PGCon 2011
The PostgreSQL Conference

PGCon is an annual conference for users and developers of PostgreSQL, a leading relational database, which just happens to be open source. PGCon is the place to meet, discuss, build relationships, learn valuable insights, and generally chat about the work you are doing with PostgreSQL.

If you want to learn why so many people are moving to PostgreSQL, PGCon will be the place to find out why.

Whether you are a casual user or you've been working with PostgreSQL for years, PGCon will have something for you.

WHERE
Ottawa, Canada

WHEN
May 19-20
Tutorials will be May 17-18

WHO
Contributors, developers, and users

VENUE
University of Ottawa
http://www.uottawa.ca/

AT FEES YOU CAN AFFORD
We plan to keep costs to a minimum. As such, the conference will be held at University of Ottawa and accommodation is available within the University residences. Hotels are also within close walking distance of the conference venue.

WHAT DOES IT COST?

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Comfortable accommodation is available on campus at very reasonable rates. See our website for details.

http://www.pgcon.org/
May 17-20, Ottawa

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Wednesday
4:00 pm   Sign-in desk opens at a local pub. Get your registration pack and have a drink.
8:00 pm   Sign-in desk closes.

Thursday
9:00 am   Paul Ramsey – PostGIS
10:00 am   First set of talks
11:00 pm   break
11:30 pm   Second set of talks
12:30 pm   lunch
1:30 pm   Third set of talks
2:30 pm   break
3:00 pm   Fourth set of talks
4:00 pm   break
4:30 pm   Fifth set of talks
5:30 pm   Lightning talks

Friday
10:00 am   First set of talks
11:00 am   break
11:30 am   Second set of talks
12:30 pm   lunch
1:30 pm   Third set of talks
2:30 pm   break
3:00 pm   Fourth Set of Talks
4:00 pm   break
4:30 pm   Fifth Set of Talks
5:30 pm   Closing words

Sat
8:30 am   Breakfast
rest of day   Tourist things around town
A FEW OF OUR 2011 TALKS

Please see the website for complete details.

- Running PostgreSQL in enterprise level telco systems
- Serializable Snapshot Isolation in Postgres
- Exploring Automated Join Construction
- SP-GIST - a new indexing infrastructure for PostgreSQL
- Writeable CTEs
- Label Based Mandatory Access Control on PostgreSQL
- Android & PostgreSQL
- Database Scalability Patterns: Sharding for Unlimited Growth
- Data-driven cache invalidation
- PostGIS Knows Where You Are - Should you be Worried?
- 9.1 Mystery Tour - What’s in the upcoming version
- Best practices with Ora2Pg - Migrating Oracle databases to PostgreSQL
- Review of Patch Reviewing - How to Review Patches for PostgreSQL
- Real Federation Database System leveraging PostgreSQL FDW

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

It's not all work. Social activities play a major role in project development.

Wednesday

4:00 pm Drinks + registration at a local pub

Thursday

7:00 pm Gathering at local eateries for dinner

Friday

4:30 pm Key signing party
6:00 pm BOFs
7:00 pm Gathering at local pubs for drinks

Saturday

8:30 am Breakfast
afterwards: various tourist-type things

To stay informed, please join our announcement mailing list. Details at http://www.pgcon.org/