



Thank You, Tempting Fate Revue

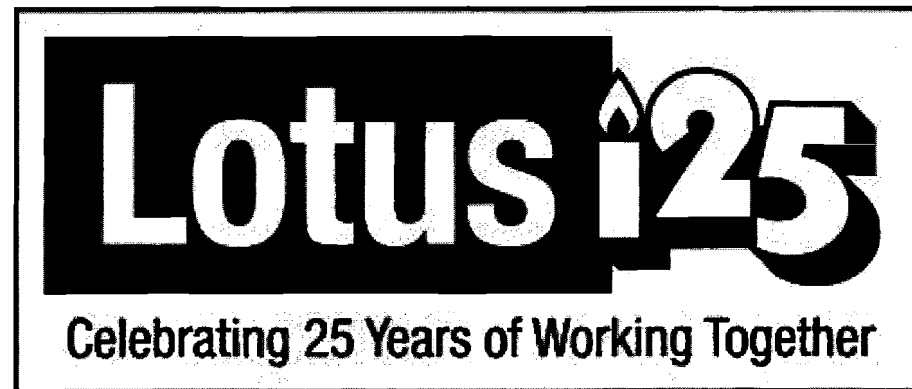
We'd like to thank former Lotus Vice-President and guitarist Frank Ingari for donating his band for our entertainment.

Tempting Fate Revue is a songwriting and performance group based in Boston. Their mission is to develop and showcase outstanding vocalists in and around Boston. They have been together for four years and were nominated by the Boston Phoenix as "Best R&B Band" for 2005.

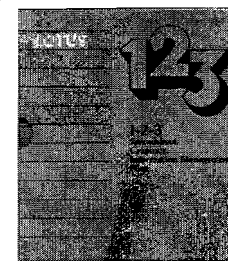
Keyboardist Ben Zecker is known for his work with the Boston Horns and has several hits in Japan. Drummer James Murphy records and performs with Elephant House, one of the region's hottest up-and-coming rock bands. Bassist Nate Edgar is part of John Brown's Body, a reggae-based group who recently headlined at Boston's Paradise Rock Club. Percussionist Eguie Castrillo is a Berklee professor with his own Grammy, who has performed with stars from Paul Simon to Arturo Sandoval.

Tempting Fate vocalists at the Lotus party include:

- Nicole Jones, a versatile singer with double degrees from Berklee and UVA, who has a day job as head of Investor Relations for Dyax Pharmaceuticals
- Shea Rose, a very hot R&B singer and full-time Berklee student
- Ma'ayan, an Israeli-born singer whose unique life history informs her original rhythmic world music sound
- Mike Verge, a dynamic live performer who has opened for Cheap Trick, Hootie and the Blowfish, Dave Davies, Levon Helm, Buck Cherry, and written songs for several successful independent films
- Susanna Doyle, an Iris employee who still plays with company band Red Box Panic
- Bryan Simmons, IBM VP with a Memphis PhD in "Singing in Church"



Lotus 25th Anniversary Party
May 12, 2007
Cambridge, MA



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Happy 25th Birthday, Lotus!

Agenda
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Welcome to the Lotus 25th Anniversary Party!

From April of 1982, when Lotus Development Corporation was founded with \$1 million in venture capital and eight employees, to 2007, where Lotus products and people comprise an essential division of powerhouse IBM, few other companies have had such a momentous influence on the way America — and the world — does business.

From Lotus 1-2-3, the archetypal “killer app” for the PC, to Lotus Notes, the groundbreaking groupware system, Lotus innovations have revolutionized not only the technology of software but the way people actually work and collaborate.

And it has always been a great place to work. I'm sure many of us would agree that we've never before or since had the privilege of working with so many incredibly talented, creative, and dynamic colleagues. We on the Anniversary Committee have all enjoyed the experience of reconnecting to plan and pull together this celebration.

Tonight you'll have the chance to talk with old friends and co-workers, view a collection of Lotus memorabilia, wax nostalgic with some ex-Lotus executives, and be entertained by a fabulous R&B band featuring some “home-grown” Lotus talent.

This event would not have been possible without the generous support of many corporate sponsors. You'll be able to learn more about them — and their relationship to Lotus — throughout this program.

So eat, drink, and, as instructed by the official Lotus Operating Principles, have fun!

