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Dear Colleague,

“Information and Communications Technology (ICT) is at the heart of the UK economy and is a key source of competitiveness for every sector of industry. According to e-Skills UK, the IT sector makes a significant and growing contribution to the UK economy, representing almost 5% of total UK Gross Value Added (GVA).”

Computing and Information Systems
Discussion Forum and Information Session
Wednesday 29th November 2006, 09.30 – 15.00hrs, Park Square, Luton

The University of Bedfordshire in conjunction with City Growth Luton invite you to join them and participate in the discussion forum and information session on 29th November. The discussion forum will be chaired by Professor Carsten Maple and the key note speaker, Dan Haagman, Operations Director from 7Safe, will open with a discussion on computer forensics.

The discussion forum and information session provides you with an opportunity:

- to discuss the challenges facing your business
- to speak to academics and employer fellows in the Creative Arts, Technologies and Science Faculty, to tour the facilities
- to find out about university/business collaborations,
- for networking, and
- to find out more about City Growth Luton and ICT cluster*.

Lunch will be followed by a presentation from Funke Abimbola, Pictons, on the legal perspective on the WEEE directive. The event is free to attend and a programme is attached. To confirm your attendance please complete and return the fax back. I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards

Sue Whittaker
Project Manager

*City Growth Luton has an ICT cluster for businesses which covers computer and related activities, telecommunications, ICT manufacturing and supply, Internet service providers, Systems integrators, Software developers, IT Hardware suppliers, mobile phone retailers, network specialists, website developers, consultants, computer recycling companies as well as a wide range of complementary services; such as parts suppliers and educational institutions.