

Schedule

Here is our schedule for the upcoming event. We've done our best to provide a good mix of topics and skill levels, we hope you'll find something of interest throughout the day. Our thanks to the speakers listed below for volunteering their time, we couldn't do it without them. If there are schedule changes we will make them here as they happen. We encourage you to check back a few days before the event just in case we have had to move one of your favorite sessions.

Advanced Analysis Techniques	Application & Database Development	BI Information Delivery	BI Platform Architecture, Development & Administration	Cloud Application Development & Deployment	Enterprise Database Administration & Deployment	Professional Development	Strategy and Architecture	Other
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Schedule is subject to change.

Friday, May 5, 2017 Conference Schedule

Paid classes: SQL Saturday Pre-Conference		
Room	BI - Room 259	SQL Internals - Room 260
08:00 AM - 08:30 AM	Registration, Coffee, Snacks	
08:30 AM - 12:30 PM		Tune Like a Gurul Kevin Boles Level: Intermediate
12:30 PM - 01:00 PM	Lunch	
01:00 PM - 05:00 PM		Tune Like a Gurul Kevin Boles Level: Intermediate

Saturday, May 6, 2017 Conference Schedule

Room	SQL Guru - Room 210	BI 1 - Room 363	BI 2 - Room 361	BI 3 - Room 359	DBA - Room 362	Dev - Room 360	Design - Room 330	Pro - Room 304	
07:30 AM - 08:00 AM	Registration								
08:00 AM - 08:30 AM	Keynote, Rooms 210/230								
08:30 AM - 09:30 AM		The Business Intelligence Side of SQL Server Sayed Saeed Level: Beginner	"Full Text indexing" or... "What is that service I never turn on?" Eric Blinn Level: Intermediate	Azure Analysis Services - An introduction Timothy McAilley Level: Intermediate	Managing Very Large Databases with SQL Server Brian Carrig Level: Intermediate	Crash Course on Better SQL Development Vladimir Oselsky Level: Beginner	The ABC's of Server Baselines Carlos L Chacon Level: Beginner		
09:30 AM - 09:45 AM	Coffee Break								
09:45 AM - 10:45 AM		Data Visualization: How to truly tell a great story! Jonathan Stewart Level: Beginner	New Features in SSIS 2016 Paul Rizza Level: Beginner	Big Data 101 Paresh Motiwala Level: Beginner	Using Powershell to Document SQL Server George Walkey Level: Intermediate	The Ins and Outs of SQL Indexes Mindy Curnutt Level: Beginner	Public Preview of SQL Server on Linux John Miner Level: Intermediate	Tech Writing for Techies: A Primer Ray Kim Level: Beginner	
10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	Coffee Break								
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	# vs @ - it's not about Social Media it's about temporary tables and data Thomas Grohser Level: Beginner	Microsoft and Big Data - An Overview of the Power Tools and more! David Patrick Level: Beginner	Introduction to Azure Streaming Analytics Warren Sifre Level: Intermediate	Introduction to Biml Shannon Lowder Level: Beginner	Monitoring Availability Groups Tracy Boggiano Level: Intermediate	APPLY Yourself Kevin Feasel Level: Beginner	Efficient table design Alex Grinberg Level: Intermediate	Drinking From the Firehose: a Guide to Keeping Up with Technology Eugene Meidinger Level: Beginner	
12:00 PM - 12:45 PM	Lunch Break								
Sponsors' Sessions									

12:45 PM - 01:15 PM	To be Announced		Getting a job at Microsoft. Paul Rizza Level: Beginner		To be Announced	To be Announced	User Group Ravi Kumar Level: Beginner	
01:15 PM - 01:30 PM	Snack Break							
01:30 PM - 02:30 PM	Common TSQL Mistakes Kevin Boles Level: Intermediate	Excel with DAX Azhagappan Arunachalam Level: Beginner	Interrogating your data sources with Biml Shannon Lowder Level: Advanced	SSIS Incremental Loading: The Tortoise and The Hare Jeremy Frye Level: Beginner	SQL Server XML 101 Alex Grinberg Level: Intermediate	SQL Server 2016: Data Masking and Encryption Sean Werick Level: Intermediate	Database Project Makes Deployment Consistent Thomas Norman Level: Beginner	Why candidates fail the job interview in the first minute Thomas Grohser Level: Beginner
02:30 PM - 02:45 PM	Snack Break							
02:45 PM - 03:45 PM		An (Advanced) Introduction to Power BI Eugene Meidinger Level: Beginner	SSAS 2016 Tabular - Diving into the new features Brian Beswick Level: Beginner	Deeper Into Azure Machine Learning Mark Hudson Level: Advanced	SQL Server Defaults SUCK!! Kevin Boles Level: Intermediate	Statistics & Cardinality – How They Work to Find Data Efficiently Chris Bell Level: Beginner	Disaster Documents: The role of documentation in disaster recovery Ray Kim Level: Beginner	On the Doorsteps - Women in Technology Michelle Haarhues Level: Beginner
03:45 PM - 04:00 PM	Snack Break							
04:00 PM - 04:45 PM	Raffle. Closing of the event. . Rooms 210/230							