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Singapore

Wireless Broadband Alliance (WBA) introduces its first Asian Vision Forum

WBA Vision Forum Asia – Connecting Cities and Citizens

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WBA Vision Forum Asia – Connecting Cities & Citizens will feature seminar sessions and executive roundtables, providing an opportunity for participants to meet leaders from a number of Asian governments, technology companies, telecoms operators, and ecosystem players, as well as media and analysts.

Join the discussion on a number of topics, including: Public-Private Partnerships, Carrier and City Wi-Fi Deployment & Monetization, Converged Services (Wi-Fi Calling, Carrier Aggregation), Roadmap to 5G, etc, and more. Delegates from the ecosystem representing China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, The Philippines, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, the United Arab Emirates and Vietnam will be in attendance.

An opportunity to meet international government officials, experts and senior executives from operators and ecosystem players from across Asia and the world. JJ



Shrikant Shenwai CEO Wireless Broadband Alliance





Session Overview

Who's Attending?

Over 150 leaders from a number of Asian governments, telecoms operators, technology companies, ecosystem players, trade associations, media and analysts

DAY 1 | SEMINAR 16TH JANUARY, 2017

A full-day event, from 9am to 6pm, will kick off with the inaugural and keynote addresses, followed by focused presentations and panel discussions with both local and international experts speaking on topical issues of Connected Cities and Connecting Citizens. Asian conditions and requirements will be considered in the context of international experience and best practices.

Topics to be discussed will include Public-Private Partnerships, Next Gen and City Wi-Fi Deployment & Monetization, Converged Services (Wi-Fi Calling, Carrier Aggregation), Roadmap to 5G, etc.

Don't miss this opportunity to take part in discussions with top leadership from the public and private sectors and learn from experts from around the continent and the globe as we explore how to achieve shared objectives for the next decade.

DAY 2 | INVITATION-ONLY EXECUTIVE ROUNDTABLE 17TH JANUARY, 2017

A half-day roundtable dialogue for select industry representatives, hosted by the WBA, where local and regional leadership will meet and engage in closed-door discussions about Connecting Cities and Connecting Citizens.

Participation is invitation-only, made up of senior local, regional and national government leaders from several countries, senior executives from telecommunications operators, technology companies from the ecosystem, senior analysts and leaders of industry trade associations Discussions will focus on identifying the most pressing issues and concerns, and sharing best practices and case studies from Asia and around the world. This roundtable will be followed by an executive lunch.





Session Agenda

DAY 1 | Seminar

WBA Vision Forum Seminar Connected Cities & Citizens

Keynote Sessions

- Opening by WBA, and IMDA Singapore
- Driving Broadband and Public Wi-Fi connectivity in Asia
- Wi-Fi Growth and Innovation
- Innovation in Connected Cities

Connected Cities and Public Private Partnerships

- Developing Broadband Services for Urban Unconnected
- Creating Business Models for Sustainable City Deployments
- Case Studies and Lessons Learned

Next Gen Wi-Fi - Global Developments

- Roaming: Wi-Fi Mobile Integration
- Unlicensed and the Roadmap to 5G
- Carrier Wi-Fi Service Certification
- What's next: Convergence in Next Gen Wireless

Networking Reception

DAY 2 | Roundtable (By Invitation)



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Mr Khoong Hock Yun, Assistant Chief Executive, IMDA

WBA Vision Forum round table dialogue

- Connected Cities Perspective from international experts and CIOs from leading cities around the world
- Commercial models Best practices and case studies
- Sustainability, and public-private partnership models

Connecting Citizens

- Exploration of needs and opportunities
- Providing affordable internet connectivity
- Working together government, regulators and private sector

Executive Lunch

Contact WBA now and engage with the Asian wireless ecosystem

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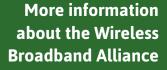
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About the Wireless Broadband Alliance

Founded in 2003, the mission of the Wireless Broadband Alliance (WBA) is to champion the development of the converged wireless broadband ecosystem through seamless, secure and interoperable unlicensed wireless broadband services for delivering outstanding user experience. Building on our heritage of NGH and carrier Wi-Fi, WBA will continue to drive and support the adoption of Next Generation Wi-Fi services need coexistence and convergence of unlicensed and licensed networks across the entire public Wi-Fi ecosystem, including IoT, Big Data, Converged Services, Smart Cities, 5G, etc. Today, membership includes major fixed operators such as BT, Comcast and Time Warner Cable; seven of the top 10 mobile operator groups (by revenue) and leading technology companies such as Cisco, Microsoft, Huawei Technologies, Google and Intel. WBA member operators collectively serve more than 3 billion subscribers and operate more than 30 million hotspots globally.

The WBA Board includes AT&T, Boingo Wireless, BT, China Telecom, Cisco Systems, Comcast, Intel, KT Corporation, Liberty Global, NTT DOCOMO, Orange and Ruckus Wireless. For a complete list of current WBA members, please click here.



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