

In today's competitive markets, there is only one forum to help you accelerate IMS and NGN service delivery.

The IMS/NGN Forum certifies applications and services to save you time and money now.

IMS/NGN Forum Value

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Who We Are

IMS/NGN Forum is a global non-profit industry association dedicated to the advancement of IP Multimedia Subsystem applications and services interoperability. We are a proactive group of industry leaders, experts and visionaries focused on revenue-generating services and best practices for IMS and M-Play NGN applications convergence. The IMS Forum is the creator and organizer of IMS Plugfest[™], NGN Plugfest[™] and IMS/NGN Certified[™] the industry's only event focused on IMS and NGN services interoperability verification and certification.

Our Mission

IMS/NGN Forum's mission is to accelerate the interoperability of IMS applications and M-Play NGN services, enabling enterprise and residential consumers to quickly benefit from the delivery of quadruple play voice, video, internet and mobile services over broadband via wireless, cable and fixed networks.

IMS applications and services comprise enhanced VoIP, IP Centrex / IP PBX and business unified communications (UC) including fixed-mobile converged services, videoconferencing and web-collaboration, entertainment including IPTV and gaming, IMS NGN networks include GSM, LTE, Femtocell, UMTS, Wi-Fi, WiMAX, DSL, Cable and Optical. Additional focus areas include OSS/BSS, Billing/Charging and Security.

Membership

IMS/NGN Forum members include equipment and software vendors, systems integrators, and service providers delivering cable, wireless, wireline and enterprise solutions. Our members run the gamut from small and medium-sized companies to Fortune 100 enterprises. The common thread is their shared interest in IMS.

IMS/NGN Forum focuses on three main areas:

- IMS/NGN Forum's **Plugfest and technical working groups** are involved in the creation of test plans, whitepapers, best practices and guidelines.
- IMS/NGN Forum's aggressive outbound **marketing** activities consist of press activities, analyst briefings, industry events, speaking engagements, by-lined articles, case studies and more.
- IMS/NGN Forum **Community**, a networking group of IMS NGN software and hardware developers, test and system engineers, and business and marketing managers and executives sharing their knowledge and experience in IMS.



IMS/NGN Plugfests Completed

Plugfest 1

"IMS Infrastructure"

Plugfest 2

"Voice and Multimedia"

Plugfest 3

"A Network of Services"

Plugfest 4

"Triple Play and OSS/BSS"

Plugfest 5

"M-Play NGN Services"

Plugfest 6

"Plan for 4Q2008"

Are you spending too much time and money on interoperability? Learn more about the benefits of Plugfest today.

Call 1.970.262.6100 or email info@IMSForum.org.

IMS/NGN Forum Activities

- Organizing frequent Plugfest events for IMS and NGN applications and services
- Developing a certification program for IMS interfaces including pre-certification in qualified labs
- Growing the IMS and NGN community of developers and business people
- Promoting best practices for technology, business and product requirements, deployment strategies, implementation models and reference architectures
- Providing consultancy and advisory activities for service providers and vendors
- Educating the market through conferences, seminars and whitepapers

Benefits of Membership

IMS/NGN Forum membership offers many valuable benefits including the ability to:

- Verify and certify interoperability, reduce interoperability costs, and accelerate time to market through IMS PlugFest™, NGN Plugfest™, IMS Certified™ participation.
- Receive 50% discount on participation in Plugfest events.
- Gain additional visibility through the IMS/NGN Forum's speakers' bureau, press activities and marketing programs.
- Showcase your company at major telecom, cable and wireless events in North America, Asia and Europe.
- Receive current market and technology information through newsletters, reports and conferences.
- Join an exclusive network of industry professionals, consultants and accredited experts.

Technical, Marketing, Service Providers and Integrators Working Groups

- The employees and executives of our member companies are invited to participate in a variety of working groups and steering committees focused on technology, interoperability/plugfests, service deployments, integration, regulatory issues, education, advisory services, RoI and global marketing.

IMS/NGN Open Community

- IMS/NGN Forum is the only association hosting an open IMS community. For details, please visit our website.

How to Join and Participate

Please visit IMS/NGN Forum at www.IMSForum.org, www.NGNForum.org or call us at 1.970.262.6100 or send an email to info@IMSForum.org. We look forward to your participation.