



Tridium Announces Education Outreach Program *Global leader educates today to meet needs of tomorrow*

Richmond, Virginia – August 12, 2010 – With an ongoing dedication to building automation and facility management education, Tridium announced a new Education Outreach Program as a commitment to educate the next generation of Building Automation and Control specialists. The primary goal of this program is to increase knowledge about open integration and interoperability among building system students, and to help prepare them to meet increasing demands for cost-effective and efficient facilities.

Tridium's quest to help advance and educate this growing population comes at a time when the industry is being driven by intelligent building control technology, IP connectivity, Web-enabled convergence and open communication protocols, along with building owners' increasing demand for better buildings that are cost-effective, energy efficient, smarter and sustainable.

Tridium's Niagara Framework[®] is a powerful platform that enables disparate control systems to work seamlessly together through a common user interface. Endorsed by system integrators and leading providers of control systems for building automation and controls market, Niagara is a robust solution that encompasses building automation, energy management, security, lighting control and fire alarm from a single user interface, in a non-proprietary form. Engineers and technicians who enter the building automation industry will be better prepared knowing the existence of and applications using this technology.

"This endeavor represents an ideal interaction between industry and education," said Marc Petock, Vice President, Global Marketing & Communications. "Tridium is pleased to have an active relationship with several schools, and is in the process of expanding the program with more schools within a year. Participating schools will have access to the latest cutting-edge building automation technology and learning materials that all leading building automation system integrators use; as well as access to the latest integration learning tools and industry experts."

The Education Outreach program is a collaborative relationship with selected colleges, universities, and technical schools that offer building automation program studies and course curriculum, who are interested in adding curriculum about smart buildings, integration, and interoperability.

"Wentachee Valley College is thrilled to be a partner in Tridium's Education Outreach program," said Greg Jourdan, Environmental Systems and Refrigeration Technology Instructor in Wenatchee, Washington. "We are implementing the curriculum in the classroom and using Tridium as the leader in training future generations of technicians in open-ended product solutions. Our students love Niagara's evolved technology and recognize the immeasurable professional opportunity it brings them."

Adding this unique program to the school's current offering provides an excellent opportunity to enhance the overall learning experience of future technicians and turn out some of the best, next-generation building integration specialists needed to run our buildings and facilities to make them perform more efficiently and contribute to a better, sustainable environment.

"We are implementing the Tridium JACE-6 controllers and Niagara^{AX} Framework into courses in our Engineering Technology programs at Central Piedmont Community College in Charlotte, NC," said Jeff

Wyco, Program Chair. "Our local industry is excited to have this type of training available; and being a Tridium Education Partner will be most beneficial to our students."

Tridium's contributions to this initiative include the company's Niagara^{AX} Framework software and licenses, JACE[®] controllers and related equipment, professional instruction and training, guest industry expert lecturers, in-class demos and learning materials that can be embedded into existing curriculum. As the industry continues its drive toward smart building environments, integration and interoperability, Tridium is working to ensure that there are specialists that are fully prepared to meet the demands of the marketplace, both today and in the future.

About Tridium Inc.

Tridium is the global leader in open platforms, application software frameworks, automation infrastructure technology, energy management and device-to-enterprise integration solutions. Our technologies extend connectivity, integration and interoperability to the millions of devices deployed in the market today and empowers manufacturers to develop intelligent equipment systems and smart devices that enable collaboration and communication between the enterprise and edge assets.

The company's Niagara Framework[®] is the foundation that makes buildings work and perform better. Niagara integrates, centralizes, manages and controls today's diverse business systems such as temperature, humidity, ventilation, security and energy in any size building and environment. Niagara is creating better buildings---ones that are smarter, use less energy, are more efficient, have lower operating costs, are safer and contribute to a sustainable environment.

Niagara has created a new era in automation and control as the first universal software framework for Internet-enabled control and automation devices and the applications that support them. Niagara integrates diverse building systems and equipment - regardless of manufacturer, or communication protocol into a unified platform that can be easily managed and controlled in real time over the Internet using a standard web browser.

Building owners and facility management receive multiple paybacks in the form of performance efficiencies, reduced capital and operational expenses, and greater returns. System integrators use Niagara products to provide true open solutions without regard for specific protocols, products or technologies.

Today, there are close to 200,000 instances of the Niagara Framework operating in 45 countries. Niagara is making buildings better---ones that use less energy, have lower operating costs, are safer, contribute to sustainable environments and deliver significant ROI.

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