

April Meeting Enterprise Application Modernization and Beyond Tuesday, April 19, 2005

Berwick Manor Party House
(3250 Refugee Road at Winchester Pike)

Agenda:

5:30 - 6:20 pm	Social Time
6:20 - 7:10 pm	Dinner
7:10 - 8:10 pm	Dinner Program

Menu:

Hot Hors D'oeuvres

Dinner

Tossed Salad
Swiss Steak - Manicotti
Peas & Mushrooms - Buttered Broccoli
AuGratin Potatoes - Rice Pilaf
Assorted Pies

Directions:

From I-70 East (from downtown) take State Route 33 south and exit left onto Winchester Pike. From I-70 West (heading towards downtown) take State Route 33 south and exit immediately right on Refugee Road. From either exit turn left (East) on Refugee Road. Berwick Manor (3250 Refugee Road) is on the northeast corner of Refugee Road and Winchester Pike.

Reservations:

The cost of the meal is \$20.00 per person. Reservations are being taken at 294-6078 (6:30 am to 12 midnight). **You can also email your reservations. Send your reservation request to ASU via email at reservations@ASU-columbus.org.** Please place your reservation by 3 pm, of the Friday before the meeting. Cancellations will be accepted until 12:00 noon of the Monday before the meeting. Reservations made, but not attended, will result in monies owed.

Deliver Enhanced UIs and New Integration

Tom Herman of looksoftware will provide details of how their **newlook** and **centric7** software can help you deliver new functionality with your current environment. Find out how to help your company reuse, extend and integrate existing applications into the world of composite applications.

Tom's presentation will include:

- Template for modernization strategy
- What is modernization, start at the basics, GUI enabler, refacing
- Different strategies of modernizing, different ways modernization is done.
- Hot features and functionality, what is extra value besides going green screen to GUI
- Trends in User interfaces
- SOA and Composite application, iSeries development future trend
- Review of Modernization Sessions at Spring Common in Chicago
- Demo of application modernization

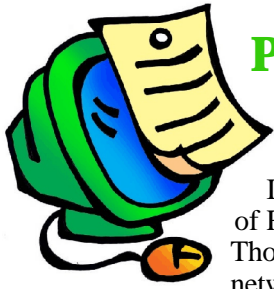


A privately held technology company, looksoftware has been in operations since 1995. looksoftware designs, develops, and markets innovative web-to-host e-business software solutions that reduce complexity and improve business responsiveness and productivity. US Based Operations are in Wayne, Pennsylvania. Their home office operates from Wheelers Hill, in Melbourne, Australia.

Tom Herman brings 18 years of experience in sales, marketing and engineering to looksoftware. For the past 10 years he has been involved in strategic sales for Commonwealth Telephone, Interactive Intelligence and Perimeter Technology. Responsibilities included large business account development and distribution channel support. Tom has a degree in Electrical Engineering from Penn State and started his employment career as an engineer for Northern Telecom in 1985.

Have a presentation idea?

Email an officer or board member with your suggestion.
We want to know what you want to hear.



President's Note...

Hello All...

I would like to thank Ted Thompson of R.DORSEY+COMPANY. Mr. Thompson discussed the principles of network design, information security, and its importance in your organization. We have established a link with R.DORSEY+COMPANY. Feel free to log onto www.asu-columbus.org, click on Meeting and look in the Previous Meeting section you will find Ted Thompson's link to the presentation plus links to all the regulations discussed at the meeting. This was absolutely an eye opening presentation.

This month's presentation will be presented by Tom Herman. Please see the information about the presentation topic. Mr. Herman will be coming from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania and fresh from COMMON. I assure you that you will not want to miss this presentation.

It's that time of year again to think about the leadership of ASU. The following positions are available for the May election:

- President
- Vice President
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Board Of Directors (3)

Clearly there are opportunities to get involved as an ASU leader. If you would like to be considered or have a questions, please contact me or any member of the ASU Leadership team.

Remember to bring a friend to the meeting. See you at ASU.

John

Online resources

Find out more about ASU and our recent presentation topics.

ASU's website - includes the newsletter archive and materials from past presentations.
www.asu-columbus.org

March Presentation from R.DORSEY+ COMPANY
<http://www.dorseyplus.com/14009.cfm>

April Presentation - looksoftware's home page
www.looksoftware.com

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