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Lecture Details:

Clouds with Silver Linings – How Barclays is using Cloud Computing to increase value

Since early 2009, the Barclays Global Middleware team have been working with IBM Software Group and IBM Global Business Services on their transformation to a shared utility/cloud model for delivering middleware. This journey has not only required changes to the way the Bank provisions technology to the lines of business, but also their organizational structure, funding models and the methods they use to engineer solutions and provide service delivery. Come and hear about the benefits they have seen to-date, the lessons they have learned and their ambitious plans for the future.

Guru Biography

- Kenny Marritt is Global Head of Middleware at Barclays Bank. Kenny has over 300 staff across the UK, India, Singapore and the Philippines who provide middleware infrastructure to meet the application hosting and integration needs of the retail and commercial banking businesses of the bank.
- Kenny has held several IT leadership positions over the past 20 years and was previously Head of Channels at Group Santander. Kenny is a Senior IT leader specializing in the use of Middleware to deliver business value. Passionate about business process re-engineering and enterprise wide re-use. Expert at Middleware technologies and Service Oriented Architecture concepts. Excellent technical background in full Software Development Lifecycle and Infrastructure Engineering Lifecycle. Proven track record in leading teams upwards of 500 globally and motivating them to deliver and continually improve.

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