

Mid-Atlantic Oracle Applications User Group Meeting

Friday, October 20, 2017 (9 AM to 4 PM)

Start Time	End Time	ROOM: GRAND BALLROOM & FRANKLINVILLE
9:00AM	9:30AM	<p>Registration and Breakfast</p> <p>Welcome</p>
9:30AM	10:30AM	<p>Key Note</p> <p>Oracle Tim Dodd and Rishan Barat, Denovo Stephen Goldsmith</p> <p><i>The Business Case for Moving your On-Premise Oracle ERP to Cloud Infrastructure</i></p>
10:30AM	10:45 AM	<p>Networking Break- Thank you to our sponsors:</p> <p>Denovo, Creoal Consulting, Excel4Apps, Rimini Street, More4Apps, Infosemantics, EVO Payments (Sterling), Tier 1, NexInfo</p>
10:50 AM – 11:45 PM		
	Coolidge	<p>Infosemantics Karen Brownfield</p> <p>EBS Proactive Support Tools</p> <p>The focus of this presentation will be to introduce E-Business Suite Products Analyzers and show they can be used by technical and functional users either proactively to identify potential issues or re-actively to troubleshoot a specific problem. Topics covered will include: Introduction to Analyzers, Benefits of using Analyzers, How to obtain, install and run analyzers, how to use analyzer report for troubleshooting.</p>
	Grand Ballroom	<p>Creoal Tom Simkiss</p> <p>The Modern Business Close- Close and Consolidation using FCCS*</p> <p>All companies large and small must close the books on a regular basis. The tools for this task are many, but the main ones are Excel, Email and late nights. But, what if there were a better way? What if business could track, monitor and act on close process issues from a single place and automate many of the tasks required. Oracle Financial Close and Consolidation Cloud Service is the right tool for this job. FCCS can be used for small companies just starting out who want to ensure they can scale up, mid-size companies in acquisition mode who are on disparate systems and need to get reporting out faster and more accurately, and finally, for large multi-nationals not yet on a single platform, but dealing with currency and consolidation issues.</p> <p>This session, led by product and industry leaders, will instruct attendees on the benefits and applications of FCCS.</p>
11:50 AM – 12:45 PM		

Coolidge	<p>Comcast Cable Corporation Milind Shroff</p> <p><i>Integration between Oracle iExpense and AppZen</i></p> <p>Comcast Cable Corp is fortune 500 company using Oracle EBS as their financial system and Oracle iExpense for its Expense Reporting needs. Comcast was primarily looking add Mobile capability, enhanced audit process and end user experience. Comcast has vetted multiple vendors and integrated its Oracle iExpense with AppZen. AppZen is cloud based and device independent solution that offers artificial intelligence technology leading to effective compliance and audit. Comcast is using AppZen as front-end and Oracle iExpense as the backend. Overall integration is big success and interesting journey.</p>	
Grand Ballroom	<p>More4Apps Rick Matthews</p> <p><i>Carry EBS in your back-pocket anywhere, anytime – Progress for Oracle EBS Manufacturing</i></p> <p>The advancement of mobile technology is allowing for a significant time savings in Oracle manufacturing and distribution. Let’s step into the shoes of a large global enterprise with a widespread manufacturing and distribution footprint. With multiple acquisitions to be managed, this multinational networking solutions provider looked for a quick way to extend their transactional Oracle systems (E-Business Suite) to remote third-party warehouses and logistic providers without huge investments in infrastructure setups, trainings and implementations. Management leans towards a mobility solution and evaluates the options available ranging from development platforms, SaaS or off-the-shelf third party solutions.</p>	
12:50 PM	1:30 PM	<p align="center">Grand Ballroom</p> <p align="center"><i>Lunch & Exhibitor Networking</i></p>
1:35 PM – 2:30 PM		
Coolidge	<p>Rimini Street Mark Barbara</p> <p><i>Five Upgrade Strategies for Oracle E-Business Suite Customers to Consider</i></p> <p>There are five upgrade options that every Oracle customer should carefully consider before their upcoming maintenance renewal date. As companies struggle to justify the ROI of upgrades, some strategies can yield significant savings without sacrificing support and potentially funding cloud or other key initiatives. In this informative session you will: -Understand what the Five Upgrade Strategies are, -Learn the pros and cons of each strategy and what might work best for you, -Hear what strategy over 1,000 Oracle licensees chose that answers today’s EBS and DB challenges with an eye on the future.</p>	

Grand Ballroom		<p>NexInfo Mohan Cavale</p> <p><i>Introduction to SCM Cloud: Getting Started and Deriving Top-Notch Benefits for Your Organization</i></p> <p>Are you confused about SCM cloud? Do you understand what is included within SCM cloud? Have you wondered if your company is a fit for SCM cloud deployment? If you have any of these and other lingering questions, this session is a must to learn about SCM cloud. Learn about what's new in SCM Cloud Release 13, how to deploy SCM cloud, and what benefits can be derived from the Oracle' SCM cloud.</p>
2:35 PM – 3:30 PM		
Coolidge		<p>Excel4Apps Thomas Williams</p> <p><i>Filling the Gap in Oracle Reporting: Knowing your Options*</i></p> <p>Whether you're struggling with FSGs, drill downs, de-supported Oracle Discoverer, using or considering OBIEE, or looking at Cloud options, you need to know your options and risks. Join Excel4apps to explore ad-hoc reporting solutions. Along with real-time, next generation reporting with Microsoft Excel add-ins. You'll discover how to: Empower users with an ad hoc query and analysis tool for all E-Business Suite modules, Customize reports in Excel and refresh real-time data, Drill to live data details.</p>
Grand Ballroom		<p>Tier 1, Inc Phil Rainsberger</p> <p><i>Cloud Adoption Is Surging: Is Your Business Ahead or Behind In The Transition From Building IT To Consuming IT?</i></p> <p>An interesting McKinsey report says that businesses of all sizes and across all industries are moving aggressively to the cloud to lower IT costs, offer faster time to innovation, and support digital transformation. This presentation will discuss some of those findings from McKinsey and focus on helping you determine if your company's cloud strategy puts you at a competitive advantage—or disadvantage.</p>
3:35 PM	3:50 PM	Wrap Up and Prizes

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