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A Letter From the IDUG President

Joe Borges, IDUG President

Dear IDUG Membership,

All good things come to an end ... or so the saying goes. Well, IDUG 2012 events concluded with the 2012 IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Berlin, Germany - and it ended with a bang! What a great conference! I want to tell you that from my perspective, the technical content and network opportunities were excellent. This came as no surprise really since it's what we have come to expect of IDUG events. I want to personally thank Ole Homskov and his Conference Planning Committee for a job very well done!

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Join the IDUG Board of Directors

Have you ever thought of serving on the IDUG Board of Directors? Do you know someone who might?

The IDUG Board of Directors is responsible for setting the overall strategy for our organization, and coordinating the activities of our various volunteer teams around the world. We are beginning the process of putting together the 2013-2014 slate, and would like to invite nominations for a role on next year's Board of Directors. This is a great opportunity to help shape the organization and grow the worldwide DB2 community.

If you have a clear vision for IDUG's future, can think strategically as well as tactically and are passionate about IDUG's mission, we want to hear from you! If you know of someone else who fits these criteria, nominations are welcome as well!

To apply, please complete the [nomination form](#) no later than December 21, 2012.

To apply for President-Elect please complete [this form](#) and send it to vmc@idug.org no later than **December 21, 2012**.

IDUG Content Committee Update

Content Committee plans for expanded efforts in 2013

The newly established IDUG Content Committee had its first full face to face meeting at the 2012 IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Berlin. It was a great opportunity for the team to get together to coordinate activities and generate new ideas as to how IDUG can better serve its communities with important content and education between conferences.

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Calendar of Events

[IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Orlando, Florida](#)

April 29 - May 3, 2013

[IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Barcelona, Spain](#)

[Click here](#) for a list of what you can expect from the Content Committee in the future.

13-18 October 2013

[IDUG DB2 Tech Conference
in Melbourne, Australia](#)
11-13 September 2013

IDUG DB2 Tech Conferences

Register for these can't-miss DB2 events today!

[Orlando, Florida, April 29 - May 3, 2013](#): [Registration is open](#) for the IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Orlando, Florida! This event will feature the latest in DB2 technologies, networking opportunities and the technical content you need to be successful. Housing is also available, so make sure to [book your room](#) at the Caribe Royale All-Suites Hotel. Stay tuned for more information on technical sessions and speakers - coming soon!

[Melbourne, Australia, 11-13 September 2013](#): Plan to attend the 2013 IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Melbourne, Australia, representing great value by offering hours of technical presentations plus the right to attend one full-day or two half-day Education Seminar(s) from some of the leading speakers in the DB2 community. [Find out more](#) and mark your calendar today.

[Barcelona, Spain, 13-18 October 2013](#): Save the date for next year's IDUG DB2 Tech Conference in Barcelona. If you are interested in speaking, you can [submit a presentation proposal today!](#)

Don't Miss Upcoming Webcasts on the IDUG DB2 Tech Channel!

The IDUG DB2 Tech Channel has a series of upcoming and replay webcasts that are an ideal way to extend your knowledge on the DB2 platform. These webcasts are offered in a format that makes it fast and easy to expand your skill set and include some new content provided by Cristian Molaro.

December 12, 2012 - Data Security:

Inside Row and Column Access Control in DB2 10 for Linux, UNIX and Windows

[Find out more and register today!](#)

January 31, 2013 - DB2 and Big Data:

DB2 in a Big Data World - No SQL, XML and More

[Find out more and register today!](#)

Listen Anytime with These Replays:

DB2 for z/OS Performance and Cost Savings

Presented by IDUG Member and IBM Champion Cristian Molaro

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Introduction to PureData Systems

Presented by the IBM architect for PureData Systems for transactions and operational analytics

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