

# TM1 User Conference

## TORONTO NOVEMBER 2011



### When?

**November 16, 2011**

8:45 A.M. – 4 P.M.

### Where?

**Courtyard Toronto Downtown**

475 Yonge Street, M4Y 1X7

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### Registration Cost

Free – Seating is limited to ensure attendees can actively participate.

### Registration Method

Email us at

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and include the following information:

Full Name, Company, Title,  
Email, Phone Number

Attendee Type (Pick one):

- Existing TM1 Customer
- Prospective TM1 Customer
- TM1 Consultant
- Business Partner
- IBM Rep

Knowledge of TM1 (Pick one):

- None/Basic
- Intermediate
- Advanced

A must-attend event for current and potential TM1 customers – sessions delivered by leading TM1 Experts and IBM TM1 Product Management. The practical and valuable information provided in this seminar is rare to come by – do not miss your chance to attend this first of its kind session in Toronto.

**Special Guest: Brian Simpson, IBM Cognos TM1 Product Manager**

### Who should attend?

Companies that own or are evaluating TM1 or Cognos Express (Xcelerator). Following functional roles can gain valuable insights:

- ▶ Directors/Managers/Analysts of Planning, Budgeting or Forecasting
- ▶ Administrators, Power Users and Developers for TM1 & Cognos Express Xcelerator
- ▶ Office of Finance staff interested in learning about Planning and Performance Management Solutions

### Why should you attend?

- ▶ Gain valuable insights about the present technology and future product roadmap of TM1 from IBM's Product Management and leading TM1 professionals. Learn about the **latest product information (TM1 10.1 preview!), trends and best practices.**
- ▶ Witness the official launch of **CANROCK TM1 Toolkit**- an innovative solution that has helped many TM1 projects succeed. This is a **must see session** for anyone interested in TM1.
- ▶ **Evaluate your own models** against leading practices – most sessions will include live demonstrations and not just conceptual slides.
- ▶ Get a chance to **ask questions from a panel of TM1 Experts.** Ask in a group or one on one setting.
- ▶ Learn about IBM Cognos TM1 **Tips and Tricks** that you can apply immediately.

# Agenda

Time	Title	Theme	Presenter	Description
8:45-9:00	Registration & Seating			
9:00-9:30	Welcome and official launch of Canrock TM1 Toolkit	General	Rip Multani	An introduction to the conference and an overview of Canrock TM1 Toolkit. The Toolkit is an innovative solution that packages TM1 techniques and best practices in the form of prebuilt TM1 objects and puts it at your disposal - proven across a wide range of customers and projects. Accelerate your implementation, increase self-sufficiency, reduce cost of ownership and increase your overall ROI.
9:30-10:30	Key Note Speech: Future of TM1	Product Insights	Brian Simpson	Learn about IBM's TM1 Product Roadmap and get a preview of TM1 10.1 before its official release! Presentation by our Special Guest and IBM's TM1 Product Manager.
10:30- 10:40	Refreshments			
10:40-11:00	IBM IOD Conference Highlights	General	Mark Erdmann	An opportunity to catch up on the major highlights from IBM's Las Vegas Conference held during Oct 23-27, 2011
11:00-11:20	Why TM1 is ideal for Planning, Budgeting and Forecasting?	Product Insights	Rip Multani	Understand why TM1 is the right tool for the unique and complex needs for Planning, Budgeting and Forecasting. Connect the dots between TM1 Technology and major Office of Finance requirements.
11:20-12:00	Major Principles of TM1 Model Building	Best Practices	Alex Reznikov	Top Dos and Don'ts of TM1 model building - Information every TM1 stakeholder and modeler should know.
12:00-12:40	LUNCH			
12:40-1:20	TM1: Implementing Sustainable Dimensions	Best Practices	Alex Reznikov	Learn about the smart way of creating and maintaining TM1 dimensions - save time and reduce risk. Also, learn how to handle unique challenges associated with Time dimensions.
1:20-1:50	TM1 9.5.2 - Why Upgrade?	Product Insights	Brian Simpson	Still running TM1 9.5.1 or an earlier version? Understand how TM1 9.5.2 has fundamentally enhanced TM1 capabilities. Enhancements like parallel interaction will be explained to help you make the right upgrade and design decisions.
1:50-2:20	Customer Case Studies: Solving Real Business Problems	Case Studies	Mark Erdmann	Great chance to learn about how other companies overcame budgeting, forecasting and reporting challenges with TM1. Apply shared learning to your own organizational challenges.
2:20-2:50	TM1: Version, Process & Security Management	Best Practices	John Alexander	Learn about the nuts and bolts of a flexible, easy to use and secure TM1 model. The session will include live demo of how to best manage data across multiple versions, create centralized process controls, application configuration and security set-up.
2:50-3:00	Refreshments			
3:00-4:00	Ask the Experts	General	All	This is your chance to ask questions from a leading a panel of TM1 and Performance Management experts. Topics may include TM1, Planning, Budgeting & Forecasting processes, latest best practices and trends, implementation methodologies etc.

## ABOUT CANROCK

Expertise. Innovation. Quality.

These are the three guiding principles of Canrock Solutions, a leading Planning and Performance Management services provider. We leverage IBM Cognos TM1 and Business Analytics technology and many years of expertise to deliver Reporting, Budgeting, and Forecasting solutions that simply work.

## CONTACT CANROCK

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