



PyCon

Asia-Pacific

Singapore



Call for Papers

PyCon Asia Pacific 2010 represents a major development for the Python community in the Asia Pacific region. This inaugural PyCon conference will be held in Singapore from June 9th – 11th 2010. (<http://apac.pycon.org>)

"...Python development in the Asia Pacific region is proceeding rapidly... I would very much like to highlight the special nature of this conference.... I hope that my presence will help to further international cooperation on Python development"

Steven Holden, Chairman, Python Software Foundation
Keynote, PyCon Asia Pacific 2010

PyCon Asia Pacific 2010's invites proposals from the Python community to fill its formal presentation tracks.

Important Dates

- Call for Papers: **August 15, 2009**
- Deadline for Paper Submissions: **February 1, 2010**
- Notification of Paper Acceptance: **March 15, 2010**
- Conference Registration Open: **March 15, 2010**
- Submission of Camera-Ready Paper: **April 15, 2010**
- Conference Days: **June 10 - 11, 2010**
(preceded by tutorials on the **June 9, 2010**)

PyCon Topics

PyCon conferences worldwide have had a broad range of presentations, ranging from reports on academic and commercial projects to tutorials and case studies. As long as the presentation is interesting and potentially useful to the Python community, it will be considered for inclusion in the program. Suitable topics for PyCon Asia Pacific 2010 include, but are not limited to:

- Core Python and other implementations: IronPython, Jython, PyPy and Stackless.
- Python libraries and extensions
- Python in Education, Science and Math
- Business and Scientific Applications
- Databases
- Embedding and Extending Python
- Game Programming
- GUI Programming
- Network Programming
- Python in IT Security
- Open Source Python projects
- Packaging Issues
- Programming Tools
- Project Best Practices
- System Administration
- Web Programming (Django, Zope, TurboGears, WSGI)

Proposal Submission

The primary author should submit a proposal. This is to help us make arrangements for reviewers and draft the conference programme. The proposal must include the following:

- Talk title.
- Choice of one or more category tag.
- Level. Indicate the intended audience difficulty level i.e. beginner, intermediate or advanced.
- Summary (max 100 words) for the website.
- Description : Detailed outline for review; notes for reviewers and permission for your talk to be recorded.

If your proposal is accepted, you should thereafter include a :

- Companion paper (up to 30 pages) *OR*
 - Extended abstract (up to 3 pages) along with your presentation.
- Your proposal (and any questions) should be sent to conference@pugs.org.sg

Companion Paper

Extended Abstract Submission

All presenters should submit a paper by the deadline, with or without prior proposal submission. This submission is to be your full paper (companion paper or extended abstract), not a draft. It should contain all of the usual aspects of a paper such as an abstract, introduction, body and conclusion.

The paper will be peer-reviewed by the programme committee and a notice of paper acceptance with review comments will be sent to the author(s) on **March 15, 2010**.

Accepted papers can be amended by the author(s), taking into account of reviewers' comments and submit for publication by **April 15, 2010**.

- All papers will be published in The Python Papers Monograph series (www.pythonpapers.org). We suggest, but do not require, all authors to place their papers under the Creative Commons license.
- Please see <http://www.pythonpapers.org/instAuthor.html> for the preferred formats of submission.
- Please submit your papers at <http://ojs.pythonpapers.org/index.php/tppm/author>.

For more details, see <http://apac.pycon.org/conference>.

We are calling all Python user and developers, especially if you are in the Asia Pacific region, to support **PyCon Asia Pacific 2010**.