



Canadian Information
Processing Society

March 2004
Dinner Meeting

Norwood Hotel
112 Marion

Tuesday, March 16, 2004
Registration: 5:30 P.M.
Dinner: 6:00 P.M.

Cost:

Members: \$30.00
Student Member: \$20.00
Non Members: \$45.00

VISA, Cash or Cheque accepted at the door. Those registered that fail to attend will be invoiced.

FREE PARKING

Please notify us of any food allergies or diet restrictions and we will accommodate you.

Registration:

Call: 947-2067

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Linux in the Workplace: A local real world story

If you are like most IT professionals, you are under tremendous pressure to lower the cost of your business technology infrastructure without lowering your service levels.

The cost of desktop and edge computing may represent one of the largest parts of your I.T. budget and yet it seems like fixed cost with no alternative. You have probably noticed the not so quite revolution happening around Linux and Open Source technology. You may have even considered exploring it further to see if it really represents a viable alternative in your technology environment.

Legal Aide Manitoba faced the same challenges and tackled them early with a bold step into the Linux and Open Source world. Over the past decade Legal Aide has deployed Linux and Open Source software in an effort to reduce the cost of computing.

Join James Ramsay, Director, Systems and Technology and Scott Balneaves, System Administrator as they discuss how they are using Linux and Open Source technologies, and the issues they encountered in their deployment.

Come and hear the role Linux can play from top to bottom in your organization and listen to a local colleague detail a real-life example of deploying Linux from servers to the desktop in a medium size organization. You are sure to be enlightened!

To register for this event, **phone 947-2067**, email to winnipeg@cips.ca, or **fax back to 222-9262**.

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