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Wednesday, October 1st
6:30-9:00pm

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Data Persistence Frameworks:
An Introduction to JDO

JDO (Java Data Objects) is a new, standardized API for Java object persistence. With JDO, nearly any Java object can be persisted to an external datastore—without any changes to the code. Your Java object model becomes your data model. This talk will introduce the concepts underlying JDO, discuss implementation issues (such as JDO vs. EJB), and provide code examples.

The first part will be the talk Ron gave at the O'Reilly Open Source Conference in Portland last July, giving an overview of JDO. The second part of the talk will be some working JDO code examples.

Ron Hitchens is a Bay Area computer consultant whose career dates back to the disco era. Ron started with mainframes in the Air Force and moved on to C and Unix during an extended stay at the University of Texas at Austin. Ron spent many years as a Unix kernel hacker in academia and professionally.

Ron has been on the internet since the early 1980s, before the days of spam and firewalls. Ron has also written video games and still owns an Amiga 3000.

For the last several years, Ron has been focused on creating web applications using Java and related technologies. Ron has been involved with several startups and has consulted with Fortune 500 companies. He is the author of *Java NIO* from O'Reilly and maintains a web log. You can reach Ron at ron@ronsoft.com.

http://www.baychi.org/bof/struts/20031001a/
Formed in April 2003, the Silicon Valley Struts User Group is for anyone interested in learning more about the Struts web application framework. BayCHI, the San Francisco Bay Area local chapter of SIGCHI, provides web hosting for us as a Struts User Birds-Of-a-Feather (BOF) group here:

http://www.baychi.org/bof/struts

We meet each month in the south bay on the first or second Wednesday of the month. Some of our meetings are joint meetings with the Silicon Valley Java User Group (SVJUG) on the second Wednesday of the month at Netscape in Mountain View. Our meetings independent of SVJUG, held at various locations in the south bay, are scheduled for the first Wednesday of the month so as not to conflict with SVJUG.

Subscribe to the Email List

To receive announcements of upcoming meetings and other discussions relevant to this local group within the larger Struts User community, you can join the Silicon Valley Struts User Group email list here:

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/struts-silicon-valley/join

If you have a general Struts usage question, please direct your question to the Apache Jakarta Project’s STRUTS-USER Mailing List (see http://jakarta.apache.org/struts/using.html#Lists).

Join the Java User Group (JUG)

As a special interest sub-group of the Silicon Valley JUG, the Silicon Valley Struts User Group has its own JUG listing with Sun. Subscribing to the email list and joining the JUG must be done separately. You can join the JUG here:

http://servlejava.sun.com/jugs/north_america/usa/california/silicon_valley

NOTE: JUG membership requires a free Java Developer Connection (JDC) account. If you do not have an account, you will be asked to create one.