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## What's New at SAS

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THE  
POWER  
TO KNOW.

# THANK YOU!

- You have made possible:
  - A growing community of SAS users in Puerto Rico with a strong Executive Committee to guide the way, but we need to continue working!!!
  - Development of a mutual support structure for leveraging local resources and knowledge
  - Exposure to a vibrant and warm culture

# Moving Forward...

- Best Practices/Characteristics of Thriving Groups
  - Strong local community involvement
  - Importance of long-term planning
  - Being attentive to local SAS issues/implementations (determining appropriate meeting content)
  - Maintain strong Executive Committee (reflective of local user base size, interests and organizations)



# SAS Global Forum 2010

Seattle, Washington

April 11-14, 2010

0105 41-14 '10

- [SAS Global Forum Blog](#) for more information



# SAS Training Sessions

- Public Courses
  - [1st semester 2010](#)
  - [2nd semester 2010](#)
- In-House Courses
- Live Web Training
  - Live Web course list & schedule can be found at <http://support.sas.com/training/us/lw/>

# SUGPR Resources

The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the SAS website for the Puerto Rico user group. The browser's address bar shows the URL: [http://www.sas.com/offices/latinamerica/mexico/support/Puerto\\_Rico.html](http://www.sas.com/offices/latinamerica/mexico/support/Puerto_Rico.html). The website header features the SAS logo with the tagline "THE POWER TO KNOW" and the text "Providing software solutions since 1975". A navigation menu includes links for "NOTICIAS", "GRUPO DE USUARIOS", "EVENTOS", "SERVICIOS", and "EMPLEO". Below the header, there is a search bar and a "BUSCAR" button. The main content area is titled "GRUPO DE USUARIOS" and contains the following sections:

- Grupo de Usuarios México**: A sidebar menu with links for "Suscripción", "Formación", "Soporte Técnico", and "Grupo de Usuarios Caribe", with sub-links for "Jamaica" and "Puerto Rico".
- GRUPO DE USUARIOS PUERTO RICO**: The main heading for the Puerto Rico user group.
- Bienvenido al sitio del Grupo de Usuarios de Puerto Rico.**: A paragraph welcoming users and describing the group's activities, including meetings, presentations, and forums.
- Agenda:** A section with the text "Próximamente más información."
- Participe con nosotros**: A section encouraging users to participate in meetings and contact [Blenda Torres](#).
- Si desea ser notificado de las futuras reuniones de usuarios**: A section with a link to [SUBSCRIBASE](#) to receive future meeting notifications.
- Si usted todavía no recibe el Insights, newsletter que se entrega 2 veces al año**: A section with a link to [SUBSCRIBASE](#) to receive the Insights newsletter.
- Archivo de Presentaciones:** A list of presentations, including:
  - [An Update From SAS](#) – Matt Malczewski, SAS Canada (June 2009) \*\*NEW
  - [SAS Global Forum Overview](#) – Ferdinand Ortiz, FirstBank Puerto Rico (June 2009) \*\*NEW
  - [What's New in Enterprise Guide 4.2](#) – Charu Shankar, SAS Canada (June 2009) \*\*NEW
  - [Using SAS in the Banking Industry Environment](#) – Ferdinand Ortiz, FirstBank Puerto Rico (June 2009) \*\*NEW

On the right side of the page, there is a photo of three people and a "Users Group Support Staff Contact" section with the following information:

- Users Group Support Staff Contact:**
  - Blenda Torres
  - Paseo la Reforma #500 Piso 38
  - Col. Cuauhtémoc, 06500
  - México, D.F.
  - (55) 5000 3809
  - [Blenda.torres@sas.com](mailto:Blenda.torres@sas.com)

At the bottom of the page, there is a "TAKE ACTION" box with the following information:

- TAKE ACTION:**
  - 52 (55) 5000 38 00
  - [usuarios@sas.com](mailto:usuarios@sas.com)

