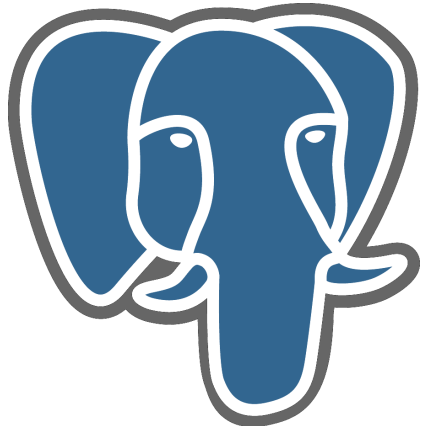


# PGCon 2012

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.



<http://www.pgcon.org/>

May 15-18, Ottawa

## WHERE

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Ottawa, Canada

## WHEN

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May 17-18  
Tutorials will be May 15-16

## WHO

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Contributors, developers, and users

## VENUE

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University of Ottawa  
<http://www.uottawa.ca/>

## AT FEES YOU CAN AFFORD

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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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Type	CAD
Regular	\$195
Corporate	\$350
Additional Corporate	\$175
Student	\$60
Tutorial (per half-day)	\$50

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

## SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

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### Sunday

all day Collaborative Docsummit  
between BSDCan/PGCon

### Tuesday

all day Mastering PostgreSQL  
Administration - tutorial

### Wednesday

9:00 am Getting Hot and Steamy with  
Postgres – tutorial  
1:00 pm Configuring write-scalable  
PostgreSQL cluster  
4:00 pm Registration desk opens at a  
local pub. Get your registration  
pack and have a drink.

### Thursday

9:00 am keynote  
10:00 am talks start  
12:30 pm lunch  
1:30 pm talks start again  
5:30 pm Lightning talks  
6:30 pm big social event

### Friday

10:00 am talks start  
12:30 pm lunch  
1:30 pm talks start again  
5:30 pm Closing words  
6:30 pm another big social event

### Sat

8:30 am Breakfast  
rest of day Tourist things around town

## A FEW OF OUR 2012 TALKS

- Mastering PostgreSQL Administration
- Getting Hot and Steamy with Postgres
- Writing a foreign data wrapper
- Schemaless SQL
- Large Scale MySQL Migration to PostgreSQL!
- PL/R Tricks - Server Monitoring with Predictive Analytics
- Unlocking the Postgres Lock Manager
- On snakes and elephants - Using Python with and in PostgreSQL
- Dear SQL Server, I'm filing for divorce
- Monitoring Ozone Levels with Postgresql
- PostgreSQL on AWS
- Performance Improvements in PostgreSQL 9.2
- The PostgreSQL replication protocol, tools and opportunities
- Running libraries on PostgreSQL

## 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

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