

Linux Users' Group of Davis presents:

“Taming a dinosaur with Docker and JavaScript” + LUGOD's 18th anniversary!

Open source software can be used in various ways, and 'old' and 'new' can be used together. This talk will discuss maintaining a Drupal 6-based codebase – long after the releases of Drupal 7 & 8, and the recent 'end-of-life' of Drupal 6 – with the help of Docker and JavaScript.

About Drupal & Docker:

Drupal is an open source content-management framework, written in PHP, and used for things ranging from blogs to corporate, political, and government websites; it's also used for 'knowledge management' and business collaboration. Interest in Drupal was boosted when it was used by the Howard Dean campaign during the 2004 presidential election. Today, there are over 35,000 free add-on modules, and over 2,000 free themes, available for Drupal.

Docker is a 'containerization' platform, allowing you to wrap a piece of software in a complete filesystem that contains everything needed to run code; guaranteeing the software will always run the same, regardless of its environment.

About the Speaker:

Dennis Stevense is Lead Software Engineer at Digital Deployment, responsible for managing the development team, and planning ongoing development of their platform.

About Streamline & Digital Deployment:

Digital Deployment, Inc. is a Sacramento-based web development company specializing in content management systems where ease-of-use and scalability are required. Their clients include UC Davis, United Way, CalSTRS, and others. Streamline, a division of Digital Deployment, creates tools that help local governments stay compliant with Internet requirements, such as California's Senate Bill 272, the California Public Records Act.

Anniversary:

This meeting marks our 18th anniversary! Join us in celebration with free pizza and snacks.

<p>Linux Users' Group of Davis Monday, January 19th, 2017 7pm – 9pm Free & open to the public!</p>	<p>Smashwords, Inc. Engineering 231 G Street, #28 Downtown Davis (Note: Upstairs, with stairs-only access)</p>
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