A UNF 25th Anniversary Event

1997 TECHNOLOGY FORUM: THE PRACTITIONER'S PERSPECTIVE

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1997
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA
ANDREW ROBINSON CENTER 14/1601 - 14/1606
11:30AM - 6:00PM

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Schedule of Events
Friday, October 24, 1997
(dress: business casual)

11:00am-11:30am  Log in: Robinson Center 14/1601

11:30am-1:00pm  Luncheon: Robinson Center
            Keynote: Computing:
            the past 25 years - the next 25

1:00pm-1:15pm  Break

1:15pm-2:45pm  Robinson Center
            Network Battleground
  ACCIS Member Companies:
  Alltel Information Services
  Barnett Technologies
  Blue Cross/Blue Shield
  CSX Technology
  CSPI
  Crowley American Transport
  DataCom
  Dell Advanced Systems Group
  Enterprise North Florida
  IBM Global Services
  ISF (Info. Systems of Florida)
  LANDATA Technologies
  MediaOne
  PATHTECH Software Solutions
  U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

  How will your organization deal with managing a mobile work force? use the Internet? How does year 2000 affect network software? Discuss network issues and solutions for now and future with a panel of experts!
  ➢ Alltel
  ➢ MediaOne
  ➢ Bay Networks
  ➢ IBM
  ➢ Cisco

Robinson Center
Application Development Tools

  Can you design systems so the tool used doesn't matter? Can Java applets help extend the life of legacy systems? What are the client-server tools of choice? What is a reasonable development cycle? Hear what's been done, what's been done, and what's planned from area professionals! To include:
  ➢ CSX
  ➢ Alltel
  ➢ Barnett
  ➢ Vistakon

Robinson Center
Software Engineering Culture

  How do you find and keep talent? Can an in house consultancy work for you? How much to outsource and to whom? Employee training for Certification? Area practitioners and experts are here to discuss what they are doing. To include:
  ➢ BC/BS
  ➢ ISF
  ➢ PATHTECH
  ➢ and more

2:45pm-3:00pm  Break

3:00pm-4:30pm  Robinson Center
            Network Battleground (repeat session)

4:30pm-6:00pm  14/1603
            Exhibits & Poster Sessions
            TWS Net: CSX
            Wireless networks: Crowley IT
            Director & Passport: Alltel
            and others

Robinson Center
Application Development Tools (repeat session)

Robinson Center
Software Engineering Culture (repeat session)

14/1601
Career Fair
Hosted by ACCIS
Member companies:
others interested
should contact Allysa Snyder (ISF)
724-2277; email:asnyder@isf.com
for cost information & sign-up

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REGISTRATION

    Registering as:          (space is limited, so register early!)
  ☐ individual ($50)
  ☐ company block buy (@$50 for 1-4, @$45 for 5-9, @$40 for 10 or more)

    ☐ Amount enclosed $__________  (make check payable to the UNF College
              Computing Sciences & Engineering)

    ☐ Bill at address shown
  ☐ I cannot attend, but have enclosed $__________, a (tax deductible)
     contribution to help underwrite costs
    of student attendees

    Name: ____________________________  Company: ____________________________
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1997 Technology Forum: The Practitioner's Perspective

Organized and sponsored by the Advisory Council for the Computer and Information Sciences (ACCIS) of the UNF College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, this forum provides a unique opportunity to explore the solutions your Northeast Florida counterparts are utilizing for the technological challenges confronting the IT industry, immediate and future.

The tone for the forum will be set with a luncheon keynote address emphasizing the view of the future of IT solutions for large business enterprises that characterize Northeast Florida. The forum will then continue with three parallel practitioner workshops paneled by local experts describing pros and cons of the solutions being employed in Northeast Florida for

- **the network battleground**
  Networks: *telecommuting and year 2000 issues - no sales presentation, but the why's and wherefore's of distributed and remote solutions and their ramifications*

- **application development tools**
  In the trenches: *making the tool used not matter, client-server tools of choice, extending the life of legacy transaction processing and database systems using Java applets ... oh yes, telecommuting and year 2000 issues again*

- **software engineering culture**
  Finding and keeping the talent: *training employees for certification, retention and other HR issues; outsourcing paradigms vs. internal development; in house consultancy, telecommuting, and of course, year 2000 issues.*

The forum will also include *exhibits and poster sessions* of interesting technologies and applications being utilized in our area complemented by a *career fair* hosted by local IT employers.

*Individuals who require reasonable accommodation in order to participate must notify Carrol Reilly at (904) 620-2985 at least five working days prior to the event*
Information Technology Management
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Technology Demonstrations
The Awesome Osprey Band and
The Northeast Florida Skydivers
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