



Innovations Showcase 2009

Reveal your “New Wave Innovation” at OPASTCO’s 46th Annual Winter Convention!
January 19 - 21, 2009 • Kauai, Hawaii

Showcase Your Innovation! Simple to complex – all are welcome.

What is Innovations Showcase 2009? A chance to display new products or services that have been produced or significantly improved since January 2008. The Showcase is intended as an executive oriented venue to share new technology and services and inform attendees of new innovations in the telecom industry. Simple or complex, all Innovations are welcome. The Showcase will take place on Monday, January 19th during breakfast hours and again on Tuesday, January 20th, during breakfast hours. The Showcase will be displayed from 7am Monday until noon Wednesday.

Applications are due Friday, December 5th- Please e-mail this completed form to OPASTCO (membership@opastco.org) noting “Innovations Showcase 2009” in the subject line. The OPASTCO Associate Member Committee will review all submissions and notify approved applicants once the final decision of who has been selected is made. If selected, please create a poster or display that highlights your “New Wave Innovation”. You will be provided with table space to display your new innovation (see details below). One submission per company.

Company Name _____ Contact Name _____

E-mail _____ Phone _____

Name of Product or Service _____

Description of why it represents a “New Wave Innovation” (50 words or less):

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st 2nd and 3rd place!

The selections will be reviewed and awarded by the committee selected to judge the most innovative technology in the showcase. The new innovations will be evaluated during the breakfast session, on Monday, January 19th. The ribbons will be awarded at breakfast the following day. Criteria for evaluation will include level of innovation, usefulness, significance of improvement, relevance in the rural marketplace and creativity of display.

Display Guidelines: You will be given a 2ft. x 4ft. base area that cannot exceed 3ft. in height. In your area, you may include your actual product and/or literature about or a picture of your product or service. Displays will be on draped and skirted tables. There will not be access to electricity. The Innovation Showcase 2009 is only available to those companies and individuals registered to attend the Winter Convention and who have submitted this application.

OPASTCO reserves the right to exclude or to require modification of any display or demonstration which, in its sole discretion, it considers unsuitable or not in keeping with the character of the convention. *Questions?*
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