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Let's Do the Numbers

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- **Refereed Papers**
 - **Submitted: 38**
 - 4 withdrawn
 - **Accepted: 12**
 - 35%
- **Attendees: 815!**

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**At least
250 people
*(probably 300)***

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- **22 Program Committee**
- **23 Readers**
- **71 Authors**
- **36 Instructors**
- **14 Gurus**
- **17 Speakers**
 - plus 35 more we couldn't fit in the schedule
- **12 USENIX staff**
- **8 Board of Directors**
- **3 Miscellaneous**
- **14 Workshop leaders**
- **(12) Poster presenters**
- **(38) BoF hosts**
- **35 Vendors**

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- **Workshops**
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Best Paper

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Best Paper

**“Crossbow Virtual Wire:
Network in a Box”**

**Sunay Tripathi, Nicolas Droux,
Kais Belgaied, and Shrikrishna
Khare**

(Thursday, 2:00 p.m.)

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Best Student Paper

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Best Student Paper

**“Federated Access Control and
Workflow Enforcement in
Systems Configuration”**

**Bart Vanbrabant, Thomas
Delaet, Wouter Joosen**

(Friday, 11:00 a.m.)

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**For outstanding
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Instructions

- **Authors, Invited Talks Speakers**
 - Meet your session chair 30 minutes before your session in the front of the room
- **Birds of a Feather (BOFs)**
 - Tonight, tomorrow night
 - Sign up on the BoF boards in the registration area
 - Latest schedule: www.usenix.org/lisa09/bofs/ and BoF boards in the registration area

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Poster Sessions

- **Grand Ballroom Salon Foyer**
 - outside VI - X
- **Tonight, 6:30 – 7:30**
- **Tomorrow, 6:00 – 7:00**

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Vendor Exhibition

Wednesday, November 4, noon–7:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 5, 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Grand Ballroom Salons VI–X

Breaks in Exhibit Hall

Wednesday, November 4, 3:30 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 5, 10:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m.

Vendor Passports

iPod Touch Raffle Drawing

Thursday, November 5, 1:00 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Happy Hour

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Wednesday, November 4,

5:30 p.m.–7:00 p.m.



2009 SysAdmin of the Year Contest

- **Sponsored by BigFix**
- **More info: <http://www.bigfix.com/rockstar/>**
- **Winners announced during:**
 - **Exhibit Hall Happy Hour:** tonight, 5:30 p.m.–7:00 p.m., Grand Ballroom Salons VI–X
 - **BigFix SysAdmin of the Year Award Party:** tonight, 9:30 p.m.–11:30 p.m., Harborside Ballroom D & E

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Social Activities

- **Exhibit Hall Happy Hour**
 - Sponsored by BigFix
 - Tonight, 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
 - Grand Ballroom Salon VI - X

Social Activities

- **Conference Reception: Halloween II**
 - Costumes encouraged but optional
 - Prizes awarded for the best costumes
 - Tomorrow (Thursday), 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.,
Grand Ballroom Salons VI–X

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Social Activities

- **Trip to National the Cryptologic Museum**
 - Optional
 - Saturday, November 7, 10:00 am - 2:00pm
 - Pick up tickets by 5:00 TODAY!
 - At the registration desk
 - Want to go?
 - Waiting list, at registration desk

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Keynote Address

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Infrastructure as a
Service**

**Werner Vogels,
CTO, Amazon.com**

