



# Orange County ACM SIGCHI

Monthly meeting

June 20, 2002, 5-6 PM

Held at Unisys in Mission Viejo

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## **SKIP INTRO: Flash and the User Experience**

\*Special Guests: Michelangelo Capraro and Duncan McAlester,  
co-authors of SKIP INTRO

Have you ever been stuck in a Flash intro with no way to get out? Never fear, Michelangelo and Duncan have some words of advice. Skip Intro was written for Designers and Programmers to spread the word that usable Flash is possible and interesting. It takes a step back from using every new tool and reminds us how important good design is.

Michelangelo and Duncan will talk about their book, why they did it and how we can create harmony between Flash and Users. Bring your questions and thoughts.

*We will have a limited number of Skip Intro copies available.*

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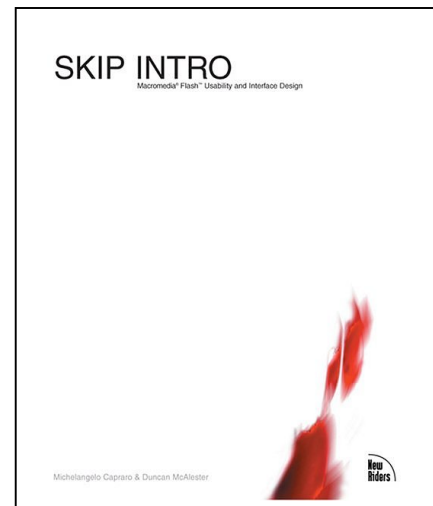
**UNISYS**

25725 Jeronimo  
Mission Viejo, CA 92691

Cross streets: Obrero and Jeronimo  
Driving instructions on the back

*The meeting is free and open to anyone.*

To RSVP, send email to [mimi.odrobinak@unisys.com](mailto:mimi.odrobinak@unisys.com)



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\* Capraro and McAlester biography on the back

## Author Bios

### Michelangelo Capraro

He has designed user experiences for TV, web sites, CD-ROMs, and handheld devices. He believes that art and usability do not need to be opposing forces. He has designed everything including games, Intranets, and desktop applications for IBM<sup>®</sup>, Disney<sup>®</sup> and Fox.

### Duncan McAlester

He is an award-winning multimedia designer working in Laguna Beach, California. He has worked on projects for Lincoln/Mercury, Fox and Warner Bros.<sup>®</sup>. He currently teaches a variety classes, including a class on interface design at the University of California, Irvine Extension.

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## OCCHI

OCCHI has monthly gatherings offering presentations, panels, and demonstrations. Anyone is welcome to join. Membership in any other organization, national ACM or national SIGCHI, is **not** required. Current members include a wide variety of professionals with a common interest in human-computer interaction. They are interface designers, graphic designers, usability engineers, research scientists, psychologists, technical writers and software engineers. They work in large and small companies and universities. They are students, professors, independent consultants, and corporate employees. To become a member, visit our web sit at [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/OC\\_CHI/](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/OC_CHI/) and subscribe.

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## Directions to Unisys

25725 Jeronimo  
Mission Viejo, CA 92691

### Directions from the North:

Take the I-5 South (San Diego Fwy) and exit Alicia Pkwy

Turn left onto Alicia Pkwy and go Northeast 1.1 miles

Turn left onto Jeronimo

Turn right at Obrero into the Unisys complex, go to the left and park near the main entrance (large Unisys sign)

### Directions from the South:

Take the I-5 North (San Diego Fwy) and exit Alicia Pkwy

Turn right onto Alicia Pkwy and go Northeast 0.9 miles

Turn left onto Jeronimo

Turn right at Obrero into the Unisys complex, go to the left and park near the main entrance (large Unisys sign)

The meeting is being held in the Theater, which is located at the main entrance.

To RSVP, please send email to Mimi O'Drobinak at [mimi.odrobinak@unisys.com](mailto:mimi.odrobinak@unisys.com)

*Please note that guests will be checked in and out by Unisys security.*