Welcome to LISA ‘09
NO BEEPING!
Past LISA Chairs
Sorry

It was all a ruse
SAGE Outstanding Achievement Award
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David N. Blank-Edelman
Let’s Do the Numbers
Refereed Papers

- Submitted: 38
  - 4 withdrawn
- Accepted: 12
  - 35%

Attendees: 815!
People
At least 250 people (probably 300)
- 22 Program Committee
- 23 Readers
- 71 Authors
- 36 Instructors
- 14 Gurus
- 17 Speakers
  - plus 35 more we couldn’t fit in the schedule
- 12 USENIX staff
- 8 Board of Directors
- 3 Miscellaneous
- 14 Workshop leaders
- (12) Poster presenters
- (38) BoF hosts
- 35 Vendors
Program Committee

- Paul Anderson, *University of Edinburgh*
- Paul Armstrong
- Travis Campbell, *AMD*
- Narayan Desai, *Argonne National Laboratory*
- Ian Dotson, *University of Washington*
- Andrew Hume, *AT&T Labs—Research*
- Brent Hoon Kang, *The University of North Carolina at Charlotte*
- William LeFebvre, *Digital Valence, LLC*
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- Mario Obejas, *Raytheon*
- David Plonka, *University of Wisconsin*
- Mark D. Roth, *Google, Inc.)*
- John Sellens, *SYONEX*
- Gautam Singaraju, *The University of North Carolina at Charlotte*
- Nicole Velasquez, *University of Arizona*
More Program Committee

- **Scribe**
  - Cory Lueninghoener, Argonne National Laboratory

- **Invited Talks**
  - Doug Hughes, D.E. Shaw Research, LLC
  - Amy Rich, Consultant

- **Workshops**
  - Lee Damon, University of Washington

- **The Guru Is In**
  - John "Rowan" Littell, California College of the Arts

- **Posters**
  - Gautam Singaraju, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte

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  - Alva L. Couch, Tufts University
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The USENIX Association

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- **Video Editing**
  - Joseph Schwartz

- **Bloggers Coordinator**
  - Matthew Sacks

- **SAGE Awards Committee**
  - Paul Anderson, Mark Burgess, William LeFebvre, Amy Rich
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More Awards
Best Paper
Best Paper

“Crossbow Virtual Wire: Network in a Box”

Sunay Tripathi, Nicolas Droux, Kais Belgaied, and Shrikrishna Khare

(Thursday, 2:00 p.m.)
Best Student Paper
Best Student Paper

“Federated Access Control and Workflow Enforcement in Systems Configuration”

Bart Vanbrabant, Thomas Delaet, Wouter Joosen

(Friday, 11:00 a.m.)
LOPSA presents
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Luke S. Crawford
Instructions

- **Authors, Invited Talks Speakers**
  - Meet your session chair 30 minutes before your session in the front of the room

- **Birds of a Feather (BOFs)**
  - Tonight, tomorrow night
  - Sign up on the BoF boards in the registration area
  - Latest schedule: [www.usenix.org/lisa09/bofs/](http://www.usenix.org/lisa09/bofs/) and BoF boards in the registration area
Poster Sessions

- Grand Ballroom Salon Foyer
  - outside VI - X

- Tonight, 6:30 – 7:30
- Tomorrow, 6:00 – 7:00
Vendor Exhibition

Wednesday, November 4, noon–7:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 5, 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.
Grand Ballroom Salons VI–X

Breaks in Exhibit Hall
Wednesday, November 4, 3:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 5, 10:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

Exhibit Hall Happy Hour
Sponsored by BigFix
Wednesday, November 4, 5:30 p.m.–7:00 p.m.

Vendor Passports
iPod Touch Raffle Drawing
Thursday, November 5, 1:00 p.m.
2009 SysAdmin of the Year Contest

- Sponsored by BigFix
- More info: http://www.bigfix.com/rockstar/
- Winners announced during:
  - Exhibit Hall Happy Hour: tonight, 5:30 p.m.–7:00 p.m., Grand Ballroom Salons VI–X
  - BigFix SysAdmin of the Year Award Party: tonight, 9:30 p.m.–11:30 p.m., Harborside Ballroom D & E
Social Activities

● Exhibit Hall Happy Hour
  ● Sponsored by BigFix
  ● Tonight, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
  ● Grand Ballroom Salon VI - X
Social Activities

- Conference Reception: Halloween II
  - Costumes encouraged but optional
  - Prizes awarded for the best costumes
  - Tomorrow (Thursday), 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., Grand Ballroom Salons VI–X
Social Activities

- **Trip to National the Cryptologic Museum**
  - Optional
  - Saturday, November 7, 10:00 am - 2:00pm
  - Pick up tickets by 5:00 TODAY!
    - At the registration desk
  - Want to go?
    - Waiting list, at registration desk
Keynote Address

Ahead in the Cloud: The Power of Infrastructure as a Service

Werner Vogels, CTO, Amazon.com