

**Boston Area SAS® Users Group (BASUG) Announcement
On-Line Webinar Meeting
Co-hosted by BASUG and SAS Institute Inc.**

**Wednesday, April 8, 2020
Noon – 1:00 PM**

Following the success of last year's **first free on-line meeting (webinar)**, the tradition continues! A browser - and, a willingness to learn – are all that are required to join our Spring meeting, **co-hosted by BASUG and SAS Institute!** During this one-hour lunchtime webinar, two speakers from SAS® will present their recent SAS Global Forum papers.

| | Agenda |
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| 11:45+ AM | Join the Webinar (the link is below) |
| 12:00 PM | Welcome |
| 12:05 PM | <u>Celebrity Makeover: A Fresh and Modern Look for SAS® Enterprise Guide,</u> by <u>Amy Peters</u> , SAS Institute Inc. |
| 12:35 PM | <u>SAS® and Python for Code-blooded Programmers,</u> by <u>Chris Hemedinger</u> , SAS Institute Inc. |
| 1:00 PM | Closing |

This is a **FREE** event!

[Click here to access the Webinar](#)

The link above is your gateway to participate in this webinar. Click it now (or at any time before 11:45 AM on the day of the meeting) and you'll have the opportunity to register and get a calendar invite with all the details.

OR... you can save this email and use the link above after 11:45 AM on game day to join the meeting directly.

The webinar software works best with either the **Chrome** or **Edge** browser. Internet Explorer has been used but isn't recommended.

Questions? Contact our Meeting Coordinators, Paul Grant and Karen Wallace at [Event Organizers](#).

Abstracts and Speaker Biographies

Celebrity Makeover: A Fresh and Modern Look for SAS® Enterprise Guide

by Amy Peters, SAS Institute Inc.

The next generation of SAS Enterprise Guide (EG) is here! The redefined EG 8 is both sexy and intelligent. EG 8 sports a modern and attractive interface, tab-based organization of content, and flexible window management such as floating, docking, and leveraging multiple monitors. Want to view your code, log, and results at the same time? EG 8 has you covered. Want to view four data sets at the same time? Sure, no problem. Want to just code, without a project? You got it.



Amy Peters Hired as a SAS instructor in 1987, Amy Peters taught classes and developed courses before taking responsibility for course development and then managing SAS Education's Customer Service Department. She's now in product management at SAS, responsible for SAS programmer enablement which includes SAS Studio, SAS Enterprise Guide, and the SAS University Edition.

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SAS® and Python for Code-blooded Programmers

By Chris Hemedinger, SAS Institute Inc.

“SAS versus Python?” I don’t think so. “SAS with Python?” That’s more like it.

Learn how to get started using SAS and Python together. We’ll introduce three popular approaches to getting your SAS fix while using Python, and vice versa.

- Using SASPy (an open source Python project) to access SAS data and capabilities from Python programs
- Using PROC FCMP to add Python code to your SAS programs
- And, using Python and SAS together, side-by-side, using data as the interchange between them.

For this talk, all examples will apply to SAS 9.4!



Chris Hemedinger Chris is the head of SAS Online Communities, a global gathering place for SAS users to share questions, answers, and best practices. Since 1993, Chris has worked for SAS as an author, a software developer, an R&D manager, and a consultant. Inexplicably, Chris is still coasting on the limited fame he earned as an author of SAS For Dummies. You can follow Chris at [The SAS Dummy](#) blog and on Twitter as @cjdinge.

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