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LINKAGE ANNOUNCES NEW GLOBAL PARTNER – LINKAGE ITALY
Italy joins 14 other countries in exclusive partnership

Burlington, MA (February 7, 2011) - Linkage, a global organizational development company specializing in leadership has extended its global partner network to form *Linkage Italy*. Massimo Scarcello will serve as Chief Executive Officer for Linkage Italy, together with Gianluigi Granieri as Chairman, and Bruno Benouski and Laura Quintarelli as Partners.

“We are very pleased to add such an experienced group of consultants to the Linkage Global Partner Network. Not only will Linkage now be able to support local consulting work in Italy, but this newest Global Partner is also strategically positioned to support other Global Partners in both Western and Eastern Europe,” said Dana Davidson, Linkage’s Vice President of International Partnerships.

The Linkage Italy team has over 15 years of experience in organizational development and change management, working with several large organizations including GLS Group, Johnson & Johnson, Nissan, Pirelli, and Sab Miller, to name a few. All of the partners hold international degrees, as well as global certifications in the human resources industry.

“We are thrilled to partner with a top leadership development organization that offers customized human resource and strategic change solutions. We are confident that our decision to join Linkage’s global partner network will ultimately be very successful,” said Scarcello.

Linkage’s mission is to connect high performing leaders and organizations to the futures they want to create. With a relentless commitment to learning, Linkage offers learning summits, open-enrollment workshops, and distance learning programs on leading-edge topics in leadership, management, human resources, and organizational development. For more information, visit www.linkageinc.com or call 781-402-5555.

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