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ION PRESENTS EARLY ACHIVEMENT AWARD

The Institute of Navigation presents Dr. José Ángel Ávila Rodríguez with the Early Achievement Award

Manassas Virginia, February 4, 2010 - The Institute of Navigation (ION) presented its Early Achievement Award to Dr. José Ángel Ávila Rodríguez at the ION International Technical Meeting (ITM) 2010 in San Diego, California, January 25-27, 2010.

Dr. Rodríguez was recognized for his remarkable contributions to the design of the Galileo frequency and signal plan and for his sustained technical work on compatibility and interoperability among GNSS systems.

As a research engineer at the Institute of Geodesy and Navigation, University FAF Munich, Dr. Rodríguez is responsible for research activities on GNSS signals, Galileo evolution, interoperability and compatibility.

The Early Achievement Award recognizes an individual early in his or her career who has made an outstanding achievement in the art and science of navigation.

The ION Annual Awards Program is sponsored by The Institute of Navigation (ION) to recognize individuals making significant contributions or demonstrating outstanding performance relating to the art and science of navigation.

About ION

The Institute of Navigation is the world's premier professional society dedicated to the advancement of the art and science of positioning, navigation and timing. The Institute is a national organization whose membership spans worldwide. Additional information about the ION can be found at <http://www.ion.org>.

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