Rdb Training

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Abstract

Oracle Rdb Training in the Americas – and a number of other places – is offered by JCC Consulting, Inc. This presentation discusses the dimensions of that program, our experience with Rdb, and our experience in training.

Courses Offered

- From soup to nuts…everything about databases and Rdb in particular
- Relational database design
- SQL
- Database Administration
- Physical Database Design
- Performance and Tuning
- Rdb Internals
- Application guidance, such as Rdb and Oracle Forms

Where We Think Demand Is

- Scheduled Seminars
  - SQL
  - Production Database Administration
  - Performance and Tuning
  - Rdb Internals
- Others on demand or on-site
- On-site seminars can also be tuned
  - To meet a specific need
  - To use in-house databases for labs
- See web page www.jcc.com and click on "training"

Seminar Policies

- We try to advertise seminars a year in advance
  - Planning demanded at previous Rdb "events"
  - See the JCC web page for the program
- If one student signs up, we will offer the seminar
  - Obviously if this persists for too long, we will be forced to reduce the number of offerings
- Maximum class size is limited to foster discussion.

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JCC Instructors

- JCC instructors
    - Are Rdb Practitioners.
    - Each with over 20 years of Rdb experience [can't get more than that!]
    - Have practical experience doing Rdb *AND* teaching Rdb
- Tuning and DBA course are offered by instructors
    - With experience at diverse sites with both "big" and "little" databases and, possibly, every blend of issues.
    - Who have tuned databases to some of the most demanding criteria on the planet.
- SQL is offered by Keith Hare who is has long been an active participant in the SQL standards committees and has just become the Convener (Chair) for the international SQL Standards work.

Current Schedule

Title	Dates	# Days
Advanced SQL	Jun 6, 2005	5
Rdb Database Administration: The Care and Feeding of Production Databases	Feb 21, 2005 Jan 9, 2006	5
Rdb Database Performance and Tuning: Query Tuning and Locking	Jul 11, 2005	4
Rdb Database Performance and Tuning: Physical Design	Sep 12, 2005	4
Rdb Internals	Oct 17, 2005	5

Seminar Facility

- Scheduled, public offering seminars – like those shown on the schedule – are held in Granville, Ohio
  - Central location with easy air access (Columbus' airport is 35 minutes away)
  - Low cost hotels and diverse eating establishments
  - Excellent computing/lab facilities
  - Pleasant surroundings
  - However, seldom viewed as a boondoggle. ☺
- Public offering seminars have the advantage of including people with other backgrounds and questions.

On-Site Seminars

- On-site seminars offer several advantages.
    - Cost effective when there are five or so to include.
    - Provide the option of some topic selection and course tailoring.
    - Can sometimes use on-site databases for the labs and/or examples.
    - Provide greater control of dates.

Recent History

- Patronage has tested the limits of the JCC commitment
- If you don't show up, we can't have a program!

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Current Intention

- We feel we are prophets of Rdb

- We will continue our training program if there is *any* patronage

- It is up to you to ensure we can offer seminars at a frequent interval

JCC Offices and a Seminar Group

Granville, Ohio

Related Assistance

- Sometimes our clients want more than training.
- Products include (http://www.jcc.com/products.htm)
    - LogMiner Loader ™
    - Data Pump ™ (available with the Loader)
    - BLR Parser ™ (used with our services and available with our training)
    - Fast Index Verify ™ (used with our services)
- Services include (http://www.jcc.com/services.htm)
    - JCC DBA™ (complete out-sourcing)
    - DBA ONCALL ™ (support for DBAs, as needed)
    - Others (tuned, as our clients find needs)
- Consulting with an emphasis on technology transfer

Questions

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