



Press release

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Open Network Automation System Expo (ONA2006)

A specialized trade show covering various products, equipment and management systems related to the technology of the Open Network Automation System

Venue: Science Museum (Tokyo)
Date: July 12 (Wed) to 13 (Thu), 2006

In addition to the network, the exhibit category will be expanded to related systems and management of facilities.

An incorporated NPO, LONMARK JAPAN will co-sponsor the ONA.

An outline briefing will be held. A keynote speech by Director Ezaki, IPv6 Promotion Council will be presented.

The "Open Network Automation System Expo" (ONA2006), a trade show specializing in the category of the open network, will be held for 2 days on July 12 (Wed) and 13 (Thu) at the Science Museum at Kitanomaru Koen, Tokyo, sponsored by The Association of Mechanical & Electrical Engineers of Tokyo and co-sponsored by LONMARK JAPAN, an incorporated NPO. "ONA2006" will introduce technology products of the open network automation system focusing on open building automation (BA) such as LONWORKS® Network, BACnetTM and IPv6, as well as the latest information on related systems and management systems. A forum between suppliers and users of equipment and systems will take place, and it is highly expected by relevant industries to be a specialized trade show which may greatly contribute to the diffusion of systems, development of technology and the expansion of business opportunities.

Open Network – Expansion and Potentialities of Wider Categories

The trade show is in its 5th round since the first show held in November 2002 at the NTT Data Learning Center Event Hall. This time the ONA will focus on the introduction of various open systems which have been the center of attention inside/outside the industry. In addition, potentialities of open systems, not only for the building automation industry, will be widely introduced.

As with the exhibition last year, the category will not only be limited to building automation but will be expanded to the infrastructure category of the society such as home automation (HA), industrial automation (IA), information technology (IT) and transportation. Technologies of various types of equipment which achieve intellectual decentralized control will be introduced. In addition, the category of a highly related energy-saving system will be exhibited and it is schemed in a way that visitors can simultaneously see the system connected to the network. Also, not only the hardware of the total building, but also the software - management and maintenance of facilities such as facility management (FM), property management (PM) and the building energy management system (BEMS) will be highlighted. The exhibition will be set up in a way to improve the quality of the total trade show and to enhance visitors' satisfaction.

Equipment Achieving "Intellectual Decentralized Control" and "Open System" Will Be Exhibited Under One Roof.

By expanding the exhibit category with a keyword of an "open network," an array of technologies and products for an open network automation system will get together and present everything from hardware to software to realize the open system.

Items to be exhibited will be: open building automation systems, industrial automation systems, home automation systems,

transportation technology, information technology, open network software and related products, sensors, data analysis provided by open network, consulting, energy-saving electrical equipment, airconditioning equipment, lighting equipment, security equipment, energy solution equipment, facility management (FM), property management (PM), and building energy management system (BEMS).

The targeted visitors are: design offices, system engineers, construction companies, building contractors, reform companies, building owners, hotels, commercial facilities (shopping malls, department stores, and complexes), developers, real estate companies, building management companies, facility managers, facilities, medical property managers, public institutions, condominiums, factories, central/local governments, manufacturers of electrical equipment, manufacturers of precision instruments, electric gas companies, transportation, telecommunication and information processing companies.

The Best Place to Obtain Latest Information on Open System

An ONA Technical Seminar which was previously well received will be held simultaneously. In addition, it will be the sole opportunity where visitors can obtain the latest information about the open system, such as the "Exhibitor's Presentation" where you can receive the exhibitors' information.

Participation Fee

The participation fee per booth of 1.8m width x 1.8m depth will be \pm 210,000 (inclusive of tax) for members of The Association of Mechanical & Electrical Engineers of Tokyo and \pm 231,000 (inclusive of tax) for participants other than the members above. Optional display package is prepared from \pm 70,350 per booth (inclusive of tax).

An Outline Briefing Will be Held.

A Keynote Speech by Mr. Hiroshi Ezaki, Director of IPv6 Promotion Council

A keynote speech, "Facility Networking to be Opened - Revolution of Business Models by TCP/IP" by Director Ezaki, IPv6 Promotion Council, will be presented (Japanese language only) at an outline briefing of the trade show to be held at Hotel Grand Palace on February 3 (Fri), 2006. In addition, Mr. Miyajima of Mesago Messe Frankfurt Corporation will explain the outline of the ONA2006, best practices of exhibitors, and features of the trade show. It is expected that more than 200 prospective exhibitors will attend.

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