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THE 7TH CARIBBEAN INTERNET FORUM

Building a Caribbean Broadband Platform for Regional Development
Kingston, Jamaica | November 25-26, 2009



The Mona School of Business, University of the West Indies and the Caribbean Internet Forum's Board of Directors are pleased to invite you to register and participate in the 7th Annual Caribbean Internet Forum to be held in Kingston, Jamaica, November 25-26, 2009. This solutions-oriented two-day conference will be convened under the theme *'Building a Caribbean Broadband Platform for Regional Development'* and will bring together regional service providers, business leaders, government policy-makers, regulators as well as policy and practice leaders in information and communication technologies, telecommunications, Internet service provision and media.

The Caribbean Internet Forum (CIF) is a regional visioning and planning conference designed to generate strategic responses to pressing market, policy and technology issues related to the Internet. This year's conference will explore innovative ideas to expand effective use of Broadband and ICTs for social and economic development in the Caribbean, drawing on the experience of local, regional and global specialists. Expert presentations will focus on such issues as:

- The Future of the Internet in the Caribbean and the Semantic Web
- Building National and Regional Infrastructures – Public and Private Sector Roles
- Policy and Regulatory Frameworks for Broadband – Creating Responsive Regimes
- Government and Community Information Networks
- Economic Impacts of Broadband on Business and Public Sector Processes
- Application Performance Issues on Broadband Networks
- Cyber Crimes and Internet Security
- GPS, GIS and Spatial Architectures

**Hosted by the Telecommunications Policy and Management (TPM) Programme, Mona School of Business,
The University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica**

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