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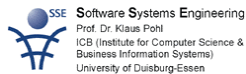
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With SPLC 2005 we celebrate the formation of a new conference series, the International Software Product Line Conference (SPLC), which results from the merger of the former SPLC (Software Product Line Conference) started in 2000 in the USA, and PFE (Product Family Engineering), which was began in 1996 in Europe.

SPLC is now *THE premier forum* for the growing community of software product line practitioners, researchers, and educators. SPLC offers a unique opportunity to present and discuss the most recent experiences, ideas, innovations, trends, and concerns in the area of *software product line engineering* and to build an international network of product line champions. From 2005 on, SPLC will be held yearly in Europe, America, or Asia.

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SPLC 2005 is proud to feature two keynote speakers who have vast experience both in industry and in academia:

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Technical Program: Tuesday - Thursday

The technical program also includes

- 17 full and 3 short **research papers** in areas such as feature modeling, re-engineering, strategies, validation, scoping and architecture and product derivation

- eight **experience reports** describing commercial application of product line practices

- **tool demonstrations**

- two **panels** focused on special topics in product line practice and product line research

- a **Product Line Hall of Fame** session that continues the SPLC tradition in a slightly revised format

The technical program is preceded by a full day that showcases ten outstanding tutorials and five workshops.

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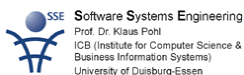Netherlands
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Workshops: Monday

1. Second International Workshop on Quality Assurance in Reuse Contexts (QUARC 2005)
2. Workshop on Model transformations
3. SPLiT - Software Product Line Testing
4. Second Software Product Lines Young Researcher Workshop (SPLYR)
5. Workshop on Aspects and Software Product Lines: Early Aspects at SPLC-Europe 2005

Half-Day Tutorials: Monday

1. Building Product Populations with Koala
2. Creating Reusable Test Assets in a Software Product Line
3. New Methods Behind the New Generation of Software Product Line Success Stories
4. Variability Management
5. Family Maturity Framework
6. Transforming Legacy Systems into Software Product Lines
7. Quality Driven Family Architecture Development
8. Domain-Specific Modelling and Code Generation for Product Families
9. Introduction to Software Product Lines
10. Introduction to Software Product Line Adoption

Registration

Registration open: June 8, 2005
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