RAVE Computer named 2016 Intel Partner of the Year

Sterling Heights, MI — RAVE is proud to announce it has been named the 2016 Partner of the Year by Intel Corporation for its innovation of the MOBILEBEAST VR computer. RAVE is a computer hardware manufacturer that integrates world class solutions that empower the people driving the digital revolution.

RAVE became an Intel® Channel Partner Premier Member in 2005 and was also honored at the 2006 Intel Solutions Summit with the Rookie of the Year Award. Since then we have won Intel® Partner of the Year four more times.

RAVE developed a portable solution to take their photo-realistic rendering and virtual reality demonstrations on the road. We now offer the most powerful small-form-factor workstation in the world. RAVE's liquid-cooled MOBILEBEAST VR system allows you to set up a professional VR studio virtually anywhere.

Working with our technology partners, RAVE designed a portable around the optimal combination of an Intel® Xeon® processor and high-performance graphics. RAVE thoroughly evaluated a wide range of Intel Xeon® E5 processors and found the E5-1650 v4 ideal for most professional VR applications. Although the MOBILEBEAST VR supports all Intel® Xeon® E5 processors, the E5-1650 v4 processor's 6 cores were ideal due to the higher clock speed. Since these processors dissipate up to 145w of power RAVE designed a custom liquid cooling solution to remove heat from our small form factor chassis.

RAVE provides "Quadro SLI" capability in this product, which means we can install two NVIDIA Quadro® professional workstation graphics cards and have them run in sync with each card providing half of the output.

"Creating the MOBILEBEAST VR was a challenging project that the team took very seriously. We are all thrilled to have created such a powerful machine that is also small and portable. In the end, our custom liquid cooling system was the key to enabling the level of performance and reliability we're now delivering to professional VR users around the country," Karl Rosenberger, Director of Product Development, RAVE Computer.

About the Intel Partner of the Year Program

The Intel Technology Provider Platinum partner Awards are divided into multiple categories in two divisions; the best all-around technology Platform or Solution. Under the Platform category which encompasses designing or building a hardware system to be sold to a reseller/end customer; RAVE won in the PC Client Platform category. Pictured in the image: Jake Tatel, Director of OSC Americas - Intel; Greg Baur, VP SMG & Regional Sales, GM Americas - Intel; Sara Blackmer, Vice President / General Manager - RAVE Computer; Karl Rosenberger, Director of Prod. Development - RAVE Computer; Ricardo Moreno, VP – SMG, WW Programs - Intel; Rick Darter, CEO & President - RAVE Computer.

About RAVE Computer

Founded in 1988, RAVE is a technology consultant and computer manufacturer providing Commercial Off-The-Shelf (COTS) and custom engineered solutions optimized to specific customer requirements. From modified standard computer systems to fully custom integration solutions, our team consults with our clients on a one-on-one basis to provide purpose-built computer solutions. RAVE is committed to consistently providing our customers with quality products and services. It is our commitment that every component in each system we build is rigorously tested prior to shipment/delivery to ensure hardware/software compatibility and reliability. RAVE is ITAR certified, and is ISO 9001:2008 certified with state-of-the-art ESD-certified facilities to ensure the highest level of quality. Visit rave.com for more information.

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