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SkillBuilders Launches Oracle Application Express (APEX) Workshop for APEX Release 3.1

South Kingstown, R.I., August 19, 2008 – SkillBuilders, Inc., a Rhode Island based Information Technology training provider since 1992 and an Oracle Partner, has launched their Oracle Application Express (APEX) Workshop for Release 3.1. The hands-on class teaches students how to quickly build and deploy secure web-based applications with sophisticated user interfaces using APEX.

With Oracle APEX, using only a web browser and limited programming experience, users can develop and deploy professional applications that are both fast and secure. SkillBuilders' Oracle APEX Workshop guides students through developing web interfaces including forms, reports and charts, adding validation and customized formatting, to create a working application.

Flexible Formats for Individuals and Organizations

The Oracle APEX Workshop is offered in a fully instructor-led online format in six half-day sessions, a format popular with individuals learning on their own or for their organization. SkillBuilders online training delivers the full benefits of the course while eliminating the cost and downtime associated with travel to a training facility.

SkillBuilders also contracts with organizations of all sizes to offer the class in a three-day format, at company headquarters or off-site.

About APEX

Application Express (APEX) is Oracle's browser-based Rapid Application Development (RAD) tool for the Oracle Database. Starting with Oracle 11g it comes pre-installed with the Database. APEX is also available as a free option for use with Oracle Database versions 9.2 and above, including the no-cost, fully-deployable Oracle Express Edition (XE). This provides individuals and companies of all sizes with an enterprise-level secure solution that will seamlessly scale up to terabyte-sized application stores with thousands of users.

Since APEX development is declarative in nature, even those with limited programming experience can quickly build sophisticated applications, including rapid spreadsheet webification and reporting applications. And, since APEX also supports programming interfaces (API), seasoned developers are able to interface with all available resources to create large-scale, secure sophisticated browser-based applications.

APEX easily replaces unsecured personal databases like MS Access to create a single repository of secure information. Application Express 3.2 will provide FORMS2APEX, an Oracle Forms to APEX migration toolkit.

About SkillBuilders

SkillBuilders, online at www.SkillBuilders.com, has been providing Information Technology training solutions since 1992. Based in southern Rhode Island, SkillBuilders serves the IT training needs of individuals and organizations worldwide with online and in-classroom formats, intensive hands-on classes and highly-rated proprietary course books and materials. SkillBuilders specializes in Oracle Database, Business Intelligence, Java, Web Services and SOA and other core database and web-oriented subjects.

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