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Keynotes and Speakers for European Reconfigurable Radio Technologies Workshop and Product Expo Announced

WASHINGTON, DC, April 1, 2009 – Reconfigurable radio topics including crises, emergency and disaster management, end-to-end efficiency architectures, spectrum enablers, radio design and implementation and more will be discussed at the inaugural European Reconfigurable Radio Technologies Workshop and Product Exposition in Madrid, Spain, April 22-24, The Software Defined Radio (SDR) Forum announced today.

Sponsored by Indra Sistemas, this multi-day workshop brings together wireless telecommunications equipment manufacturers (TEMs) with their customers and suppliers to explore the evolution of reconfigurable radio over the next several years.

Chaired by Dr. Fredrich Jondral of Universität Karlsruhe, the program features:

Keynotes:

- Fernando Garcia, Indra Sistemas
- Dr. Walter Tuttlebee, Mobile VCE
- John Chapin, Chair of the SDR Forum

Eight market-focused sessions:

These sessions will explore the technical and business aspects of reconfigurable radio technologies, including presentations from representatives of leading organizations in the industry:

- Alcatel Lucent,
- BT Research,
- ENSTA,
- Fraunhofer Institute,
- Indra Sistemas,
- Rohde & Schwarz,
- Selex Communications,
- Thales,
- TNO,
- Universität Karlsruhe,
- Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, and
- Xilinx.

Government organization presentations:

Representatives from: **DGA/CELAR, Institute of Communications and Navigation of the German Aerospace Center, The Joint Research Center of the European Commission(JRC)** will be presenting.

Panel session:

The Future of Reconfigurable Radio in Crises, Emergency and Disaster Management,” moderated by SDR Forum CEO Lee Pucker. Panelists include Eduardo Pinilla Arbex, Indra Sistemas, Bram van den Ende, TNO, Dimitrios Symeonidis, JRC, M. Walter Legrand, EADS, Dominique Ragot, Thales Communications, Jose Maria Camas, Indra Sistemas (Tentative), and Loredana Arienzo, JRC, (Tentative).

Exhibits:

Exhibitors include [CRC Canada](#), [Elektrobit](#), [Etherstack](#), [IMEC](#), [Indra](#), [PrismTech](#), [Antycip](#) for [Specrum Signal Processing](#), [Thales](#), and [Zeligsoft](#).

A complete agenda for this workshop can be found at:

<http://www.sdrforum.org/2009EuropeWorkshop/schedule.html>.

This inaugural workshop will be held in conjunction with the 62nd General Meeting of the Forum, which will be held on April 20th to 22nd, 2009 and comprise working sessions advancing The SDR Forum's 2009 operations plan in support of the commercial, public safety, satellite communications, and international tactical radio communities.

Registration for the Workshop and SDR General Meeting are now available. **Please use the Registration Form to register for the Meeting.**

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About The SDR Forum™

Established in 1996, The SDR Forum™ is a non-profit international industry association with a 100+ strong membership comprised of world class technical, business and government organizations from EMEA, Asia and the Americas who are passionate about creating a revolution in wireless communications based on reconfigurable radio. The SDR Forum is the only organization in the world dedicated to serving the industry's needs through advocacy, opportunity development, commercialization and education. For more information, please visit www.sdrforum.org

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