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FiRa Announces 2025–2026 Board Officers and Working Group Chairs

New leadership team to guide UWB innovation, standardization, and global adoption

Beaverton, OR, August 26, 2025 – The FiRa® Consortium, dedicated to the development and promotion of interoperable Ultra-Wideband (UWB) technology, is proud to announce its 2025–2026 Board officers and Working Group Chairs. This leadership team reflects FiRa’s commitment to cross-industry collaboration and technological advancement in the UWB ecosystem.

The newly appointed Board officers and Working Group Chairs will help steer the consortium’s strategic priorities, drive innovation, and strengthen initiatives across key areas such as certification, regulatory engagement, marketing, research, and security.

FiRa Board Officers

- SK Yong (Apple, Inc) – Board Chair
- Luc Darmon (Qorvo, Inc.) – Board Vice-Chair
- Ramesh Songukrishnasamy (HID) – Treasurer

FiRa Working Group Chairs

Certification & Compliance

- Michael Stark, NXP Semiconductors
- Jieun Keum, Samsung Electronics

Marketing

- Benjamin Guilloud, Qorvo, Inc.

Regulatory

- Dries Neiryneck, Qorvo, Inc.
- Tobias Vieracker – Apple Inc.

Requirements

- Frank Dawidowsky, Sony
- Srivathsa Masthi Parthasarathi, NXP Semiconductors

Security

- Hugues de Perthuis, NXP Semiconductors
- Raj Munjuluri, Infineon Technologies

Technical

- Brian Redding, Qualcomm, Inc.
- Dominic Pirker, Infineon Technologies

Core Sub Group

- Rojan Chitrakar, Huawei Technologies
- Guillaume Vivier, Qorvo, Inc.

Framework & Profiles Sub Group

- Anders Mellqvist, Sony
- Dominic Pirker, Infineon Technologies

Leadership Perspective

“As UWB expands into new sectors, FiRa’s role in promoting global interoperability is more important than ever,” said SK Yong, Chair of the FiRa Consortium Board. “This leadership team is well-positioned to drive the next phase of ecosystem growth. Together, we’ll continue shaping the future of secure, precise, and interoperable UWB technology.”

About FiRa Consortium

The FiRa Consortium is a member-driven organization dedicated to transforming the way we interact with our environment by enabling precise location awareness for people and devices using the secured fine-ranging and positioning capabilities of Ultra-Wideband (UWB) technology. FiRa does this by driving the development of technical specifications and certification, advocating for effective regulations, and by defining a broad set of use cases for UWB. To learn more about UWB and the FiRa Consortium, visit www.firaconsortium.org.

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