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PQA Testing In Your Area

An Evening With Michael Bolton
Join yvrTesting in Vancouver on April 8, 2015 as Michael Bolton spends an evening with the group! In this presentation, Michael Bolton will offer a review and an update of the Agile Testing Quadrants as seen through the lens of Rapid Software Testing—an agile (but not necessarily Agile) approach. Michael will show how Agile development can—and should—be infused with testing that helps to identify and defend the value of the product while reducing the costs of development. For more information, visit our website.

**Agile Games Night**

nbQ in Fredericton will be hosting "Agile Games Night" at Blue Spurs on April 30, 2015. It will be a fun-filled night of games designed to test your agile abilities and demonstrate some of the benefits and challenges of working on an agile team. This month's nbQ is sponsored by Blue Spurs and the games will be facilitated by Heidi Anderson. For more information, visit our website.

**Mobile Dev + Test Conference 2015**

Come to San Diego for the Mobile Dev + Test Conference 2015 April 12-17. This conference addresses mobile development for iOS and Android, as well as mobile testing, performance, design, user experience, smart technology and security. Hear from experts in the field about where the future of smart and mobile software is headed, and be sure to look for our PQA Testing representatives while you're there! For more information, visit our website.

**QUEST 2015 & Better Software Conference West**

Mike Trites of PQA Testing will be presenting "Making Numbers Count - Metrics That Matter" at QUEST 2015 in Atlanta, GA April 20-24 and also at Better Software Conference West in Las Vegas, NV June 7-12. In these sessions, Mike Trites will identify a number of ways that metrics can be used to measure progress during a test cycle and, ultimately, to determine when testing should be considered complete. For more information, visit our website.

**STARCANADA 2015**

Come to Vancouver, BC, June 21-25 to see PQA Testing's Christin Wiedemann and Richard Lu present "If You Could Turn Back Time: Teaching New Testers" at STARCANADA! Richard and Christin will share their experiences of starting to work as software testers with no prior experience of testing, and discuss ideas for how senior testers can keep junior testers engaged and encouraged to learn and step up in their roles. They will give suggestions that are easy to implement, such as explaining the company culture, encouraging relationship building, emphasizing communication, discussing the objective and value of testing, and will talk about the different meanings of quality. For more information, visit our website.

**ICST 2015**

Testing Around The World
Explore Graz, Austria April 13-17 and go to the **IEEE International Conference on Software Testing, Verification and Validation (ICST)**! ICST provides an ideal forum where academics, industrial researchers and practitioners can present their latest approaches for ensuring the quality of today's complex software systems, exchange and discuss ideas and compare experiences. For more information, visit our [website](#).

**STAREAST 2015**

Come to Orlando, Florida May 3-8 and go to **STAREAST 2015**! STAREAST (Software Testing Analysis & Review East) is the premier event for software testers and quality assurance professionals—covering all your testing needs with 100+ learning and networking opportunities. For more information, visit our [website](#).

**Agile Development Conference West**

Visit Las Vegas, Nevada in June and go to **Agile Development Conference West** June 7-12! Discover the latest in agile methods, technologies, tools and leadership principles from thought leaders who deliver inspiring keynotes, in-depth tutorials and a wide range of conference sessions, including a few surrounding agile testing. For more information, visit our [website](#).