## EPM SUMMIT ROADSHOW TORONTO





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8:30am - 5:00pm



TIME	ROOM #1	ROOM #2
8:30 am	REGISTRATION + BREAKFAST	
9:30 am	Keynote	
10:00 am	BPC Web: Reports & Input Forms *	
11:00 am	Important EPM Functions in Reporting *	
12:00 pm	Ta LUNCH	
1:00 pm	SAP Analytics Cloud – New Features/Benefits Including Enhanced BPC Integration	Analysis for Office Overview *
2:00 pm	Formatting in the EPM Add-in	Review: Latest Versions & Patches of BPC
3:00 pm	EPM Roadmap and Product Update from SAP	Moving Beyond the First BPC Deployment
4:00 pm	EPM Add-in Performance Improvement	Darwin EPM Module Overview: HCM, CapEx, OpEx
4:50 pm	Closing Remarks	

<sup>\*</sup> Sessions are hands-on; software will be provided to work through exercises. Please bring your own laptop.



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## **SESSION DESCRIPTIONS**

**Room** #1

Title: BPC Web: Reports & Input Forms

**Description:** Leverage reports and input forms created in BPC Web for greater end user ease of use, as

well as simpler navigation in conjunction with Business Process Flows (BPFs).

Presenter(s): Jessica Christophersen - EPM Curriculum Developer & Trainer, Column5 Consulting

Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am

**Title: Important EPM Functions in Reporting** 

**Description:** Learn how to make your reports more transparent and dynamic by utilizing report functions

such as EPMFullContext, EPMCopyRange, EPMReportOptions and EPMAxisOverride.

Presenter(s): Jessica Christophersen - EPM Curriculum Developer & Trainer, Column5 Consulting

**Time**: 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Title: SAP Analytics Cloud – New Features/Benefits Including Enhanced BPC Integration

**Description:** SAP Analytics Cloud combines BI, Planning, and Predictive Analytics into one solution. This session focuses on the latest innovations and improvements, including enhanced integration with BPC. We will also review the new features/benefits of the Digital Boardroom, which includes a visual, drag and drop interface to create both traditional boardroom meeting agendas or exploratory, corporate steering dashboards.

Presenter(s): Jason Reid - Director, Go to Market EPM Solutions at SAP

**Time**: 1:00 pm - 1:50 pm

Title: Formatting in the EPM Add-in

**Description:** Using the EPM Add-in for reporting? You may have experienced struggles with formatting options. Actually, it can be a snap if you know how to configure some key aspects of the reporting interface.

Presenter(s): Jessica Christophersen - EPM Curriculum Developer & Trainer, Column5 Consulting

Time: 2:00 pm - 2:50 pm

Title: EPM Roadmap and Product Update from SAP

**Description**: Attend this session to hear directly from SAP about the latest updates with SAP BPC! SAP has been very active in enabling their solutions with both Cloud and on premises deployment options, while enhancing the next generation data warehouse platform - BW/4HANA, the flagship Planning and Consolidation solution – BPC, and the state of the art Analytics platform and applications – SAP Analytics Cloud. Attend this session to hear new details about updates that your organization can benefit from.

**Presenter(s):** Pras Chatterjee - Sr. Director, Product Marketing, EPM (SAP)

**Time**: 3:00 pm - 3:50 pm

**Title: EPM Add-In Performance Improvement** 

**Description:** Users' satisfaction often hinges on the responsiveness of the system as perceived through reports and input templates. This session will cover common bottlenecks for performance and a systematic troubleshooting approach to remove guesswork and anxiety from the speed resolution process.

Presenter(s): Charles Dagaev - Global Director of Technical Services, Column5 Consulting

**Time**: 4:00 pm - 4:50 pm



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## SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

Room #2

Title: Analysis for Office Overview

**Description:** Learn how to analyze different types of data sources, including BEx Queries and NetWeaver BW InfoProviders, using the Analysis for Office Add-in. You will also gain hands-on experience analyzing these data sources using the Analysis design panel. This session will also discuss planning capabilities in Analysis for Office using input-ready queries, manual planning, and BW-IP planning functions.

Presenter(s): Jessica Christophersen - EPM Curriculum Developer & Trainer, Column5 Consulting

**Time**: 1:00 pm - 1:50 pm

Title: Review: Latest Versions & Patches of BPC

**Description:** Considering an upgrade? Not so fast! You should double check with Column5 experts as we walk through improvements, and known issues with the latest releases of SAP BPC. Don't make a move without getting this vital information.

Presenter(s): Charles Dagaev - Global Director of Technical Services, Column5 Consulting

**Time**: 2:00 pm - 2:50 pm

**Title: Moving Beyond the First BPC Deployment** 

**Description:** BPC deployments often take some blood, sweat and tears to go live...what should customers target as next steps after that initial deployment? How to shift gears from installation to value creation.

Presenter(s): Steve Sussman - VP Sales & Marketing, Column5 Consulting

Time: 3:00 pm - 3:50 pm

Title: Darwin EPM Module Overview: HCM, CapEx, OpEx \*

**Description:** Darwin EPM is a potent alternative to custom solution development on the SAP BPC platform. Ideal for companies seeking high value solutions that can be deployed quickly, and with greater functionality than typical

solutions. Easier to use, faster to deploy, lower cost maintenance...attend this session to find out the HCM, CapEx and OpEx modules are all about.

Presenter(s): Ty Jessup - Director of Solutions, Column5 Consulting

**Time**: 4:00 pm - 4:50 pm

\*Session presented by a remote presenter