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This Tri-fold format is handed out to each meeting attendee to describe the meeting of the evening and to announce the future activities of the GL-SPIN.

This is also posted on the web to announce the meeting agenda for the pending meeting.

We use this as an advertisement to promote the GL-SPIN meetings and activities to other organizations.

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**Welcome to the Sept 08, 2005  
meeting of the Great Lakes Software  
Process Improvement Network**

**Agenda:**

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6:30 – 7:00 Networking and Refreshments  
7:00 – 7:15 Business Meeting  
7:15 – 8:15 Technical Presentation  
8:15 – 8:30 Q & A

**Speaker:**

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**Jeff Dalton  
President, Broadsword**

Jeff Dalton has been an IT consultant in the Detroit area for more than 20 years including experience with Ernst & Young, Electronic Data Systems, and Hewlett-Packard

As President of Broadsword, Jeff has led the company to realize its goals as a Process Innovation Solutions firm that helps its clients supercharge performance of IT through the application of tools and solutions built around the CMMI framework. Broadsword is an SEI Network Partner licensed to deliver CMMI SCAMPI Appraisals and CMMI Training

**Presentation Abstract**

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**AgileCMMI: Process Innovation at  
the Speed of Life**

As the debate on Agile Methods (XP, RUP, SCRUM, etc.) and their compatibility with the CMMI continues, AgileCMMI arrives to bridge the chasm and to provide IT organizations with a valuable, agile framework for software process improvement.

Come learn how to interpret the spirit of the CMMI model from an Agile perspective - one that frees developers to maintain creativity while enabling re-use, improving quality, and supercharging performance

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**2005-2006 GL SPIN**  
**Meeting Dates and Speakers**

Sept 8, 2005\*\* – Jeff Dalton, Broadsword,  
"AgileCMMI: Process Innovation at the Speed  
of Life"

October 13, 2005\* – Steve Baker, Software  
Evangelist, "CMMi – An Experience Report"

November 10, 2005\*\* – Eva Bergman  
"Verification Process Area of the CMMi"

December 8, 2005\* – Panel Discussion,  
"Internet Security"

January 12, 2006\*\* – Jeff Dalton,  
Broadsword,  
"Preparing for a SCAMPi CMMi appraisal –  
what to expect"

February 9, 2006\* – Dr. Magdy Hanna, IIST  
"Disciplined Software Testing"

March 9, 2006\*\* – Ralph Sputz, DTE Energy  
"Successfully Implementing large-scale SPI"

April 13, 2006\* – TBD,  
"Requirements Management"

May 11, 2006\*\* – Panel Discussion,  
"CMMi, ITTL, or ISO. How do they relate and  
which should our organization focus on?"

Note:  
All GL SPIN meetings are held on the second Thursday of  
each month  
\*Held at Oakland University, 200 Dodge Hall  
\*\*Held at the College of Engineering and Computer  
Science at the University of Michigan - Dearborn.



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## Great Lakes Software Process Improvement Network

September 8, 2005

Speaker:  
Jeff Dalton

"AgileCMMI: Process  
Innovation at the Speed of  
Life"

Location:  
UofM, Dearborn

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