***Registration Site Goes Live for the Inaugural* European Disability Matters Conference and Awards Presentation.  *Register Today!***

**MENDHAM, NJ, USA** (1/16/12) -- Springboard Consulting LLC, recognized as the global expert on mainstreaming disability in the corporate workforce, workplace and marketplace, announces its inaugural European Disability Matters Conference and Awards Presentation, to be held Monday and Tuesday, March 26-27, 2012 at the PublicisCinemas located at the Publicis Groupe headquarters on the famous Avenue des Champs Elysees in Paris, France.

“We are honored to have such leading companies as Adecco Group, a recipient of the U.S. Disability Matters Award, L’Oréal, and Publicis Groupe join forces in hosting this most important corporate event, along with this year’s partner, the Association of French Managers in Diversity (AFMD). Although the first time in Europe, this event has been taking place in the U.S. since 2006”, said Nadine Vogel, President of Springboard Consulting LLC.

The disability community is the largest and fastest growing minority in the world. In light of recent legislative changes throughout Europe, meeting the needs of corporations and the individuals with disabilities they serve through workforce, workplace and marketplace initiatives is more important than ever.

The Disability Matters EU Conference will feature executive presenters from best practice corporations along with experts from government, academia and NGO’s, sharing their experience on how to appropriately support and market to this very large loyal population.

Companies interested in purchasing individual tickets to this most important event should do so by visiting <http://www.consultspringboard.com/2011/single-ticket-purchase-registration-2012-europe/>. Space is limited so register today! Sponsor opportunities still remain and can be secured by contacting Ivette Lopez: 001+ 973 813 7260 x102 or [Ivette@consultspringboard.com](mailto:Ivette@consultspringboard.com). For additional information, including U.S. prior year honorees, please visit <http://www.consultspringboard.com/category/disability-matters-2012-eu/> or contact Jill Frankel: 001+ 973 813 7260 x106 or [Jill@consultspringboard.com](mailto:Jill@consultspringboard.com).

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