



Sydney IMS Technical Conference

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Details:

Wednesday 29th – Thursday 30th May, 2019

Location: Room 13.08 (Seminar room)
IBM Centre,
601 Pacific Highway
St Leonards, 2065 Australia

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Speakers include:

Tracy Dean, IMS Tools, IBM US

Sessions include:

IMS02: IMS Tools Update

IMS08: Customer Experiences Managing the IMS Environment

Ron Bisceglia, Rocket Software

Sessions include:

IMS11: General ZOWE Presentation

Ulrich Dillenberger, Principal Technical Consultant, BMC Software, Germany

After acquiring a diploma in Mathematics at the University of Cologne in Germany, Ulrich started his professional career as a systems programmer for IMS and later for DB2.

Then he worked as a software consultant for Boole & Babbage, later for BMC Software. He has deep knowledge in many of BMC's mainframe product areas. In his current position at BMC, he covers all IMS related products including MainView for IMS in all EMEA and AP.

Ulrich has been a speaker at several GSE user group meetings.

Sessions include:

IMS03: Catalog Management for IMS

Nick Griffin, IMS Product Account Manager, BMC Software, US

Nick Griffin has over 40 years of mainframe experience in Development, Systems and Database Administration for IMS, MVS, CICS/VSAM and VTAM applications. Nick has been a developer for IMS Monitoring code and managed a development group for a competitive software vendor. Nick managed large, complex, mission critical IMS database applications for a variety of Fortune 500 companies. Most recently spent 14 years as IMS Product Manager for a large tools vendor. Nick is currently assisting sales as IMS Product Account Manager.

Sessions include:

IMS10: Using Real-Time IMS Data for Security Analysis

David Mierowski, Managing Director, Rocket Software Perth

Sessions include:

IMS06: Architecting High Availability in Your IMS Stack.

Geoff Nicholls, IBM Australia

Sessions include:

IMS01: Keynote: IMS Trends and Directions

IMS05: IMS DBCTL Performance

IMS12: IMS Internship Topics

Bhups Narsi, IBM Australia

Sessions include:

IMS04: IMS Debugging

Robert Hain, IBM Australia

Sessions include:

IMS07: IMS Swapshop

IMS09: Omegamon/IMS



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13th floor – Seminar Room

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Wednesday 29th May

Time	Main Session
8:45 – 9:00	Arrive and Register Robert Hain IBM Australia
9:00 – 10:00	IMS01: Keynote: IMS Trends and Directions Find out the latest developments impacting IMS, including any changes in IMS V15.1 since GA Will also cover how to enable new functions. Geoff Nicholls IBM Australia
10:00 – 10:15	Morning Break
10:15 – 11:15	IMS02: IMS Tools Update This session will cover the status of all the IBM IMS Tools Tracy Dean IBM US
11:25 – 12:25	IMS03: Catalog Management for IMS The IMS catalog will ultimately provide users with tangible benefits as they will now have a central repository to manage their IMS objects and schema. Users will be able to manage IMS like DB2 which allows for schema changes and SQL calls which will only enhance the platform and extend the life of IMS. In the presentation BMC wants to present their experiences with customers already on the IMS catalog and using some additional tools. Ulrich Dillenberger BMC Software
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch

13:30 – 14:30	<p>IMS04: IMS Debugging This will help you prepare for a PMR, based on a presentation written by Jeff Maddix from SVL.</p> <p>Bhups Narsi IBM Australia</p>
14:30 – 14:50	Afternoon Break
14:50 – 15:50	<p>IMS05: IMS DBCTL Performance Tba</p> <p>Geoff Nicholls IBM Australia</p>
16:00 – 17:00	<p>IMS06: Architecting High Availability in Your IMS Stack. If IMS Connect, IMS-based applications and the data they manage are critical to your business operations, you'll know that downtime can often equate to a loss of revenue or a missed SLA. In this presentation learn the ways in which you can configure your IMS environment to achieve higher system availability. With these strategies you can better manage the inevitable growth in workload and reliance on IMS whilst maintaining performance and reducing bottlenecks. Includes a look at the new real time analytics capabilities introduced with IMS Connect Extensions V3.</p> <p>David Mierowsky Rocket Software</p>
17:00 – 17:30	<p>IMS07: IMS Swapshop This session is an open forum. It is your chance to ask questions of anyone present or to bring up any concerns you may have.</p> <p>Robert Hain IBM Australia</p>
17:30	End of day 1.

Thursday 30th May

Time	Main Session
8:45 – 9:00	Arrive
9:00 – 10:00	IMS08: Customer Experiences Managing the IMS Environment tba Tracy Dean IBM US
10:00 – 10:15	Morning Break
10:15 – 11:15	IMS09: Omegamon/IMS This topic will explain the various Omegamon/IMS tasks, and how they are connected to provide the diagnostic information required. Robert Hain IBM Australia
11:25 – 12:25	IMS10: Using Real-Time IMS Data for Security Analysis. Security Information and Event Management (SIEM) is required to keep our mainframes and IMS secure. To properly implement a SIEM solution, you need real-time IMS data that can be correlated with other events by your SIEM solution. Learn how to get this real-time data from IMS without impacting performance and feed it to a SIEM to know who accessed what data and when. This is key for PCI DSS, HIPAA, GDPR, SOX, FISMA, GLBA and other compliance standards. Nick Griffin BMC Software
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13:30 – 14:30	IMS11: General ZOWE Presentation tba Ron Bisceglia, Rocket Software
14:30 – 15:00	Afternoon Break
15:00 – 16:00	IMS12: IMS Internship Topics tba Geoff Nicholls IBM Australia
16:00	Conference End