

Application Development	Big Data	Database Administration	Database Development	Enterprise BI	Lightning Talks	Machine Learning and AI	Optimization/Tuning	Panel	Professional/Personal Development	QA/Automation	Self-Service BI	Cloud Application Development & Deployment
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Schedule is subject to change.

Saturday, Jul 28, 2018 Conference Schedule

Room	4	5	7	19	20	21
08:00 AM - 08:30 AM	Breakfast & Registration					
08:30 AM - 09:45 AM	Networking: it isn't just for breakfast anymore Ray Kim Level: Beginner	DevOps Database administration. Stephen Mokszycki Level: Beginner	Introduction to Azure SQL Data Warehouse Derik Hammer Level: Beginner	DAX and the tabular model Steve Simon Level: Intermediate	Whoa! Backup, what happened? The Basics of Backups Greg Moore Level: Beginner	Effective Data Warehouse Storage Patterns John Miner Level: Advanced
10:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Learning to present and becoming good at it James Serra Level: Beginner	Common TSQL Mistakes Kevin Boles Level: Intermediate	Launching your database into Azure Derik Hammer Level: Beginner	An introduction to Data Mining with SQL Server 2016 Steve Simon Level: Intermediate	BI Infrastructure in Azure: Points to Consider Paresh Motiwala Level: Intermediate	Performance Troubleshooting made easier - new features in Management Studio I Taib Ali Level: Intermediate
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Lunch					
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	(This session is cancelled or unavailable)					Development & Test Data Management: Achieving breakthrough saving Andrew Cary Level: Intermediate
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	(This session is cancelled or unavailable)					WIT Luncheon: Women Participation at Conferences/Workshops/Technical Market Vijaya Kokkili Level: Beginner
12:30 PM - 01:45 PM	Big data architectures and the data lake James Serra Level: Beginner	Azure Data Factory V2 /ETL in the clouds Christian Cote Level: Intermediate	Shaving of Microseconds Thomas Grohser Level: Advanced	(This session is cancelled or unavailable)		Documenting your SQL Server environment with PowerShell Matthew Anderson Level: Beginner
02:00 PM - 03:15 PM	From (User) Story to Tables: Read Between the Lines to Find Your Data Deborah Melkin Level: Intermediate	An Introduction to Predictive Modeling with R Bryan Cafferky Level: Beginner	Implementing Security Standard Regulations in SQL Server & Azure Michelle Gutzait Level: Beginner	Query Optimization Techniques Edward Pollack Level: Intermediate	SQL Server 2016 (SP1) & 2017 ROCKS!! Kevin Boles Level: Intermediate	Take the changes under control Alex Grinberg Level: Intermediate
03:30 PM - 04:45 PM	"Schadenfreude" - Let's enjoy the mistakes other people made... Thomas Grohser Level: Beginner	So you want to Present: Tips and Tricks of the trade Greg Moore Level: Beginner	Power up SSRS 2017 with Power BI and other new enhancements Sunil Kadimiwan Level: Intermediate	Full Text Indexing Basics John Miner Level: Intermediate	Ask the Experts Panel Kevin Boles, Michelle Gutzait... Level: Beginner	"Go Faster!" And Other Things Yelled at the Backup Jobs Mike Hays Level: Beginner
05:00 PM - 05:30 PM	Closing & Raffles					