



## Exchange Server 2003 Service Pack 2

Ankur Kothari, Microsoft Corporation

Join us for a technical drill down into the new features and improvements coming with Exchange Server 2003 Service Pack 2, which is scheduled for release in the second half of 2005. SP2 builds on the capabilities of Exchange Server 2003 to offer you even better protection, reliability, easier administration, as well as an improved mobile messaging experience.

Topics covered during this presentation include:

- Mobile e-mail improvements
- Better protection against spam
- Advanced mailbox improvements

## Live Communication Server 2005

Ryan Williams, Senior Consultant, Project Leadership Associates

How much more productive could your employees be if they could instantly find and communicate with co-workers? Could you actually reduce travel and long distance costs by allowing employees to communicate in real time from anywhere in the world? Imagine if this technology could easily be integrated with your existing Microsoft Exchange and SharePoint investments?

Join Project Leadership Associates as we introduce your organization to a new world of secure employee collaboration using Microsoft Live Communication Server (LCS). In this presentation, we will provide an overview of the business challenges solved by implementing LCS and review the features that make this software a compelling choice to lead your organization to improved employee productivity.

## Exchange 2000 to 2003 migrations for merger and acquisition scenarios, Exchange restructuring

Ron Robbins, Quest Software

In today's economic environment, mergers and acquisitions are increasingly common. Companies of all sizes are coming together to form new entities. With these activities, IT departments are faced with several challenges in standardizing messaging platforms to ensure continuity and communication among all the users in the new organization. Administrators must carefully consider the impact to their existing organization, while accounting for future changes. This session will bring light to the merger/acquisition scenario and include real-life experience from within Quest. The session will also include things to consider during this type of migration and products available to help you along the way.

## SharePoint Case Studies

Malcolm Eaton, Captaré Consulting

During this session, Captaré will demonstrate two real-world SharePoint solutions created for clients needing to take SPS and WSS to the next level to solve key business problems. These solutions will demonstrate the use of SharePoint Portal Server, third party Web Parts, custom developed Web Parts, InfoPath and other Microsoft Office tools. The challenges addressed were:

**Refining Document Management and Search Capabilities** - In an effort to reduce costs, this nationally renowned home builder standardized operations in more than 20 states. Almost a thousand documents were created detailing their processes. Our solution utilizes advanced document library features to provide a robust repository for the information as well as customized search and print capabilities within SharePoint. This solutions enables employees to navigate to or search the desired document with ease.

**Creating an End-To-End New Product Development Workflow Solution** - A consumer package goods company felt it could significantly reduce the time and cost required to take a product from concept to a store's shelf. Our solution automates workflow processes and collaboration across divisions, utilizing SPS, two key third-party suites of Web Parts, and InfoPath. This automation extends to their Asian suppliers to create a streamlined new product development process.

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