

## Media Alert

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**NEW WEBINAR AVAILABLE: ARCHITECTURE OF G.hn – THE NEXT-GENERATION WIRED NETWORKING STANDARD**

**Beaverton, Ore., December 1, 2009** – Home networking on existing wiring is currently plagued by fragmentation and lack of standardization. International Telecommunication Union (ITU-T) plans to fix that problem with its next-generation standard, G.hn. With the recent approval of key components of [G.hn](#), this technology will soon deliver a single unified way for home networking using any wire -- power line, coaxial cable, and telephone wiring. How will G.hn deliver a single standard for all regions? What technical architecture can enable this technology? Find out by downloading the [new webinar](#) from HomeGrid Forum.

**WHAT:** This new technical webinar covers:

- Architectural overview of G.hn technology
- PHY Layer overview
- Data Link Layer (DLL) overview

**WHO:** Authored by Barry O'Mahony, senior staff Systems engineer at Intel Labs, and Stefano Galli, Ph. D., lead scientist at Panasonic R&D Company of America. Both Panasonic and Intel are HomeGrid Forum board members.

**WHERE:** To download the webinar and other materials from HomeGrid Forum, visit the organization's [Resource Library](#).

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**About HomeGrid Forum**

HomeGrid Forum is a global, non-profit trade group promoting the International Telecommunication Union's G.hn standardization efforts for next-generation home networking. HomeGrid Forum promotes adoption of G.hn through technical and marketing efforts, addresses certification and interoperability of

G.hn-compliant products, and cooperates with complementary industry alliances. To learn more about becoming a HomeGrid member, please visit [www.HomeGridForum.org/join](http://www.HomeGridForum.org/join).