

# Telcos and Academia Convene at Telsis Carrier Day to Chart a Route to the Future

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One of the world's leading independent specialists in the future of telecommunications delivered an over-the-horizon view of the future of telecommunications at an industry-meets-academia conference in Cologne in November.

Prof. Dr. Thomas Magedanz, chair for next generation networks at the Technische Universität in Berlin and also leader of the NGNI Competence Center at the Fraunhofer Institut in Berlin, set out his vision of the role telcos will play in the emerging future Internet and the development of smart cities.

Also making presentations at the conference in the Hotel Im Wasserturm were senior staff from M-net, IN-telegence and EWE TEL, three of Germany's most pioneering next generation network operators who shared their individual responses to changing technologies and the evolving regulatory framework in Germany.

It was the fourth Telsis Carrier Day and, said Telsis director of German sales Peter Ritzmann, the best yet. "We had an audience of representatives from nine regional carriers. There were presentations from Telsis about our history, our current technology and our development roadmap, but this was primarily a day where industry and academia could share information and debate differing views. Our colleagues from the three regional carriers spoke about the here and now realities of migrating to IMS, and Prof. Dr. Magedanz gave us a fascinating long-term view of where he believes we are all heading. It was an opportunity for us all to recalibrate our navigation aids."

Telsis' German subsidiary has been active since 1990 and is acknowledged as being a vendor with flexible and cost-effective solutions that uniquely enable regional telcos to cut costs and deliver value-added voice services that meet the needs of their corporate and private customers. Telsis' latest move is the unveiling of a drop-in solution that enables telcos to meet the rapidly approaching deadline for the provision of emergency services location information.

The Telsis mission is to enrich people's lives through innovations in communications technology and services. For 25 years, Telsis has provided tier-1 network operators with flexible infrastructure and compelling services in voice, text and video. From TDM, through IP-based networks to IMS and LTE, Telsis provides evolutionary solutions to match customers' network developments and enable the provision of advanced services today.

Telsis' portfolio of services is backed by proven engineering skills, system integration expertise, and a deep understanding of human factors, all of which combine in solutions that enable operators to offer their customers exciting and practical services with compelling real-world appeal.

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