## WWW 2006 - Wednesday, 24th May

# Opening Ceremony Technical Conference, Plenary Session

David De Roure (General Co-Chair)

**Wendy Hall (Executive Director)** 

**Charles Hughes (President BCS)** 

John White (Chief Executive ACM)

Carole Goble (Programme Co-chair)

Mike Dahlin (Programme Co-chair)

#### Edinburgh Scotland

22nd to 26th May 2006





## Refereed Papers

Programme Committee Chairs

Carole Goble, The University of Manchester, UK

Mike Dahlin, University of Texas at Austin, USA



### The committee clan

Pervasive & Mobility

Developing Regions

E\*

**Applications** 

UI & Browsers

Hypermedia & Multimedia

Semantic

Web

Data Mining Security

Search

XML & Web Services

Performance, Reliability & Scalability

Industrial
Practice &
Experience

Web Engineering

Venkat Padmanabhan



Jason Nieh

Yoelle Maarek



Krishna Bharat

Ramakrishnan Srikant



Soumen Chakrabarti

Michael Rabinovich

Jeffrey S. Chase



Krithi Ramamrithram

Lloyd Rutledge



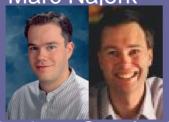


Wei-Ying Ma



Angelos Keromytis





Andrew Stanford-Clark

Mark Manasse

Wolfgang Neidl

Bertram Ludaescher

Frank van Harmelen



