

## SharePoint MVP & AvePoint Chief SharePoint Evangelist Dan Holme to Deliver Keynote Address at SharePoint Connections Amsterdam 2011

### Renowned Microsoft technologies expert Dan Holme will lead multiple sessions at the event on SharePoint governance, storage management, and administration

London, UK — November 16, 2011 — AvePoint, a proven leader in governance and infrastructure management solutions for Microsoft SharePoint, today announced that Dan Holme, SharePoint MVP and AvePoint Chief SharePoint Evangelist, will headline the upcoming SharePoint Connections Amsterdam 2011 with his keynote address, **SharePoint Governance: Beyond the Buzzword**, at 9:30 a.m. Central European Time (CET) on Tuesday, November 22. AvePoint, a sponsor of the event taking place on November 22-23 at The Meervaart in Amsterdam, will also participate in several sessions and product demonstrations highlighting proven practices for SharePoint success accumulated from its decade of devotion to the platform since its inception in 2001.

A SharePoint MVP for the past five years who has published several best-selling books, Holme has more than 17 years of experience in the IT industry and is widely regarded as one of the world's most respected consultants, [authors](#), and experts on Microsoft technologies.

"SharePoint is a beautifully disruptive technology: It's no longer business-as-usual for users, for developers, for IT, or for the enterprise," said Holme. "SharePoint shines a spotlight on everything that's good and bad about your business processes, project management, change management, information management policies, and IT service delivery. I look forward to sharing lessons learned and common themes from thousands of IT professionals, managers, developers, end users and CIOs around the globe with the attendees at SharePoint Connections Amsterdam."

In addition to his keynote speech, Holme will present on three additional topics both vital and relevant to the SharePoint community throughout the day on Tuesday, November 22 (all times in CET):

- 11:15 a.m. – **Wish I'd Have Known That Sooner! SharePoint Insanity Demystified**
- 1:30 p.m. – **To BLOB or Not to BLOB? Storage Optimization Demystified**
- 3:00 p.m. – **Architecting and Automating SharePoint Governance: The Technical Implementation of Information and Service Management Requirements**

On both days of the conference, AvePoint will present demonstrations of the latest version of its flagship product, [DocAve 6](#), the enterprise-class management platform for SharePoint governance, at the following times and locations:

- November 22 at 10:45 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. – Booths 2 & 3
- November 23 at 10:45 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. – Booth 10

AvePoint will also sponsor a "SharePint Evening" event at 5:45 p.m. on November 22 in the conference center where attendees can mingle with peers, Microsoft MVPs, and other members of the SharePoint community.

For more information on SharePoint Connections Amsterdam 2011 and other AvePoint-attended SharePoint events throughout EMEA, please visit <http://eu.avepoint.com/about/events>.

## **About AvePoint**

[AvePoint](#) is a global technology company and [proven software leader](#). Since its founding in 2001, AvePoint is the world's largest provider of enterprise-class governance and infrastructure management solutions for Microsoft SharePoint. Propelled by the world's largest SharePoint-exclusive research & development team, AvePoint helps more than 8,000 customers – including many Fortune 500 companies and government agencies – meet their specific business objectives utilizing the SharePoint platform. AvePoint, Inc. is headquartered and maintains its principle engineering center in Jersey City, NJ, with wholly owned sales and engineering centers in the USA, Canada, Australia, United Kingdom, France, Germany, Japan, Singapore, and China. AvePoint is a Depth Managed Microsoft Gold Certified Portals and Collaboration Partner and Gold Certified ISV Partner as well as a US Government GSA provider via strategic partnerships.

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