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Polarion Launches Market's First Open Source Training Curriculum for Subversion VCS

Free SubTrain program provides easily customizable course materials for both administrators and users of popular version control system

Morrisville, North Carolina, April 30, 2007 — Polarion Software, creators of fully integrated application lifecycle management solutions and services, today announced the availability of Polarion SubTrain, the market's first opens source training curriculum for the widely used Subversion open source version control system (VCS). The free Polarion SubTrain project includes extensive training materials for both administrators and individual users of Subversion.

The comprehensive Polarion SubTrain course materials include a predefined, easily customizable set of presentation slides and supporting materials tailored to meet the training needs of companies migrating to Subversion as their preferred version control application. For a complete overview of the Polarion SubTrain project and to download the free training curriculum, visit <http://polarion.org/index.php?page=overview&project=subtrain>.

Worldwide adoption of Subversion is growing rapidly, since it is ideally suited for geographically dispersed development groups that need to work as unified teams in real-time, regardless of where they're located. Polarion SubTrain provides anyone who needs or is tasked to deliver Subversion training with the materials they need to ensure the technology is utilized to its full power. The comprehensive curriculum, complete with PPT presentations, training exercises, feedback forms, advanced tips and typical day-to-day scenarios, can be easily customized and branded with a company's own look-and-feel. They make Subversion training sessions both unique and engaging for all participants.

"We have seen many organizations migrating to Subversion VCS because of its power as a collaboration tool, but the learning curve has been a barrier to some," said Frank Schröder, CEO at Polarion. "We're making this a free training resource because we want to give something back

to the open source community that developed this incredibly useful tool, which we utilize in our next-generation ALM solutions.”

The course materials include:

- Polarion SubTrain for Administrators: A detailed overview of how to administer and configure Subversion to meet the specific needs of projects. The course provides all information needed to set up, secure, backup and maintain Subversion systems.
- Polarion SubTrain for Individual Users: Details on how to work with Subversion's many powerful features. This module teaches best practices needed to take maximum advantage of Subversion in everyday tasks.

Polarion's expert Subversion team includes the leading authorities on helping large and small organizations migrate existing repositories to the compelling Subversion open source system. Polarion SubTrain encapsulates the team's deep know-how and extensive experience in training hundreds of customers and creates a single resource to help organizations smoothly and professionally implement their Subversion systems.

“Polarion SubTrain was a logical next step to enable companies to make a smooth and successful migration to Subversion,” said Timothy Ströbele, Manager Professional Services at Polarion. “The new SubTrain curriculum allows users to leverage the detailed know-how of our own internal trainers, making it a very cost effective and fast way to realize the many benefits of Subversion VCS.”

Polarion also offers Subversion Pro, a free software bundle that facilitates working with Subversion inside the Eclipse ecosystem. Polarion Subversion Pro enables users to explore the benefits of Subversion and Subversion-based tracking in a realistic working environment. The software automatically installs and configures multiple Subversion tools plus sample data.

Additional information on the free Polarion SubTrain and Subversion Pro packages, as well as the complete Polarion suite of products and services, is available at <http://www.polarion.com>.

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