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A New Knowledge Sharing Forum

iBusiness Solutions is launching a new networking and knowledge sharing opportunity focused on business analytics. Whereas many business intelligence groups focus on IT technologies, techniques, and processes, this forum's focus will be on the use and impact of analytics, metrics, and performance indicators on your business. As we finalize the details of this forum, we encourage you to [view a preliminary list of topics](#) we are working on. We are welcoming speakers from any organization so please [suggest topics and speakers](#) for future meetings.

More details will be released soon via this newsletter, our website, Twitter, and Facebook, so please stay tuned. In the meantime, please send us an email to [sign up for the initial invitation list](#).

Hyperion-to-Oracle Migration

We have had in-depth conversations with Oracle regarding a utility coming later this year to assist you in migrating your Hyperion Interactive Reporting documents (BQYs) to Oracle Business Intelligence Enterprise Edition (OBIEE) content. Based on your current usage of Interactive Reporting and your intended usage of OBIEE, we can help you quickly determine the degree to which this migration utility will help you in migrating between two products with very distinct architectures. Before you finalize decisions on your future BI technology, please contact us for a [free one-hour consultation to discuss your options](#).

The Power of Information in Guatemala

The economic news continues to be very mixed for many industries and geographic areas across the country. As one person put it recently, "flat is the new growth" for this year. Many companies continue to push through with the goal to maintain and sustain for 2009 and look to 2010 for renewed growth.

This year has been an interesting one so far at iBusiness Solutions as well. While it certainly could be better, we are having a good year on many fronts. One of the silver linings of a slightly slower year is that we have had more time and energy to focus on our business and our capabilities with the objective of facilitating even better communication and collaboration with our clients, business partners, and the industry at large.

One example of our efforts to enhance communication and collaboration within the business intelligence community is a web-based summary of our analysis of the BI technology landscape. For a variety of reasons, many clients are evaluating their BI software options. We have proactively conducted our own research and evaluation of several BI software vendors and today we are making this **"BI Technology Matrix"** available.

	Time to Value	Workgroup through Enterprise BI	Dashboards	Advanced Visualization	Location Intelligence	Production Reporting	Ad-hoc Query and Analysis	Programmability	Single Build	True Source Open Architecture
Business Objects	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Cognos	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
MicroStrategy	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
eclipse	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
JASPERSOFT	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Microsoft	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
ORACLE	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
ORACLE	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
spotfire	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
QlikView	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
tableau	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

For a period of two weeks this knowledge product will be publicly available via the link above, after which it will be available only via our Knowledge Center.

Our vision is to create opportunities and build relationships where we can become a trusted advisor and a strategic partner with our clients and a recognized thought-leader within our industry. To that end, we are announcing several opportunities for you:

1. We have [redesigned our public website](#) with new, focused content.
2. We have added a [registered user side to our website](#) called the Knowledge Center to share additional value-added information and knowledge products with clients, partners, and

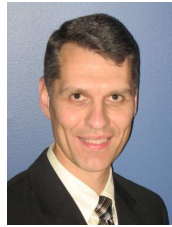
Guatemala

In past newsletters we have highlighted our efforts to introduce computer technology into rural schools in Guatemala. Please take a few moments to watch a [video update](#) on the first round of schools to receive computers and our plans for the next two years. We are actively seeking donations of used laptops so please let us know if your company has used [laptops that could be donated](#) to help the children of Guatemala.

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the Knowledge Center to share additional value-added information and knowledge products with clients, partners, and others in our network.

3. We have created a **secured Client Center** for enhanced communication and collaboration with our valued clients during engagements.
4. We have started a blog on our website with periodic updates on industry news, client stories, and other information of interest to the "**intelligent Business**" community. We encourage you to [subscribe to our blog](#) to automatically receive our posting and updates.
5. We have launched profiles on two **social media** sites to connect an even broader audience of professionals in the business intelligence and analytics community. We invite you to [follow us on Twitter](#) and [become a fan on Facebook](#).
6. We are forming a new knowledge sharing and networking **forum on business analytics**, as overviewed on the left side of this page, with more details to be announced in the coming weeks.



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