Mike Uschold









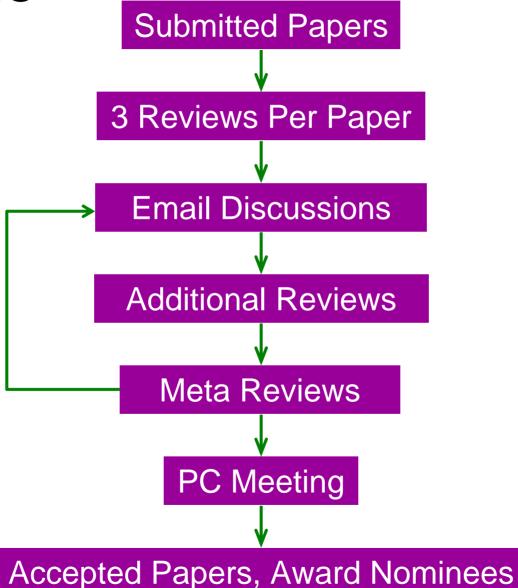
Santosh Shrivastava



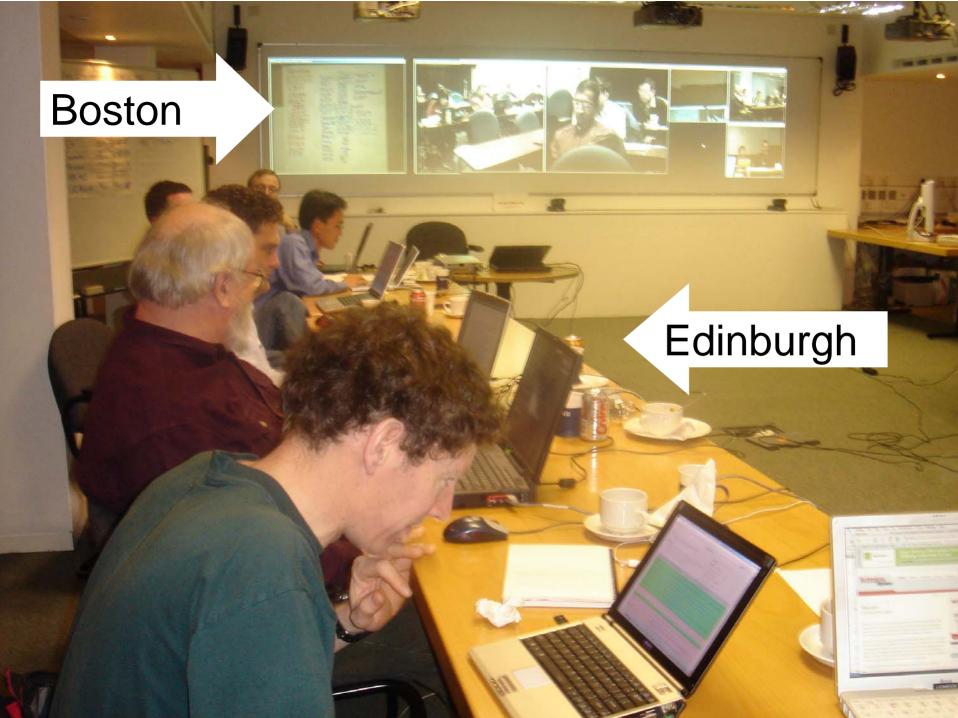
**David Lowe** 

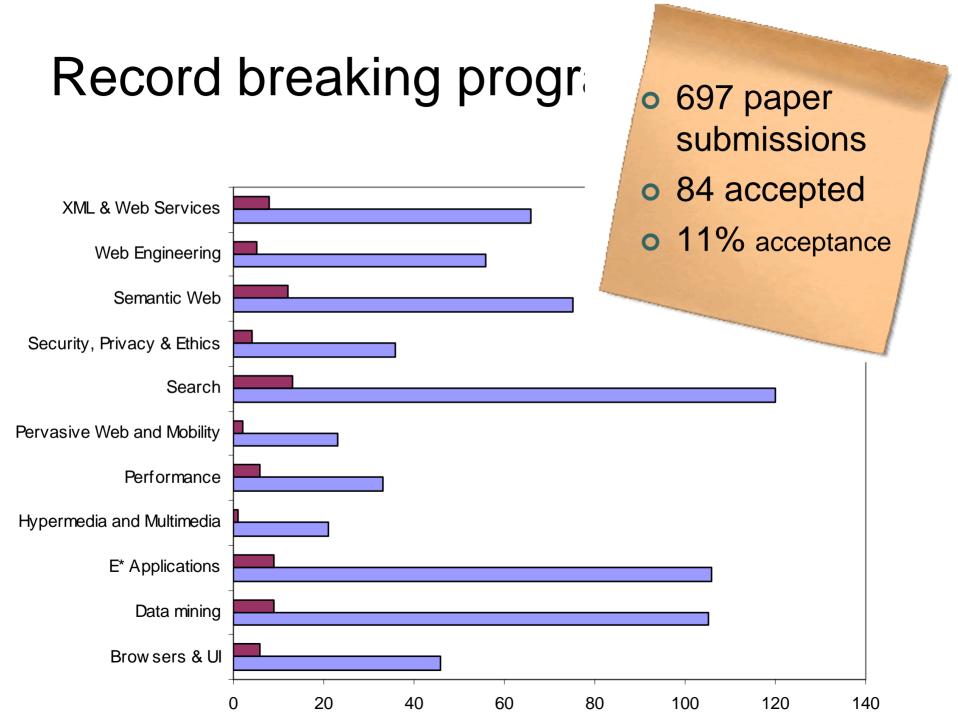


#### **Process**









# Beyond the bleeding edge?

Position papers
45 submitted,6 accepted



#### McBlare: A Robotic Bagpipe Player

Roger B. Dannenberg, Ben Brown, Garth Zeglin, and Ron Lupish
Carnegie Mellon University
School of Computer Science
Pittsburgh, PA 15213 USA
+1-412-268-3827

{rbd, hbb, garthz}@cs.cmu.edu

http://www.cs.cmu.edu/~music/mcblare/

## **Best Paper Nominees**



- Yossef and Gurevich
  - Random Sampling from a Search Engine's Index
- Aleman-Meza, Nagarajan, Ramakrishnan, Ding, Kolari
  - Semantic Analytics on Social Networks:
     Experiences in Addressing the Problem of Conflict of Interest Detection
  - Kostoulas, Matsa, Mendelsohn, Perkins, and Heifets
    - XML Screamer: An Integrated Approach to High-Performance XML Parsing, Validation, and Deserialization
- Sun, Mahumud, Mukherjee, Ramakrishnan
  - Model-Directed Web Transactions Under Constrained Modalities
- Dubinko, Kumar, Magnani, Novak, Raghavan
  - Visualizing Tags Over Time

