

# Heart of Texas DB2 User Group

Third Quarterly Meeting  
Wednesday, October 11, 2006  
8:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.

Location: Department of Public Safety (DPS)  
Criminal Law Enforcement (CLE) conference room, Building E  
5805 North Lamar Blvd.  
Austin, TX

## Please RSVP

to [mary.lo@tgscl.org](mailto:mary.lo@tgscl.org) if you will be staying for lunch so we can get a headcount

Breakfast and Lunch Sponsor: ITgain

08:30 – 9:00	Registration and Breakfast
09:00 – 9:10	Business and Announcements, Bob Brock
09:10 – 10:20	DB2 Autonomics: Implementation and Exploitation Phil Gunning, Gunning Technology Solutions
10:20 – 10:35	Break
10:35 – 11:45	DB2 Connect: Performance Mysteries Revealed Per Stricker, ITgain
11:45 – 12:45	Lunch, product demo and Q & A
12:45 – 1:00	Raffle Drawing (T-shirts and Phil's book)

**\*\* Directions to DPS \*\***

From I-35 take the Koenig Lane Exit heading west. Take Right on North Lamar. Take Right on Denson. Building E is located at the intersections of Guadalupe & Denson on your right-hand side. There's an adjacent parking lot. You can also park along the streets.

## **First Speaker**

Phil Gunning

### **Presentation Overview**

#### **DB2 Autonomics: Implementation and Exploitation**

This presentation covers DB2 9 for LUW. It covers a brief overview of where DB2 has been and where it is going in autonomics, then delves into the details for implementing and exploiting autonomics in DB2 9. Defaults are discussed and recommendations provided for implementation. This presentation is based on actual experience from consulting engagements. Automatic storage, automatic storage table spaces, automatic RUNSTATS, statistics profiling, Self Tuning Memory Manager, and DB2 Database Memory autonomics are covered.

\*\*\* Phil will present this topic at IDUG Europe in Vienna, Austria on October 4 & 5.

### **Speaker Biography**

Phil Gunning is the owner of Gunning Technology Solutions, LLC. He is a well known consultant and author. He has consulted at companies in many industries around the world. He is the most published DB2 consultant, having written "The DB2 V8 UDB Handbook for Linux, UNIX and Windows", Aug 2003, IBM Press; the IBM redbook, "DB2 UDB V8.2 High Performance Design for OLTP and BI, the Quest Software, "Knowledge Expert for DB2" initial publication, and numerous DB2 Magazine and IDUG Solutions Journal articles. He has presented at conferences in the US and Europe.

## **Second Speaker**

Per Stricker

### **Presentation Overview**

#### **DB2 Connect: Performance Mysteries Revealed**

This session will cover monitoring and tuning aspects of DB2 Connect from both a mainframe and gateway perspective. This presentation will cover identifying suboptimal applications and show you how to pinpoint if the problem is in DB2, DDF, WLM, TCP/IP, USS, or the DB2 Connect Gateway. This presentation will include ITgain's Gateway Monitor solution and DB2 Connect historical performance database, the first of its kind in the industry! This session will show you how to solve the DB2 Connect or DB2 performance mystery when everyone else in the organization thinks it is the gateway, DDF, DB2 or the network!

### **Speaker Biography**

Per Stricker has over 20 years of experience implementing and tuning solutions on z/OS and DB2 for Linux, UNIX and Windows. He founded ITgain, along with several partners and has been the President and CEO ITgain USA.