EuroPLoP 2011
16th European Conference on Pattern Languages of Programs

July 13-17, 2011, Irsee Monastery, Bavaria, Germany

Call for papers

EuroPLoP™ is the premier European conference on patterns. The conference offers a variety of workshops that allow you to learn about patterns, to receive feedback on your own work, and to discuss with fellow pattern enthusiasts. It is a unique venue to exchange knowledge about best practices and learn from other experts. Join us for an experience that will combine outstanding technical events with a visit to the lovely Bavarian countryside.

The core of EuroPLoP is a series of writers' workshops where authors work together to improve their papers. Before patterns or other papers are accepted for a writers' workshop, they are shepherded. This means that an experienced author will discuss your submission with you, so that you can refine your paper prior to the conference. All submissions will be peer-reviewed.

Submissions

EuroPLoP accepts papers containing patterns or pattern languages as well as experience reports and papers related to the theory and use of patterns.

Proceedings will be published in the ACM Digital Library (approval pending).

Submissions should fall into one of the following categories:
- Pattern papers containing one or more patterns
- Papers on applying patterns in practice
- Focus group proposals (focus groups are free-format discussion groups or workshops)

First-time pattern authors are welcome to contact the conference chairs (see below) to receive an introductory information pack.

Important dates

- February 15, 2011: Paper submission deadline
- March 1, 2011: Start of shepherding
- May 7, 2011: Paper acceptance notification
- July 13-17, 2011: Conference

More information

Please contact the conference organizers, Paris Avgeriou (paris@cs.rug.nl) and Andreas Fiesser (patterns@fiesser.de), or visit: www.hillside.net/europlop.