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Gartner Announces Expanded *Project & Portfolio Management 2005* Summit for June 26-28 in Boston

IT Executives and leading Vendors to discuss new generation of software solutions for project-intensive IT and professional services environments

Bedford, NH, February 4, 2005 — Gartner, Inc. (NYSE: IT and ITB), today announced an expanded and enhanced *Project & Portfolio Management* summit that will bring together Vendors and corporate IT Executives in the growing project and portfolio management (PPM) marketplace.

Project & Portfolio Management 2005 will be held June 26-28 at the Seaport Boston in Boston, Massachusetts. The summit will feature leading and emerging technology Vendors presenting the latest Web-based applications for optimizing the business processes around project management, resource planning and strategic portfolio management in project-intensive environments.

A pre-qualified audience of key Decision-Makers will engage in substantive business discussions and in-depth product evaluations with the Vendors. These attendees will include technology and business Executives from IT professional services firms, internal IT departments, embedded services departments and other service-driven organizations including the federal government.

This year's Boston summit will build on the success of the 2004 summit that featured 150 IT Executives and more than 30 key Vendors.

Given the increasing importance of PPM software solutions in the enterprise, several Gartner analysts will lead the content segment of the program, providing commentary and analysis on the latest case studies, trends and forecasts in the PPM market.

"At a time when most software markets are flat or declining, PPM has continued to grow at a strong rate of 10-15% for new license sales, with the overall market for project oversight services and solutions growing at exponential rates," said Matt Light, Event Chair and Research Director, Gartner. "*Project & Portfolio Management* has become a significant event for the widening community of PPM Vendors, users and thought leaders."

Project & Portfolio Management 2005 uses the uniquely successful Gartner event model to maximize interaction between Vendors and IT Executives in multiple settings – including Private Boardroom Appointments, one-on-one sessions with Gartner analysts and high-end networking events. For more information or to register, please visit www.ppsummit.com, or call Charles Badoian at 1-603-471-4211 or e-mail charles.badoian@gartner.com.

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