PGCon 2014
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 20-24, Ottawa

WHERE
Ottawa, Canada

WHEN
May 22-23 (Thu-Fri)
Tutorials will be May 20-21 (Tue-Wed)
Unconference May 24 (Sat)

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.

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Tuesday
all day tutorials

Wednesday
all day tutorials
4:00 pm Registration desk opens at a local pub. Get your registration pack, have a drink, and socialize.

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
9:00 am Unconference – details to follow
TALKS FROM LAST YEAR

- Automated PostgreSQL Scaling on AWS
- Corruption Detection and Containment
- Deployment automation for PostgreSQL
- Implementing High Availability
- Monitoring of Machines using PostgreSQL
- PostgreSQL Backup Strategies
- PostgreSQL on ZFS
- SQL hints, tips, tricks and tuning
- The Billion Tables Project
- Use logging hooks for real-time log analysis
- Using PostgreSQL with Redis
- Visualizing Postgres in real time
- Agile Database Development with Git, Sqitch, and pgTAP
- One step forward true json data type - Nested hstore with arrays support.

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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