

Messaging Forum

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History

- EMA Forum established January 2000
- Created from the acquisition of Intellectual Property from the Electronic Messaging Association
- Expected to keep momentum from EMA projects and activities
- Perceived association with EMA brought more bad than good
- Forum name changed to Messaging Forum in late 2002

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Mission Statement

The Open Group's Messaging Forum is a leading association for the eBusiness and messaging industries. The Forum comprises customers, suppliers, and consultants. Its diverse membership focuses on providing interoperable solutions for business leaders through education, fulfilling customer driven requirements, promotion and endorsement of standards based solutions, and influencing public policy.

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Achievements

- The Message
- Secure Messaging Challenge
 - Summary Report
 - Secure Messaging Toolkit
 - Manager's Guide to Secure Messaging
- Maintain relationships with WEMA and EEMA
- Identity Management participant
- Chicago regional meeting
 - Unified Communications
 - Spam
- Publish papers
- Provide education

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Agenda

14:20 Handling Spam - Dale Johnson

14:50 Manager's Guide to Secure Messaging
Russ Chung

15:10 Virtual Post Office – Stephan Wappler

16:00 Introduction to PLATO – Mike Lambert

16:30 Messaging Forum 2003 Planning

17:30 Close