

**Publication: Dion**

**Date: 9 September 2014**

**Headline: TCS, SMU extends partnership for 3 years**

## **TCS, SMU extends partnership for 3 years**

222 words

9 September 2014

Dion News Service

RTNSIN

English

Copyright 2014. Dion Global Solutions Ltd.

IT services giant Tata Consultancy Services Ltd on Tuesday announced that TCS and Singapore Management University (SMU) have agreed to continue their partnership called SMU-TCS iCity Lab (iCity Lab) for the next three years to undertake a number of research initiatives and projects.

Further, the projects will include developing technology solutions for senior citizens of Singapore under the project 'SHINESeniors', the company said in a statement.

The SHINESeniors project will help in making community care services effective through innovations in care delivery by leveraging Information and Communications Technology (ICT) and will lower the cost of care delivery by reducing reliance on manpower. Sensor-enabled homes will be developed in support of ageing-in-place for senior citizens living in Singapore, it said.

Commenting on the development, Dean of School of Information Systems and Vice Provost (Research) at SMU, Professor Steven Millar said, "We conceptualized and designed the SHINESeniors project to help Singapore in providing care and support for their senior citizens."

In a filing to the Bombay Stock Exchange, the company informed, "Tata Consultancy Services and Singapore Management University announce extension of SMU-TCS iCity Lab partnership."

After hitting a 52 week high, shares of the company closed at Rs 2,630.30, down 0.22 per cent, from previous close on BSE.