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Jussi Kiviniemi: Lifetime Achievement Award

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We recognize Jussi Kiviniemi with this Lifetime Achievement Award for a career that has materially improved how the world designs, validates, and troubleshoots Wi-Fi networks.

Over roughly 20 years in wireless, he's helped shape the tools and practices many of us rely on, contributing to Wi-Fi planning and design innovation at Ekahau, sharing hard-earned expertise through community education, and later bringing that same engineer-first mindset into modern, cloud-era thinking as Founder of Hamina Wireless.

His work has consistently been about turning complexity into clarity, helping practitioners model reality, make better decisions faster, and ultimately deliver better Wi-Fi outcomes for the people who depend on our networks every day.

Jussi's lifetime impact isn't only measured in features shipped or workflows improved, it's also measured in the people he elevates.

He has built a reputation for creating teams and cultures where respect is baked-in, quality is a point of pride, and work is something you can genuinely feel energized about in the morning. Leadership that people want to be part of is rare.

For advancing our craft and strengthening our community, we are proud to honor Jussi Kiviniemi with this Lifetime Achievement Award.

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