

SC17 Birds of a Feather on Software Engineering and Reuse in Computational Science and Engineering

Organizers

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Motivation and Goals

- Software developers, researchers, trainers, and outreach staff will meet to **raise awareness of the challenges and opportunities for developing and promoting software engineering practices, including the development of reusable software** to enhance the computational science and engineering ecosystem for HPC systems to accelerate the “time to science”.
- The BoF attendees will help **develop an international “community of practice”** to share experiences in developing quality software, gathering community feedback, addressing interoperability, and promoting software to applications developers and users.
- We will identify strategies for ongoing efforts to inform, engage, and benefit the community and thereby advance the HPC software ecosystem.

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Agenda

| Time | Topic | Speaker/Moderator |
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| 3 min | BOF Introduction | David E. Bernholdt |
| 10 min | Building Portable Software: Finding a Middle Ground | William Gropp |
| 24 min | Lightning Talks (8) | various |
| 58 min | General Discussion | Scott Lathrop, audience |
| 10 min | Wrap-Up and Next Steps | Scott Lathrop, audience |

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Lightning Talks

| | Topic | Speaker | Affiliation |
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| 1 | Better Scientific Software | Lois Curfman McInnes | Argonne National Laboratory |
| 2 | NumFOCUS & Sustainable Software | Daniel S. Katz | University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign |
| 3 | Technical Consortium on High Performance Computing: Software Engineering Initiative (TCHPC/SE) | George K. Thiruvathukal | Loyola University of Chicago |
| 4 | Software Engineering Practices Three basics & One future wish | Catherine Jones | STFC Rutherford Appleton Laboratory |
| 5 | ESIP Software Sustainability Guidelines: A Big Tent Approach | Soren Scott | The Ronin Institute |
| 6 | Software Engineering Initiative of DLR | Andreas Schreiber | German Aerospace Center (DLR) |
| 7 | Commercial Software, aka <u>Ultimate</u> Software Reuse | Dave Pearah | The HDF Group |
| 8 | Promoting Reusable Software: Webinars and Publications | Scott Lathrop | NCSA, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign |

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