

PROGRAM AGENDA

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MONDAY • October 3

Time

Registration Open & Exhibit Set-Up (5:00 – 7:00pm)

TUESDAY • October 4

Time

Exhibits & Registration Open

8:00am

9:00am

GENERAL SESSION

9:00 Conference Welcome & Overview / Vendor Introductions

9:45 **WELCOME KEYNOTE ADDRESS:**



ED BOCLAIR
SVP North America
QAD, Inc.

10:30am

Break / Visit The Exhibits

CONCURRENT TRACK SESSIONS

MANUFACTURING TRACK

Dig Your Way to High-Performance Browsers

SCOTT DULECKI - Progress

11:00am

Creating a browse is so easy that a kindergartner can do it... but if you let them drive the browse train, you're going to have an accident! In this session Scott will show how to design your browses to run at peak performance levels and show some of the tools he uses to build browses fast and right the first time.

FINANCIAL TRACK

QAD Enterprise Edition Financials

AVERY WEISFELD - QAD, Inc.

Why are more customers moving to QAD's Enterprise Edition Financials? Learn what's new, what's different from SE and discuss why it would benefit your company to begin planning your upgrade today. Understand the power of the latest financial version of 2016 EE. View a live session of some of the key areas such GL, Financial Reporting, A/P, and A/R transactions.

12:00pm

Luncheon

MANUFACTURING TRACK

Using Dashboards in QAD

TONY PATEL - Progress

1:00pm

Generally, people want the bottom line on a report, not all the details. Dashboards, a newer and lesser-used feature in QAD, can give people that quick information while letting them dig deeper if they need to. In this session, Tony Patel will show how dashboards are set up and provided to help users be more effective and make decisions more quickly.

BUSINESS PROCESS TRACK

The Financial Impact of Demand Planning

OYKU ASIKOGLU - QAD, Inc.

Every decision made at a corporation in the Sales and Operations Planning process has a financial impact. Best-in-Class organizations understand this and how to plan for the potential impact of these decisions. See how you can visualize the impact and profitability of these decision with QAD's Demand Planning applications.

2:00pm

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QAD Managed Services

JOHN GRAHAM - Strategic Information Group

2:30pm

Learn how Strategic Information Group has helped customers manage their QAD system. Not only does Strategic help keep their QAD databases tuned and available, they also monitor back-ups, support EDI issues and processing, provide infrastructure services and addresses application issues. All this is supported by a 24-7 help desk that provides easily accessible and cost effective support.

Disaster Recovery: How Much Data Can You Afford to Lose?

THOMAS CATTIGAN - Progress

A discussion of various Disaster Recovery strategies that apply to the OpenEdge database. In this session we will discuss all the Disaster Recovery options available to your QAD environment. By the end of this session you should have an understanding of what your disaster recovery plan is, and where it may be lacking.

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3:30pm

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Outcome Based Services: A New Era in Application Management

SRIKANTH SRINIVASAN - Thirdware Solution

Traditional application management practices are focused on resolution of tickets within the defined SLA. Now is the time to sit back and relook at whether those practices will take us to the next level of process maturity, better resource utilization, reduce risk and cost optimization. Attend this session to learn more about shifting focus from "resolution" to "outcome".

OpenEdge Replication Technologies

THOMAS CATTIGAN - Progress

Data Replication can solve many business problems and OpenEdge has the technologies to help out. This session will talk about the business problems people face today and what technologies are available to make a sustainable solution.

4:00pm

5:00pm-6:30pm

Vendor Hall Reception

WEDNESDAY • October 5

POST-CONFERENCE TRAINING WORKSHOPS:

EE Upgrade Workshop

Provided by:
STRATEGIC INFORMATION GROUP

9:00am - 12:00pm

Are you contemplating an upgrade to QAD Enterprise Edition but don't know the benefits, how to go about it, or what is involved? This half-day workshop will outline different upgrade options, critical success factors, data conversion and other important upgrade considerations.

Performance Tuning: Is Your Database Performing as Well as it Should Be?

THOMAS CATTIGAN - Progress

This workshop will look at a live running system and the performance metrics, talk about what they mean, and discuss how to make changes to the environment to have a positive effect on the performance metrics. Items demonstrated will include, disk speed, memory utilization, CPU utilization, database tuning, AppServer tuning. Get the best performance from your databases without breaking the bank.

SPEAKERS and SESSIONS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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OVERVIEW

The **Hilton Charlotte University Place** hotel is located in the vibrant University City area of Charlotte - minutes away from many popular shopping areas, restaurants, and local attractions! The Hilton Charlotte University Place now offers *complimentary wireless, high-speed internet* access in all guestrooms, function space and public areas!



TRANSPORTATION

The **Hilton University Place** is approximately 20-25 minutes from Charlotte International Airport. Cab fare ranges from \$40-\$50/one-way. The hotel offers free shuttle service (Mon-Fri) within the University Place district at no charge to hotel guests (up to a 5-mile radius). Overnight parking is also free for hotel guests. Valet parking is also available for \$12/overnight with in and out privileges.

SEUG Conference Rate:

\$159/night (sgl/dbl)

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