**PHP User Group**

The PHP User Group is a forum for any and all PHP developers on campus to share ideas, discuss problems, talk about PHP best practices, and delve deeply into looking at actual PHP code.

For more information, or to be added to the bCal event, please contact John Keller (jkeller@berkeley.edu).

**Meetings**

**When:** on the first Wednesday of each month, from 11:00 to 12:00

**Where:** 400 Cory Hall (Hughes Room)

**Who:** any and all PHP developers on campus

**Why:** to meet colleagues, share ideas, discuss problems, and look at code together

**Meeting Notes**

Beginning in July 2014, we spent many months working through a tutorial on creating our own framework on top of the Symfony2 Components. Our in-process code is stored in a Code@Berkeley repository.

At our November 2014 meeting, we discussed some cool stuff that a few of us learned the week before at ZendCon.

At our March 2015 meeting, we dove into unit testing with PHPUnit.

Beginning in April 2015, we will be modernizing a legacy PHP application, getting the "code under control in a series of small, specific steps".

The group stopped meeting as of August 2015, due to competing interests. We can start up again if enough folks are interested...

**PHP Resources**

http://www.phptherightway.com/

http://www.phpweekly.com/

https://getcomposer.org/

http://fabien.potencier.org/article/57/create-your-own-framework-on-top-of-the-symfony2-components-part-1