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Call for Tutorials

Prospective tutorial instructors are invited to submit proposals for COMPSAC 2006. Similar to previous COMPSAC meetings, tutorials at COMPSAC 2006 will run in parallel with other conference sessions for either a half day or a full day. Proposals on contemporary topics and recent developments in the field of computer software and applications are especially welcome. The deadline for proposal submission is *March 15, 2006*. Follow the format below for submitting tutorial proposals. Tutorial proposals will be reviewed by the Program Committee of COMPSAC 2006; proponents will be notified whether their proposals are accepted for inclusion in COMPSAC 2006 by *May 1, 2006*. Instructors of accepted tutorials will receive free registration to COMPSAC 2006 and an honorarium to be included in the contract to be signed by the accepted tutorial speakers.

FORMAT OF TUTORIAL PROPOSALS

Tutorial proposals should include the following information:
1. **Tutorial title.** The title will appear in the conference program if the proposal is accepted.
2. **Proponent information.** This is the instructor's name, telephone number and address.
3. **Email contact.** This is the email address for correspondence with the tutorial proponent.
4. **Instructor bio-sketch.** The bio-sketch should be 250 words to 500 words in length.
5. **Tutorial abstract.** This abstract will be used to advertise the proposal, for instance, on the conference's web site prior to the conference. The abstract should be 250-word long at most.
6. **Tutorial outline.** The topics covered in the tutorial will be listed and briefly discussed in the outline, along with the amount time planned for each topic. Half-day tutorials will run for a total of about 3 hours; full day tutorials will run for about 6 hours.
7. **Tutorial goals.** This is a one-page discussion of the tutorial's goals and benefits to prospective participants.

IMPORTANT DATES

◆ **March 15, 2006:** Tutorial proposals due.
◆ **May 1, 2006:** Notification of acceptance.
◆ **June 16, 2006:** Full set of slides for accepted tutorials due to conference organizers.

HOW TO SUBMIT

Submit proposals electronically to Ugo Buy, Tutorial Chair, COMPSAC 2006: buy@cs.uic.edu.
A tutorial proposal must be a single-file email attachment, either in PDF or MS Word format.