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**Jacqueline Collins, principal of Partnering for Performance, to conduct professional development seminars at Yale and Harvard**

ABINGTON, MA, ISSUED MAY 1, 2008...Jacqueline Collins, principal of Partnering for Performance, has added an "Ivy League" component to her resume.

She recently conducted a seminar for Yale University and is headed for Harvard in a similar capacity.

Collins recently completed a seminar, "Building Trust in Your Organization," for Yale University's Professional Development/Leadership Development program. This latest presentation followed several similar programs that she conducted at Yale University last fall.

The seminars focused on "Building Positive Relationships." Her sessions included "Building Trust in the Workplace – Building Effective Relationships in Your Organization," "Stages of Personal Change," and "Building Credibility – Developing Communication Trust."

In addition to her work at Yale, she will present a similar seminar at Harvard University in May, on "Building Credibility and Developing Trust."

Collins, whose experience in development, design, and implementation of business strategies spans more than 20 years, has conducted a variety of seminars for institutions of higher learning. In addition to Harvard and Yale, she has presented at Wellesley College, Brandeis University, Boston College and Tufts University.

Collins is known for her acumen in the development and installation of business and process improvement programs. She has earned a reputation for being a creative leader in project management, team building, conflict management, customer service, client retention, problem resolution, communication, coaching, and mentoring.

Prior to starting Partnering for Performance, Collins worked in Fleet Financial Group as Director of Quality Management for Fleet Retirement Plan Services, and before that with Putnam Investments. She has also owned and operated several small businesses in the retail, service and consulting sectors.

She is the Director of the Sea Level Exchange based in Hingham, an invitational gathering of the owners and decision makers from the business community, including manufacturing, law firms, financial institutions, health care, investment banking, high technology, retail, business services and civic organizations.

Collins holds a Bachelor's Degree from the State University of Iowa, and has taken additional business courses at Northeastern University, The Sloan School of Management, and has completed National Quality Award training attending the Juran Institute.

Collins is **the Director** of The Sea Level Exchange. She is also a member of Rotary and is an Ambassador for the South Shore Chamber of Commerce.

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