

## Linxens supports the Bionicohand Team at the Cybathlon 2024

Levallois-Perret, France - Linxens is proud to announce its support for the "Bionicohand" Team at the Cybathlon 2024. Bionicohand is an initiative under the My Human Kit association, that is dedicated to empowering people with disabilities through the development of personalized technical aids.

# A journey of shared values and shared commitment

Linxens' support for My Human Kit is more than just a technological endeavour - it's about human determination and shared vision. The story began when the founder of My Human Kit, Nicolas Huchet, embarked on his personal journey to regain his independence after losing his hand in an industrial accident. Recognizing the lack of accessible prosthetics. Nicolas took the initiative to 3D print a bionic hand at the Fablab in Rennes, successfully bridging the gap with innovation and creativity. Inspired by this vision, he founded My Human Kit.

Nicolas' story is one of resilience, proving that you only need the determination to find a solution and the willingness to work with others to achieve it.

This spirit resonates deeply with Linxens' mission to "Opening the way to a better life." With more than 40 years of experience in component-based solutions, Linxens makes it easier for billions of people to pay, to access buildings, identify themselves and access better care. Supporting projects like My Human Kit's "Bionicohand" aligns perfectly with Linxens' commitment to improving the quality of life.

## Supporting innovation and accessibility

My Human Kit enables individuals with disabilities to design and produce their own technical aids using digital manufacturing and 3D printing technologies. By providing open-source data, the association enables the creation of customized technical aids tailored to the unique needs of each user.

Linxens is looking forward to cheering on My Human Kit as they take part in the Cybathlon from 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> October in Zurich. The Cybathlon is a major event where people with disabilities compete in real-world challenges using advanced assistive technologies. For My Human Kit, it's an opportunity to demonstrate the capabilities of their project, Bionicohand, in extreme conditions, pushing the boundaries of assistive technologies and demonstrating their potential to improve the everyday lives of people with disabilities.

"We are proud to be one of the supporters of the Bionicohand Team in their participation in the Cybathlon.", said Arnaud Brunetière, CEO at Linxens. "At Linxens, we believe that the true measure of success is not only in the products we create, but in the lives we touch. Through our support, we hope to help My Human Kit in their journey to innovate and develop prosthetics that improve the lives of their users."

Nicolas Huchet, founder of My Human Kit, added, "Linxens' support strengthens our resolve to push the boundaries of innovation. It's important for us to collaborate with and for the users. ensuring that the process and the outcomes are openly shared with everyone."

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