M-Enabling Summit

Promoting Accessible Technologies and Environments

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M-ENABLING SUMMIT ANNOUNCES 2018 PROGRAM SHOWCASING INNOVATION FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING

BETHESDA, MD (February 7, 2018) – The organizers of the **M-Enabling Summit** are pleased to announce the theme of the 2018 event, *"Accessible and Assistive Technologies Innovations: New Frontiers for Independent Living".* During the past seven years, the **M-Enabling Summit** has established itself a leading global conference for empowering accessible technologies; with its primary focus on next-generation innovation and breakthrough solutions for seniors and users of all abilities.

The **2018 M-Enabling Summit** offers a platform for technology companies to promote accessible products, services and assistive technologies set to change the market. It is a great opportunity to network with accessibility professionals, organizations and decision makers seeking to address compliance challenges and market development opportunities. It is the ideal venue for industry professionals to identify solutions in support of independent living in an interconnected world for persons with disabilities.

The conference, known for featuring high-level speaking panels, will comprise of influencers from both industry and government. Highlighted topics featured in the upcoming edition include: Artificial Intelligence (AI) and robotics; Augmented and Virtual Reality (AR/VR); aging in place: connected health and big data for activity monitoring; digital assistants; accessible security, identification and privacy protection; autonomous mobility; consumer technology products and IoT for independent living; accessible smart cities, higher education and workplaces.

After hosting a successful International Association of Accessibility Professionals (IAAP) Pre-Conference Session at last year's **M-Enabling Summit**; the IAAP Annual Conference has been integrated into the 2018 Summit where they will be offering technical and organizational training tracks throughout the 3-day event.

The conference will also offer an expanded showcase, featuring 40+ exhibitors with enhancing products and services for the market.

The 7th edition of the **M-Enabling Summit** will be held on June 11-13, 2018 at the Renaissance Arlington Capital View Hotel, in Washington, D.C.

For more information on registering for the **M-Enabling Summit**, please visit **http://www.m-enabling.com**

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