

IEEE 802.16™ and WiMAX Forum™ Delegations Meet the Israeli Wireless Industry

Alvarion is sponsoring the May 2006 conferences in Israel of two major international standard forums – IEEE 802.16 (May 8-11, David Intercontinental Hotel, Tel Aviv) and WiMAX Forum technical groups (May 13-17, Dan Caesarea hotel). The conferences will be attended by over 150 people from leading telecommunications companies from Israel and from abroad.

On the morning of Monday, May 8, Alvarion is organizing a meeting between the IEEE/WiMAX attendees and the Israeli wireless industry. The meeting will take place in David Intercontinental hotel in Tel Aviv. Alvarion would like to invite people from the Israeli wireless industry to attend the event. The participation is at no charge, but requires prior registration. People wishing to participate are invited to send an email to Naftali Chayat (naftali.chayat@alvarion.com) with the details (name, affiliation, title) of the attendees.

The agenda of the event:

Time	Event	Speaker
8:00	Registration and coffee	
9:15	Opening and Welcome notes	
	Overview of Standards to the Israeli industry	
9:25	IEEE 802.16 - achievements, status and plans	Dr. Roger Marks (Chair, IEEE 802.16 Working Group)
9:45	Overview of the 802.16j Mobile Multihop Relay Project	Dr. Mitsuo Nohara (KDDI, Chair, of 802.16 Relay TG)
10:05	WiMAX developments	Jose Puthenkulam (Intel)
10:30	Coffee break	
	Overview of wireless industry in Israel	
10:45	The Office of the Chief Scientist and the Israeli wireless industry	Effi Bergida (OCS office)
11:05	Overview of the REMON Israeli 4G Consortium	Naftali Chayat (Alvarion, Chief Scientist)
	Presentations by Israeli companies	
11:25	Comsys	
11:35	Paragon	
11:45	WiNetworks	
11:55	Closing words	
12:00	Adjourn for lunch	

Due to the tight schedule of the event people are advised to arrive early.

Looking forward to seeing you,

Naftali Chayat, Chief Scientist, Alvarion.