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Team San Jose and the Electronic Design Automation Consortium partner for the EDA industry's 2009 CEO Forecast & Industry Vision event – January 14, 2009

SAN JOSE, California, January 8, 2009 – Team San Jose announces their partnership and support of the 2009 Electronic Design Automation (EDA) Consortium CEO Forecast and Industry Vision panel event on January 14, 2009. During this major industry event four corporate level executives will discuss trends affecting the EDA industry and offer insights on growth for the upcoming year. This distinguished panel, moderated by technology correspondent Don Clark of the Wall Street Journal, will include the following executives:

- Aart de Geus, chairman and CEO of Synopsys, Inc.
- Rajeev Madhavan, chairman & CEO of Magma Design Automation
- Walden C. Rhines, chairman and CEO of Mentor Graphics Corporation
- Chris Rowen, founder & CTO of Tensilica, Inc.

“Though our individual member companies determine their specific goals for success, EDA Consortium members have always worked together toward common goals that benefit the industry as a whole,” said Robert Gardner, executive director of the EDA Consortium. “EDA executives invest their time and their companies’ resources in EDAC for this common cause to give a voice and resource to its community. This annual event is one way it supports this mission to provide insight applicable to the future success of Electronic Design Automation industry.”

“As the capital of Silicon Valley and center for innovation and creativity, San Jose is thrilled to partner with the EDA Consortium,” said Dan Fenton, President and CEO of the San Jose Convention and Visitors Bureau and Team San Jose.

This jointly supported event provides value to top executives in the Electronic Design Automation sector and supports leadership and innovation in the field. This panel will present their wisdom for rising above the looming adversities in pursuit of advancement that will continue to benefit all members of the Electronic Design Automation community.

This event typically sells out. Please reserve your seat soon by registering online at:
<http://www.edac.org/events09/ceoForecast/index.jsp>

The event details are as follows:

When: Wednesday, January 14, 2009

Where: San Jose Convention Center
408 Almaden Boulevard
San Jose, CA 95110

Agenda: Reception 6 PM
Panel 7 PM
Q&A (30 Min.) 8 PM

Cost: No charge for EDA Consortium members, OCP-IP members and the press.
Admission is \$50 for non-members, payable at the door or online.

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