Savant Recognized with Key Industry Awards at the 2019 CEDIA Expo

Savant's culture of innovation acknowledged for groundbreaking products that have created opportunities for integrators and transformed the smart home experience for consumers

HYANNIS, MASS. — **September 18th, 2019** — Savant[®], a leader in smart home technology, was honored with four prestigious awards at the 2019 CEDIA Expo in Denver, CO. The awards recognize Savant for contributing significant innovations to the luxury smart home market, providing new and exciting opportunities for integration professionals while changing the smart home experience for end-users.

CEDIA Hall of Fame Award—Savant TrueImage™

The CEDIA Hall of Fame Award honors products that have had a significant positive impact on the CEDIA community. In 2016, Savant was honored with a Hall of Fame Award with the Savant Pro Host, and in 2017, the Savant System 12 was awarded for breaking new ground in the smart home market. This year, the Savant TrueImage user experience has been honored. Perhaps one of Savant's most visually stunning innovations, TrueImage enables users to control their lighting from any Savant control system interface directly from a photographic image of the room. Simply touch a light to turn it on/off/dim.

CEDIA Best New Product Award—Breaker Companion Modules

Savant has been awarded a CEDIA best new product award for their Breaker-Companion Modules, which provide energy and lighting control with built-in utility-grade energy monitoring, data on historical energy usage and dynamic control throughout the home. The Breaker-Companion Modules and Dynamic Load Management features provide energy management functionality at the individual load level throughout the home. These innovative modules have been designed to fit into standard electrical panels, eliminating the need for proprietary panel solutions. Savant's Breaker-Companion modules are also compatible with Apple HomeKit. There has never been a smart home solution like the Breaker-Companion Modules, engineered to deliver monitoring, control and energy management all from a compact, easy to install form factor.

CEDIA Best of Show—IP-based Apple integration

Savant's IP-based integration with Apple TV enables users to enjoy intuitive control of media player commands such as (PLAY, PAUSE, STOP, UP/DOWN/LEFT/RIGHT, SELECT/MENU, ETC.) as well as the HOME SCREEN and NOW PLAYING features. This new functionality, which includes Apple HomeKit integration with select smart home devices, represents one of the most requested features for this product by both consumers and integrators. Using the Savant Pro Remote with its powerful voice engine, users can enjoy push-to-talk voice control via Siri. Having already delivered native integrations with Google Home and Amazon Alexa voice assistants, Savant users will now also have access to Siribased voice control of Apple TV using the Savant Pro Remote. Savant users can now simply command Siri to find a movie, an album, an artist, playlist, streaming service and more.

CE Pro BEST Award—Breaker Companion Modules

CE Pro BEST Awards recognize the most noteworthy new products and technologies each year at CEDIA Expo. Entries were judged on innovation, functionality, competitive advantages and benefits to the installer by a dozen credible industry leaders, along with the editors of CE Pro. Savant's Breaker Companion Modules have been acknowledged by CE Pro BEST judges in 2019.

"Savant is honored to have been recognized by the AV industry at CEDIA Expo 2019," said Savant CEO Bob Madonna. "The response to our many new products at the show combined with these awards help validate the company's commitment to evolve and enhance the smart home experience for both the integrator and the end-user."

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About Savant: Savant Systems, LLC is a recognized leader in home control and automation, and one of the fastest-growing smart home companies in the luxury and mid-markets. Savant's powerful Pro technology brings together the four pillars of automation – climate, lighting, entertainment and energy – together in a single application interface for the homeowner. This comprehensive whole-home control system, available through iOS and Android, delivers the premiere experience in all of home automation and is available through Magnolia Design Centers and Savant's global network of Authorized Integrators. Learn more at <u>www.savant.com</u>.

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