Lotus 25th Anniversary Committee Members

Steve and Liz Beckhardt
Bruce Bordett
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Carole Gunst
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Steve Halling
Tom Hughes
Carla Marcinowski
Carolyn Unger Myers
June Rokoff
Reed Sturtevant
Chris Wraight

Starting at 7pm

Registration and distribution of event mementos

7:00 – 9:00

Reunion Cocktails and Conversation (Open Bar)
Passed hors d'oeuvres and food stations

9:15 – 10:00

Alumni Staff Meeting

10:00 – Midnight

Dancing and Entertainment with the band
Tempting Fate Revue
Dessert and coffee

Thank You to Our Supporters

This evening could not have been celebrated “in Lotus style” without the additional financial support from these Lotus colleagues.

Deb and John Besemer
Russ Campanello and Betsy Yeats
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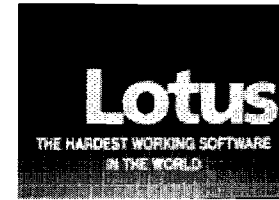
Salloway & Associates, a leading worldwide marketing research firm, is delighted to

be a primary sponsor of Lotus' 25th Anniversary Celebration. The founder, Elaine Salloway, ran Lotus' Worldwide Market Research Department for many years, and loved working at Lotus with all the great people while delivering the market intelligence needed. Among many contributions, she published the "Notes ROI Paper", which played a pivotal role building market demand for Lotus Notes. Salloway & Associates, celebrating 10 years, delivers on-target market intelligence at affordable pricing for market success. This is based on our extensive value-added consulting, proprietary research methods, and a proprietary database of 19 million companies and target audience contacts worldwide. We work with many ex-Loti and would love to work with you. Happy 25th birthday Lotus and many, many more! For more information, visit us online at: www.sallowayassociates.com or call us at: 617-964-9550.



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All the fabulous historical Lotus videos that you'll see this evening were collected from the archives and collated by Bruce Bordett, formerly Executive Producer in Media Services at Lotus.

Bruce Bordett owns and operates Bordett-MediaWorks in Newton, MA. He has more than 30 years of experience designing and delivering creative visual media that motivates and inspires audiences. For his corporate clients, Bruce has produced literally hundreds of marketing and sales tools that meet his clients' goals and deliver the results they desire, including increased sales, brand awareness, confidence, motivation and entertainment. Prior to his corporate work, Bruce spent 10 years at WGBH-TV, working on PBS classics including This Old House, Julia Child, Zoom, Crockett's Victory Garden and Evening at Symphony. Bruce's work has been honored by more than 20 national and international communications industry awards. You can contact Bruce at 617-916-2255 or by e-mail at bbordett@aol.com.

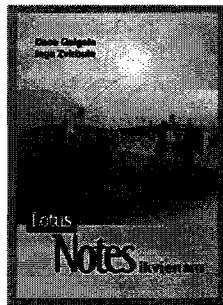


Special thanks to the founders of the Association of ex-Lotus Employees: Reed Sturtevant, Carole Gunst, Chris Wraight and Jason Lee. Their continued maintenance of a Lotus alumni network at www.axle.org has made it possible for us to gather here tonight.

LOIS PAUL & PARTNERS

Lois Paul & Partners is a leading, national strategic communications agency that provides a wide range of public relations services to emerging and established high technology and Life Sciences companies. We were the Public Relations Agency of Record for Lotus for over 10 years. It was a pleasure to work with the Lotus marketing, PR and executive team on many memorable launches and campaigns, including Notes, Domino and SmartSuite. We took special pride in maintaining Lotus' leadership against the serious challenges from Microsoft and Netscape during our tenure. LP&P recently marked the 20th anniversary of our founding in 1986 with the commitment to handle high-tech public relations a different way. It was an honor to work with Lotus for more than a decade of our history. For more information, visit us online at: www.loispaul.com or call us at: 781-782-5851.

*"Journalists who showed up at Lotus' Cambridge, Mass. headquarters knew history was in the making when the developer, under the leadership of then-CEO Jim Manzi, took the wraps off a new offering dubbed Notes. Originally a direct-sale item, some 100,000 jobs would be created by solution providers building practices around the groupware technology."
- CRN, May, 2002*

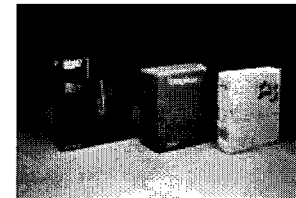


Special Thanks

The Lotus 25th Anniversary Committee would like to extend a special thank-you to former Lotus Vice-President, Michael Kolowich and his company, DigiNovations, who financed and duplicated the complimentary DVD you will receive to commemorate this celebration.

