

ICA 39th Conference
Session Four

TECHNOLOGY VIGNETTES
INTRODUCTION

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Now we have most of the people in the room, we can start the next session. The next session is on technology vignettes. We all know that e-Government is first about Government then about technologies but we thought that in a gathering like this it would be quite remiss if we do not have a segment devoted to innovative applications of some of the newer technologies that we have been talking about throughout the conference.

I have with me 3 speakers:

(Michael) Yuchuan Lin is the Deputy Director from the Department of Information Management Research, Development and Evaluation Commission, the Executive Yuan in Taiwan. He is going to share with us the development of an e-Government common platform in Taiwan, and how this platform has enabled some innovative cluster services to be developed.

The next speaker is Kay Kojer from Sweden. He is the Senior Adviser to the National Tax Board, and he is here to share a very interesting technology called Web Robots. It is about how to use Web Robots to make our websites better.

Our last speaker this session will talk about horses because Philip O'Reilly is the Assistant Secretary General, Information Systems Department of Agriculture and Food. He will talk about how some of the technologies like XML, WAP, GRS and all that are used to integrate the processes of the department with the processes of the agents and their staff..