

SC18 Birds of a Feather on Software Engineering and Reuse in Computational Science and Engineering

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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
3 min	BOF Introduction	David E. Bernholdt
18 min	Lightning Talks (6)	various
59 min	General Discussion	Daniel S. Katz, audience
10 min	Wrap-Up and Next Steps	Daniel S. Katz, audience

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Lightning Talks

	Topic	Speaker	Affiliation
1	Promoting Research Software: Call to Action	Catherine Jones	Science and Technology Research Council
2	Conceptualizing a US Research Software Sustainability Institute (URSSI)	Daniel S. Katz	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
3	HPC Carpentry: open source, hands-on HPC training	Andy Turner	EPCC, The University of Edinburgh
4	Building an Open Platform for Sustaining Data Science Innovation	Andy R. Terrell	NumFOCUS
5	An RSE from UK	Mozghan Kabiri Chimeh	University of Sheffield
6	Update: Better Scientific Software (bssw.io)	David E. Bernholdt	Oak Ridge National Laboratory

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