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Hands-on 1: Scripting in ServiceNow

1. Understanding client-side and server-side scripting

- Client-side and server-side scripting will be useful for integrations and in creating UI policies, ACL scripting, etc
- Client-side scripting runs code on the client, server-side runs on the server.
- Identifying when to use client-side vs. server-side based on where the code needs to run. Client-side scripting handles cosmetic changes visible to users.
- Server-side scripting manages data-related operations and business logic.
- Client-side scripting involves coding from basic to advanced for front-end development.
- Server-side scripting in ServiceNow includes script include, business rule, glide record, background script, schedule job script, and more.

2. Introduction to ServiceNow scripting

- ServiceNow scripting includes client-side techniques, advanced sections, import set script transform, glide datetime, email scripts, integrations, and authentication processes like JWT.
- Scripts in data policy or configuration can be included like client side techniques.
- Integration of authentication processes like JWT and token can be supported by ServiceNow but may require a mid-server installation.
- ServiceNow scripting allows customizing business applications in the platform. It involves using JavaScript to create custom functionalities.

Hands-on 2: What is ServiceNow | ServiceNow Tutorial for Beginners

1. What is ServiceNow

- ServiceNow is a cloud-based platform with dedicated workflows for easy access and development.
- Cloud hosting allows data access and security from anywhere, making ServiceNow accessible from any device.
- ServiceNow is a platform as a service (PaaS) that enables application development and customization without coding.

2. Services of ServiceNow.

- ITSM, HRSD, integrations, asset management, and business management and many more services are offered.
- The GRC and financial operating management modules are utilized in the banking sector.

3. Career & growth in ServiceNow

- ServiceNow has shown exponential career growth since its introduction in the market, surpassing competitors like BMC Remedy tool.
- With ServiceNow, individuals have the potential to earn significantly due to its no-code platform and high demand in the industry.
- ServiceNow certification and training cover fundamental admin and developer courses.

4. ServiceNow UI Overview

- The versions are named after cities in alphabetical order, such as Istanbul, San Diego, Rome, Paris, Cubic, and Tokyo
- There are quarterly results to track ServiceNow's performance and it has been growing exponentially for the past 20 years

5. ServiceNow Components

- The application picker captures all changes made and is crucial for development.
- The global application is available to all customers, while workspacespecific applications are limited to workspace customers.
- Left side contains instance logo, instance name, and application filter
- Right side includes application picker, update set picker, and user details

6. Incident Module

- Customers report issues to customer care, who then raise a ticket and assign it to a group for resolution.
- Technicians from the group visit the customer, rectify the issue, and solve the problem.
- An incident ticket is created when something impacts your work, like internet issues, and is managed in the incident module.
- If an issue occurs repeatedly and becomes a problem, a problem ticket is created and managed in the problem management module.

7. Problem Module and Change Module

- Problem management involves assessing, identifying root cause, and fixing problems
- Change management includes creating new change requests, getting approvals, and managing different levels of changes

8. Lists and Forms

- Filtering in lists helps in narrowing down the list of items based on category
- Grouping in lists allows to group items by a specific category, controlling the display of records

- Activity stream displays recent user activities and closed incidents with regulation codes
- Personalized list allows users to move items from left to right bucket and perform sorting, filtering, and integration
- ServiceNow forms can have one layout, two layout, or a blend of both
- Applying filters on ServiceNow using the funnel icon and selecting columns like category

