

Monday, September 11, 2006

7:00 - 8:00	Registration and Continental Breakfast				
8:00 - 8:15	Opening Remarks by Conference Chair <i>Dr. Magdy Hanna, International Institute for Software Testing</i>				
8:15 - 9:15	Keynote: Ed Adams, CEO of Security Innovation and Founder of AppSIC What does Security Mean to my Business: The Quest for Security Testing and ROI				
	Advanced Topics	Test Process	Project Management	Quality Management	Test Automation
9:30 - 10:30	Modern Test Technology - Multi-Vendor Automated Code Analysis Tool Suite Methodology <i>Warren Badgley, Jr. GB Tech, Inc.</i>	Provocative Opinions About Software Testing for Test Managers and Test Leads <i>Theodore F. Rivera & Scott A. Will IBM Corporation</i>	Practical Project Management Using Test Metrics <i>John (Jian) Wei Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan</i>	Controlling Organizational Change...Beyond the Nightmare <i>Deb Jacobs Focal Point Associates</i>	Automation and Voodoo <i>Richard Wagner Catalina Marketing Corporation</i>
10:45 - 11:45	FEATURE Sarbanes-Oxley Act and QA A Marriage of Convenience <i>Dr. Rebecca Staton-Reinstein Advantage Leadership</i>	Smart Result Analysis: A Practical Approach to Benchmark and Regression Testing <i>Manoharan Vellalpalayam Intel Corporation</i>		Analysis and Test Planning for Large System Integration Projects <i>Denise Copening Olenick & Associates</i>	Beyond The Batch File: Built-In Windows OS Tools for Jump-Starting or Bootstrapping Test Automation <i>Matt Lowrie Anark Corporation</i>
11:45 - 12:30	Visit Exhibit/Vendor Presentations				
12:30 - 1:30	Lunch/Discussion Groups				
1:30 - 2:30	Concurrent Use of Multiple Static Code Analysis Tools <i>Scott A. Will & David Schmidt IBM Corporation, Tivoli Software</i>	A Tester's Role in Agile Development Projects <i>Chris Hetzler SDE Microsoft Corporation</i>	Why Project Leaders Fail <i>Tom Mattus Successful Strategies International, Inc.</i>	Improving your Quality Process – A Practical Example <i>John Balza Independent Consultant</i>	FEATURE Testing in .NET: What You Need to Know about Integrating Testing & Development <i>Mary Romero Sweeney Independent Consultant</i>
2:45 - 3:45	From the Lab to the Boardroom: How to Perform a Security Risk Assessment Like a Professional <i>Doug Landoll En Pointe Technologies</i>	FEATURE Testing Within an Agile Framework <i>Amber Mikesell Solution Delivery Partners, Inc.</i>	Project Management for Quality Professionals <i>Jessica Vasquez MoneyGram International</i>	Risk Management Keys for SQA Managers <i>James H. Giddings Metropolitan Life</i>	Test Automation Best Practices: PHH Mortgage Implementation Case Study <i>David Dang, Questcon Technologies & Ellen Fox, PHH Mortgage</i>
4:00 - 5:00	Keynote: Ken Johnston, Director of Test Excellence, Microsoft <i>How Microsoft Tests Software Today and Where We are Headed Next</i>				
5:00 - 6:30	Conference Reception				

Tuesday, September 12, 2006

7:00 - 8:00	Registration and Continental Breakfast				
8:00 - 8:15	Opening Remarks by Conference Chair <i>Dr. Magdy Hanna, International Institute for Software Testing</i>				
8:15 - 9:15	Keynote: Helen McKinstry, Director of Development Transformation and Total Quality, Tivoli Systems at IBM Corporation Critical Interaction of Tools, Process and Collaboration for Driving a High Performance Culture of Quality				
	Advanced Topics	Test Process	Customer Requirements	Quality Management	Test Automation
9:30 - 10:30	FEATURE Unleash the Power of Static Testing <i>Dr. Rebecca Staton-Reinstein</i> <i>Advantage Leadership</i>	How to Provide Better Test Coverage <i>Laura Hess-Ulman</i> <i>Data Recognition Corporation</i>	Requirements Engineering...So Things Don't Get Ugly <i>Deb Jacobs</i> <i>Focal Point Associates</i>	FEATURE Five Core Metrics to Guide your Software Endgames <i>Bob Galen</i> <i>RGalen Consulting Group, L.L.C.</i>	Fundamentals of Performance Testing <i>Michael Lawler</i> <i>Spherion</i>
10:45 - 11:45	Create Test Cases with Ease Using Combination Tools <i>Susan Carlson & Mike Gibson</i> <i>Spanlink Communications & Compuware Corporation</i>	Test Metrics: A Practical Approach to Tracking & Interpretation <i>Shaun Bradshaw</i> <i>Questcon Technologies</i>	Significance of Requirements Phase Testing <i>Amitakumar Vilas Kulkarni</i> <i>Ness Technologies</i>	FEATURE Metrics and Measurement for Quality Improvement. <i>Amber Mikesell</i> <i>Solution Delivery Partners, Inc.</i>	Test Frameworks and Agile Software Development: Like Peanut Butter and Chocolate <i>Rachel Silber</i> <i>Cylant, Inc.</i>
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1:30 - 2:30	Establishing Project Governance – A Practical Framework to Manage Risk, Provide Verification and Validation Processes, and Ensure Compliance with Sarbanes-Oxley <i>John McKusker & Leslie Crair</i> <i>McDonald Bradley, Inc.</i>	Using Scrum to Manage the Testing Effort <i>Bob Galen</i> <i>RGalen Consulting Group, L.L.C.</i>	FEATURE I Went to a Testing Conference and All They Talked About was Requirements <i>Robin Goldsmith, J.D.</i> <i>Go Pro Management, Inc.</i>	A Risk-Focused Validation Process <i>Lee Globus</i> <i>Guidant (Boston Scientific)</i>	Test Automation Preparedness: Strategies to Maximize Automation Tool ROI <i>David Dang</i> <i>Questcon Technologies</i>
2:45 - 3:45	Accelerating Process Improvement Using Agile Techniques <i>Deb Jacobs</i> <i>Focal Point Associates</i>	FEATURE Twelve-Step Program for a Better Test Process <i>Judy McKay</i> <i>Independent Consultant</i>		Tools, Tangents and Tragedies <i>George A. Thraikill</i> <i>State Of Kansas, Department of Commerce</i>	FEATURE Creating Agility and Effectiveness in Software Testing: Agile Functional Test Automation <i>Linda Hayes, CTO</i> <i>Worksoft, Inc.</i> Test Automation
4:00 - 5:00	Closing Keynote: Linda Hayes, CTO, Worksoft, Inc. <i>Just Say Yes!</i>				