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STid's mobile technology is enabling its customers to significantly reduce security costs and improve operational efficiency



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**C**ontactless technology plays a key role in upgrading and securing access. This offers new opportunities just for opening a door! Pierre-Antoine Larrera de Morel, Vice-President of Global Sales at STid focuses on the different options offered by STid Mobile ID.

**What are the benefits of contactless technologies?  
What is STid's strategy?**

In our global pandemic situation, contactless technology offers a solution to protect people. Whether with your card, fob or your smartphone, you avoid placing your hands onto the reader. STid's vision is to create products and solutions that grow with ever-changing security needs. We design and supply contactless identification products and solutions for Physical Security, Logical Access Control and Automatic Vehicle Identification. The smartphone plays a key function. Our greatest personal device becomes

the access control key thanks to its operational effectiveness, flexibility and intuitiveness.

**STid Mobile ID is your digital access control platform.  
What are its strengths?**

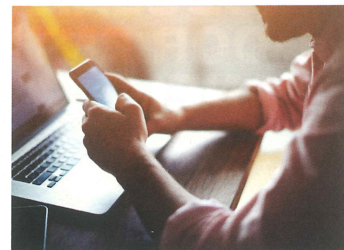
STid Mobile ID digitalises all your access cards in a unique mobile application. The system manages physical employee access, the reception of visitors, access to parking, etc., and the smartphone, when simply switched on and even during phone calls, becomes a means of identification that uses several identification modes (passing your hand or the smartphone in front of the reader, tapping the smartphone, using your Apple Watch). Access to buildings is controlled according to the user profile, with access rights that can be granted or revoked remotely.

**In addition to the health crisis, why should an end user select virtual credentials?**

Unlike physical credentials, virtual cards can be easily personalised online with the company's corporate identity (logo, layout, colours, etc.). And it can make significant savings too. One virtual card is between two and five times cheaper than a physical card. No more consumables, printing and personalisation costs, recycling expenses or costs incurred when cards are lost or damaged. Thanks to virtual identification, the solution offers economies of scale and a higher operational efficiency, all in an eco-friendly package.

**But is it as secure as a traditional card?**

STid's core strength is in its ability to combine instinctive access control with uncompromising levels of security. For more than 20 years, we have been protecting the people, goods and data of the most challenging businesses, governments and industries. With STid, the end result always exceeds our customers' expectations. We certify flawless end-to-end security between the credential and the reader (with MIFARE DESFire EV2/ EV3 technologies or STid Mobile ID) and between the reader and the controller/Local Processing Unit with systems capable of supporting Wiegand, OSDP and SSCP protocols.



**What are STid's next steps in 2021?**

We live in challenging times, however, we will continue to strive daily to make identification process even more instinctive, smarter, innovating and exploring solutions that other manufactures have not and strengthening the levels of trust and powerful relationships with our global partners and customers.