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Fortinet Honors 2017 Partner of the Year Award Winners

Top Network Security Partners and Distributors Celebrate Joint Success at Fortinet Accelerate 18 Global Partner and User Conference

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Ken Xie, founder, chairman of the board and chief executive officer at Fortinet

"I would like to congratulate this year's winners for their significant achievements in 2017. These partners demonstrated a commitment to deliver the very best cybersecurity solutions that defend their customers against today's increasingly advanced threat landscape. I would also like to extend my gratitude to all of our partners for their dedication and achievements in 2017. Working together, we have all greatly contributed to a more secure digital future."

News Summary

[Fortinet®](#) (NASDAQ:FTNT) - a global leader in broad, integrated and automated cybersecurity solutions, today announced at its global partner and user conference, [Accelerate 18](#), the winners of its 2017 Partner of the Year Awards. The awards recognize outstanding cybersecurity sales, customer experience, collaboration, and marketing achievements from the company's distributors and resellers around the world.

Fortinet 2017 Partner of the Year Award Winners:

FortiHero - Global Partner of the Year				
Hughes Networks				
Partner of the Year				
US / Canada	LATAM	EMEA	APAC	Japan
US: CDW / CAN: Integra Data	GTlink	Magellan, Germany	Comnet Co., Ltd., Thailand	Otsuka Corporation
Distributor Partner of the Year				
North America	LATAM	EMEA	APAC	Japan
Tech Data North America	Adistec	BOLL Engineering AG, Switzerland	Pacific Tech Pte Ltd, Singapore	SCSK Corporation
Fabric Partner of the Year				
North America	LATAM	EMEA	APAC	Japan
SHI	ConsultingServices	ITI Innovazione Tecnologica Italiana, Italy	Syscom Inc., Taiwan	NEC Fielding, Ltd.
Growth Partner of the Year				
North America	LATAM	EMEA	APAC	Japan
Kudelski Security	Atlas	Dynamic Systems, Saudi Arabia	Seccom Global, Australia	NTT Communications Corporation

This year's award winners were announced at the sold out Fortinet Accelerate 18 global partner and user conference, being held at The Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas. Accelerate 18 is host to more than 2,300 attendees representing over 1,700 different partner and customer organizations who have travelled from over 90 countries. Accelerate 18 offers a unique opportunity for partners and customers to gain insights about Fortinet's Security Fabric architecture, provide direct feedback to Fortinet leadership, learn to maximize Fortinet's enablement programs, and gain and share best practices with the cybersecurity industry's best and brightest.

Additional Resources

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