

## Press release - Callataÿ & Wouters

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### Mizuho Trust & Banking Luxembourg running with THALER

Since a few months Mizuho Trust & Banking Luxembourg, subsidiary of the Japanese giant Mizuho, uses THALER – Callataÿ & Wouters' back-office software. The last implementation phase was completed in December 2005 with the go-live of the security agency activity.

This implementation was the outcome of a large-scale project that started in April 2004 with a team of Callataÿ & Wouters consultants, in collaboration with people at Mizuho, and was carried out within the deadline specified by the bank.

Mizuho Trust & Banking Luxembourg, whose clients mainly consist of financial institutions, was looking for an integrated system that was able to cope with its core businesses. For this purpose, Callataÿ & Wouters developed and successfully implemented several new modules covering the custodian and security agent activities.

*"Throughout the project, Callataÿ & Wouters consultants showed their capacities to understand our needs and to be flexible as much as possible. This resulted in the smooth migration into Thaler and smooth operations since the start of Thaler at Mizuho Trust & Banking Luxembourg in August", says Mr Naomi Harada, Managing Director & CEO. He also adds that "the Mizuho group in Japan was impressed by the way this migration was managed".*

This new project confirms that THALER constitutes a high-level solution for all securities activities, offering a wealth of functions and highly automated operations.

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### About Callataÿ & Wouters

As the leading Belgian specialist in banking and financial software, Callataÿ & Wouters offers two complementary lines of services: the publication of specialised banking software and carrying out installation and development projects. The C&W catalogue contains the THALER multi-company banking solution, the TERAN Business Intelligence tool and the KYUDO e-banking system. Created in 1983, C&W now has 350 highly qualified consultants with competence in two disciplines: computing and banking. Established in Brussels, Luxembourg, London, Paris, Singapore, Geneva and Jakarta, the company has carried out projects and missions for more than 50 banks.

Callataÿ & Wouters received the Company of the Year 2005 award in Belgium. This prize - organised by Ernst & Young - rewards companies that show an outstanding growth. For Callataÿ & Wouters this award represents an excellent recognition of the high quality level of the solutions and services that Callataÿ & Wouters has been offering to its clients for more than 20 years.



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