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Vitesse Re-Skilling™ Canada and Ontario's Talent First Network Provide Support to Graduate Students

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Vitesse Re-Skilling™ Canada and the Ottawa Talent Initiative in partnership with Ontario's Talent First Network are pleased to offer scholarships and assistantships for 10 qualified graduate students admitted to the thesis option of Carleton University's Technology Innovation Management (TIM) program.

Date: Wednesday, August 6th, 2008

Time: 4:30 to 6:30 pm
Networking – 4:30 to 5:00 pm
Presentations – 5:00 to 6:00 pm
Q & A/TIM program – 6:00 to 6:30 pm

Location: 359 Terry Fox Drive,
Suite 210,
Ottawa, ON
March Road and Terry Fox area – North Kanata

Cost: FREE – refreshments served

"We are looking for the best of the best graduate students to join the thesis and project options of the TIM program this fall," says Professor Tony Bailetti of Carleton University. Information on the TIM program can be found at www.carleton.ca/tim.

Vitesse Re-Skilling™ Canada, a non-profit organization, was created through a partnership between the National Research Council, University of Ottawa, and Carleton University. Vitesse was formed to address a critical human resource shortage and subsequent barriers to growth in knowledge-intensive industries.

The Ottawa Talent Initiative (OTI) was created and funded by three levels of government and OCRI in 2003 to assist high tech talent with their employability. The Ottawa Talent Initiative Action Centre merged with Vitesse Re-Skilling™ Canada in 2008.

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