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## SMBC Asia Rising Fund Closes Investment in WIZ.AI

SINGAPORE, November 5, 2025 --- SMBC Asia Rising Fund, the corporate venture capital fund of SMBC Group, is pleased to announce its participation as the lead investor in the Series B round of WIZ.AI, a Singapore-based conversational AI company



SMBC Asia Rising Fund has participated in the Series B round for WIZ.AI.

WIZ.AI is a leading provider of localized voice AI and conversational automation solutions that enable enterprises to enhance customer engagement, reduce operational costs, and drive measurable business outcomes. Its proprietary, "Voice Agent technology" combines natural, human-like conversations with real-time analytics, helping businesses scale personalized communication across sectors such as banking, insurance, e-commerce, healthcare, and telecommunications.

By leveraging AI-driven automation, WIZ.AI is transforming how companies connect with their customers, bridging the gap between technology and empathy in customer experience. Headquartered in Singapore, the company currently operates in 17 countries and serves 300+ enterprise clients.

SMBC Asia Rising Fund remains committed to driving sustainable regional growth through strategic collaborations with portfolio companies and investments in promising startups across India, Southeast Asia, and global markets.

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