

The 20th International Conference on Reliable Software Technologies – Ada-Europe 2015 will take place in Madrid, Spain. As per its traditional style, the conference will span a full week, including, from Tuesday to Thursday, three days of scientific, technical and industrial programs, along with tutorials and workshops on Monday and Friday.

The conference will be hosted by ETSIT-UPM, a leading engineering school covering teaching and research in all fields related to Information and Communications Technology, located in Ciudad Universitaria, the main University campus in Madrid near the area of Moncloa.

Overview of the week

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Tutorials & DeCPS Workshop	Keynote talk	Keynote talk	Keynote talk	Tutorials & ACVI Workshop
	Regular session Language technology	Industrial session Critical systems	Regular session Critical systems	
	Vendor session	Regular session Real-time applications	Industrial session Tools at work	
	Industrial session Ada applications	Special session Advances on methods	Regular session Multicore & distributed systems	
	Ada-Europe General Assembly Welcome cocktail	Conference banquet Best paper award Ada Lovelace Celebration	Best presentation award Closing session	

For full details and up-to-date information see the conference web site:

http://www.ada-europe.org/conference2015

Keynote talks

On the three central days of the conference week, a keynote will be delivered as the opening event to address hot topics of relevance in the conference scope. The keynote speakers include Jon Pérez, head of embedded systems research at IKERLAN, who will present his work on EC-61508 Certification of Mixed-Criticality Systems Based on Multicore and Partitioning; Javier Rodríguez, from Siemens Rail Automation, who will talk on his experience in Software Development of Safety-Critical Railway Systems; and Andras Balasz, to talk on The Central On-board Computer of the Philae Lander in the Context of the Rosetta Space Mission, based on his long experience in the Rosetta-Philae and other space projects.

Exhibition

From Tuesday until Thursday the coffee break area will feature exhibitor booths, project posters, reserved vendor tables, and general networking options. If interested, contact the exhibition chair (see website).

Tutorials

Monday 22 June

Morning	T1 - <i>J.P. Rosen</i> Access types and Memory Management in Ada 2012	T3 - B. Moore, S.Michell Parallelism in Ada, Today	T4 - F. Cazorla, T. Vardanega, J. Abella, M. Pearce Probabilistic Timing Analysis
Afternoon	T2 - <i>J.P. Rosen</i> Designing and Checking Coding Standards for Ada	and Tomorrow	

Friday 26 June

Morning	T5 - <i>J. Sparre-Andersen</i> Ada 2012 (Sub)Types and Subprogram Contracts in Practice	T7 - W. Bail Software Measures for Dependable Software Systems	T9 - <i>P. Rogers</i> Real-Time/Embedded Programming with Ada 2012
Afternoon	T6- E. Briot, B. Brosgol When Ada Meets Python: Extensibility through Scripting	T8- <i>W. Bail</i> Software Design Concepts and Pitfalls	

Workshops

Two major workshops are taking place in connection with the conference.

- Monday 22 June: Challenges and new Approaches for Dependable and Cyber-Physical Systems Engineering.
- Friday 26 June: Architecture Centric Virtual Integration.

Social program

A welcome cocktail will be served at the conference location on Tuesday evening, followed by a bus transport to central Madrid. The participants will then be let free to have dinner in the city, where there are plenty of tapas bars and traditional restaurants within reach.

The conference banquet will take place on Wednesday evening at Club de Campo Villa de Madrid, a country club located at the outskirts of the city, with magnificent views. Superb dinner will be served, and we will give the award for best paper as usual.

Further information

The conference web site gives full and up to date details of the program and the venue, including travel advice, maps and hotels close by. A limited number of rooms have been blocked for the conference in the Exe Moncloa hotel in Moncloa, but please be prompt in booking your accommodation since the demand is high in Madrid for the conference dates. Online registration is open, with reduced fees until June 7.

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