MED Radiology Network is Australia's largest diagnostic imaging network, offering medical imaging and radiology services including x-ray, PET, CT, MRI, Nuclear Medicine, Ultrasound, Mammography and interventional procedures.

Our 240 clinics are located in metropolitan as well as many regional communities across Australia. I-MED Radiology Network's team of over 4,000 people includes 315 radiologists; some of the most respected and experienced medical imaging specialists in the country. Each year across the network we perform almost five million patient procedures.

At I-MED Radiology Network there is a strong belief that we can be the most respected and trusted medical imaging specialists in the world. That's our vision, underpinned by our purpose - to help save lives and reduce uncertainty. We strive to be the provider of choice, consistently delivering high quality healthcare to every patient, every time.

I-MED is owned by Permira, a global investment firm that backs successful businesses with growth ambition. The firm has an established track record of partnering with market leading healthcare and medical technology businesses, having deployed circa \$1.5 billion (€1 billion) of equity in the sector to date.

For more information visit: [www.i-med.com.au](http://www.i-med.com.au).

### **About Harrison.ai**

Harrison.ai is a clinician-led healthcare artificial intelligence (AI) company developing and deploying AI-as-medical-device solutions to address persistent healthcare challenges.

Our fast-growing team of experience clinicians, AI scientists, software engineers, medical device engineers, legal and regulatory experts share the belief that access to good healthcare is a fundamental human right. Our mission is to carefully develop clinical-grade AI software and make high quality healthcare available and affordable to every patient, especially those in remote and low-resource settings within Australia and globally.

Harrison.ai's first success is in the field of fertility. Together with our partner, Virtus Health Limited (Australia's and world's largest IVF provider), Harrison.ai successfully developed, validated and deployed an AI technology ('Ivy') capable of predicting the likelihood of pregnancy from analysing embryo videos. Research on Ivy has been presented and published in top international conferences and medical journals. The technology is currently being deployed across Virtus clinics in Australia to help improve pregnancy outcomes for couples undergoing IVF treatment.

Building on this success, we are growing our research and development activities into new healthcare domains where AI can improve patient outcomes globally.

For more information visit: [www.harrison.ai](http://www.harrison.ai).

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