



Global Crossing Wins Five Awards at Telecon West '99 Including Best Audioconferencing Service and Best Marketing & Advertising for 1999

**Conferencing division recognized as a leader in conferencing services and
achieves industry's highest honor**

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Anaheim, CA – Global Crossing Ltd. (NASDAQ: GBLX), which is building and offering services over the world's first global fiber-optic network, today announced that its conferencing division won five awards, including Pillar awards for both Best Audioconferencing Service and Best Marketing & Advertising at Telecon West '99.

The 1999 Best Audioconferencing Service Pillar award recognized Global Crossing conferencing as the most significantly advanced worldwide company in audioconferencing services. Global Crossing conferencing is an innovative leader in offering cutting-edge conferencing applications such as on-demand and Web-based conferencing services.

The company also won a second 1999 Pillar award for Best Marketing & Advertising for its marketing communications campaign that educates customers about the company's video equipment and software evaluation program.

In addition to the Pillar awards, Global Crossing Conferencing also received two first-place awards at Telecon West '99. The company received the Best Collateral Advertisement award for its marketing communications efforts at its evaluation lab in Boulder, CO, and the Best Conferencing Accessory award for its industry-standard Videoconferencing Users Guide. Global Crossing conferencing tied for second place in the Best Audioconferencing Product category for its Ready-Access® on-demand conferencing service. Ready-Access® is the industry's first reservation-free, on-demand teleconferencing service that can be accessed either via Internet or touch-tone commands. Additional award information can be found at: <http://www.teleconexpos.com>

"Global Crossing is thrilled about these prestigious industry awards," said Don Poulter, head of Global Crossing conferencing. "These honors reflect Global Crossing's ability to exceed customer expectations by merging the latest technologies and bandwidth with cutting-edge conferencing solutions."

Global Crossing's rich conferencing heritage dates back to 1978. Currently, Global Crossing handles an average of more than 7,000 conference calls, around the world, each day and supports investor relations/earnings conference calls for 35 percent of the top 100 North American corporations.

ABOUT GLOBAL CROSSING

Global Crossing Ltd. (NASDAQ: GBLX) is building and offering services over the world's first global fiber-optic network with 92,700 announced route miles, serving five continents, 24 countries and more than 170 major cities. The Global Crossing Network and its telecommunications and Internet product offerings will be available to over 80 percent of the world's international communications traffic. Global Crossing hosts more than 300 of the top Internet brands in its Global Centers. Among the brands are some of the largest and most densely trafficked sites on the Web, including Yahoo!, The Motley Fool, Ziff Davis, MP3.com and eToys. Through its Global Marine Systems subsidiary, Global Crossing also owns the largest fleet of cable laying and maintenance vessels in the world and currently services more than a third of the world's undersea cable miles. Global Crossing is included in both the S&P 500 and the

NASDAQ 100. Global Crossing's operations are headquartered in Hamilton, Bermuda, with executive offices in Los Angeles, California, Morristown, New Jersey, and Rochester, New York. The conferencing division, headquartered in Denver Colorado, is an industry leading conferencing technology developer. For more information visit www.globalcrossing.com (<http://www.globalcrossing.com>). For conferencing specific information visit www.confertech.com.

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