



Feedback from IQ-2001 Participants

The following are un-edited feedback from participants. In addition, we have received many oral and e-mail feedback that are overwhelmingly positive, such as follows:

- Congratulations to everyone on a great IQ conference! (*Stuart Madnick*)
- Dear Richard: Congratulations on the best IQ-Conference yet! It was a great event.
- Rich; Thanks for a very well run conference and a *quality* information experience. I look forward to attending future conferences and making a contribution to this dynamically growing field.
- Rich, Thank you very much for introducing us to the Royal East and for the lunch we had there. I thoroughly enjoyed both the food and the company! As a matter of fact, the whole weekend was very enjoyable. The conference was especially stimulating and I'm looking forward to attending next year...
- Rich: I certainly enjoyed the conference and found it to be valuable from a learning standpoint as well as sharing standpoint. Thanks for your hard work (*Larry English*)

In the days to come, we will consolidate the feedback and see how we could balance the many different perspectives. Again, we thank you for your contribution to IQ-2001, and look forward to your participation In future IQ conferences.

Very Best Regards,
Rich Wang

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- What I liked most was the (relatively) small size of the conference - in the sense that the size introduced a sense of intimacy to the proceedings that can easily be lost in larger gatherings, particularly for new attendees. The enthusiasm of everyone - participant and organizer alike, was very infectious. After all, it's quality, not quantity, right?
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- Date Warehouse Track...Meeting the other people interested in IQ.
 - Visiting MIT. ;-)...Good presentations!!
 - Panel.
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- The synergy among the participants, Information sharing
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- The plenary panel on Saturday evening -- wish it could have started earlier (lasted longer).
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- Familiar atmosphere., quality of papers and presentations.
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- The willingness to share ideas and knowledge at this conference is outstanding!
- The combination of theory and practical application worked well.
- At "practitioner" conferences, there is much less willingness to share.
- Also enjoyed the international flavor.

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- Good group of participants.
 - Nice mix of academic vs. practitioners, and different business areas.
 - Data Quality practices in fields other than my own, such as Health Care can be very applicable to my data quality issues as well. In many cases, they were *ahead* of us!

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- Familiar atmosphere, but fewer participants than I had expected.
 - Strong thematic focus on DQ ensures optional audience structure.
 - Participation of Thomas Redman and Larry English and the joint panel session.

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- Presentations related to real-life problems.
 - Organization of IQ conference!!
 - Very good talks.

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- The presentation on "A Generic Framework for IQ in Knowledge Intensive Industries"...