



Date: Tuesday, September 9, 2008

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

Location: IBM-Southfield
18000 West Nine Mile Road
Southfield, MI 48075

Speaker: Larry Farmer

PHP for System i: What to do after you say "Hello, world"

How do System i programmers define "being useful"?

By accessing and modifying data in the database, that's how. In this presentation I will demonstrate some simple ways to use PHP to perform useful tasks, give basic information on the language itself, and provide resources for those who wish to learn more, from the perspective of a busy RPG programmer who doesn't have a lot of time to spend learning something new on the job.

About the Speaker:



Larry Farmer is a Systems Analyst and RPG programmer at Michigan State University. He has worked on the AS/400 and follow-on platforms since 1988, and has dabbled in web-design and -programming since the mid 1990's. He has been playing around with PHP for several years, but has only been serious about it since the Zend i5/os version became available.

From the President:

We hope everyone enjoyed summer and are excited to start the SEMIUG 2008/2009 year. We are starting off with an exciting meeting for September. Larry Farmer from Michigan State University Housing and Food Service will show us how to incorporate use of PHP within our environments. Larry is a System Analyst and RPG programmer at Michigan State and has practical hands on experience and insight on using PHP within a business environment. In October Bob Padzieski from IBM will be presenting to our group and in November Alyn Walsh will be presenting on HMC. Plans are already under way for next years MITEC conference and will again be held in June of 2009.

We would like to welcome Charles Nalbandian to the SEMIUG board of directors. Also, Thank you to Bob Buscemi for serving on the board of directors for the past several years. The board works hard to bring leading edge education to our local i community and thanks to all on the board for you efforts.

We look forward to seeing you at upcoming meetings.

Regards,
Laura

Laura A. Ubelhor
President South East Michigan iSeries User Group

RSE Training

We have an opportunity to share in on some in depth RSE training. Jon Paris and Susan Gantner will be doing a hands on 2 day in depth session in our area this fall (possibly as early as September). If you are interested in RSE training this is an opportunity to do so at a lesser cost. The training will be held at a location in South East Michigan.

If you are interested please contact Laura at ubelhor@sbcglobal.net and I'll be sure to follow up with details and contact information.



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