



Event Calendar

The 7th annual
The Security Summit
Conference & Exposition
including “Most Innovative
Products & Services
Competition” (8 categories)
When: March 9-10, 2010

NEW! Investor Day
When: March 11, 2010

Where: Courtyard Liberty
Station, San Diego, CA

Intermodal Transportation Security Conference

Following success of 1st and
2nd annual “Regional
Intermodal Transportation
Security Conferences”
When: May or June 2010
Where: Washington, DC

3rd annual C4ISR, CyberSecurity, Robot Platforms & Sensors Conference & Exposition

CyberSecurity & Secure
Comms will be the common
themes in the 3rd annual
conference. Co-located with
the ISSA-SD Chapter annual
conference.
When: September 14-15,
2010
Where: San Diego, CA

2nd annual Maritime Collaboration Summit Part of the 2nd annual San Diego Maritime Week

Including: Science Expo
Art & Film Festival
Gala Dinner
and
Maritime Demo Day
When: November 16-17,
2010
Where: San Diego, CA

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C4ISR, CyberSecurity, Robot Platforms, Secure Comms & Sensors

The **C4ISR, CyberSecurity, Robot Platforms & Sensors Conference & Exhibition** was held October 6 – 7 at The Hall of Champions in Balboa Park. The event was a success and featured Dr. Peter Fonash, Acting Director, Natl. Cybersecurity Division & CTO Office of Cybersecurity/Communications at DHS as the opening day keynote speaker introducing the event with “C4ISR, CyberSecurity and Info Sharing Abroad and in the US” and Capt. John Pope, Program Manager, Communications Program Office, C4I at SPAWAR opened day 2 with “Information Dominance – Anytime, Anywhere.” Panel discussions focused on a variety of topics from sensors to secure communication and demonstrated the need and desire to operate in an environment of collaboration to address these important issues.

We want to extend our thanks to our event sponsors that included Cubic, ESET (which also became an annual sponsor of *The Security Network*), IBM, Qualcomm and ViaSat who sponsored the event, the panels and lent their expertise to the content of the panel discussions.

We would also like to thank CSC, Datron, and Kratos for their sponsorship of 24 “uniformed” personnel allowing members of the front line of defense from homeland security and the military to attend the conference. These uniformed attendees represented multiple departments of the San Diego Police Department, San Diego Fire and Rescue and the San Diego Sheriff’s Department as well as members of the CATCH team, a joint task force of the San Diego District Attorney’s Office, the Sheriff’s Department and the FBI including other San Diego, Riverside and Imperial County agencies. The SPAWAR office of Homeland Force Protection, ICE, CBP, and the United States Marine Corps were also able to send attendees to the two day event.

President’s Mission to Canada

Michael Jones, President of *The Security Network* and **The Maritime Alliance**, recently spent 2 weeks (Aug. 31 – Sept. 11) meeting with companies and government agencies in Halifax, Montreal, Ottawa, St. John’s and Toronto. Organized by the **Consulate of Canada** and sponsored by a number of eastern Canadian organizations, Michael met with almost 60 companies and a number of government agencies and some investor groups. He ended the trip at the annual DEFSEC conference in Halifax.

Michael’s visit to Canada made a number of companies and organizations aware of strengths of San Diego and how *The Security Network* and **The Maritime Alliance** can assist international companies trying to expand in the U.S. Among other topics, Michael talked about the **LEAP! Canada** program developed by the Canadian Consulate, San Diego to help a select number of innovative Canadian companies use the rich San Diego technology eco system as a beachhead for the U.S.

OceansAdvance and NATI will be leading a Maritime Mission from St. John’s to San Diego for **Maritime Week** and the **Maritime Collaboration Summit**. If you are interested in meeting with the St. John’s delegation and the other Canadian companies coming to Maritime Week, please contact Bill Riedy (briedy@thesecuritynetwork.org) for more information.

President’s Mission to New Zealand & Australia

The Security Network/The Maritime Alliance work closely with an expanding number of partner agencies around the world to identify companies with innovative COTS (commercial off-the-shelf) technologies worldwide. We have a growing number of success stories about international companies that have found potential partners and customers in the U.S. through our events. Australia and New Zealand have been particularly active partners. November 24 – 26 and on Dec. 3, Michael Jones will be visiting with companies, government agencies, and investors in New Zealand. From Dec. 7-11 he will be visiting with the same kind of organizations in Sydney, Melbourne, and Perth. A full report will be published in the January 2010 newsletter.