## Best Student Paper Nominees



- Weinrich, Obendorf, Herder, and Mayer
  - Off the Beaten Tracks: Exploring Three Aspects of Web Navigation
- Feng, Heffernan and Koedinger
  - Addressing the Testing Challenges with a Web-Based E-Assessment System that Tutors as it Assesses
- Jun and Ahmad
  - FeedEx: Collaborative Exchange of News Feeds
- Oldham, Verma, and Sheth
  - Semantic WS-Agreement Partner Selection
- Zhang and Dyreson
  - Symmetrically Exploiting XML

## Trend spotting

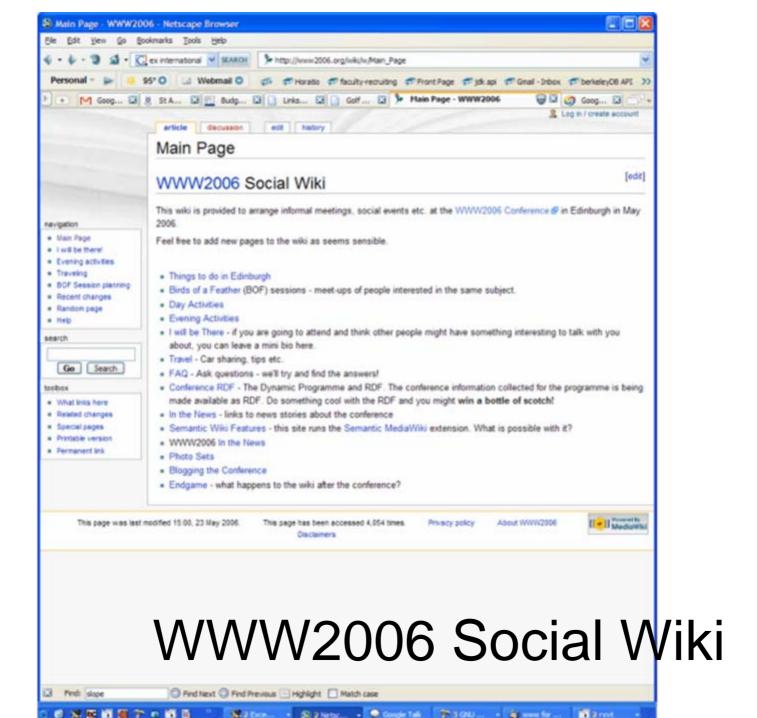
#### Web for People

- Contacts: social networks
- Developing regions: Web for all
- Pervasive: Web where you are
- Link spam defence: trusted Web
- Security: a safe Web

#### People Powered Web

- Content: social tagging
- Search: use user behaviour





## Joined up thinking!



#### Daily Schedule:

Invited	Panels	Refereed Papers	Tutorials	W3C	Developer
Invited	Panels	Refereed Papers	Tutorials	W3C	Developer
Invited	Panels	Refereed Papers	Tutorials	W3C	Developer

Posters (Strathblane Hall)

Social Event/Closing Ceremony



### Thanks to:

- Workshops & Tutorials
  - Robin Chen, Ian Horrocks, Irwin King
- Panels
  - Marti Hearst, Prabhakar Raghavan
- Posters
  - Bebo White, Weisong Shi
- Developers Day
  - Jeremy Carroll, Mark Baker, Stuart Williams
- Local Chairs
  - Wendy Hall, John Darlington, Joyce Lewis, Simon Harper, Sean Bechhofer
- General Chairs
  - Les Carr, Arun Iyengar, David De Roure



## Special Thanks To

- Our authors
- And our delegates!

céad mîle fáilte