AvePoint Announces that Partner DocPoint Solutions is First to Receive ACE Certification

AvePoint's new ACE (AvePoint Certified Expert) Program provides partners with formal, in-depth training on AvePoint's best-of-breed software solutions for SharePoint infrastructure management

Jersey City, NJ – October __, 2009 – AvePoint, the leading provider of Infrastructure Management Software solutions for Microsoft SharePoint, today announced that DocPoint Solutions is the first of its partners to complete the AvePoint Certified Expert (ACE) training program. As a result of this training, DocPoint Solutions, a provider of SharePoint consulting, training, and deployment services throughout the mid-Atlantic United States, are fully fluent in the various products AvePoint offers, and can provide its clients with comprehensive consulting on AvePoint solutions.

"We're very excited to have DocPoint certified through our ACE Program", said Tom Lin, Vice President of Strategic Alliances at AvePoint. "DocPoint has been providing expert SharePoint consulting services and support to Mid-Altantic commercial and Federal government customers for several years, and now they can provide clients with comprehensive, technical guidance about the industry's most powerful SharePoint infrastructure management solutions."

The ACE program provides AvePoint partners with in-depth training on AvePoint product installation and configuration, as well as how to fully leverage its various tools for SharePoint data protection, reporting, storage optimization, archiving, auditing, administration, and migration. Partners seeking ACE certification must attend a series of live or web-enabled training sessions, and pass both an online and oral examination. The more comprehensive Technical-ACE certification demands additional technical training and requires the participant to deliver a technical presentation to AvePoint engineers.

DocPoint consultant Justin Brown was the first to complete AvePoint's training program, receiving the Technical-ACE certification on September 23, 2009. In addition to learning about DocAve's 22 independently-deployable modules, Justin also received one-on-one training from AvePoint's engineers.

"AvePoint is a great suite of products and this in-depth training enables my team to better serve our clients needs", said Mark McGovern, Manager of Solutions at DocPoint. "Going forward, the ACE program will continue to serve as a critical component of DocPoint's training framework, and will serve to help us assist businesses as they optimize their SharePoint environments."

To learn more about AvePoint's ACE Training Programs, please contact Tom Lin at Tom.Lin@avepoint.com

To learn more about AvePoint's infrastructure management solutions for SharePoint, please visit the AvePoint website at: http://www.avepoint.com/

To learn more about DocPoint Solutions' consulting and training services, please visit the DocPoint Solutions website at: www.docpointsolutions.com/

About AvePoint

AvePoint is proud to be a U.S. based technology company and software innovator. Since 2001, AvePoint has been a global leader in enterprise-strength infrastructure management solutions for all Microsoft SharePoint Products and Technologies. Propelled by one of the world's largest SharePoint-exclusive development teams outside of Microsoft, AvePoint's award-winning DocAve Software Platform delivers comprehensive and flexible infrastructure support for backup and recovery, replication, migration, administration, archiving, deployment management, and compliance.

AvePoint's pioneering technology pilots the products of OEM partners such as NetApp and IBM. With headquarters, research facilities, and engineering centers in Jersey City, NJ, and wholly owned engineering centers and sales offices in San Jose, Los Angeles, Chicago, Washington D.C., and Houston, USA; London, UK; Melbourne, Australia; Tokyo, Japan; Singapore; and

Changchun and Dalian, China, AvePoint serves over 5000 enterprise customers, including many Fortune-500 companies. Winner of the Best of Tech Ed award for "Best SharePoint Product" in 2008, AvePoint is a Managed Gold Certified Microsoft Partner and GSA Certified Provider.

About DocPoint Solutions, Inc.

DocPoint Solutions is a Microsoft Gold Certified Partner that specializes in implementing, training, and supporting Microsoft Office SharePoint and its integrated suite of products. With a focus on Enterprise Content Management (ECM) and document capture, the company provides a full range of consultative services and support to a wide range of federal, state, and local governments, as well as private and commercial enterprises seeking to fully utilize the inherent value of Microsoft SharePoint. The company is located in the heart of the Washington, D.C. and Baltimore technology corridor in Fulton, Maryland. For more information, call 301-490-7725 or visit www.docpointsolutions.com.

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