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Poughkeepsie Chapter of the Association For Computing Machinery



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Topic: What I Have Discovered While Working With Computers For 40 Years

Speaker: Joe Apuzzo

When: Monday, November 18th, 2019, 7:30 pm

Where: Marist College, Hancock Center, Room 2023

Directions: Building 14 on the map at <http://www.marist.edu/about/map.html>

Parking: Please park at black dot #10 on <http://www.marist.edu/about/map.html> (the lot North of the Hancock Center #14) or in the lot on the South-East corner of Route 9 & Fulton St. (S/E of the former Main Entrance).

About the Topic: How a lack of access to the school mainframe led to a lifelong fight to promote computing access via open source and open hardware. How to teach problem-solving strategy and skills — not computers. How one builds a career on more than just experience, but on wisdom and reputation. How computing politics and ignorance is limiting computer science today.

About the Speaker: I started my love of computing in 1978 (at the age of 11) getting my first computer — the Atari 800 — in 1979. I learned to program in Basic and Fortran. Unlike other kids, I always knew what I wanted to do when I grew up. My undergraduate work was at Binghamton University studying Electrical Engineering, and graduating in 1991. After working mutable places (Turtle Beach and Pepsi, to name a few) I was recruited by IBM in 1999 following my Master's Thesis work at Pace University. At IBM I have two software patents and have written 2 books, one on Linux and the other on IBM's High-Performance Computing (HPC) Coral system. I am a subject matter expert in distributed file systems, teaching classes in Europe and Asia. Currently, I am the Poughkeepsie Lab team lead of IBM's HPC and quantum systems.

Cost: Our meeting is **Free and open to the public**

Dinner: 6:00 pm, Palace Diner, 845.473.1576
Map and menu: www.thepalacediner.com
All are welcome to join us for dinner

We thank Marist College for hosting the chapter's meetings.

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