

New

One-Day Seminar From Sierra Information Services...

Getting the Most from SAS® 9 Software

This new one-day session shows you how to harness the power of BASE SAS Module tools and features added in SAS 9.0, 9.1, and 9.2 of the SAS System. By attending this seminar you will understand how to apply these new features to your SAS programs and applications. The seminar is heavily focused on enhancements to the Data Step and core SAS Procedures in the BASE SAS module, and is appropriate for programmers, data analysts and other SAS users who want to learn how to use the newest programming, data manipulation and data presentation features in the SAS System.

Seminar attendees receive a bound set of the notes in hardcopy, which will serve as an easily accessible reference when they are ready to apply what they have learned in the class to their own projects and programs. The seminar—and the course notes—will save you many hours of trying to glean this information from the voluminous SAS documentation manuals! You will also receive a CD with example programs and data sets so that you can practice what you have seen in the class on your own version of SAS 9 software.

Intended Audience: This session is appropriate for SAS users who want to learn about the latest tools and features in BASE SAS Software. The materials presented assume you are already experienced writing Data and Procedure Steps, and know the operating system(s) (e.g., UNIX™ or Windows) in which you run your programs.

Agenda/Topics Covered:

- New SAS System Options
- Changes to the SAS Programming Language
 - New Functions
 - New Formats
 - New Informats
 - Other Enhancements to the Programming Language
- Other Improvements to BASE SAS Software
- Enhancements to BASE SAS Module Procedures
 - PROC FORMAT
 - PROC MEANS
 - New Procedures
- Changes to the Output Delivery System
 - New Destinations (e.g., DOCUMENT, TAGSET, LAYOUT, CSVALL)
 - New SAS-Supplied Style Templates
 - ODS Statistical Graphics (briefly)

For More Information and/or On-Line Registration: www.SierralInformation.com

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