

Call for Posters

5th System Administration and Network Engineering Conference

SANE 2006

May 15-19, 2006

Aula Congress Centre, Delft, The Netherlands

A conference organized by Stichting SANE
Co-sponsored by Stichting NLnet, USENIX, SURFnet and NLUUG

SANE OVERVIEW

As last year, SANE 2006 will include poster sessions, in addition to 3 days of training, followed by a 2-day conference program filled with the latest developments in system administration, network engineering, security and open source software, and practical approaches to the puzzles and problems you're wrestling with. You'll also have many opportunities to meet other system administrators and network (security) professionals and chat with peers who share your concerns and interests.

The venue for SANE 2006 will be the Aula Congress Centre, located on the campus of the University of Technology in Delft: the city of Delft Blue, the world-famous painter Johannes Vermeer and its historical ties to the Royal House of Orange. But also a lively modern city for fun shopping, going out for a great dinner or wandering around to experience its special atmosphere.

Included in the conference are:

- Tutorial Program (**May 15-17**)
- Free Software Bazaar (**evening May 17**)
- Technical Conference, Social Event, Poster Sessions, Exhibition, BoF sessions and Guru is In sessions (**May 18-19**)

POSTER SESSIONS

The SANE Posters provide an excellent forum for authors to present their work in an informal and interactive setting. Posters are ideal for presenting speculative, late-breaking results or for giving an introduction to interesting, innovative work. Posters are intended to provide authors and participants with the ability to connect with each other and to engage in discussions about their work.

The posters will provide information about the applications, architecture, implementation, performance and security of modern computing systems and IP networks. Posters that present Work In Progress and draw important conclusions from practical experience are especially welcome. Posters are being solicited in areas including but not limited to:

- Innovative system administration tools and techniques
- Networking and network services
- Security and privacy
- Operating systems
- Storage systems
- Nomadic and wireless computing
- System and network performance tuning
- Open Source Developments
- UNIX on the desktop

CONFERENCE ORGANIZERS

Poster Committee: <sane2006-poster@sane.nl>

- Ivana Belgers (*chair*)
- Joost van Dijk, *Tunix, Nijmegen, NL*
- Jack Jansen, *CWI, Amsterdam, NL*

REFEREED POSTER SUBMISSIONS

Successful posters are carefully designed to convey technical details. They should also attract the attention of attendees as they stroll past the displays. The goal is to develop a poster that encourages and facilitates small groups of individuals interested in a technical area to gather and interact.

Posters will be reviewed and selected by the Poster Committee. An award will be given at the conference for the best poster.

A submission must include an abstract of up to 400 words. Including a rough sketch of the poster is recommended. Also include the URL of a web site related to the poster, if applicable. Submissions must be done through the web form <http://www.sane.nl/sane2006/posters/>

Authors of accepted submissions must provide a one or two page summary for publication in the conference proceedings. This brings the subject to an even larger audience. These summaries are held in the highest confidence prior to publication in the conference proceedings. By agreeing to present your poster at SANE 2006, you also give permission to the SANE 2006 conference organizers to publish the poster and summary on the SANE web site.

PRACTICAL

- One author per accepted poster can attend the conference, exhibition and social event free of charge, excluding travel and lodging expenses.
- The posters will be located in a public area, close to the exhibition, viewable for all conference attendees.
- The size of the board for the poster is about 1.50 meter wide and 1.00 meter high. Note that this is landscape orientation! Pushpins can be used to attach material to the board.
- There is a small table beside each poster with room for leaflets and a laptop for a live demo. If you need more room consider getting a booth at the exhibition.
- The posters are to be set up Thursday morning, May 18, 2006.
- During both lunch breaks someone must be present at the poster to interact with conference attendees. At other times this is also possible, putting a time schedule on the poster is recommended.

IMPORTANT DATES

Submission due: **February 26, 2006**

Notification to authors: **March 3, 2006**

Summary due: **April 3, 2006**

Event Organization: <sane2006-org@sane.nl>

- Wytze van der Raay, treasurer, Stichting NLnet, Amerongen, NL
- Mariëlle Klatten, conference organizer, ICONIQ, Baarn, NL

Complete program and registration information will be available in December 2005

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