The Maritime Alliance (TMA)

Calendar of Events

Nov. 14-15:

Maritime Science Expo & Research Vessels to visit

Maritime Art & Film Festival - Art show, sale & silent auction; (films at Maritime Museum)

All of the above are FREE at the B Street Cruise Ship Terminal

Saturday: 10 am – 5:30 pm

Sunday: 10 am – 3:00 pm

Maritime Museum “Family Days” – Children 12 and under free with parent. The film viewing of the Art & Film Festival will be at the Maritime Museum and is included with regular museum admission

Nov. 16:

Maritime Gala Dinner – Ray Ashley keynote speaker, Awards Ceremony with Mayor Jerry Sanders & Dinner Cruise aboard the *Inspiration Hornblower*.

Buy tickets online!

Nov. 17-18:

Maritime Collaboration Summit

Nov. 19:

Maritime Demo Day

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SAN DIEGO MARITIME WEEK

NOVEMBER 14 - 20, 2009

San Diego enjoys a large and highly diverse maritime economy with major economic players like the Port of San Diego, maritime industrial sector and the military contributing over \$25 billion annually to the local economy. San Diego also has one of the largest clusters of marine technology companies in the world as well as a host of other cutting edge, maritime-related research institutions and labs. **The Maritime Alliance** and more than 50 individuals representing over 35 organizations sitting on eight committees, have worked together for months to prepare the first **San Diego Maritime Week**, Nov. 14-20, 2009, to bring together the community to celebrate all things maritime, promote STEM (*science, tech, engineering and math*) education, and to promote local, national & intl. collaboration

Kicking off the week are various activities over the weekend of Nov. 14-15, all centered along the Embarcadero. A **Maritime Science Expo** will feature exhibits from San Diego County students and organizations ranging from the Birch Aquarium to SPAWAR – all with a maritime theme. Several **research vessels** will be available to visit. And a **Maritime Art & Film Festival** will showcase artistic talent focused on maritime themes. The Science Expo and Art portion of the Festival will be held in the B Street Cruise Ship Terminal, from 10 am – 5:30 pm on Saturday and 10 am – 3 pm on Sunday.

Also scheduled for the Nov. 14-15 weekend, the **Maritime Museum of San Diego** is having “Family Days” to celebrate the 146th anniversary of the *Star of India*. Children under 12 are free when accompanied by a parent. Purchase tickets online at www.sdmaritime.org and save! The Film viewing of the Art & Film Festival will be on the *Star* and requires purchase of admission to the Museum.

The **Maritime Gala Dinner & Awards Ceremony** on Monday, Nov. 16 aboard the *Hornblower Inspiration* will feature a keynote address by Ray Ashley (historian and President of the Maritime Museum), an award ceremony with San Diego Mayor Jerry Sanders (see next article), and a dinner cruise. Representatives from Australia, Canada, New Zealand, the UK and other countries are expected to be with us for the Gala Dinner and other events during the week. In particular, we expect 35-40 representatives from the 3 leading maritime centers in Canada. This will be a great meal with incredible networking opportunities for only \$100 per person. Buy your ticket online by visiting our website: www.TheMaritimeAlliance.org.

The 1st annual **Maritime Collaboration Summit** Nov. 17-18 aboard the *Hornblower Inspiration* is the centerpiece of **Maritime Week**. The goals of the **Summit** are to (1) bring together the diverse elements of the regional maritime community to promote innovation and project advancement; (2) facilitate interaction between the scientific community and makers of innovative technologies; and (3) maximize networking and business opportunities for international maritime missions to San Diego.

Day 1, Nov. 17, will be focus on traditional stakeholders in San Diego including fishing, the historic waterfront, U.S. Navy, the Port, and shipbuilding. **Day 2**, Nov. 18, will focus on newer maritime growth opportunities including aquaculture, biomedicine, energy ocean, maritime technology, and international collaboration. A technology exposition will run parallel with the conference.

The 2nd **Maritime Demo Day** is planned for Nov. 19 at the Maritime Museum of San Diego. Following on the success of our first Maritime Demo Day in November 2008, this Demo Day will provide two dozen companies the opportunity to show their technologies in or on the water in front of a audience of end users representing first responders, homeland defense, and military.

For information about the week’s events and to participate as a attendee, exhibitor, or volunteer, please contact Bill Riedy at briedyv@thesecuritynetwork.org or visit www.themaritimealliance.org

Mayor Sanders to Present Maritime Awards at Gala Dinner

The Maritime Alliance, in conjunction with its partner organizations, is pleased to present the 1st annual Maritime Awards at its Gala Dinner on Nov. 16. The Awards are for Alliance Building (Super Yacht Association), Educational Outreach (SPAWAR Systems Center Pacific), Environmental Leadership (NASSCO), International Maritime Partner (St. John’s, NL), and Marine Science Teaching (San Diego County teacher). In addition, we are pleased to announce the award with the Maritime Museum of San Diego honoring Dr. Carla Rann Phillips as the newly endowed Chair in Maritime History at the Museum. Please join **The Maritime Alliance** at the Gala Dinner as we honor these recipients for their significant role in “Promoting the Maritime Community.”