



ATLONA VELOCITY CONTROL SYSTEM

Atlona's Velocity is all-new AV system control platform for Atlona and third-party products in commercial AV environments. It is comprised of three distinct elements that work together as a unified platform: Velocity Control Suite, Velocity Control Gateway, and Velocity Touch Panels. The Velocity Control Suite is a cloud-based service and centralized resource for integrators to create and manage AV control projects by client, client sites, and specific locations via web browser. The Velocity Control Gateway is a software-based control processor that resides on-site with the client's AV systems. For user interaction with AV systems, Atlona offers Velocity Touch Panels in 5.5-inch and 8-inch screen sizes. Additionally, the Velocity Control System allows easy BYOD integration with tablets, smartphones, and laptops, as well as PC desktops and touch displays. Getting started with Velocity only takes a few hours with an online training/certification session, with no prior programming knowledge necessary.

Midwich: 1300 666 099 or www.midwich.com.au

Atlona: www.atlona.com



P.A. PEOPLE KIT OUT BARANGAROO FERRY WHARF

The Barangaroo Ferry Wharf will serve Sydney's newest commercial district and provide increased capacity for ferry services to meet future demand. The P.A. People provided audio services installation for the new facility, using products from Australian Monitor, Ampetronic, Biamp, Crown, Vocia and Sonance. David Duong, Commissioning Manager for construction company McConnel Dowell said, "The performance result of the audio equipment installed is excellent, providing efficient coverage of the facility and excellent announcement clarity." The new ferry wharf will provide berthing space for additional ferry services from the Parramatta River, as well as direct access to and from the Eastern Suburbs and lower North Shore. The project includes the construction of two ferry wharves featuring fully accessible pontoons, seated waiting areas, weather protection, real-time service information and electronic ticketing using the Opal card.

P.A. People: www.papeople.com.au



CHRISTIE ADDS TWO GS SERIES PROJECTORS

Christie has introduced two new Christie GS Series laser phosphor projectors to meet the real-world affordability demands of higher education, corporate and rental markets. The Christie 630 GS Series delivers a combination of brightness, image quality, lens and resolution choice, low noise, form factor and proven IDLP high usage reliability to value-oriented end users. Performance measures that set 630-GS Series apart include up to 6750 ISO lumens of light output, an impressive contrast ratio of 4,000,000:1, either HD (1920x1080) or WUXGA (1920x1200) resolution, quiet 36dBA operation, and full GS-Series lens suite compatibility including the new Ultra Short Throw lens. The Christie 630-GS Series is backed by a three-year parts and labor warranty, plus Christie's customer service. "From business venues to events and beyond, the new affordable Christie GS Series delivers all-around premium performance and reliability in high-usage environments," said Jim Hall senior product manager, Christie.

Christie: www.christiedigital.com

NEWS IN BRIEF:

AVIXA announces that **Daan Roosegaarde**, an internationally acclaimed creative thinker and founder of Studio Roosegaarde, will keynote the TIDE conference at Integrated Systems Europe (ISE) 2018. Set for February 5 at Hotel Okura Amsterdam, TIDE (Technology. Innovation. Design. Experience.) explores the creative forces shaping the AV industry and how AV businesses can benefit from these concepts.

AVIXA: www.avixa.org

Tripleplay has partnered with **avt** to become its sales, support and technical representation in the Australia and New Zealand region. With teams based throughout Australia and New Zealand, avt's national and regional footprint makes it a perfect fit to offer local pre-sales, training, service and support to Tripleplay's established end user clients and integration partners.

TriplePlay: www.tripleplay.tv
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Bose Professional is officially shipping the MB210 compact subwoofer which was announced at InfoComm17. The sub features two 10-inch high-excursion woofers housed in a compact Baltic-birch plywood enclosure to provide a low end response down to 37Hz. The MB210 is available in black or white and ships with a U-bracket for easy mounting.

Bose: pro.bose.com

Midwich ANZ has announced a distribution partnership with TeamMate, manufacturers of commercial AV furniture, including collaboration desks, lecterns, enclosures, large display stands, and more. TeamMate is a well-known name within the regional AV industry. The distribution deal with Midwich promises shorter lead times for customers while guaranteeing a growing footprint for TeamMate in the ANZ region.

Midwich: 1300 666 099 or www.midwich.com.au

Gefen is shipping the new 4K Ultra HD 600MHz 8x8 Matrix for HDMI, which supports 18.2Gbps of bandwidth and 600MHz TMDS Clock frequency. It routes eight 4K sources to eight 4K displays and supports resolutions up to 4K Cinema-DCI, 4K Ultra HD with HDR, 1080p Full HD, and WUXGA. It also supports HDCP 2.2 and 1.4, 3DTV pass-through and lip sync pass-through.

Gefen: www.gefen.com