26th Annual International zSeries Oracle SIG Conference

April 7 – April 11, 2013

Denver Convention Center – Denver CO
In Conjunction with Oracle Collaborate 2013 and IOUG

Previously, the Annual International zSeries Oracle SIG Conference was a three-day technical user group event (z/OS, Linux on IBM System z) and was typically attended by approximately 50 customers from around the world. This year it will again be held in conjunction with Independent Oracle User's Group (IOUG) annual conference, Collaborate 2013. This will provide attendees more access to generic Oracle sessions and topics while also providing on Monday, System z platform specific sessions, System z customer presentations, and networking with key Oracle and IBM personnel for the System z platform.

The IBM System z portion of the conference will start with COLLABORATE's Special Interest Group Reception Sunday afternoon, April 7th, 2013. Collaborate will conclude on April 11th. The SIG conference sessions will be spread out throughout the conference with a kick off on Monday at 9:45 and a closing session on Wednesday at 11:00. This allows you to attend generic sessions during the week.

This is a technical conference, with a technical audience that started as MVS (z/OS, OS/390) and has expanded to include Linux on IBM System z. Previous attendees said that they return because of the high quality, valuable information they receive as well as the opportunity to exchange information with others.

Enrollment

The conference is a user group event, managed by the IOUG.
The Oracle on System z sessions are coordinated by the SIG President, Mike Zechman, and the SIG committee which includes the participation of various users and vendors. For registration, please go to - http://collaborate13.ioug.org/ NOTE: Please be sure to check if there is a System z Priority user group code when you register. This will ensure you register under the z/Series Oracle SIG and we are able to track your registration. Please be aware entering this code will NOT limit your sessions to only System z sessions. You will still have full access to the COLLABORATE long list of sessions. This code is simply a method to identify the SIG members at the conference.

Online Attendance

This conference will not be webcast. The presentation charts will be made available on the SIG website after the conference.

Location

April 7 -11, 2013, Denver Convention Center, Denver, CO

Sunday, April 7, 2013

Time	Session Title	Speaker/Sponsor
5:00PM – 7:00PM	IOUG Welcome Event (hosted by the SIGs - Hors D'oeuvres and cash bar)	All IOUG SIG's

Monday, April 8, 2013

Session Locations, All sessions will be held in the rooms assigned by the Collaborate team.

Time	Session Number / Session Title	Speaker
	Breakfast	
8:00	IOUG General Session	
9:45	253- IBM System z Oracle Solutions Update, plus zSeries Oracle SIG Welcome	Mike Zechman, President zSeries Oracle, DB Consultant Gaylan Braselton, IBM
	Morning break	
11:00	308- Infrastructure Alternatives for Setting Up an Oracle DB on Linux on IBM	Tom Kennelly, IBM
12:15	254 –Installing and Tuning Oracle 11.2.0.3 on RedHat 6 on Linux on z, - Quick tip 30 mins	Damian Gallagher, Oracle
6:00	Welcome Reception in the Exhibitor Showcase	Collaborate

Tuesday, April 9, 2013

Session Locations, All sessions will be held in the rooms assigned by the Collaborate team.

Time	Session Number / Session Title	Speaker
8:00-9:00	322- CPU Usage, Isolation, and Reduction in a Oracle Database Virtual Environment	Mike Zechman, DB Consultant
9:15- 10:15	Oracle Keynote	
	Morning break	
10:45–11:45	252 - High Availability Options with Oracle database and the tuning techniques	Sam Amsavelu, IBM
5:00	COLLABORATE with Us in the Exhibitor Showcase	Collaborate Exhibitor Area

Wednesday, April 10, 2013

Session Locations, All sessions will be held in the rooms assigned by the Collaborate team.

Time	Session Number / Session Title	Speaker
9:30 – 10:30	226- Oracle Support Update for Linux on System z	Damian Gallagher Oracle
	Morning break	
11:00–12:00	323- Panel discussion and closing session of zSeries Oracle SIG	Mike Zechman, President zSeries Oracle SIG, Gaylan Braselton, IBM, Damian Gallagher, Oracle, Ralph Brown, IBM
7:30	Wednesday Party	Collaborate

Thursday, April 11, 2013

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Time	Session Number / Session Title	Speaker
11:00-12:00	240 - Zero Downtime Migrations using Oracle GoldenGate	Thomas Niewel – Oracle