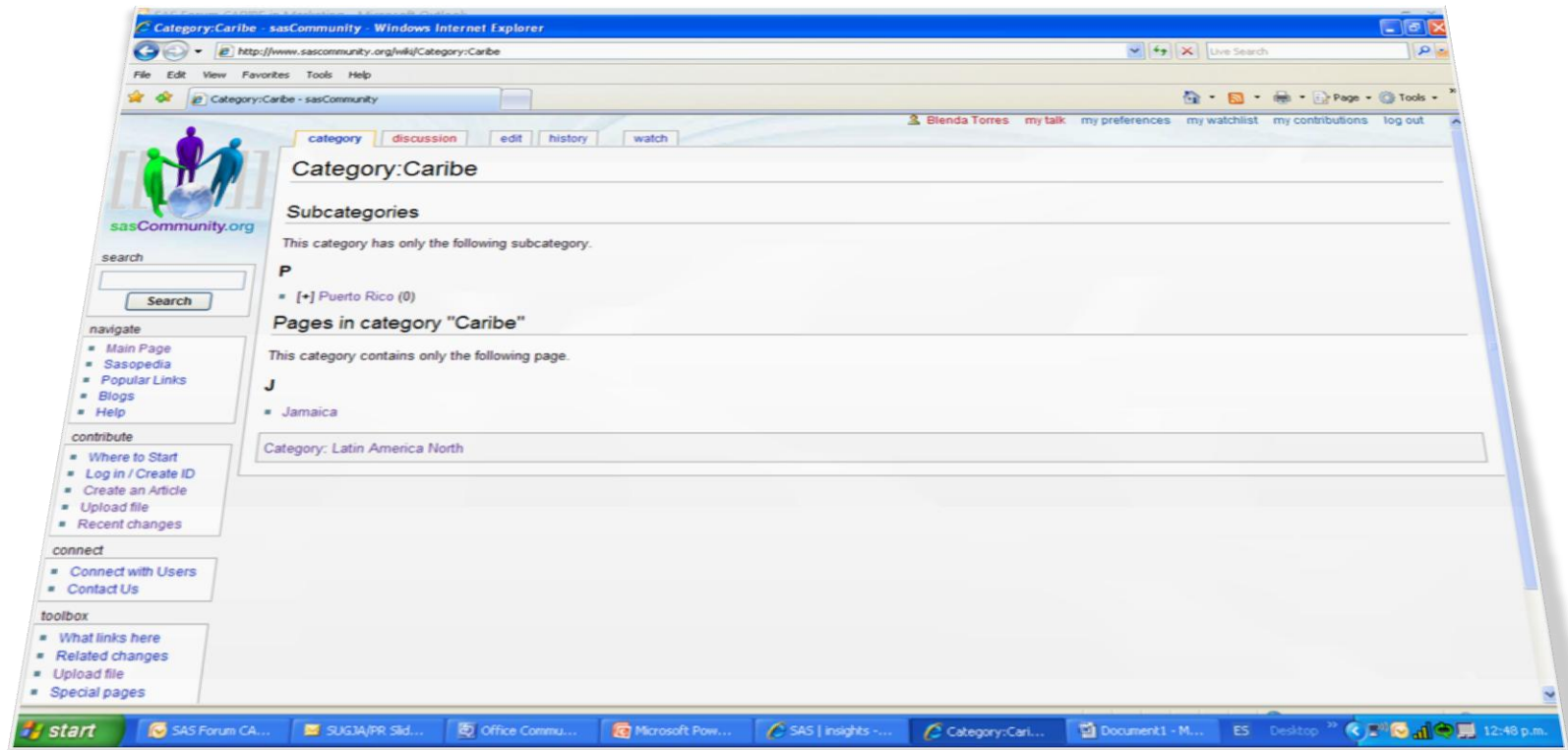
The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the Start button, several open applications (Inbox, Document1, Jamaica, Microsoft PowerPoint), and the system tray with the time 01:58 p.m.

# Insights SAS Users Newsletter

- It will now be distributed by SAS LANorth
- Comprised of Techie Tips, User Profiles, Event Listings and more



# SASCommunity.org



- Collaborative online community for SAS users worldwide
- Forums, Blogs, 'SASopedia', Events

# Resource Summary

- SUGPR Group:  
[http://www.sas.com/offices/latinamerica/mexico/support/Puerto\\_Rico.html](http://www.sas.com/offices/latinamerica/mexico/support/Puerto_Rico.html)
- General SAS Support: <http://support.sas.com>
- Insights:  
<http://www.sas.com/offices/latinamerica/mexico/news/newsletter/insights/May10/noticias.html>
- sasCommunity.org  
<http://www.sascommunity.org/wiki/Category:Caribe>

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