



Houston Oracle User Group

May, 2010

Next Meeting: WEDNESDAY, May 19th

The Houston Oracle User Group meeting will be held at the Houston Baptist University located off 59 Freeway and Fondren (exit) on Wednesday, May 19, 2010.

Houston Baptist University

7502 Fondren Road

Houston, TX 77074

Hinton Center (Bldg 17) – Dillon II
(Regular Location – map below)

Agenda

Sign in	9:00 a.m.
Business Meeting	9:15 a.m.
Speaker	9:30 a.m.
Adjourn	11:00 a.m.

Presentation

DOING MORE WITH LESS

After Cheniere lost 75% of its IT staff due to downsizing, we still managed to support a system consisting of Oracle Financials, Projects, Fixed Assets, Core HR, Advanced Benefits, OTL, iRecruitment and eAM. Cheniere continues to improve their processes and end user productivity even with a skeletal staff.

This presentation will address how Cheniere was able to “do more with less” and balance the ability to maintain a good relationship with our users even after a large layoff. I will show some examples of the improvements we have made to our system using this concept while working closely with our end users. Cheniere is currently running Release 11.5.10.2 and plans to upgrade to R12 sometime in the not to distant future.

Presentation by Cheniere Energy

Speaker Bio

Monty Free has been with Cheniere Energy, Inc. since April 2007 managing the support of Oracle Financials, Projects, Fixed Assets and the integration of eAM to Oracle Projects/Financials.

Monty began working with Oracle Applications in 1989 at Oracle Corporation. He has performed 20+ implementations, successfully upgraded Oracle Applications starting with character based MPL5, through 10.7SC, into 11.03 and finally 11.5.10.2.

He has a BBA in Finance from the University of Houston and has worked with accounting applications since 1979.

From your 2010 Board:

Did you realize that as a member of HOUG you are also a member of SCOUG (South Central Oracle Users Group)?

Have you registered for the SCOUG **FREE** training day on **June 7th**? The agenda for the training tracks is nearly complete with a full day 9am – 3pm of education, training and networking opportunities.

Register online and sign up today to [SAVE THE DATE](#) Space may be limited and membership will be important. Renew today!

Want to be part of an Oracle R12 Share Group? This group would share information on Oracle R12 implementations/upgrades on LinkedIn. Please send your e-mail address to Linda Ranostaj at Iranostaj@whitakerit.com to join.

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Upcoming Meetings

- June 7, 2010 – SCOUG Training Day – Mariott Greenspoint (9am – 3pm) FREE TO SCOUG/HOUG paid members
- July 21, 2010 – Evening social event at Larry's BBQ (NW Houston)

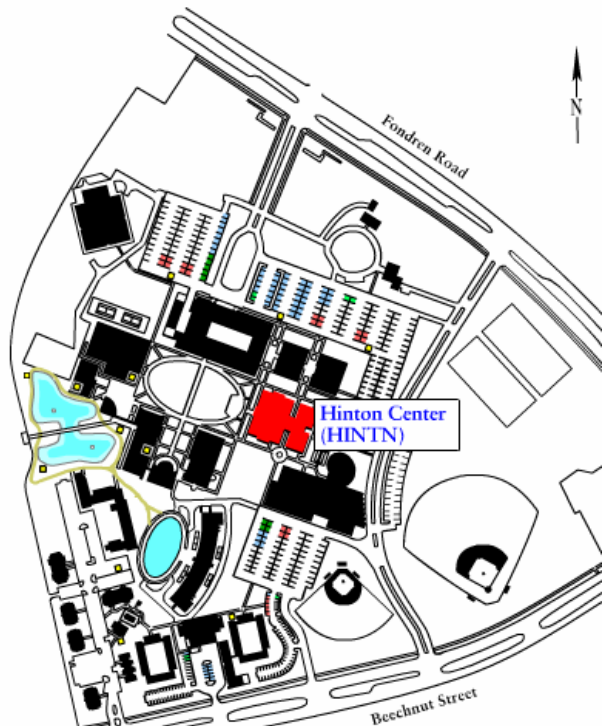
For additional information on upcoming HOUG meetings, please visit our web site at www.houg.org.

Non-Members

There is a \$5.00 fee for all non-members attending the meeting.

MAP & PARKING

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