Android - an Open Software Development & Distribution Platform for Mobile Devices

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ABSTRACT: Android™ is an open platform for application development for mobile devices. Google’s Play Store™ provides a complete platform for content providers and developers to take content to potential clients via apps, music, books, movies and to have a single platform for delivering all this content to mobile devices like phones, music players, even TVs, cameras and other accessories. In this presentation, Dr. Sengupta will provide a brief overview of the Android developer environment, tools and APIs to build applications for mobile devices, and summarize the complete cycle from design through development to sales process of apps on Google’s Android and Play Store platforms. As part of the presentation, he will go over the basic building blocks of an application, architecture and life cycle of applications, and the process of building, testing, deploying and distributing apps using the developer tools.

SmartRF Solutions, LLC is a company he founded that sells a series of apps under the name "Whizkeys tollroads" - mobile apps for different US toll roads. He will show the tools that Google provides to view app sales, download sales data and statistics, and perform app updates and maintenance.

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**We have planned six major activities for 2013:**

1. PEAL member technical exchange meeting—February
2. IEEE DLP guest speaker in advanced electric drive field - March
3. IEEE Dayton Section Banquet Participation – Keynote Speech about GE EPISCENTER by GEAS - Power President - April
4. IEEE PEAL student award announcement event - May/June
5. Local Industry, University, Research Institute Leader Panel Discussion - July
6. Member site visit and tour - October

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