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**VERDEZYNE'S DAMIEN PERRIMAN TO PRESENT ON BIO-BASED
PRODUCT PIPELINE AT NEXT GENERATION BIO-BASED CHEMICALS
SUMMIT**

CARLSBAD, Calif.— February 1, 2010 –[Verdezyne, Inc.](#), a privately-held synthetic biology company developing processes for renewable chemicals and fuels, today announced that Damien Perriman, vice president of business development, will speak on a panel, “Bio-Based Products, Applications and Scaling Hurdles, Part II” at the Next Generation Bio-Based Chemicals Summit taking place February 8-10 in San Diego, Calif.

Perriman’s presentation, “With the Market in Mind: Advancing a Pipeline of Bio-Based Products, will review Verdezyne’s fermentation development processes for producing renewable chemicals. Perriman will also discuss the increasing market pull for bio-based chemicals and products.

“In order to reduce our dependency on petroleum it is necessary to fuse chemistry and biology to find new avenues to manufacture everyday products from renewable resources,” says Perriman. “This is an ideal forum for companies from both worlds to come together to meet and forge new strategic relationships.”

Who: Damien Perriman, Vice President of Business Development, Verdezyne

What: “With the Market in Mind: Advancing a Pipeline of Bio-Based Products”

Where: Next Generation Bio-Based Chemicals Summit
Westin San Diego
San Diego, Calif.
<http://www.infocastinc.com/index.php/conference/biobased>

When: Tuesday, February 9, 2010 at 3:30 p.m.

About Verdezyne

Founded in 2005, Verdezyne, formerly known as CODA Genomics, is a privately-held company that integrates its proprietary core technologies to direct the evolution of novel metabolic pathways for cost effective commercial production of biofuels and platform chemicals. Investors in Verdezyne include OVP Venture Partners, Monitor Ventures, Tech Coast Angels and Life Science Angels. For more information on Verdezyne, visit www.verdezyne.com.