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e-BUSINESS

Maintaining a competitive edge with a solid e-business strategy



Achieving B2B in the financial services industry

Latest developments and solutions on both the business & technology sides for implementing a successful e-strategy

December 6 & 7, 2000, New York

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CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Keynote address from Ben Wolkowitz, Managing Director, Fixed Income Division, E-Commerce Initiatives. MORGAN STANLEY **DEAN WITTER**
- Learn key strategies for developing successful e-business operations
- Evaluate the advantages of forming alliances to create e-business solutions
- Analyze how STP is driving e-business
- Optimize website content management to achieve your B2B goals
- Compare XML & middleware as solutions for institutional connectivity
- Improve e-CRM to ensure customer loyalty

PLUS!

One-day optional pre-conference seminar **Evaluating the applicability** of m-commerce within an e-business strategy

> December 5, 2000, New York

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Stay on the ball by learning about the very latest developments in e-business and B2B operations

As the internet continues to revolutionize the way in which global business is being conducted, the true challenge for financial institutions lies in combining clear business aims with technological know-how to achieve a profitable e-business operation.

Of critical importance is fitting an e-business strategy into your firm's long-term business goals whilst maintaining competitive advantage and customer loyalty in a cyberworld. Despite the obvious advantages of reducing inefficiencies and eliminating human error by automating online transactions, there are still many obstacles to overcome for the effective implementation of e-business.

This brand new event from Waters Conferences has been specifically researched and designed to tackle and overcome the complexities of implementing a successful e-business strategy. The agenda offers a choice of tracks addressing both the business and technology requirements for implementing e-business and B2B operations, offering practical solutions from an unbiased perspective.

By attending this conference, you will have the opportunity to:

- find out what others are doing in the e-business arena
- learn more about how organizations are being restructured to incorporate e-business strategies
- improve electronic connectivity for establishing B2B operations
- make informed decisions about how best to adapt your firm's architecture to e-business and B2B operations
- achieve B2B goals through competent website content management
- examine how m-commerce can be integrated into an e-business strategy
- assess the comparative advantages of ECNs and ATSs for securities trading

Who should attend

This event is targeted at all professionals involved with e-business operations within financial institutions on both the buy-side and sell-side of the financial services industry. The conference will also be of interest to consultants and software vendors.

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December 6 & 7, 2000 - NYC

Agenda at a glance

Day one - Wednesday December 6, 2000

| 7:45 | Registration & coffee | | |
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| 8:15 | Introduction from chair | | |
| 8:25 | Keynote address: overview of how the internet is revolutionizing the financial services industry and looking to the future of B2B | | |
| 9:05 | Senior executive panel discussion: Evaluating how organizational structures are being adapted and analyzing different e-business models | | |
| 10:05 | Morning break & opportunity to visit the exhibition | | |
| | TRACK 1: | TRACK 2: | |
| | LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN BUILDING A SUCCESSFUL E-BUSINESS STRATEGY | KEY TECHNOLOGY & SYSTEMS CONSIDERATIONS FOR ACHIEVING B2B | |
| 10:35 | Chairman's opening remarks | Chairman's opening remarks | |
| 10:45 | Evaluating the advantages of forming alliances to create e-business solutions | Building scalable electronic systems to handle B2B transactions | |
| 11:25 | Effectively implementing EAI (Enterprise Application Integration) | Evaluating the use of XML to enable institutional connectivity and normalize data | |
| 12:05 | Lunch & opportunity to visit the exhibition | | |
| 1:35 | Plenary session: Analyzing how e-business is driving STP and the move to T+1 | | |
| 2:15 | Afternoon break and opportunity to visit the exhibition | | |
| 2:40 | Assessing the advantages of using ECNs and ATSs for securities trading | Evaluating middleware as a solution for institutional connectivity | |
| 3:15 | Evaluating the use of intranets and private internets as part of a global e-business strategy | Analyzing portal strategies from a broker-dealer perspective | |
| 3:50 | Chairman's closing remarks | Chairman's closing remarks | |
| 4:00 | End of day one | | |
| 4:10 | Cocktail reception sponsored by $lacksquare$ | | |

