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## **Short Profile**

The ever-growing relevance of information management technologies in the last two decades had a strong impact on the theory and practice of business administration and management approaches. Nowadays there is no company that does not manage its most important (and even the less important) business processes without information technologies. The approach of sustainable and highly integrated business processes — in Germany promoted especially by university professor, business angel and entrepreneur Prof. Dr. Dr. h. c. mult. August-Wilhelm Scheer — today determines the organisational structure and strategic alignment of enterprises substantially. New business models and management domains ermerged and changed the traditional businesses of companies to an environment driven by information technologies: mobile communication technologies, CRM and SCM, PPC- and ERP-systems, content management and learning management, portals etc.

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