



FiberSense wins coveted Innovation Prize at CommsDay Annual Awards Ceremony

World leading Australian software technology company, FiberSense, has taken out the hotly contested innovation award at the recent Annual CommsDay Awards dinner. FiberSense won in the Best Innovation Category for its Internet of Things/machine2machine technology.

In accepting the award, CEO and Founder, **Mark Englund** said “winning the award is a further validation of the game changing technology that the FiberSense team is pioneering. This last year has seen our services activated across fiber networks in Europe, the Americas, Australia and across subsea cables linking major continents. Our customer numbers grew strongly as the market gathers a better appreciation of the use cases for our patented Distributed Acoustic Sensing software. We are delighted that the CommsDay Award judging panel recognised our software innovations so highly given the quality of other nominees.”

The judging panel noted the FiberSense DigitalAsset service provides detection, prevention and mitigation features to protect cable networks and other underground critical utility assets by providing customers:

- Early warning/detection to identify and prevent potential fiber cable strikes before they happen
- Real time condition monitoring to enhance maintenance
- Integration with “dial before you dig” services to deter damage around fiber cables
- Capture seismic data for assisting rapid response to damage from earthquake events
- Explore smart city and vehicle tracking use cases for clients’ network as a massive sensor array.

Past finalists and winners for the category have included Telstra, Vodafone and Cisco.

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ABOUT FIBER SENSE www.fiber-sense.com

Fiber Sense Ltd was formed to dramatically improve everyone’s experience in public spaces by adding a new level of real time and historical awareness of anonymised objects and events in public spaces. The team at FiberSense invented and patented a new class of sensor system over optical fiber cable infrastructure called Vibration Detection and Ranging. FiberSense technology sits at the intersection of optical fiber sensing, integrated photonics, machine learning and optical fiber telecoms networks. They bring these capabilities together in a digital platform that can be sampled at www.fiber-sense.com