Day two - Thursday December 7, 2000

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| 8:00 | Registration & coffee | | |
| 8:30 | Introduction from chair | | |
| 8:40 | Plenary session: Achieving your B2B goals through effective website content management | | |
| 9:40 | Plenary session: Strengthening eCRM (Customer Relationship Management) to ensure customer loyalty | | |
| 10:40 | Morning break & opportunity to see the exhibition | | |
| | TRACK 1: LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN BUILDING A SUCCESSFUL E-BUSINESS STRATEGY | TRACK 2: KEY TECHNOLOGY & SYSTEMS CONSIDERATIONS FOR ACHIEVING B2B | |
| 11:10 | Chairman's opening remarks | Chairman's opening remarks | |
| 11:20 | Determining legal and regulatory implications of e-business operations | Effectively managing market data | |
| 12:00 | Lunch & opportunity to see the exhibition | | |
| 1:30 | Plenary session: Examining how online bond trading is being implemented | | |
| 2:10 | Afternoon break and opportunity to see the exhibition | | |
| 2:40 | Understanding the importance of electronic signatures | Evaluating the efficiency of internet-delivered outsourcing for settlement | |
| 3:20 | Assessing the advantages of ASPs (Application Service Providers) | Examining how m-commerce fits into an e-business strategy | |
| 3:50 | Chairman's closing remarks | Chairman's closing remarks | |
| 4:00 | End of conference | | |

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| | | Chair: Dale Richards, President, FAME FINANCIAL MARKETS | |
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| 2:40 | Assessing the advantages of using ECNs and ATSs for securities trading | Evaluating middleware as a solution for institutional connectivity Determining how APIs (Application Programming Interfaces) allow integration of multiple solutions into your architecture Nick Davidge, Vice President, Investment Products, S1 CORPORATION | |
| 3:15 | Evaluating the use of intranets and private internets as part of a global e-business strategy Using private websites for proprietary trading | Analyzing portal strategies from a broker-dealer perspective Building effective interfaces to e-enable legacy systems Effectively integrating data from various sources Examining strategies for implementing portals Evaluating the effectiveness of portal software Arranging single sign-ons to multiple broker websites | |
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| 8:00 | Registration & coffee | | |
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| 8:30 | Introduction from chair | | |
| 8:40 | Plenary session: Achieving your B2B goals through effective website content management Tackling the intersection of business & technology Examining how firms are building their websites Maintaining strong corporate identity through your website Don Callahan, Managing Director, Equity.com, MORGAN STANLEY DEAN WITTER | | |
| 9:40 | Plenary session: Strengthening eCRM (Customer Relationship Management) to ensure customer loyalty Kai Schaenzer, Online Markets, Head of Strategy, DRESDNER KLEINWORT BENSON | | |
| 10:40 | Morning break & opportunity to see the exhibition | | |
| | TRACK 1: LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN BUILDING A SUCCESSFUL E-BUSINESS STRATEGY | TRACK 2: KEY TECHNOLOGY & SYSTEMS CONSIDERATIONS FOR ACHIEVING B2B Chair: Peter Harris, President, LIGHTHOUSE PARTNERS | |
| 11:10 | Chairman's opening remarks | Chairman's opening remarks | |
| 11:20 | Determining legal & regulatory implications of e-business operations Determining how e-business activity is monitored and regulated Understanding legal implications of online transactions jurisdictional issues enforceability of click on contracts protecting intellectual property in an e-environment | Effectively managing market data Integrating data from brokers with your own data Determining availability of market data from e-trading systems (issues of transparency) Evaluating the usefulness of RIXML Standardizing data for optimal connectivity | |
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| 2:10 | Afternoon break and opportunity to see the exhibition | | |
| 2:40 | Understanding the importance of electronic signatures Ensuring online transactions are secure Determining record retention requirements Implications of e-signatures legislation and impact on security Jeffrey Ritter, Counsel, KIRKPATRICK & LOCKHART | Evaluating the efficiency of internet-delivered outsourcing for settlement | |
| 3:20 | Assessing the advantages of ASPs (Application Service Providers) Evaluating the cost-effectiveness of ASPs Examining the alternatives | Examining how m-commerce fits into an e-business strategy Promise of m-commerce Hurdles to be overcome What are the killer apps Leveraging e- for m-commerce Peter Harris, President, LIGHTHOUSE PARTNERS | |
| 3:50 | Chairman's closing remarks | Chairman's closing remarks | |
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Waters Training is the only independent provider of training courses on the full range of market data and financial information technology world-wide. The 'e-commerce and the Financial Markets' training course will run on day one of the four-day e-commerce event, perfectly complementing the theme of the conference.

