

# Welcome to DC OAUG OAUG Geo Meeting at Collaborate 2014



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# DC OAUG Meeting at Collaborate

- VEGAS BABY!! on Wednesday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm-5:30pm.



# DC OAUG MEETING AT COLLABORATE 2014

- Sands Level 1, Galileo Room 905 on Wednesday, April 9th, 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm
- Current DCOAUG Geo Coordinator:

Chair - Kaberi Nayak

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# TODAY'S AGENDA

- **4:30 – 4:40 pm** – Welcome to DCOAUG and general Board Administration
  - need additional volunteers for the DCOAUG Board and upcoming local meetings
- **4:40 – 5:15pm** – Presentation
- **5:15-5:30 pm** – Networking and Q&A



# THE DC OAUG

- Networking (DC, MD, VA Oracle Users)
- Exchanging problems and solutions
- Submitting enhancement requests with the power of numbers
- Dissemination of information regarding future product direction
- Participating in events with speakers from inside Oracle as well as from key vendor partners and user members
  
- To Join
- <http://dc.oaug.org>
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# DC-OAUG CHAIR'S BACKGROUND

- Over 20 years of experience with Oracle Databases supporting Oracle E-Business Suite Applications environments (Rel 10 -> 12.1)
- Oracle ACE
- OAUG Board of Director 2012 – 2013
- Awarded OAUG Member of the Year in 2011
- Chair of DCOAUG
- Co-chair of OAUG Upgrade and OAUG Database SIG
- Member of OAUG Education, Meetings & Conferences, Geo/SIG and Technology Committee
- Regular Presenter and panel member at OAUG, IOUG, Oracle OpenWorld and Collaborate Conferences, DCOAUG and Connection Point Events
- Currently working at Mitre Corporation as a Senior Oracle Apps DBA for last 14+ years



# Vegas Facts

- It would take 288 years for one person to spend one night in every hotel room in Las Vegas.
- Shrimp consumption in Las Vegas is more than 60,000 pounds a day. That's higher than the rest of the country combined and adds up to 22 million pounds per year.
  - It's against the law to pawn your dentures in Las Vegas.
- The beam of light atop the Luxor in Las Vegas is made up of 39 individual lamps. Each xenon lamp costs \$1,200 and will last about 2,000 hours. The electric bill for the Luxor beam is \$51 an hour.
- More than 110,000 marriage licenses are issued in Las Vegas each year.
  - Average cost of filing for divorce in Nevada, in dollars 450





# ORACLE CUSTOMER ADVISORY PANEL PROGRAM

Influence Oracle- See Results! Oracle's new customer advisory panels

In an effort to provide richer and timelier product feedback to the development teams Oracle is implementing a **advisory panel program**. Each Oracle product line will have a panel of customers invited to provide detailed product feedback.



Panelists will be periodically polled to:

- Understand product set levels
- Validate areas for improvement
- Help set future product direction

Representative panelist samples will be balanced by customer demographics, product releases and product families

Panels are sponsored by the General Managers with content tailored to support their organizations

Feedback from panelists will be provided to Oracle Development teams in a timely manner and trended against prior input

Results are incorporated into broader deliverables shared with the Oracle Executive Committee and Board of Directors

Panelists will **receive the following benefits** from joining the advisory panels:



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Direct line into Development to help enhance products and help set product direction in synch with Oracle's development cycles

# OAUG MEMBERSHIP

OAUG's global community of users, managers, executives and third-party solution providers to increase productivity and maximize the return on investment in Oracle Applications.

## OAUG members receive:

- **Access** to the [OAUG Conference Paper Database](#): Search this comprehensive collection of white papers and presentations containing real-world information about Oracle Applications.
- **Advocacy** opportunities to influence Oracle on product enhancements, usability, new features, Oracle support, pricing and quality.
- **Information** about the latest trends, techniques and solutions from industry leaders through our national and regional events and our publications, such as *OAUG Insight* magazine.
- **Education** through the hundreds of career-enhancing presentations in our conference paper database archive, as well as discounts to conferences and Oracle education.
- **Networking** with Oracle customers, industry experts, third-party software firms, and other Oracle Applications specialists through participation in geographic or special interest group activities, OAUG committees, the [OAUG Buyer's Guide](#) and the [OAUG Knowledge Factory](#).



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# UPCOMING LOCAL DCOAUG MEETINGS

- May 2nd, 2014 – DCOAUG Event, Oracle Corporation, Reston, VA – 8 am to 12:00 pm EST
- July 22 - 23, 2014 – OAUG Connection Point – AppsTech in Pittsburgh, PA
- Fall DCOAUG event , date TBD – stay tuned !!!!



# Back by Popular Demand!

**OAUG Connection Point® — AppsTech**  
**July 22-23, 2014**  
**Pre-conference Training: July 21, 2014**  
**Pittsburgh Marriott City Center**  
**Pittsburgh, PA, USA**

If you are a technologist that supports Oracle's E-Business Suite of applications, you won't want to miss this two-day seminar designed exclusively for you.



Presentation proposals are being accepted between February 19 and April 20 on the following topics:

- Applications Strategy and Service
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- Business Intelligence/ BI Analytics
- Database
- Middleware
- Upgrade



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# Questions? Comments?



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# THANK YOU

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