Panel on Starting & Building a Local R User Group

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In the past two years the a number of local R User Groups (RUG's) have started or ramped up their membership. This panel discussion will focus on actual experiences:

- Building interest in your community
- The kick off meeting
- Finding speakers
- Finding sponsors
- Promotion tricks
- Organizational tricks & traps
- Joys of RUG'ing

Audience participation & questions will be encouraged!

Call for panelists: If you would like to participate on the panel, please contact Derek Norton.