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The Wireless Infrastructure Association (WIA) and the Radio Club of America (RCA) Announce New Partnership

(November 28, 2022) The Wireless Infrastructure Association (WIA) and the Radio Club of America (RCA) today announced a new partnership designed to further the goals of both organizations through RCA's participation in WIA's annual [Connect \(X\)](#) trade show and utilization of WIA's dynamic online learning program, the Telecommunications Education Center (TEC)

"WIA, through its Connect (X) trade show, brings together the major infrastructure ecosystem players that make 21st Century ubiquitous wireless connectivity available to all," said WIA's Vice President of Partnerships and Development, Jason Nelson. "RCA's strategic initiatives in investing in youth and women, wireless education, and mentoring assistance to those starting wireless careers align exactly with WIA's strategic goals, and we are thrilled to have them at this year's Connect (X) in [New Orleans](#). We look forward to working with RCA on these and other initiatives in the future."

RCA President John Facella said, "WIA is an excellent partner for RCA, because WIA represents the important future of wireless in 5G and 6G technologies. RCA has always been at the forefront of developments in wireless, and our partnership with WIA will help to continue that. WIA has a wonderful wireless training library in their Telecommunications Education Center (TEC), which will be available to RCA members. This will help facilitate RCA's important initiatives in education, mentoring, and career development. RCA welcomes WIA as a new partner."

[About WIA:](#)

The Wireless Infrastructure Association (WIA) represents the businesses that build, develop, own, and operate the nation's wireless infrastructure. WIA advocates for the widespread, responsible deployment of wireless infrastructure to enable mobile broadband for communities everywhere.

[About Connect \(X\):](#)

Connect (X) is the only business technology event in North America that unites the industry stakeholders who deliver infrastructure solutions for ubiquitous connectivity. As the connectivity industry continues to develop and devices evolve with more computing power, the focus shifts to the infrastructure to support 5G. The next wave of deployment will require an expanded community of network infrastructure – public and private – to usher in a new era of universal broadband applications and services to anyone, anywhere, in real-time.

[About RCA:](#)

RCA (the Radio Club of America) is the oldest, most prestigious group of wireless communications professionals in the world. Members are dedicated to the wireless art and science for the betterment of society. RCA is a 501(c)(3) organization. For more information, visit **www.radioclubofamerica.org**.