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Free-to-attend networking sessions (for end users) in London, Video PR from just £395 pm, etc

I hope you had a relaxing Easter break... here is a quick update for you:

Quarterly Networking Events: The DATACENTRE.ME networking sessions in central London are going from strength to strength. We have both the Q3 & Q4 events lined up as follows:

Q3 2014: "**Data Centre Connectivity**" networking session, Thursday 3rd July

We are delighted to have already secured five sponsors for this event:

- * Level 3 Communications www.level3.com
- * Geo Networks www.geo-uk.net
- * Huber+Suhner www.hubersuhner.com
- * Surf Telcoms www.surftelecoms.co.uk
- * Emulex <http://www.emulex.com/>

With a maximum of six sponsors per event, this leaves just ONE remaining sponsorship opportunity for July so please let us know asap if you'd like to discuss options...

Q4 2014: "**Data Centre Design & Build**" networking session, Thursday 23rd October

Workspace Technology www.workspace-technology.com have already confirmed that they will be sponsoring this event - we have several other companies in the process of confirming their participation so don't delay in letting us know if you'd like to consider the same opportunity.

Who May Register to Attend These Events? As these networking sessions are fully funded by our sponsors, they are open to senior level decision makers within END USER organisations only. This means those within senior management directly involved with or influencing the day to day running of data centre operations & infrastructure within their business / their clients' business(es). Tickets are also available for senior level VENDOR-NEUTRAL consultants and installers within the data centre sector. If this is you and you are interested in attending any of our future events, please contact me directly or add your name and contact details to the waiting list(s) using the event links above. If, on the other hand, you represent a vendor / manufacturer / supplier organisation, you will probably have to consider sponsorship of the events and / or our website in order to secure tickets. Please ask for more details.

In the meantime, this brief 90 second video (filmed by our good friend John Allard) will give you a great feel for our events

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NA5CWWY31Ts>

Further details regarding DATACENTRE.ME events (past, present & future) can be found here <http://www.datacentre.me/content/free-to-attend-networking-events-41524.htm>

On another note, we are delighted to welcome Geo Networks who have not only signed up to sponsor July's DC connectivity event but also as Platinum website Sponsors:

About Geo Networks: Geo is the only company in the UK to focus solely on the design, build and operate of bespoke dedicated fibre network solutions. Geo's revolutionary and flexible approach means that for the first time, organisations can own and control their networks, ensuring that security, high bandwidth and resilience are guaranteed.

By allowing its customers to directly own and control the underlying optical fibre that is at the heart of their data network, Geo is the only truly open access network provider in the UK. It provides an extensive range of solutions including fully managed networks, dark fibre and co-location services. Geo enables network solutions in the London area and throughout the UK with onward connectivity to Ireland through the newest diverse optical fibre subsea system, the East-West Ring.

Customers include media companies, service providers, major banks, carriers, data centres and gaming organisations.

Geo won 'Fixed Network Infrastructure Innovation' in the GTB Innovation Awards 2013 and 'IT Vendor of the Year' in the 2012 eGR B2B Awards, was a finalist in the 2011 UK Customer Experience Awards and listed in the Deloitte Technology Fast 50 list for 2011.

Visit www.geo-uk.net or follow [@geonetworks](https://twitter.com/geonetworks) for more information or contact Mandy Moss, Head of Marketing: mandy.moss@geo-uk.net / +44 (0) 203 326 9554

Video News PR: We have a new wave of video news PR to share with you here, including some breaking news for the industry <http://www.datacentre.me/content/what%E2%80%99s-on-dcn-tv?-41522.htm> - you too can benefit from this service from an unbelievably low £395 per month - more details on the same link.

Events / Media Partnerships:

- IXcellerate & BSO VODKA & BLINIS EVENING, 5-8pm, Tuesday 29 April in central London - if you are interested in attending, please contact Anna or Victoria on +44 (0) 203 282 7185 or via email events@ixcellerate.com - I'll be there so do let me know if you're going too!
- Smart Data Summit 19-20 May 2014 - Dubai
<http://www.datacentre.me/news/smart-data-summit-19-20-may-2014-dubai-3820.htm>
- Action and Analytics for Big Data in Financial Services 9-10 June 2014 - London
<http://www.datacentre.me/news/action-and-analytics-for-big-data-in-financial-services-9-10-june-2014-london-3925.htm>
- DATACENTRE TRANSFORMATION CONFERENCE 8 July 2014 - Manchester
<http://www.datacentre.me/news/data-centre-transformation-conference-8th-july-2014-manchester-4129.htm>
- Big Data Word Show Malaysia 2014 & CIO World Show Malaysia 9-10 September 2014 - Dubai
<http://bigdataworldshow.com/dubai2014/>

For a full list of international DC & Cloud related events, please visit <http://www.datacentre.me/info/events.asp>. Please let us know of any events that you would like us to add to this list.

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- * Critical Power Supplies www.criticalpowersupplies.co.uk
- * Riello UPS Ltd www.riello-ups.co.uk
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- * Raritan Europe www.raritan.eu
- * Starline www.starlinepower.com
- * EcoCooling www.ecocooling.co.uk
- * Bracknell Data Centre www.bracknelldc.com
- * Perivale Data Centre www.perivaledc.com
- * Stulz UK www.stulz.co.uk
- * Sunspeed Transport Services www.sunspeed.co.uk
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- * Constant Power Services www.constantpowerservices.com
- * Thamesgate Group www.thamesgate.com
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- * Excool www.excool.co.uk
- * C4L www.c4l.co.uk
- * Methode www.methode.com
- * CenturyLink Technology Solutions www.centurylinktechnology.com
- * Geo Networks www.geo-uk.net

Thanks for reading - we hope you find this information useful!

Have a great weekend!

Best regards from Caroline & the DATACENTRE.ME team.

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