

SNUG 2008 Fall Meeting – Hartford Farmington Marriott

Critical Meeting!! This November Oracle is Replacing PeopleSoft Customer Connection with a new system called 'My Oracle Support'. Your existing PeopleSoft Customer Connection IDs will **NOT WORK** on this new system. The SNUG is excited to be the first RUG in the Northeast to give you ALL the necessary information to use the new system. Oracle's Tom Wright will do a LIVE DEMO of the new PeopleSoft Support system, will tell you how to get registered for an ID on the new system, will discuss the transition schedule, and will address your questions and concerns. **THIS IS A MUST-DO MEETING for both PEOPLESOFT and JDE CUSTOMERS!** See presentation details below.

When: Friday, October 17th, 2008

Registration: 8:00 AM to 9:30 AM

Meeting: 8:45 AM to 3:00 PM

Where: Farmington Marriott

15 Farmsprings Rd., Farmington, Ct. 06032

860-678-1000 (see Driving Directions below)

Fee: \$70 pre-paid or \$80 on site

Food: Continental Breakfast and Buffet Lunch.

Raffles: Prepaid (*) Raffle for a Great Prize!

Your prepaid check must be received in the SNUG P.O. Box before Friday, October 10, 2008

Vendor Passport Raffle:

Get 6 Vendor stamps to be eligible.

Survey Raffle:

Complete the event feedback survey to be eligible

(*) Walk-ins are welcome, but will not be eligible for the prepaid raffle.

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Meeting Agenda (subject to revision):

- 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM – Vendor Fair
- 8:00 AM – 8:45 AM – Registration
- 8:45 AM – 9:45 AM – General Business & Keynotes
- 10:15 AM – 11:00 AM – Breakout Sessions
- 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM – Breakout Sessions
- 11:45 AM – 1:00 PM – Lunch
- 1:00 PM – 1:45 PM – Breakout Sessions
- 1:45 PM – 2:15 PM – Raffles
- 2:15 PM – 3:00 PM – Roundtables

Planned Presentation Topics (all topics subject to change/revision):

Featured Presentation:

Keynote: Oracle is Replacing PeopleSoft Customer Connection!

[PeopleSoft Customer Connection is going away - SOON \(this November\)!](#) All PeopleSoft customers need to prepare for the upcoming changes that Oracle is making to it's support model for Peoplesoft customers. [Oracle is moving all PeopleSoft customers to a new Support Portal called 'My Oracle Support'.](#) **Your old PS Customer Connection ID will NOT WORK on the new Support Portal.** As a PeopleSoft customer, you will need to learn the new portal along with new support processes. There is also a new Support Tool that is not currently available within today's Customer Connection. [The SNUG is excited to feature Oracle's Tom Wright to demo the new PeopleSoft Support Portal, to tell you how to get registered for an ID, to discuss the transition schedule, and to address your questions and concerns.](#) If you are involved with (or plan to be involved with) administering, implementing, planning, evaluating, approving or maintaining PeopleSoft Enterprise applications, then this is a "must-do" SNUG event!

Presented by Tom Wright, Oracle

Additional Presentations:

PeopleSoft Enterprise FMS Year-End 1099 Processing

This session will provide an overview of year-end 1099 processing in PeopleSoft Payables. We will focus on enhancements to streamline processes and reporting, as well as practices to simplify the annual reporting process. We will also address changes to be delivered in the 1099 update for 2008.

Presented by: Amy Stovall, MiPro Consulting

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Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI) with World and EnterpriseOne

In today's changing markets many firms are looking at Vendor Managed Inventory as a marketing competitive advantage or are being pressured by their customers to provide VMI. Regardless of the reason VMI will require the firm to a move from traditional Forecasting / Planning / Execution / Finance to a different Operational Model. This new VMI Model means shifting traditional responsibilities, impact on corporate Cash Management and Inventory investment, a change in monitoring the customer's sales / inventory movements and defining Rules Of The Road between you and the Customer on how VMI will operate are required. As firms move in this direction they need to review there present systems capabilities. They need to determine if updates or upgrades are required to their support the VMI initiative. In many cases firms are not aware of there currently systems capabilities to support VMI. Firms are asking the question "What are the real requirements and investments to upgrade their systems" to support VMI. This session is designed to highlight:

What is VMI and what areas of the firm does it impact the most.

Define an Operational Agreement that can be executed between you and a potential customer. How can that agreement work with existing systems? What new systems will need to be brought on line to make it operational? What internal operation will get effected by the agreement?

Reviewing that agreement against existing systems

How can you use current systems to get your VMI project jump started today?

The elements required to define and plan for additional systems or upgraded might be necessary to bring VMI fully operational at your firm.

Presented by: Kevin O'Hara, Syntax

Implementing Effective PeopleSoft Change Management Practices

This presentation will include a case study of implementing effective Change Management for the U.S. Department of State's PeopleSoft Supply Chain Application. Challenges faced include implementing effective development controls, code versioning, code migrations and workflow with notification. A solution built entirely with PeopleSoft PeopleTools will be discussed.

