MVS Core Technologies Project (MVSE)
Opening and WSC Hot Topics

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Our Purpose

The MVS Core Technologies Project is concerned with a broad spectrum of mainframe-related topics that provide in-depth exploration of IBM's flagship platform in both the hardware and software realms. Hardware areas of interest include System z processor, zBX/blades, HMC/zManager, coupling facilities, time services, and I/O connectivity. Software areas of interest include z/OS operating system components, subsystems and applications such as RSM, VSM, IOS, Parallel Sysplex, JES2, JES3, TSO/E, ISPF, z/OS UNIX, zFS, Ported Tools, z/OSMF, and enterprise presentation solutions such as Infoprint. Advanced sessions will discuss architecture, installation, configuration, migration, service, problem determination, and exploitation of the latest System z and z/OS capabilities. Tools such as ServerPac, HCD/HCM, SMP/E, IPCS, and others are regularly discussed. The Project also offers sessions for those who are new to the platform, intended to help them quickly integrate into their environment and acquire mainframe skills and understanding of the platform, especially in z/OS.
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- ISPF Advocacy
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- JES2 Advocacy
  Jack Schudel

- JES3 Advocacy
  James Lund

- Requirements
  Cheryl Watson
San Francisco Schedule Overview

• The MVS Core Technologies Project is presenting 82 sessions: 70 regular and 12 labs (Monday thru Friday)

• Across all of SHARE there are 530 great sessions!

• IBM will be presenting z/OS 2.1 content and EC12 content in several sessions.

• Stay tuned to the end of this presentation where SHARE leaders Sam Knutson, Skip Robinson, Ed Jaffe and Cheryl Walker will perform their Gangnam/Mainframe Style dance.
User-Driven Sessions
(What SHARE Is Known For!)

- 13034  z/OS SMF Logstream Mode: Update and User Experience
- 13031  SDSF Beyond the Basics
- 13056  zHPF Demystified, Update and User Experience (Joint)
- 13040  z/OSMF User Experience (Joint)
- 13037  CA MSM 5.0: Update and User Experiences
- 13043  SMF 101 - Everything You Should Know and More
- 12717  Bit Bucket x'2C'
Old Names, New Content

• 13064 Does Cloud Computing Still Matter? A Mainframers Update
  • Glenn Anderson  Monday 1:30PM  Imperial A

• 12805 z/OS Little Enhancements: Many Small Potatoes Can Make a Big Meal!
  • Marna Walle  Wednesday 8:00 AM Imperial A

• 13114 SLIP Trap Advanced Coding
  • Evan Haruta  Wednesday 1:30PM Imperial A

• 12653 Exploiting z/OS - Tales From the MVS Survey
  • Cheryl Watson  Friday 9:30 Imperial A
San Francisco ‘Deep Dive’ Content

- 13061  z/OSMF Advanced Functionality
- 13026  JES2 Performance Considerations
- 12730/12731  zFS Diagnosis: Parts I & II
- 13035  BCPii Programming Beyond the Basics for the z/OS Sysprog
- 13028  What are All These JES3 NJE Options? (The A-Zs of NJE)
- 13042  Diagnosing Sysplex Problems
13179: System z Executive Panel

• Tuesday, February 5, 2013: 4:30 PM-5:30 PM
• Imperial A Ballroom (right here!)
• Please join us with the IBM System z Executive Team for an open and interactive panel discussion around any of your System z questions.
• Executives on the Panel (tentative):
  
  Doug Balog, General Manager, System z
  Greg Lotko, Vice President and Business Line Executive, System z
  Mark Anzani, Vice President of System z Strategy
  Maria Boonie, Vice President, System z Software Development
  Mike Perera, Vice President, Enterprise Platform Software
  Dan Wardman, Vice President, Information Management Mainframe Software & SVL Site Executive
z/OS Requirements: Influencing IBM Development, Monday 12:15 (next!) Right here.

- Requirements Committee: Cheryl Watson (Chair), Dave Whitney (IBM), Brad Carson, Tom Conley, Ed Jaffe, Robert Jenkins, Sam Knutson, Mary Anne Matyaz, Bill Smith, Glenn Hanna

- Over the past couple years, IBM and SHARE have re-energized the requirements process.

- The SHARE requirements process is how YOU help to influence IBM’s development priorities to get the functions we all need implemented. Attend this session, even if only to listen.
Kudos to the planning/scheduling team

- This is a tremendous undertaking and we are all volunteers.
- Please join me in thanking the rest of the planning team for organizing an outstanding agenda:
  - Dave Whitney, IBM
  - Steve Warren, IBM
  - Tom Conley, Pinnacle Consulting
  - Gordon Daniel, New Era Software
  - James Lund, Texas A & M University
  - Jack Schudel, University of Florida, emeritus
  - Greg Shriver, CA Technologies
  - Ed Jaffe, Phoenix Software International
Wednesday Night Project Dinner at: Lefty O’Douls

333 Geary Street  San Francisco, CA  
(415) 982-8900

Difference this time: you MUST pay first ($20) and receive a meal ticket. The meal ticket can be used anytime during the week, if you don't show up with us on Wed night (although we expect you to!). Meal is one buffet trip including two hot sides, dessert, and non-alcoholic drinks. Gratuity is included!

Drink tickets can also be bought ahead of time, but can only be used on Wed. A deal at $6/beer, $8/cocktail including gratuity.

Meet in Hilton Lobby @ 7:15PM. Not at the restaurant.

• Reservation for 50+ people at 7:30PM
• Must confirm AND PAY by noon Wed
• See Marna Walle (aka “The Hostess with the Mostest”) to sign up.
How you do what you do when you’re …

Bob Rogers

• A tip of the hat to an IBMer who broke all the rules about
  techies being no fun.
• Many thanks for all the years of entertaining presentations
  at SHARE.
• If you see Bob this week, congratulate him on 45 years
  with IBM (Tues 12:15 Lunch & Learn #13151 Imperial A)

“Western Civilization Runs on MVS”
MVS-related acronym alter egos:

- CEA
- GRS
- ASID
- SMF
- WLM
- PMR
- HMC
- PFA
- JCL
MVS-related acronym alter egos:

- CEA ............ California Earthquake Authority
- GRS ............ Geriatrics Review Syllabus
- ASID ........... American Society of Interior Designers
- SMF ............ Santa Monica Freeway
- WLM ............ Windows Live Messenger
- PMR ............ Pimp My Ride
- HMC ............ Harvey Mudd College
- PFA ............ Please Find Attached
- JCL ............ Johnny Come Lately
Our Speakers This Morning

• z/OS Hot Topics from Riaz Ahmad (IBM WSC Advanced Technical Support and IBM Project Representative)

• z/OS Service Hot Topics from Evan Haruta (IBM Level 2)

• On-line session evaluations
  • See bottom of every slide in every presentation or use QR codes
  • I read *all* comments you make.

• SESSION CHAIRS STILL NEEDED! Please volunteer! See Mary Anne for MVS Core Technologies or any of the other Project managers of their respective Projects.

• Enjoy the week at SHARE!