

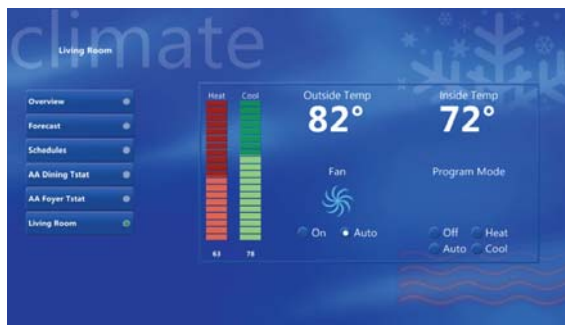
A WINNING Combination

Recognizing the electronics industry's top products and installers, the CEA's Mark of Excellence Awards singles out the very best.

Some things mean more than others. In the world of awards, a good example can be found in the movie industry, which boasts the Screen Actors Guild (SAG) awards and the Academy of Motion Picture and Arts and Sciences' Oscar awards. We all know which of these awards people remember most. With that said, the Consumer Electronics Association's (CEA) Mark of Excellence Awards (MOE) are the electronics industry's version of the Oscars. The MOEs mean more than any other industry association award and they represent the best the electronics and installation professionals the industry has to offer. —Robert Archer



System Integrator of the Year
Ambiance Systems, Clifton Park, N.Y.
 | CEA Tech Home Division president Jay McLellan (top, at left) presents the System Integrator of the Year award to Jennifer and Marc Leidig of Ambiance Systems of Clifton Park, N.Y. Dedicated home theater (at right) are among the integrated technologies designed and installed by Ambiance Systems.



Best Human Interface
Exceptional Innovation | Lifeware 1.0.2



Best Structured Wiring Distribution Devices
Impact Acoustics
 | RapidRun Digital



Best Wireless Products
Crestron
 | Isys i/O WiFi



Best Audio Components
NuVo Technologies
 | M3 Music Server

Luxury Home of the Year
Electronics Design Group
 Piscataway, N.J.
Shore to Please Project



Best Speakers
KEF | Ci3-80QT



THE BEST OF THE BEST

During a ceremony that took place at the Electronic House Expo (EHX) on Friday, March 9, the CEA singled out the best products, installations and installers that were a part of the industry in 2006. Here is the complete list of 2007 Mark of Excellence winners:

Category	Company Name	Entry Name	Company Website
Best Suppliers			
Audio Components	NuVo Technologies, Inc.	NV-M3 Music Server	www.nuvotechnologies.com
Distributed Audio/Video	Crestron	Adagio Entertainment System	www.crestron.com
Human Interface	Exceptional Innovation	Lifeware 1.0.2	www.exceptionalinnovation.com
Installation Products	VizionWare	Hi-Wirez Active HDMI Digital Interconnects	www.vizionware.com
Integrated Systems	Superna	Superna Digital Home	www.supernasystems.com
IP-based Products	Crestron	Isys i/O WiFi	www.crestron.com
Lighting Controls	Monster Cable Products, Inc.	Home Theater/Lighting Controller 300, IlluminEssence Lighting	www.monstercable.com
Media Servers	CodexNovus	HDCodex DML-1600	www.codexnovus.com
Media Servers	Kaleidescape, Inc.	The Kaleidescape 1U Server/Entry Level System	www.kaleidescape.com
Speakers	KEF	KEF Ci3-80QT	www.kef.com
Structured Wiring Distr. Devices	Impact Acoustics	RapidRun Digital	www.impactacoustics.com
Video Components	Kaleidescape, Inc.	The Kaleidescape Movie Player 2	www.kaleidescape.com
Video Displays	Optoma Technology, Inc.	HD81 Projector and Video Processor	www.optomausa.com
Wireless Products	Crestron	Isys i/O WiFi	www.crestron.com
Best Training and Support Programs			
Training and Support Programs	ELAN Home Systems	ELAN Dealer Support Programs	www.elanhomesystems.com
Best Systems Integrator			
Home Theater/Media Room	Home Systems	Home Basement Renovation/Theater Project	www.homesystemsusa.com
Lighting Control Project	Sound Solutions	Altamira Project	www.soundsolutions.com
Innovation Award	SETNET	Steve Smith's Lou Gehrig's Project	www.setnetpro.com
Production Home of the Year	Link Your House	Carter Grove Plantation Project	www.linkyourhouse.com
Home of the Year	Sawyers Control Systems	Payne Residence Project	www.sawyerscontrols.com
Luxury Home of the Year	Electronics Design Group	Shore to Please Project	www.EDGonline.com
Ultimate Home of the Year	Sound Solutions	Altamira Project	www.soundsolutions.com
System Integrator of the Year			
System Integrator of the Year	Ambiance Systems		www.ambiancesystems.com