



SMALL FIRM IT

A **TEECOM** TECHNOLOGY BRIEFING



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Now

- **More than 10 years at TEECOM**

Growth from 30 employees to more than 130

Consulting with organizations of every size

Software, hardware, and everything in-between

Past

- **IT role at a 7 person aerospace contractor**

Distant Past

- **UCLA Computer Store**



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A few key technology trends



Everything Connected



Indoor Location



Mobile Devices

What are the right IT choices for **you** ?

Today

1. Philosophy of Information Technology
2. Key Concepts
3. Practical comparison of ecosystems

Today

1. Philosophy of Information Technology

*All technology is awful,
some is less awful*

Information Technology as a **multiplier**

We are building on quicksand

Today

2. Key Concepts

The tradeoff between security and convenience

Redundancy isn't a backup strategy

Reduce the hardware you own

Find accessible automation

Today

3. Practical comparison of ecosystems

Office 365

- Email
- Chat
- Video conferencing
- Documents
- Spreadsheets
- Presentations
- Storage

\$12.50 user/month

G Suite

- Email
- Chat
- Video conferencing
- Documents
- Spreadsheets
- Presentations
- Storage

\$12 user/month

Custom Package

- Fastmail
- Slack
- Zoom
- LibreOffice Writer
- LibreOffice Calc
- LibreOffice Impress
- Dropbox

\$37 user/month

Questions!