



# The .NET Developer Network September 2007 - Meeting #5

## Team Foundation Server with Richard Fennell

# Agenda

- 6:00pm – Doors open
- 6:30pm – Introduction
- 7:00pm – Team Foundation Server
- 7:50pm – Break
- 8:10pm – Team Foundation Server
- 9:00pm – Close (off to the bar to drink and chat)

# We Have A New Home!

- From the October meeting we will be hosted by the University of the West of England (UWE)
  - <http://www.uwe.ac.uk>
  - Meetings will be at the Frenchay Campus in Q Block
  - There is a bar (at student prices)
  - There is a refectory (at student prices)
  - We can sometimes have food

# Introduction To C# And .NET

## With David Ringsell



**PCTalk**  
Train with  
Confidence

- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2007
- UWE (room 2Q50/51)
- An evening of free C# and .NET training
  - Train junior developers for free
  - Cross train existing developers for free
  - Try out PC-Talk's training with no risk
- Open to members of DotNetDevNet and students/staff at UWE
- Send an email to register

# WPF Training

- Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2007
- A whole day of WPF training with Patrick Long
- Cost is approximately £100
  - Lunch and refreshments not included
- Limited to 10 places
  - 5 places have gone
  - Open to the public from tomorrow
- Must bring a laptop configured with WPF

# Upcoming Events

- MSDN Bristol Roadshow – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2007
  - Visual Studio 2008 and .NET Framework 3.5
- SQLBits – Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October (Microsoft TVP)
  - <http://www.sqlbits.com>
- DotNetDevNet – Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2007 (UWE, 2Q50/51)
  - Introduction To C# and .NET with David Ringsell
- DotNetDevNet – Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October (UWE, 2Q42)
  - An Overview Of WPF and SilverLight with Oliver Sturm
- VBUG Annual Conference – 17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> October 2007
- DotNetDevNet – Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2007 (UWE, PR01)
  - WPF Training with Patrick Long
- VBUG Bristol – Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2007
  - Accelerate Your IT Learning with David Ringsell

# Upcoming Events (continued)

- TechEd Developers – 5<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> November (Barcelona)
- TechEd IT Forum – 12<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> November (Barcelona)
- DotNetDevNet – Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November (UWE, 2Q42)
  - DDD6 Practice Night
- DDD6 – Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2007 (Reading)
- MSDN Bristol Roadshow – November ?
  - Visual Studio 2008 and .NET Framework 3.5
- DotNetDevNet – Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2007 (UWE, 2Q42)
  - XXX (XNA Xmas eXtravaganza)
  - DotNetDevNet meets NxtGenUG

# Upcoming Events (continued)

- January/February (to be confirmed)
  - What's New In Visual Studio 2008 ?
  - Geek dinner ?
  - Project management ?
- Ad Hoc events
  - ASP.NET Performance Analysis Using Team Test ?

# News

- MIX:UK 07 was held last week
  - Download all of the sessions for free
- Visual Studio 2008 (Orcas) Beta 2 released
- ADO.NET Entity Framework Beta 2 released
- Astoria for Orcas Beta released ?
- Silverlight 1.0 released
  - Silverlight 1.1 announced
- VBUG Elections
  - Andy Westgarth is the new Chairman
  - Tim Leung is the new Vice-Chairman

# Notices

- Your notice goes here

# Problems Tips and Tricks

# Team Foundation Server With Richard Fennell

The answer to all project management problems ?