

CAVMEN – Linux on System z Update

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News You Can Use....

- ***Get the Hype on System z - RedHat Linux on z Webinars:***

<http://www.redhat.com/z/webinars/>

- ***Oracle ship date for 11gR2 posted on Metalink as 1Q 2011***

- contact your Oracle rep/team to ask about this date

- ***Oracle now shipping patch sets for Linux on z concurrent with x86 patch sets***

- ***System z Linux Executive Council NYC presentations posted -***

<http://www-03.ibm.com/systems/z/os/linux/execcouncil.html>

- ***zExpo a success – new product to see: SAS alternative on System z Linux from WPS: <http://www.teamwpc.co.uk/products/wps/platforms/zlinux>***

System z Events:

October 8 Telecon REPLAY - System z and Linux: The winning combination

Original broadcast date: October 8, 2009 – Dr. Robert Sutor, Vice President, Linux and Open Source, IBM Software Group and Michael Applebaum, Senior Solution Marketing Manager, Novell
Developed for: IT strategists, solution analysts and managers, enterprise architects

http://www.ibm.com/software/os/systemz/telecon/oct8/index.html?S_TACT=109A357M&S_CMP=5x5

October 29 Telecon - Top 10 tips for getting more out of OMEGAMON XE

Broadcast date: October 29, 2009, 11 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, 3 p.m. UTC
Developed for: Systems and CICS programmers, IT operations managers and systems admins
Technical level: Basic – intermediate

http://www.ibm.com/software/os/systemz/telecon/oct29/index.html?S_TACT=109A426M&S_CMP=5x5

Nov. 4 Webcast: Bridging the IT silos: An evolutionary approach to application development and delivery

Broadcast date: November 4, 2009, 11 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time
Developed for: IT managers, development managers, application architects and application developers, systems programmers, and IT operations and IT operations managers
Technical level: Intermediate

http://www.ibm.com/software/os/systemz/webcast/nov4/index.html?S_TACT=109A359M&S_CMP=5x5

Dec 7 – 11 Workshop: z/VM and Linux on System z

Location; VM Resources, Mountain View, CA
Cost; \$4,250 per person - discounts available for enrollment prior to Nov. 15th
Enrollments and questions; David Kreuter dkreuter@vm-resources.com 905 660 3639

Upcoming Seminar:

November 12th Chicago IBM/Red Hat Breakfast Seminar for Sun Customers



Join us for this invitation-only breakfast in Chicago on Tuesday, November 12th, at The Blackstone, Renaissance Hotel. Registration and breakfast will begin at 8:00 a.m. and the executive welcome starts at 8:30 a.m. The overall program will end before 10:30 a.m.

Program highlights:

- How and why freedom from hardware and software vendor lock-in reduces real costs
- Numerous features and support available at no extra charge with Red Hat Enterprise Linux
- How virtualization is included in your Red Hat Enterprise Linux subscription and is not an added costly option
- The viability of IBM hardware offerings vs. Sun's lost momentum
- Why IBM and Red Hat are the best partners for a safe migration during uncertain times

Register here: <https://inquiries.redhat.com/go/redhat/IBMRedHatExecutiveBreakfastChicagoFall>

Great Articles....

Straight Talk for Mainframe Executives: Right-Fitting Applications Into Consolidated Environments—An Interview With IBM's Monte Bauman

According to one of its developers, IBM's RACE methodology can help customers quickly build a business case for consolidation and virtualization...

<http://www.mainframe-exec.com/articles/?p=161>

Survey results: Data center trends for 2010:

According to our recent survey of 920 IT managers, budgets slumped, server hardware purchasing trends shifted to accommodate server virtualization deployments and Windows Server 2008 shook up the operating system landscape. Check out the story for full results.

<http://go.techtarget.com/r/9397935/1043500>

IBM Program to Help Students Gain Critical Mainframe Skills Grows to More than 600 Universities

Since the program's inception in 2004 with 24 colleges from the United States, the System z Academic Initiative now reaches students in 61 countries.

www.ibm.com/university/systemz

Wildfire Classes:

Workshops offered during this period are:

WebSphere Application Server for z/OS Version 7.0	(WBSR7)
Security Workshop: WebSphere Application Server for z/OS	(WSW07)
Deploying WebSphere Centric Products on Linux for System z	(LINX6)
z/OS JAVA Exploiters and JAVA Batch Workshop	(ZJAV1)
**WebSphere Message Broker for z/OS Version 6.1 Workshop	(WMB06)
WebSphere Process Server V6.1 for z/OS Implementation Workshop	(ZWPS6)
WebSphere Portal Server on Linux for System z Version 6.1	(ZPRT1)
Virtualization and Consolidation to Linux on System z	(VC001)
WebSphere MQ V7 and WMQ FTE for z/OS Workshop	(WMQ07)

** Chicago, Nov 10-12