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IEEE COMPUTER SOCIETY Presents

## DESIGN YOUR OWN WEBSITE MICROSOFT FRONTPAGE98 SEMINAR

This tutorial will help to understand the basics of Microsoft FrontPage98 Web Design Software. Dave Alumbaugh, Microsoft's Technical Account Manager, will be providing a presentation to help understand how to design your own web site, using FrontPage software.

Date: **WEDNESDAY, MAY 10<sup>th</sup>**

Time: **7:00 to 8:30 PM**

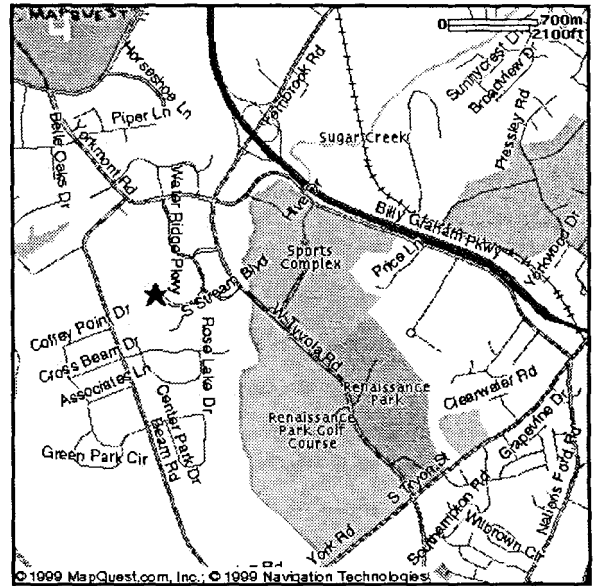
Location: **Microsoft Cafeteria**

2110 Water Ridge Pkwy, Charlotte

- Refreshments & snacks will be provided
- Reservations are not required

For more information:

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## LIFE MEMBER CHAPTER KICKOFF LUNCHEON MEETING

Date: **TUESDAY, MAY 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Time: **12 Noon** – Luncheon (Be Our Guest for this initial meeting)

★ **Reservations** Required by **MAY 4<sup>th</sup>**

**1:00 PM** – Bank of America Data Networks Talk

**2:00 PM** – Short Business Meeting

Location: **Woodlawn Holiday Inn, Carlyle Room**

212 W. Woodlawn Rd. at I-77 exit 6A, Charlotte

★ **Reservations:** **Dick Jaeger**, (704) 895-3693

(If no answer leave a message with your name and phone number.)

Come and enjoy talking engineering with other retired engineers. Engineers have a unique perspective on life in general and technical issues in particular. Where else can you find those with whom to share old engineering war stories?

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## IEEE CHARLOTTE SECTION Meeting

# NETWORK AND SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT AN OPEN SOURCE REVOLUTION IN ENTERPRISE MANAGEMENT

Steve Giles will discuss the effect of the open source revolution on network/systems management and compare technology in commercial platforms to open source alternatives. Emphasis is on the four value cornerstones of open source network management: speed, price, customizability and technology.

### **SPEAKER: STEVE GILES**

Steve is a certified OpenView and IT/O consultant and has taught OpenView Basics and Advanced OpenView to over 2000 students. Steve speaks regularly on network management and business topics at international user groups and industry events. Steve's recent focus is on Open Source network management at OpenNMS.org.

Steve received a B. S. degree in Computer Science from Vanderbilt University in 1980 and joined Hewlett-Packard in 1982. Steve resigned from Hewlett-Packard in 1992 to pursue independent consulting and co-formed Onion Peel Software in 1994. Steve formed N\*MANAGE in 1999 and launched OpenNMS.org in late 1999.

Date: **WEDNESDAY, MAY 17<sup>th</sup>**

Time: **6:00 PM** – Refreshments, **6:30 PM** - Presentation Starts

Location: **Duke Energy Center, O. J. Miller Auditorium**  
526 S. Church St., Charlotte

Parking: Park in the lot behind the Energy Center (enter from Mint Street). At the entrance lift gate inform Security that you are attending and IEEE meeting in the O. J. Miller Auditorium.

★ **Prerequisite:** In order to get full benefit from the presentation, attendees are expected to understand basic network management concepts and be able to relate to the problem of managing networks.

For More Info: **Tracy Blackmon**, (704) 382-5692, trblackm@duke-energy.com



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