

Welcome!

OnRamp 2022



Who Am I?



- Veteran IT Pro
- Microsoft MVP
- Author
- Teacher
- Your host for the week

OnRamp



- Educational conference within a conference
- Targeted at entry-level IT professionals
- Jump start your career in automation and DevOps
- Prepare you for the main conference

Agenda

- Guest speakers
 - Members of the community
 - IT Professionals
- Technical sessions
 - Introduction to technical topics
 - Terms, concepts, and technologies
- Soft skill sessions
 - How to manage your career

Session Materials

- <https://github.com/devops-collective-inc/OnRamp-2022>
- Content added throughout the week
- Use the OnRamp Slack channel

Strategies

- Don't be shy
 - The community is passionate and welcoming
- Don't expect to learn or understand everything
 - Absorb what you can
- Ask questions
- Expect to review and use material over the coming year

House Keeping

- Schedule
 - Start at 9:00AM
 - Scheduled breaks and lunch with main conference
 - Finish by 5:00PM
- WiFi
- Masks
- Bathrooms
- Social Events

Questions



Introductions

- Name
- Where are you from?
- What did you do before getting into IT?
- What do you do for your day job?
 - Job Title
 - Company
 - Responsibilities
- What do you want from this event?
- What is your next career steppingstone?
- What is something unexpected about you?