

Meeting U.

BIOGRAPHY - JAMES SPELLOS, CMP

James Spellos, CMP is the President of Meeting U., a company specializing in training in the topics of technology applications and meeting planning. Jim's career has spanned over two decades with highlights including:

- 15 years as Director of Meetings for national associations and corporations
- President, Meeting Professionals International Greater New York Chapter (1993-94)
- Meeting Planner of the Year, as selected by the Greater New York Chapter of Meeting Professionals International

Jim is certified as a Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS). He is a recognized expert in the field of technology for meeting professional. He also provides corporate software training for business both within and outside the hospitality industry.

A Certified Meetings Professional since 1993, Jim has been a faculty member at New York University's School of Professional and Continuing Studies since 1990, and joined the undergraduate faculty in 2002. He has developed all of the on-line courses for NYU's Meeting Management program. He also develops numerous courses for such worldwide leading seminar organizations as the American Management Association.

Through Meeting U., Jim publishes a monthly technology e-letter named Techniques. This free newsletter discusses technology issues both within the meetings industry, as well as those that apply for all professional and personal use.

Outside of the meetings industry, Jim is an accomplished musician and songwriter, playing guitar in the New York City rock band Contraband. Jim also cybercasts the New York Mets and Yankees games through his affiliation with Major League Baseball.

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