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### Vantage Point Intros Innovative Evo System



At CEDIA EXPO (that ran in Denver, CO, from September 14-17) Vantage Point introduced an innovative on-wall storage/support concept it calls the "evo system." It protrudes only slightly more than invasive in-wall alternatives (but it's far more flush than lowboy and other mounting schemes) and the modular, furniture quality installation system is equally at home in office settings; so it can be implemented throughout a dwelling. Vantage Point notes that consumers are apprehensive to commit to built-ins or large furniture pieces for entertainment equipment because of space, cost, time and lack of flexibility. Load-bearing walls and condo spaces can make in-wall installation especially tricky.

The evo system by Vantage Point consists of an aluminum frame and track system that is expandable to support virtually unlimited equipment configurations. The frame is hung on two, independently mounted rails and extends only 4" from the wall (but that's a fixed area: installations cannot vary from that), creating a hollow space for power and wiring distribution without going into the wall). The area between the rails is finished with square (16"x16") removable wood veneer panels, available in Maple, Cherry, Walnut, Black Ash and Espresso, that cosmetically harmonize with the frames and shelf brackets (that come in a choice of Black, Silver, or Graphite). The square panels afford easy access to wiring and power connections, while creating a furniture quality appearance. Also available are various evo accessories, such as tempered glass shelves, flat panel mounts and speaker mounts to support components and TVs.

At CEDIA, Vantage Point showed a metal-framed glass desktop that cantilevered out from the evo system, without any means of support at the front. It's not hard to envision the appeal of a legless desk (from the functional and visual point of view); and it testifies to the versatility and strength of the evo system.

Vantage Point says the evo system installs easily to wood or metal studs, concrete or masonry; and is especially well suited to apartments and rented homes, since it can be easily removed requiring only minor wall repairs. Rearranging shelves and mounts or expanding the frame can easily facilitate equipment changes or future upgrades.

For more information, visit: [www.vanptc.com](http://www.vanptc.com).

*[Photo: At home with evo]*

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