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Cloud Computing - Beyond the Hype

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Cloud Computing heralds an evolution in the IT industry that has the potential to be a disruptive and transformative phenomenon. Cloud Computing can be defined as a style of computing where massively scalable IT capabilities are provided "as a service". It is an umbrella term that is now being applied to a variety of offerings and capabilities that include the following:

1. "Infrastructure" as a Service (Ex: GoGrid, Rackspace etc)
2. " Storage" as a Service (Amazon S3, Microsoft SQL Services etc)
3. "Computation" as a Service (Amazon EC2)
4. "Platform" as a Service (Microsoft Azure, Force.com, Google Apps Engine etc)
5. "Software Applications" as a Service (Ex: Salesforce.com, Workday etc)

In this session, we will explore the following topics:

1. Define Cloud Computing, its genesis, anatomy and applicability and the various layers of Cloud Offerings
2. Discuss competitive Cloud Offerings from vendors like Microsoft, Amazon, Google, Salesforce.com etc.
3. Business Value of Cloud Offerings
4. Explore the impact of Cloud Computing on Enterprise Architecture

FRIDAY, JAN 30TH RSVP BY JAN 27TH.

7:30 am Networking & continental breakfast/coffee
Followed by the 8:00 AM – 9:30AM meeting

**HOST: TODD CAMM, DIRECTOR ENTERPRISE
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LOCATION: Tellabs

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AUDIENCE

The SIG's focus is to provide Senior IT Leaders (Chief Architects/CIOs/CTOs/ VPs/Directors of Architecture, Planning) and EA practitioners with a means to share lessons and seek guidance from their peers in other Chicago area businesses.

MISSION

- Provide business-driven focus to Enterprise Architecture, planning and strategy functions and share pragmatic insights, best practices, leading trends on EA;
- Forum for members to share, collaborate and advance the implementations of EA in their organizations;
- Provide a peer networking opportunity among the EA and strategy practitioners.

This Special Interest Group (SIG) serves those who have responsibility for the advancement of EA strategies, best practices and technologies within their organizations. We meet the first Friday of every other month at different locations.

The Chair of the EA SIG

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