SNIA TECHNOLOGY CENTER

“The Center of Excellence for Storage Networking”

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FACILITY USAGE AND TOURS

The Technology Center is available for use by SNIA member companies and other IT focused companies for testing, meeting, and educational purposes. The SNIA Technology Center staff conducts free visitor tours of the facility.

Information is available at www.snia.org/tech_center, by phone at 719.694.1380, or via email at tcinfo@snia.org.

SHORT-TERM OR LONG-TERM FACILITIES USAGE

The SNIA Technology Center, USA, has been retained by leading storage networking development projects, and has been instrumental in providing a facility where interoperable solutions for storage management challenges can be developed. Member companies, systems integrators and end-users find that a 6-12 month engagement at the SNIA Technology Center can bring focus and velocity to their efforts. For more information about renting space in the SNIA Technology Center, USA, please contact SNIA’s Technology Center manager at 719.694.1380, or via email at tcinfo@snia.org.

INTEROPERABILITY TESTING PROGRAMS

- Storage Management Initiative Interoperability Lab (SMI-Lab)
- Conformance Testing Program (CTP) host lab
- Custom solution test beds, configuration testing, and demonstrations
- Plugfests for standards development

FACILITY AT A GLANCE

- 7,500 overall square feet houses both the SNIA’s corporate offices and the Technology Center
- Commercial-grade lab workbenches designed for hands-on technical activities or training scenarios
- Customizable Starline buss delivers up to 100A of 3-Phase power
- 1,500 square feet of climate-controlled compute and equipment space for short or long-term projects
- Private meeting spaces configurable in classroom, conference room or theater-style, seating arrangements
- On-site support staff for stress-free coordination and hosting of your educational, technical or group gathering event

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

- Seminars, workshops and industry-led informational events
- Storage technology training
- SNIA certification and company-specific training courses
- Event hosting for member and non-member training and other company events
- Hands-on lab training, remote hosting for educational training
- Collaboration with leading universities for storage networking academic courses

MEETING PLACES AND MORE

- SNIA Workgroups, Forums, Technical and Steering committee meetings
- SNIA symposia and other events
- Conferences and end-user events
- Multi-company cooperative planning meetings

THE TECHNOLOGY CENTER CHAMPIONS PROGRAM

Member companies and others regularly donate goods and services to keep the SNIA Technology Center running with state-of-the-art equipment and technologies. The SNIA Technology Center Champions program (TCCP) is designed to prominently publicize these donations. If you are interested in becoming a SNIA Technology Center Champion by making a corporate donation, please visit us at www.snia.org/tech_activities/tech_center/champions for more information.
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