



DBAtools Unplugged: Beyond Backup/Restore with PowerShell!

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Agenda

- What you need to know!
- Patterns in dbatools
- Making it more usable

What you need to know!

- Verb-Noun syntax followed in the module
- Command Pattern
 - Verb-Dba...Noun



What you need to know! (Prefixes)

- Rg (Resource Governor),
- Db (Database),
- Ag (Availability Group),
- Pf (Perfmon),
- XE (Extended Events),
- Wsfc (Windows Server Failover Cluster),
- Pbm (Policy Based Management)



Parameters in dbatools Commands

- -SqlInstance
 - most always is an Array
- Database
 - most always is an Array
- -SqlCredential
 - can be passed NULL object and still works with Windows Auth
- -EnableException
 - always off by default, you can enable to be able to get raw exception

Return Data Types

- Data
 - PSCustomObjects that contain data about the objects
- Objects (SMO)
 - Full fidelity SMO objects that allow modification





Demo Time!!!!

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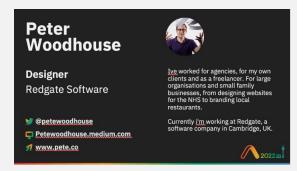
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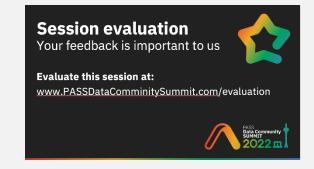
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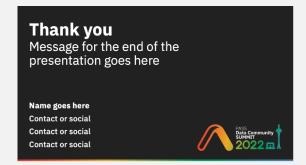
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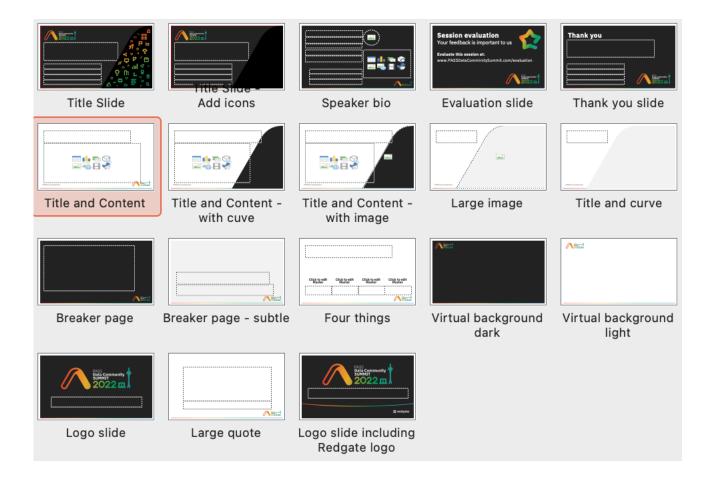
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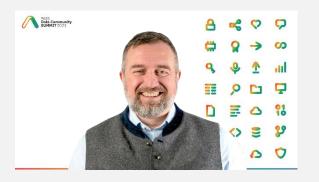
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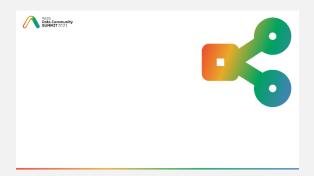






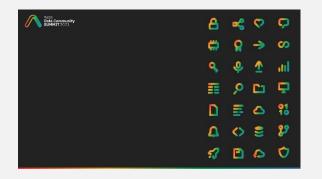
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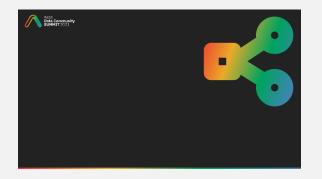












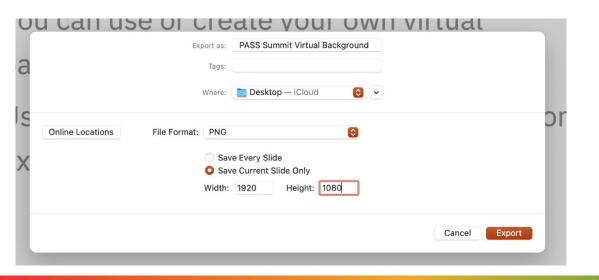






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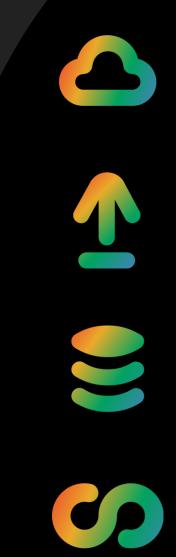


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