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# SAS Global Forum update

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First, an ad...



**Western Canadian SAS Users Summit  
(WestSUS)**

# Western Canadian SAS Users Summit (WestSUS)

- **Sept 16-18 meeting**
- **Minneapolis**
- **May 28 submission deadline**
- **Check out: [sasCommunity.org](http://sasCommunity.org)**

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Forum*

# Demo Area

- **My favourite haunt this year**
- **(not just because of the analytics table)**
- **Focus on emerging Procs, mobile analytics**
- **(Wally, what is 12.1 anyways??)**
- **Even "contacted" tech support while there**

# Poster Area

- **Interesting conversations**

# Presentations

- **Statistics (I am a statistician after all!)**

# Common Thread

- **The People, The Sense of Community**



# Presidents' Meeting

- **Theme: How can SAS help the user groups?**

- **Two ideas stuck with me...**

# Mini workshops?

- SAS didn't offer quite, but....

# "Interfaces" Group

- **Interest....**
- **For those here today?**
- **Do you know someone?**
  
- **Please contact any of the exec if you, or someone you know, is interested.**
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**Thank you.**