

**ITUG Summit 2005**  
**Conference & Trade Show**  
**23 - 27 October 2005**  
**San Jose, California**

Dear NonStop customer,

Please accept my personal invitation to the ITUG Summit 2005. This is the largest gathering of NonStop users in the world and has developed into the major international industry event for IT professionals in the NonStop user community.

I am really excited about the event this year. Not only is it my first experience with the Summit, we also have a great event planned.

We are again pleased to have Ann Livermore, Executive Vice President of HP's Technology Solutions Group, deliver the opening keynote. You will also hear how ESS is working together to meet your IT and business needs in a panel discussion with Scott Stallard, Bob Schultz, and myself. Kirk Skaugen, General Manager, Intel Server Platforms group, will highlight the strategic cooperation between Intel and HP and the benefits this collaboration delivers to Integrity NonStop system customers. And you will also hear the latest NonStop news including how our new HP Integrity NonStop server is designed to deliver the industry's highest application service levels at the best ROI and TCO in its class. We will even have an Integrity server in our booth that you will definitely want to check out.

And that's not all; you'll have a choice of over 200 sessions on a wide range of topics related to continuous availability, finance, telecommunications, heterogeneous environments, NonStop Advanced Architecture, and Real-Time Solutions. The HP NonStop Systems Certification team will be on hand to deliver exam overview sessions and to administer certification tests, compliments of HP, to all registered attendees. Similar to past years, HP NonStop Education will be offering an extensive array of one-day seminars prior to the conference.

ITUG will once again host a Leaders Day (formerly Executive Program Day) on Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup>. The focus for this one-day program will be 'Architecting the Real-Time Business: Leveraging NonStop and Open Source'. This is a highly interactive program is designed to encourage discussion between attendees and HP executives. And if you are not familiar with ITUG, the ITUG Summit 2005 Leaders Day will give you a chance to see the vast technical education, networking and advocacy opportunities your employees, and hence your organization, can benefit from as an ITUG member.

ITUG Summit 2005 is a unique opportunity for extensive technical knowledge exchange among users, developers, partners, and engineers in the NonStop Server technical community - and with it being held in San Jose, just minutes from the HP and NonStop Enterprise Division headquarters - is your once-a-year opportunity to gain the best access to NonStop engineers and HP executives.

This is THE NonStop event of the year and I hope to see your there and I sincerely hope you can join us. The registration site can be found at:

<http://www.itug.org/Events/summit/2005/attendees/registration.cfm>

I look forward to seeing you there!

Best regards,  
Martin Fink

VP & GM, NonStop Enterprise Servers