

Scenes from CES



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The Consumer Electronics Show gives the world a peek at trendsetting gadgets, gizmos, and cutting-edge communications tools, coming to a retailer near you. The 2013 show moves us further away from traditional computing with more wearable and portable innovations.

- 1 Intel still holds the prime CES real estate in spite of the fact they announced little of interest at this year's show. Interestingly up-and-coming Chinese electronics manufacturer Hisense occupied the spot traditionally assigned to Microsoft who were not exhibiting at this year's show.
- 2 Thousands visit the Qualcomm booth at CES 2013, most oblivious to the company's controversial and digerati-deprecating keynote presentation in which everyday users were depicted as vacuous social-media addicts.
- 3 Intent on joining the personal POV action cam market, Panasonic introduced their version of the wearable video camera. The camera records to an arm-mounted drive (and makes you look like a wanna-be cyborg).
- 4 Once known for their instant photo technology, Polaroid moves into the growing mobile audio market with their Mondrian-inspired speaker line launched at CES.
- 5 In a bold move imaging giant Fuji shows their latest in consumer photography tech – a point-and-shoot camera the produces instant prints. After snapping, the print emerges from the camera and develops before your eyes in just a few minutes... déjà vu!
- 6 Attending CES 2013 to moderate the Digital Health Revolution conference supersession, Arianna Huffington takes time to meet the public at the HeartMath booth.
- 7 The Tat'z Nail'z Imaging System brings on-demand inkjet printing to the lucrative manicure esthetics market with this innovative device. Users can choose from more than 50,000 designs or upload their own.
- 8 Is a Segway a little too complex for you? An Inventist model demonstrates their gyro-stabilized electric unicycle people mover – the Solowheel.
- 9 Vancouverite Jenny Lai of Catalyst Lifestyle products shows of her company's new waterproof iPhone case, crowd-funded into existence through kickstarter.com.
- 10 Casio demonstrates their new point-of-sale retail video signage product. Shop owners can upload any facial image in JPEG format, write some copy and send it to Casio who will animate the sign. The video animation is projected onto a carved, frosted glass screen.
- 11 Crowds gather to see the stunning Samsung OLED Smart TVs at their stadium-size booth.
- 12 Nano-coating of smartphones can make devices virtually waterproof as demonstrated by P2i, one of several molecular waterproofing technologies on display in at CES 2013.



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