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Shameless Plug



The Portage HR team has been very involved in the development of the new Human Capital Management System from the subject matter experts' viewpoint.

The new system will capture historical information such as assignments and pay changes over the years, saving large amounts of time searching through old paper personnel files. The new HCMS system is very user friendly and because it is web-based, we will be able to access it from anywhere, anytime.

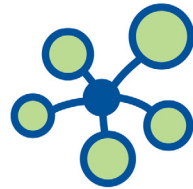
In addition, Linda is able to tie it to other web-based systems that can feed the new system automatically, again saving time and trees! We are very fortunate to have Linda as part of the consortium team and we look forward to tying the HR system to the financial side, i.e. payroll, which we believe will make us not only more efficient, but also more accurate as all groups will be singing from the same hymn book.

— Tom Zahrt, Portage Public Schools



Announcing: A New Partnership

MiCase is pleased to announce a partnership with Level Data to provide directory and food service integration to our Pinnacle SIS customers at an affordable cost. Level Data streamlines labor intensive processes such as managing student data and then automates as much of



LEVEL DATA
information made easy

those processes as practical. Level Data solutions are architected to keep data clean, consistent and current. Multiple departments are not entering the same information every time a student or staff member enters, leaves or moves within the district.

If you are interested in learning more about the directory and food service integration available for Pinnacle SIS through Level Data, please contact ddailey@kresa.org.

The goal is to transform *data* into *information* and information into *insight*.

~ Carly Fiorina



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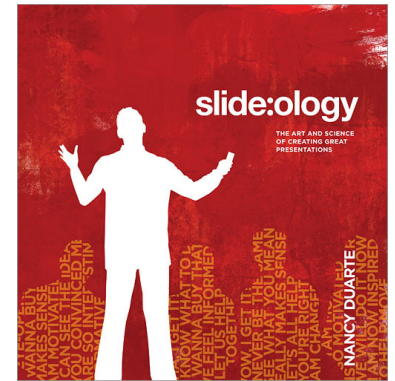
Did you know that you can use the function keys in your HR and FA systems in lieu of the mouse? They are as follows:



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July 22, 2011

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Business Office Vision Committee at Mason Lake ISD

July 28, 2011

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

FA User Group

August 10, 2011

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Student Information Vision Committee

