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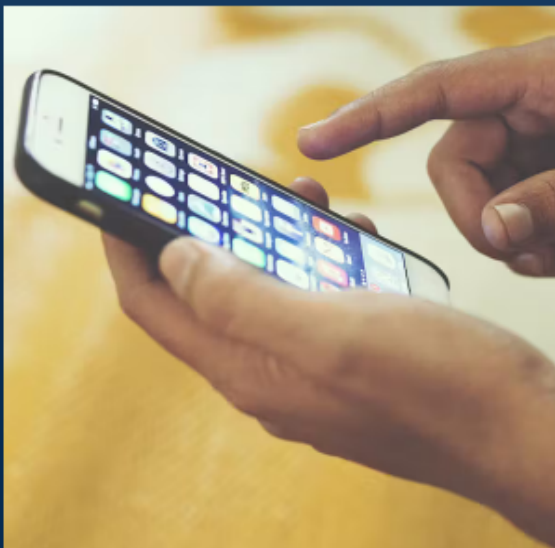
PowerWire

As you may have heard, FormaServe has joined forces with NC Comms to give a fresh look and feel to your favourite newsletter. We want to bring you a forum that settles at the heart of the IBM Power community. To give you all a place where you can connect and a chance to influence the future.

We are working hard to improve every aspect of our communication with you, from e-mails and website to newsletter layout and distribution. We appreciate your patience and support during this transition period.

We are nearing the conclusion of the revamp of the website with a new design and more features. We want to make it more engaging and interactive for you and will let you know when it is live. We welcome your feedback (good or bad) at any time, so please let us know what you think.

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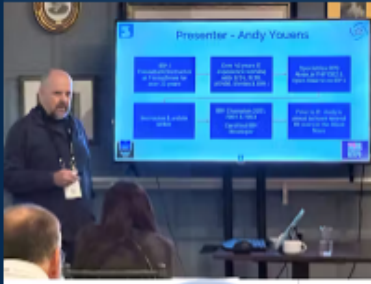


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The last i-UG event of the year, was run in Wolverhampton, in England in November.

A great turn out for the last meeting of 2023, with presentations and events running over four streams. Yes, it was all a bit tight, with Andy Youens joining in breakfast as the room wasn't quite ready for his workshop!

We had to include one of the photographs from the event photographer showing Andy Youens telling everyone he was in the Royal Navy again! But once again, a great event. Keep them coming!

## Programmers Comment of the Month

```
Exception up = new Exception("Something is really wrong.")  
throw up; // ha ha
```

**You seen any better?  
Send them to us!**

If you have a specific interest or curiosity that you would like to see covered in an article, then send us your suggestions and we will try to find an author who can write about it. Or better yet why not join our team of authors and contribute your own articles. You don't need to be an expert or a professional writer. We can provide you with guidance and support on how to produce quality content.

## Upcoming Events

Events in December 2023

Grid Month Week Day December 2023 Go < Today >

### 📅 Central Texas User Group Presentation

🕒 12 December 2023

### 📅 Common India Presentation

🕒 20 December 2023

If you are organising or attending any events, this is a great opportunity to promote them for free. If you have been to an event, why not share your experience and insights with us, so others can benefit from it



So may we wish you a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

**From All at PowerWire**

P.S. Whether you have been naughty or nice, you can still receive our new look newsletter and website in January.



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