Presented by: John Han, Phire, Inc.

Do Your HR, Payroll and Benefits Fit-Gap (now!)

The new features in Base HR, Payroll and Benefits in 8.8, 8.9, and 9.0 and their practical uses will be discussed. You will be given a work book to rank the value of each of these features and see how your answers match up to your peers.

Presented by: Gilbert Travis, Drivestream

Support Tools for PeopleSoft & JDE EnterpriseOne

This session will review the various support tools readily available to all PeopleSoft and JD Edwards EnterpriseOne customers as part of premier support. Tools to be reviewed include the Change Assistant, Performance Monitor, Support Assistant, Change Impact Analyzer and Set up Manager. Information available concerning these support tools within Customer Connection will also be discussed.

Presented by: Tom Wright, Oracle

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Advanced Reporting Techniques for PeopleSoft

This session covers how Oracle's PeopleSoft reporting technologies can be used to give users access to valuable data. It discusses advanced techniques for improving the use and adoption of PeopleSoft report tools such as Oracle XML Publisher, plus techniques for reducing the ongoing costs of reporting in your organization. You'll leave this session with a greater understanding of how to get more from your existing PeopleSoft reporting solutions.

Presented by: Steve Wills, Oracle

PeopleSoft Financial Management Applications Roadmap

Attend this session to hear how the current release of Oracle's PeopleSoft Financial Management enables customers to implement highly efficient finance processes through use of tools that you have today, an enhanced user experience, and extended interoperability between applications. The presentation also covers new features being considered for future releases.

Presented by: Tom Vassallo, Oracle

Making business intelligence work best for JDE and PeopleSoft

In this session, you will learn how a Data Warehouse allows you to connect JD Edwards or PeopleSoft to leading business intelligence vendors such as Business Objects, Oracle BI, Cognos. Using a robust Data Warehouse will let your organization immediately realize the benefits of your business intelligence package by improving the quality of the information you are getting from your ERP software. Whether your needs are to enhance the basic reports you are using or to understand how to produce more advanced analytics or dashboards, you will find this session helpful. During this session we will:

- Discuss the best approach to connect JD Edwards or PeopleSoft to the leading business intelligence vendors.
- Explain why a data warehouse is a key component in your business intelligence project.
- Demonstrate with leading BI applications how easy it is to create simple reports or complex analytics using a robust data warehouse.
- Discuss how to consolidate information from multiple companies, source systems or ERP implementations.
- Review how to make business intelligence work best in your organization.

Presented by: Joe Guerra, RapidDecision

Absence Management & Time and Labor for PeopleSoft Customers

This session provides an overview of Oracle's PeopleSoft Absence Management & Time and Labor Modules as well as newly designed self-service features and integration for Release 9.0.

Presented by: Melody Curtis, Oracle

PeopleSoft PeopleTools Roadmap

Come to this session to learn how Oracle continues to invest in its PeopleSoft products with the latest version of PeopleSoft PeopleTools, a development tool that enables PeopleSoft customers to develop, deploy, and maintain their PeopleSoft applications. Learn more about the product's newest release as well as what else is being planned for future releases.

Presented by: Steve Wills, Oracle

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PeopleSoft North American Payroll

Since Release 8.0, Oracle's PeopleSoft Payroll for North America has seen many added features. This session highlights the top 10 deltas that have been delivered in Releases 8.0 through 9.0 and provides a high-level overview of the functionality.

Presented by: Melody Curtis, Oracle

PeopleTools Integration Broker and Building Web Services with PeopleTools

Attend this session to find out what new capabilities can be done with Integration Broker based upon the PeopleTools 8.48 release. This session will also discuss how to build, deploy and maintain web services within PeopleTools.

Presented by: Steve Wills, Oracle

Planned Roundtable Discussions: (topics subject to revision/suggestion)

PeopleSoft HR, Financials, JD Edwards, Technical, and Public Sector

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DIRECTIONS

Basic Directions

Take Route 84 to Exit 37, Fienemann Rd. (from either direction)

If coming from 84 East (from Waterbury):

Take a left onto Fienemann Rd, over the highway, and then a right onto Farmsprings Rd. The Marriott entrance is located at the end of the road on the right hand side.

If coming from 84 West (from Hartford):

Go across Fienemann Rd. onto Farmsprings Rd. The Marriott entrance is located at the end of the road on the right hand side.



To the Conference Rooms

Go in the main entrance. The meeting rooms are located to the right.

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Meeting Registration form

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Contact e-mail: _____

List of Attendees & e-mail addresses:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Pre-Paid Registration Fee = \$70.00 per person

Number of Registrations = X

Amount Enclosed =

(\$70 prepaid fee is only good until October 10th, 2008. After that date, the fee is \$80 and you will not be eligible for the SNUG prepaid raffle)

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