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## 2008 TechPoint Mira Awards Finalists Announced Awards winners to be announced at May 16 gala



TechPoint announced today the 2008 TechPoint Mira Awards finalists. Finalists represent the top nominees in nine technology-driven categories. TechPoint will host the 2008 Mira Awards Gala with presenting sponsor, BKD LLP, a top ten CPA and advisory firm, at the Indiana Roof Ballroom on Friday, May 16th. Mira Awards winners will be revealed during the Gala ceremony.

The TechPoint Mira Awards, now in their 9th year, acknowledge and pay tribute to the top performers, innovators, and contributors in technology-related industries. Hundreds of key decision-makers from business, government, and academia will gather at the Mira Awards Gala to celebrate Indiana's technology community and their innovations.

Three independent panels of judges, made up of business and community leaders, were tasked with evaluating the 75 Mira Awards nominations, in a total of nine specific categories.

For more information on the 2008 TechPoint Mira Awards visit, <a href="www.techpoint.org/mira">www.techpoint.org/mira</a>.

## 2008 TechPoint Mira Award Finalists

#### Information Technology Company

- ANGEL Learning, Inc.
- Aprimo, Inc.
- ExactTarget, Inc
- T2 Systems, Inc.

### Information Technology Gazelle Company

- Compendium Blogware
- Cine-tal Systems Inc.
- Patronpath, LLC
- ChatterSpike

## **Health & Life Sciences Company**

## Education Contribution to Technology - Individual

- <u>Dr. Robert Yadon, Ball State University:</u>
  <u>Center for Information & Communication</u>
- Geoffrey Fox, Indiana University: Pervasive Technology Labs
- Wayne Zage, Ball State University: Computer Science Department

#### Innovation of the Year Award

- Cha Cha
- Comfort Motion Technologies
- CS-Keys

- AIT Laboratories
- BioStorage Technologies, Inc.
- Targanta Therapeutics Corporation
- Zotec Partners

### **Health & Life Sciences Gazelle Company**

- Anaclim LLC
- BioConvergence LLC
- Indiana Health Information Exchange
- OrthoPediatrics

# Education Contribution to Technology - Dept/Program/Team

- Ball State University: Institute for Digital Fabrication
- Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology: PRISM
- <u>Serious Gaming Team: Purdue</u>
  <u>University, Gary Bertoline, Christopher</u>
  Hoffmann, & Beverly Dave
- <u>UITS</u>, School of Informatics & Pervasive
  <u>Tech Labs at IU</u>: The Data Capacitor Team

- EnerDel
- Moerae Matrix

# Advanced Manufacturing/ Distribution, Transportation, Logistics Company

- Asset Forwarding Corporation
- Cascade Asset Management
- EITAC Solutions Group, LLC
- Griffin Analytical Technologies, LLP an Icx Technologies Company

## Education Contribution to Technology - K-12 Education

- Todd Whitlock, North Daviess Community Schools
- Sherry Shelton, Center for Interactive Learning and Collaboration
- Dr. Bizhan Nasseh, Dr. Laurie Mullen Stuve, Dr. Jay Bagga, Ball State University

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