MICHIANA MID-RANGE USERS' GROUP

(www.MRMUG.org)

Thursday October, 08, 2009

Meeting begins at 12:00 noon (South Bend Time); lunch will be served during meeting

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MEETING PLACE – CIBER Innovation and Technology center (**Note the meeting time and Date**)

Topic: INTERNET SECURITY

Bracing Yourself for Today's Security Challenges

Hackers and information thieves, both inside and outside of organizations, are accelerating their attacks on customer and enterprise data. And the challenges are many, including the loss of control that can come through third party vendor relationships, the difficulty managing all the endpoints, data loss and the very difficult balancing act between costs, complexity and risks. This lunch and learn session will examine today's environment, including the value of a holistic, end to end security approach, some perspectives on best practices and an overview of IBM's security capabilities.

SPEAKER - Phil McHugh Americas Security Executive IBM Internet Security Systems

Pro-action is necessary in our changing environment. Phil McHugh has worked for IBM for 28 years, and joined IBM Internet Security Systems (ISS) in '07 to help lead ISS' sales integration into the broader IBM Corp. Across the US, he meets regularly with senior executives in small and medium sized businesses, discussing their security challenges and sharing with them what he's seeing across the country in security. He's a Rutgers University MBA, has worked with many IBM clients since 1982 and was an IBM Client Executive for one of IBM's 10 largest global clients. Immediately prior to joining ISS, he worked for IBM Global Financing (IGF) where he was the executive responsible for launching IGF's first of a kind Vendor Program initiative, resulting in contracts with several non-IBM IT companies for each to use IGF financial services in their go to market product and channel strategies.

Menu – LUNCH is being furnished by CIBER

Meeting Location	Tip/URL for the month
CIBER 4100 Edison Lakes Parkway - Suite 240 Mishawaka, IN 45645	Listed on our website: http://www.mrmug.org or http://www.forms.mrmug.org/reservations/f_reservation.htm
Please let one of the Board members know if you would like to be on the Board of Directors.	**Did you receive your MrMug dues statement?** **If you did not, e-mail jim.manuszak@ctscorp.com**

Special Interest Items

NOTE: MRMUG is now a member of Common. Annual dues of $50.00 (due Jan 1st) help cover the cost of MRMUG's membership.
Website iSociety is a community of individual websites, chatrooms, blogs, organizations individuals and business that use System i.
Includes small and large users groups, news organizations, forums and students. http://isociety.common.org/

We need speakers and ideas for our meetings, Tech Topics, and URL/tip of the month. If you know someone who will speak to our group, contact Jim Manuszak or Craig Nelson. This organization is about sharing knowledge; forward this newsletter to anyone you think is interested in computer related topics. Dues paying members bringing someone to our meetings from a company who is not yet a member will receive a MrMug.org mug once that person becomes a dues paying member! The new member will ALSO receive a mug.

Please register on the MrMug website (http://www.MRMUG.org), call or e-mail Kathy Rogina with your reservations BEFORE end of day Wednesday, October 07, 2009

If you ever have any questions about the group, please do not hesitate to call a board member

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