



NVM Express, Inc. Holds Its First All-Member Meeting

WAKEFIELD, Mass. – June 10, 2015 – [NVM Express, Inc.](#), the organization that developed the NVM Express specification for accessing solid-state drives (SSDs) on a PCI Express (PCIe) bus, held its first members meeting on April 30 in San Jose. Capping a year of energetic growth and accomplishment since the group's incorporation, the successful event attracted more than 130 participants. Member company representatives came together in person to hear about what has been happening with NVM Express and what is planned for the future.

NVM Express working groups and committees met during the first part of the day, and the plenary session, with speakers from a number of member firms, took place in the afternoon. Both technical and marketing working groups discussed NVMe futures and roadmap planning for 2016. Afterwards, attendees were able to mix and mingle at a "Networking Mixer," where several NVM Express member companies demonstrated their products.

"We have all worked very hard this past year to build a foundation of success for NVM Express, and this members' meeting has been an opportunity for us both to look back at milestones reached and to look to the future, sharing plans and goals," said NVMe President Amber Huffman. "And, not incidentally, it was an excellent occasion for getting to know others in the NVMe community. We are already making plans to repeat this event."

About NVM Express

NVM Express is the optimized, high-performance, scalable host controller interface with a streamlined register interface and command set designed for non-volatile memory based storage. NVM Express was developed as a standard to reduce latency and provide faster performance with support for security and end-to-end data protection. The first NVM Express products began shipping in 2014 and have demonstrated up to six times greater 4KB Random and Sequential Read/Write performance, and lower latency than SATA solid state drives. NVM Express specifications are owned by NVM Express, Inc.

About NVM Express, Inc.

[NVM Express, Inc.](#) was formed to define a new storage interface protocol, NVM Express, to enable the full performance potential provided by non-volatile memory storage technology, such as PCI Express solid state drives, in a standards-based approach to enable broad ecosystem adoption. NVM Express, Inc. is a non-profit organization and includes more than 80 member companies.

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