Columbus OM Implementer Course

Training Course Synopsis

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Course Aims

The Columbus OM suite of products is highly configurable and can be implemented in an infinite number of ways. This course is designed for technical IT staff that will be required to design and implement and support OM solutions. Whilst this course is based on the more common implementation and configuration options, there will be opportunities for participants to discuss site-specific configurations. The course is based on formal training notes and, wherever possible, presentations are supported by demonstrations and practical exercises.

Course Objectives

On successful completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Design an outline OM solution
- Install an example OM instance on a dedicated training system
- Configure and test sample printer configurations from the Command line and the OM Explorer interface
- Configure an OM distributed printing environment
- Undertake second line problem investigation tasks
- Communicate effectively with other Columbus OM Administration, Implementation and Support Staff

Agenda

Introduction and overview
- Course Introduction
- Columbus Overview
- Columbus OM Overview
- Columbus OM Technical Introduction

Columbus OM Explorer
- OM Explorer Introduction

Columbus OM Core Architecture
- OM Installation
- OM Core Architecture - Basics
- Administration and Maintenance
- Security Overview
- Core Architecture - Advanced
- Multiple Instances
- Command Line Introduction

Output Channels

- Print Channel - basic and advanced
- Other Output Channels

Input Gateways

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Additional Functions

- Filters overview
- DCS overview
- Dispatch Introduction
- Web User Interface

Conclusion

- Implementation Review
- Q and A
- Close

Target Audience

Columbus OM delivery personnel and senior support staff who need a full understanding of Columbus OM and how it can be deployed.

Course Prerequisites

No prior Macro 4 or Columbus OM experience is required, however participants should:

- Be IT professionals who have knowledge and practical experience of the Windows, and optionally the UNIX, operating system.
- Be prepared to undertake practical exercises with the assistance of the course tutor.
- No pre-reading is required but participants can visit the Macro 4 website at http://www.macro4.com for a general introduction to the company and its products.