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CIO Summit Partners with the Telecom Council of Silicon Valley

October 7, 2011 – The CIO Summit team announced today that it has a formed a strategic partnership with the Telecom Council of Silicon Valley, a group dedicated to connecting companies and individuals involved in the communications technology industry.

The CIO Summit, November 6-8, 2011 at the InterContinental in Miami, Florida, is an opportunity for CIOs and IT executives to meet with their technology peers from various industries including, but not limited to, healthcare, finance, insurance, government, telecom, utilities and education. The goal of the event is to facilitate and encourage conversation among attendees, allowing them to discuss current challenges, best practices, breakthroughs, and trends facing the sector.

Established in 2000, the Telecom Council of Silicon Valley provides the network, tools, framework and meetings to bring together the industry's local critical mass of wireless and fixed telecom companies. The Council is advancing the telecom industry by connecting global market leaders and creating a hub to increase their global visibility.

The Council includes executive, service provider, entrepreneur, and investor boards and committees dedicated to the growth and success of the telecom industry.

"I am thrilled to work with the Telecom Council of Silicon Valley for the CIO Summit. As a previous partner of our 2011 CTO Telecom Summit and the CIO Summit held in March 2011, I am confident that the Council's partnership plays a critical role in bringing together individuals within the technology industry. It is important for our attendees to be aware of the services the Council has to offer," said Ross Abbott, VP, Sales, North America, CDM Media.

For more information about the CIO Summit, visit http://www.ciosummit.us/. If you are interested in participating in the event as a delegate or sponsor, contact Ross Abbott, VP, Sales, North America, CDM Media at ross.abbott@cdmmedia.com or 808-694-3661

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About the CIO Summit

CDM Media brings together CIOs and technology executives from North America's Fortune 1000 organizations to develop business ideas and build lasting relationships with peers and colleagues. The CIO Summit, to be held November 6-8, 2011, allows IT executives to discuss the latest business technology issues and learn about current technology solutions. For more information, please visit http://www.ciosummit.us/.

About the Telecom Council of Silicon Valley

The Telecom Council of Silicon Valley connects companies and individuals using forums, public and private executive discussions, social meetings, and seminars for business development, collaboration, and education. The telecom industry in Silicon Valley includes over 500 telecom companies, employs over 100,000 people, and attracted more investment dollars than any other region is the US in 2009. http://www.telecomcouncil.com/home.php

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