

## DOCOMO Beijing Labs Receives Awards from UNITeD Forum and FuTURE Forum

In March 2011, DOCOMO Beijing Communications Laboratories (hereinafter referred to as "DOCOMO Beijing Labs") received the "Best Supporter" award from China's Ubiquitous Networks Industry & Technology Development (UNITeD) Forum.

Against the backdrop of the "Sensing China" national strategy to develop the information technology of the future, and with the support of the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology and the China Communication Standards Association (CCSA), the UNITeD Forum was founded on the 28th of April 2010. This forum works as a platform for submitting proposals to Government, coordinating resources and industry penetration, in the areas of technological research into ubiquitous networking, standardization promotion, product development, systems integration and exploiting applications and services in China.

The UNITeD Forum consists of three technological working groups and three application working groups. DOCOMO Beijing Labs received the "Best Supporter" award in recognition of its contributions including its participation in the management of the forum and working groups since the forum's establishment and presentations made at the international forum hosted by UNITeD.

DOCOMO Beijing Labs also received the "Five-Year Special Contributive Members" award by the Future Technologies for Universal Radio Environment (FuTURE) Forum. This award is in recognition of DOCOMO Beijing Labs' substantial technological contributions to the white papers and the forum journals published in the five years since the forum's establishment, presentations delivered in various technological discussion groups held by the

forum, and participation in forum activities. At the same time, Dr. Chen Lan from DOCOMO Beijing Labs received a "Shining Individuals" award in recognition of her contributions including working group management and planning, and white paper editing.

The FuTURE Forum was established in October 2005 as an open environment for discussion on China's future mobile communications technologies. The organization is associated with national projects for next-generation mobile communications and CCSA. The results from the activities including seminars, white papers and journals held and published by the forum are used in these organizations, and in recent years the forum has been taking proactive steps to engage in technical discussions with Japan, Sweden, Finland and other countries.

DOCOMO Beijing Labs will continue to contribute to the activities of both the UNITeD Forum and the FuTURE Forum, (Dr. Suda, president and CEO of DOCOMO Beijing Labs, is a deputy director of both forums), while deepening technological exchange with the local universities, carriers, vendors and government research institutions. And the labs will contribute to build a consensus for standardization of the coming LTE-Advanced and M2M technologies etc., as well as contributing to the collaborative relationship between Japan and China in developing future mobile communications technologies.



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