

K01 IMS: Leading the 21st Century for e-business and All Your Business Needs

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As the new century dawns, IMS and S/390 are leading the way by providing bright solutions, breaking down technology barriers, and becoming a vital part of everyday business life. Market forces have changed the way everyone does business and information technology has changed to keep, and sometimes even set, the pace. In this challenging environment, there are increased demands for new levels of performance and availability, along with better connectivity, systems management, flexibility, and interoperability. Businesses also expect improved application development, rapid support for new, emerging technologies, and consequently, much more from trusted IMS. Join Bob Gilliam as he analyzes these forces and the way IMS has innovated to efficiently provide heterogeneous access across global networks and address constantly shifting and augmenting company needs. Learn how IBM is providing integrated solutions with IMS to help our customers further. Known for his insights, Bob will cover the IMS strategy, recent announcements for IMS and the S/390 environment in which it runs, and future directions for IMS as a leader in the 21st Century.

Bob Gilliam has an extensive background in product application development. As the IMS Family Product Manager, he currently has responsibility for strategy, development, marketing, and field technical support for IBM and the e-business IMS Connectors: IMS Data Propagator and Data Joiner Classic Connect. Prior to his current role, Bob served as Project Executive for Domino S/390 and IBM EDMSuite.

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