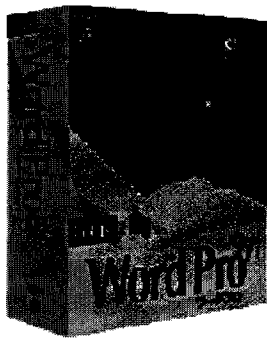
We would also like to commend Steve Halling, Keynote Communications, for his time and supreme negotiating skills, as a result of which we will be able to enjoy professional multimedia, lighting and staging at this evening's event.

And finally, what Lotus product launch or event would be complete without the inspired, imaginative graphics designed by former Lotus Creative Director, Tom Hughes? Tom has recalled images of Lotus' past as well as of its current incarnation with his design for the Lotus 25th Anniversary Party logo. Thank you, Tom!



"Whenever the topic of killer apps comes up, mention of Lotus 1-2-3 is never far behind. This venerable spreadsheet program was the PC's first critical application, and it almost single-handedly gave the PC the major push it needed, past all other competing hardware platforms, to become the de facto standard for business users..... And if you could kick yourself for tossing out your old version, \$20 or \$30 can get you a copy of Lotus 1-2-3 on eBay."

- PC World, The 50 Best Tech Products of All Time, April, 2007



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"Mitch Kapor and his team of designers and programmers are incredibly creative: they have come up with more good ideas than they can possibly implement at one time, but they also implement more of them than I would have thought possible."

- Gregg Williams, Senior Editor, Byte Magazine, December 1982

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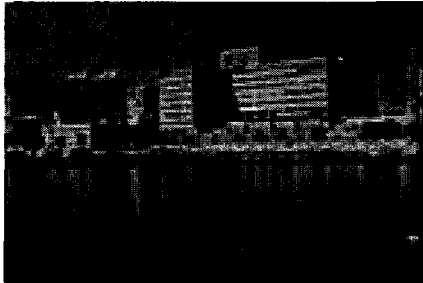
Lotus Operating Principles

- Commit to excellence
- Treat people fairly; value diversity
- Insist on integrity
- Communicate openly, honestly and directly
- Listen with an open mind; learn from everything
- Take responsibility; lead by example
- Respect, trust and encourage others
- Encourage risk-taking and innovation
- Establish purpose before action
- Work as a team
- Have fun



Who are you now

The Association of Ex-Lotus Employees (www.axle.org) is a volunteer organization created so that former Lotus employees can connect and share experiences as our lives move forward. Through organized events and an online community, AXLE members have the opportunity to continue developing professional and personal relationships. The organization was founded in August, 1997 and now has over 2800 members. If you're already an AXLE member, please check your directory listing and update it with your latest information. If you're not a member, please visit the website and register!



Keynote Communications knows how to make a brand work. Most companies know how they want the world to see them, but they don't know how to make it happen. Thoughtful analytics combined with out-of-the-box creative thinking, gets our clients moving, and gets them noticed. Keynote is run by Janet Jordan and Steve Halling. Janet worked with many Lotus managers and executives with media training and presentation coaching. Steve was the manager of Media Services, then became the director of Lotus brand strategy, and just left IBM last year. For more information, contact Steve at: steve@keynotecommunications.com



Sally Silver Companies, a leader in professional staffing and executive placement for the technology industry, focuses on the full product lifecycle: Go-To-Market, Software Development and Service Delivery. We began partnering with Lotus in 1983 and enjoyed being able to make a contribution to the company's growth and success. We worked primarily with Engineering and since we now have our own Lotus Alum (Carla Marcinowski) who joined in 2004 we expanded our reach into Marketing, Product Management and Professional Services. We celebrated our 20 year anniversary this year and are honored to have the opportunity to still be working with Lotus Alumni leaders across the greater Boston technology community. Congratulations Loti on your 25 Year Reunion! For more information, visit us online at: www.sallysilver.com or call us at: 781-890-7272.



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Acacia was founded in 2001 and is lead by Marianne (Emerton) Fitzpatrick and Theresa Garrett who collectively were at Lotus for more than 25 years! We'd love to hear from you -- email us at info@acaciang.com. Congratulations Lotus!!