



Date: Tuesday, June 24, 2008

Time: 5:30 (Deli snack)
6:00 (Meeting)

Location: Carhartt, Inc.
5750 Mercury Drive
Dearborn, MI 48126

Speaker: Russ Bartlett

Ten of the 17 Project Pitfalls and How to Avoid Them

"How close is your project to potential failure? Just because your project appears to be on track today doesn't guarantee success or that it will even be on track tomorrow. Perhaps those initial estimates were poorly done. Maybe the user requirements phase was flawed, and you don't know it — and you won't until much later in the project life cycle, by which point it may be too late...."

Russ Bartlett published this in the Feb 2008 edition of System i News. He will join us this month to share his insights into project management and the problems that IT projects face.

About the Speaker

Russ Bartlett spent 13 years working as a Project Manager for a major ERP solution provider back in the hay days – when implementing ERP solutions were seen as a panacea and the combination of ERP and IBM Midrange systems were vogue. During this time he managed around 40 plus implementations and witnessed first hand various project pitfalls that had an uncanny habit of repeating themselves. These are not just peculiar to ERP, and loosely categorized they fall under; people, process-related, and product related issues.



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