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IntraLAB Digital Language Lab System Delivers Tremendous Value for Schools

Montréal, Canada; March 06, 2007 – Robotel’s new IntraLAB digital language lab system makes language learning more exciting for students, makes language teaching much easier for instructors, and delivers outstanding *bang-for-the-buck* performance for school administrators.

What is IntraLAB?

IntraLAB is a digital language lab system. In a computer-equipped lab, IntraLAB links all computers and provides teachers with a simple desktop graphical control panel, from which they are able to:

- Present new concepts using the Internet, computer programs, documents, multimedia materials (tapes & CDs), or live presentations
- Employ stimulating multimedia materials in target language activities
- Assign students to pairs or small groups to practice speaking and listening skills
- Remotely run media activities – requiring students to record written and/or spoken responses – on student computers
- Monitor student work inconspicuously and privately respond to student “electronic raised hand” calls
- Run testing exercises (such as Advance Placement testing)



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IntraLAB Gets Students Excited about Learning

IntraLAB's computer-based interactive multimedia capabilities captivate today's language students, who are growing up in a world where the Internet, video games, instant messaging and e-mail are all part of their daily lives.

Students are able to work with stimulating audio-visual materials in the target language, and have access to a mix of activities requiring written and oral responses. Students are also able to work with their peers in pairing and small group activities.

Students appreciate the comfortable padded headsets that isolate them from outside disturbances and enable them focus on their own work. Students are able to discreetly call for help by pressing on their call button, and teachers are able to privately respond to student calls on a one-on-one basis.

IntraLAB Empowers Teachers to Orchestrate Student Activities with Ease

IntraLAB provides teachers with a set of easy-to-use tools for staging a powerful and comprehensive array of learning activities. IntraLAB's graphical user interface organizes functions in a logical and intuitive fashion so that most individual, pair-work, and group-work activities can be implemented at the touch of a button.

With IntraLAB, teachers are able to group students according to ability, and run differential learning activities in each group – assuring that all students are full challenged and are getting the most out of their assignments.

Teachers really appreciate IntraLAB's *Walk-In & Teach* technology, which enables them to use existing teaching materials, like audiocassette tapes, VHS tapes, and DVDs, without any special preparation. Older analog materials are automatically digitized into the IntraLAB media library the first time they are used, and are then available in digital format for all subsequent classes.

IntraLAB Delivers Outstanding Value for Schools

IntraLAB uses a unique *best-of-both-worlds* hybrid system architecture:

- IntraLAB employs a set of dedicated hardware modules for all audio communications, ensuring that students and teachers have crystal clear sound for both playback of media activities and recording of their own voices.
- IntraLAB uses a set of software modules that leverage the school's existing data network for all other functions, including the sharing of computer screens and presentation of video materials.

This balanced combination of hardware and software modules assures outstanding performance at a very affordable price .

The Symposium Product Family

IntraLAB is the newest member of the Symposium product family. Symposium language learning solutions now include the following members:

- Symposium
- LogoLAB
- Symposium LIVE
- IntraLAB

Symposium products have been developed with a common modular architecture that enables schools to select the product that meets their immediate needs, and then expand capabilities as needs evolve and/or as budgets permit.

IntraLAB can be combined with LogoLAB to provide a balanced combination of teacher managed and student self-study activities.



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Robotel is a global supplier of interactive, multimedia control systems and language learning solutions for educational, corporate and government clients. Robotel is a leader in the educational and training systems market, having more than 20 years of experience as a manufacturer of computer-based teaching systems. The firm has a top-rated customer service group and a large installed base of active customers. The company is based in Montréal, Canada and has a strong presence in North American, South American, European, Asian, and Middle Eastern markets.

More Information about Robotel's Language Learning Systems

For more information on Robotel's language learning solutions, visit the company web site www.robotel.com, or contact Robotel at +1 (450) 680-1448 or (800) 480-1448.

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