PlanView, Inc., experts are scheduled to speak in four different tracks at the world-leading event for project management professionals, PMI 2002, held October 6–10 in San Antonio, Texas. The presentations will be:

- “Success in the Real World: The Phases of Project Portfolio Management” presented by Tony Elkins, PlanView Territory Manager in the Information Systems Track
- “Leveraging Knowledge and Human Capital: It’s Not the Widgets, It’s the People” presented by Dennis McComb, PMP, PlanView Senior Consultant in the Oil, Gas & Petrochemical Track
- “In Your Own Backyard: Using Virtual Teams and Skills Scheduling to Cut Outsourcing Costs” presented by Scott Hardey, PlanView Regional Manager in the Pharmaceuticals Track
- “The Core of Centralized Management: Integrating Project Management With Other Business Processes” presented by Patrick Durbin, PlanView President and CEO in the Advanced Project Management Track

Abstracts of the papers can be found on PlanView’s website at www.planview.com/news_PMI_2002.asp. PlanView Software is 100 percent web-based software accessed through a corporate extranet or intranet that helps organizations manage the flow of projects as well as non-project work through the enterprise. PlanView Software consolidates work and resources into a central repository that managers, contributors (staff) and executives and other stakeholders can access in real-time using their personalized PlanView web portal. IT managers can prioritize projects for the entire organization and build realistic multiproject schedules based on the skills and availability of their professional staff. The staff progresses projects by reporting to the central repository their hours worked, expenses and estimates of hours remaining.

MKS UNVEILS NEW MODELS
The two newest installments comprising the MKS Integrity Solution—the MKS Source Integrity Enterprise 8.3 and MKS Integrity Manager 4.4—debuted September 16.

The MKS Integrity Solution is the best-of-breed enterprise choice for integrated, cross-platform software configuration management and process and workflow management. Combining the abilities of MKS Integrity Manager and MKS Source Integrity Enterprise Edition, it provides powerful workflow-enabled SCM ideally suited for global development teams managing complex software projects. Its process-based approach to software development allows teams to communicate more effectively, improve software quality and reliability, and implement repeatable processes while speeding time-to-market of traditional software and web-based applications.

The platform-transparent, advanced multitier architecture of the Integrity Solution provides unparalleled scalability and flexibility across local and distributed environments within the enterprise. Administration and security is managed by a shared module, which offers low overhead administration, easy definition of user and project permissions and bulletproof security with multiple user authentication support and encryption of source code files.

The MKS Integrity Solution integrates with other industry leading IDEs, testing environments and developer productivity tools, allowing organizations to leverage existing software investments. Integrity Manager’s powerful workflow engine enables processes to be tailored to the needs of individual teams and software projects.

For more on the new features of MKS Source Integrity Enterprise 8.3 and MKS Integrity Manager 4.4, go to www.mks.com.

LOOK! DA PLANE!
Starbase Island 2002, Starbase’s annual global user conference, is set for October 15–17 in San Diego. If you define requirements, lead projects, write code, test software, manage resources, design systems or manage releases, you will find useful information at this once-a-year gathering of Starbase users. Network with your peers, share experiences and success as you learn the secrets to a successful development process. This global event will offer a full day devoted to tutorials, two-and-a-half days of conference sessions and a day of training.

For more information and special offers, visit www.starbase.com.

RATIONAL SOFTWARE ANNOUNCES NEW BOOK
Rational Software announced the release of Building J2EE Applications With the Rational Unified Process, a
new book written by process and software architecture thought-leaders Peter Eeles, Kelli Houston and Wojtek Kozaczynski of Rational Software. Published by Addison Wesley, the book provides readers with a comprehensive view of developing Java 2 Platform Enterprise Edition (J2EE) applications utilizing the best practices of the Rational Unified Process.

For more, go to www.rational.com.

SCITOR CORPORATION IS NOW SCIFORMA CORPORATION

On August 1, 2002, Scitor Corporation’s Business Solutions Group was spun-off as a new corporation called Sciforma. The name is derived from the English “science” and the Latin “forma,” which means plan. Sciforma means “the science of planning.” The name reflects the advanced science and technologies of the company’s enterprise project management software, the PS Suite, and its real-world process mapping and simulation software, Sciforma Process. This spin-off was accomplished as part of Scitor Corporation’s transition to a 100 percent ESOP-owned company.

For more information, visit www.sciforma.com.

ORACLE TO HOST ORACLEWORLD SAN FRANCISCO

Oracle Corp., the world’s largest enterprise software company, announced that OracleWorld San Francisco, its flagship business and technology conference, will be held November 10–14, 2002 at the Moscone Center in San Francisco. The event will showcase more than 250 Oracle partners and feature keynotes and sessions that focus on how technologists and executives can build, deploy and better manage a business infrastructure using Oracle9i platform technologies and the Oracle E-Business Suite of applications.

This widely attended event, which attracted more than 20,000 attendees last year, will feature keynotes from illustrious Oracle executives including Larry Ellison, Oracle Corporation chairman and CEO, as well as keynotes delivered by industry visionaries from EMC Corporation, Hewlett-Packard, Intel and Sun Microsystems. Attendees including developers, technology managers, database administrators, business executives and partners will also benefit from the latest education on business intelligence, tools for developing an infrastructure, Oracle Collaboration Suite and industry solutions.

For more, go to www.oracle.com.

COLLABORATE WEST CONFERENCE AND EXPO

Whether you’re new to collaborative communications or want to keep current with the latest innovations, the Collaborate West Conference and Expo will bring together a broad range of technologies that are shaping how we communicate, collaborate and connect internally within the enterprise and externally with customers. Held November 4–7 at the Anaheim Convention Center in Anaheim, California, the event will show you ways to save costs on business meetings and reduce travel expenses, how to increase productivity within your organization and show you emerging collaborative technologies and how to use them to communicate effectively.

For more information, go to http://advanstar.iconvention.com/collaboratewest/V33/index.cvn.