

InterKnowlogy Recognized as Winner of Microsoft's Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences Innovation Awards 2008

Carlsbad, CA — June 25, 2008 — InterKnowlogy today announced it is a winner of Microsoft Corp.'s Pharmaceutical and Life Sciences Innovation Awards 2008 in the Clinical Development category.

The awards, announced at the Drug Information Association's (DIA) annual meeting in Boston, were given in recognition of innovative solutions in the pharmaceutical and life sciences industry. The awards honor companies that have demonstrated the best use of Microsoft-based solutions for breakthroughs in business processes and practices in the areas of clinical development, discovery and product innovation, and sales and marketing.

The Scripps Research Institute and InterKnowlogy designed a custom solution using Microsoft .NET Framework 3.0, Windows Vista, and Microsoft Office SharePoint Server 2007 to display cellular, molecular and atomic levels in 2D and 3D, while providing tools for annotations. The result was a newfound ability to link multiple kinds of data to an image, making it easier and faster to send information from experiments across the organization. Researchers now spend less time searching for data and more time developing potential treatment solutions.

"This award means a great deal to all of us here at InterKnowlogy. We have all been touched by the illness of family and friends, and to design a solution that facilitates streamlined research processes that will ultimately shorten time to diagnose and the assignment of well-paired treatments is just phenomenal. To be able to support the incredible actions in Dr. Kuhn's labs, and to work with a team who shares our passion for the Microsoft stack of products and their potential, helps us all to push the boundaries – in technology, for our team, and in the area of modern scientific research for Peter's." says Emilie Hersh, Chief Operations Officer.

Dr. Peter Kuhn, Professor of Cell Biology, TSRI, says "It is a great honor to be recognized in such a broad competition. Clearly, the approach of exploiting customized off the shelf software and put it to use in a complex research environment has been of great benefit to us in the laboratory already. We are taking this approach forward to the next level of interactive 3D Wiki's on protein molecules and cells in our cancer research program. We believe that we can enable people to work together more effectively in our quest to understand cancer and find cures for the disease."

Award participants consisted of worldwide life sciences corporations in biotechnology, diagnostics, medical equipment and devices, pharmaceuticals, animal health, nutritional products and consumer health products. Winners were selected by an esteemed panel of industry experts and will be highlighted on the Microsoft Web site at <http://www.microsoft.com/lifesciences>.

InterKnowlogy is a Gold Certified Microsoft Partner specializing in the development of unique custom solutions utilizing the latest technologies across the Microsoft stack, many of which are pre-release versions. Coupled with a broad base of industry-related experiences, InterKnowlogy delivers innovative solutions to its customers and truly partners with each to help realize their business potential. At InterKnowlogy we consider our people our product and we employ the best and brightest in all aspects of our business. Our people are not only exceptional at what they do; they have a passion about technology that is unparalleled.

The Scripps Research Institute is one of the world's largest, private, nonprofit research organizations, internationally recognized for its research into immunology, molecular and cellular biology, chemistry, neurosciences, and other basic biomedical research. The Institute hosts more than 2,800 researchers in its La Jolla facility but maintains research relationships with dozens of scientists around the world.

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