

## The British Computer Society ABERDEEN BRANCH

# Disaster Recovery & Business Continuity

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2012, 18:30 – 19.30

Room C47, Robert Gordon University,  
St. Andrew's Street, Aberdeen AB25 6HG

### Synopsis

The majority of businesses today are heavily dependant on their ICT infrastructure for almost all aspects of their operations yet the protection of that infrastructure is often written off as an unrequired cost. Case studies have shown that 40% of businesses who suffer a critical IT failure go out of business within one year. With the major advances in recent years of virtualisation technology there are now viable disaster recovery and business continuity solutions at a price point that finally renders tape backup a solution of the past.



### About the speaker

Andrew Stuart is the Managing Director of Paradeon Technologies Limited, a recent technology startup in Aberdeen who operate Datto UK, the UK exclusive distributor of Datto Inc's Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity solutions. Having spent the last 9 years working in outsourced ICT support, Andrew has experienced first hand the lack of focus on continuity of business ICT systems as well as the outcomes following the failure of a server or network.

Directions to RGU <http://www.rgu.ac.uk/contact/find-us/how-to-find-us/how-to-find-us>

**CAR PARKING** Parking in Denburn car park, near Woolmanhill. Meeting should finish before 8pm (start of overnight charge).

This talk is **FREE** to all members and non-members. Refreshments are available from 18:00.

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