Attendance at this one-day training course will provide you with a bird's eye view of current trends for e-commerce in the financial markets and how e-commerce changes the shape of the way business is done. It covers issues of security, liquidity, technology and how traditional methods of trading are being modified to adapt to the new mediums of communication.

In an increasingly connected and global business, an understanding of the commercial laws in all of the major trading blocks is essential, and particularly so in the new world of e-commerce. The laws relating to e-commerce within the US, the EU and the UK are explored and potential pitfalls are highlighted.

The following topics will be covered during the day:

- E-commerce what it is, how prevalent it is and why it matters.
- Finance and e-commerce how finance is key to e-commerce, but how e-commerce changes finance just by being there.
- Issues relating to liquidity, fungibility, and connected communities.
- What are banks for anymore? The rise of telecom banks, industry verticals, B2B, B2C, A2Z channels and how this challenges traditional banking models of business.
- How will and does it all happen networks, devices, access, ASP's and enablers?
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- Identification, trusted 3rd parties, repudiation, trade flow.
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One-day pre-conference seminar

Tuesday December 5, 2000

Evaluating the applicability of m-commerce within an e-business strategy

08:00 Registration and coffee

08:30

Industry analysis: examining how m-commerce is developing on an institutional basis

- · Overview of current m-commerce market trends
- different wireless applications
- predictions for the next 18-24 months
- · Assessing the pros and cons of integrating m-commerce into an e-business strategy
 - determining how m-commerce will affect a financial institution's e-business activity
- · Pinpointing the pitfalls of m-commerce
 - screen real estate
 - bandwidth issues
 - security and monitoring m-commerce activity
- · Long-term business goals of m-commerce
- · Lessons to be learned from Europe & Scandinavia

09:30

Evaluating different wireless applications for the financial markets

- Understanding and evaluating the different wireless protocols
 - WAP
- WMI
- WAP server applications
- · Identifying the extent of wireless capabilities
- how widely is WAP being supported
- Predicting to what extent HDML-based services will evolve towards WAP

10:15 Morning break

10:45

Building and developing mobile portals

- · Identifying strategies for building mobile portals
- Building WAP sites to optimize m-commerce operations
- · Charting the development of wireless ASPs

11:30

Examining data requirements for m-commerce

- · Examining data delivery models
 - one-way delivery
- two-way delivery
- Choosing & accessing the right data from legacy systems: what data do you need and what for?

12:15 Lunch

1:30

Identifying and overcoming the challenges of integrating m-commerce into an e-business strategy

- · Identifying the limitations of m-commerce
- · Ensuring reliability & sustaining connection
- · Ensuring & enforcing security & message encryption in an m-commerce environment
- · Regulating m-commerce activity
- · Optimizing m-commerce to maximize profitability
- what are wireless applications best used for?

2:15

Effectively establishing wireless connectivity

· Building robust wireless network architectures

3.00

Establishing and maintaining compatibility with networks

4:00 End of seminar

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