Centre for SOFTWARE Engineering

Newsletter

Leading the World into the New Millennium

CSE has been working with the software community in Ireland since the start of this decade. During that time Ireland has developed its software sector to a remarkable extent. All those working in the software field can be collectively proud of what has been achieved.

It is clear, however, that many other countries are looking at Ireland with an envious eye, seeking to emulate our success and indeed overtake us. We also see the relentless rapid pace of technology change – creating many opportunities for continued growth but also many potential pitfalls. We must seek to chart a careful course during the coming years.

So we, in CSE, look forward to continuing to work with you throughout the first decade of the third millennium, continuing as always our mission of:

Promoting Better Software

We would like to wish all of you a very Happy and Prosperous New Millennium

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During 1999 we have developed close relationships with many of you through our training and consultancy services. Some of our key clients in 1999 were:

AIB	Dept of Social Community and Family Affairs	Logica Aldiscon
AES		Lucent Technologies Network Systems
Bowne Global Solutions	EMC Ireland	
Cadco Ltd	Ericsson Systems Expertise	Silicon & Software Systems
Card Services International	JGS Systems Ltd	The Bromley Group
Cylon Controls Ltd	Local Ireland	Trinity Commerce Ltd
Davy Stockbrokers		

In 1999 we developed and ran many new courses:

- CMM Introduction
- SPI Approaches
- R&D Management
- UML Overview
- Fundamentals of Component Development

The development of new courses will continue in 2000 and we already have many of these scheduled to run in the 1st Quarter along with our other established courses.

In 2000 look out for:

- How to update your Quality System to meet the new ISO9001:2000 Standard
- Introduction to Quality Systems and the ISO9001:2000 Standard
- OOAD using UML
- Component Based Development
- Re-Engineering and CBD
- Process Patterns
- Project Management Fundamentals

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