



The 2002 Open Cluster Group Conference

June 24-25, 2002

Montreal, Quebec, Canada

Ericsson Research Canada will be hosting the annual Open Cluster Group Conference on June 24 and 25, 2002, in Montreal, Canada.

This brochure provides basic information needed to reserve a hotel room and transportation as summer is a very busy season in Montreal and early reservations are necessary. A later brochure will be distributed which will include information about the conference’s agenda, people invited, Internet connection, social event and other items.

LOCATION

- Address:** Ericsson Canada Inc.
8500 Decarie Blvd.
Town of Mount Royal, Quebec H4P 2N2
- Contact person:** Ann Myrand – Telephone: 1-514-345-7900 (ext. 2052) Fax: 1-514-345-6105
- Conference Room:** The meetings will be held in the “*Pays-Bas and Porto-Rico Conference Rooms*” (8th Floor)

HOTEL INFORMATION - MONTREAL

Due to having two major congresses in Montreal at the same time as the Open Cluster Group meetings, we were able to reserve special rates for the conference with only two hotels. It is highly recommended that you book your hotel **as soon as possible**.

Below you will find the coordinates of the two hotels. When making the reservations, please mention that you would like to get the “Ericsson Rate” or the “Open Cluster Conference rate”. These special rates will only be available until **May 9, 2002**. We highly recommend the Hotel Du Fort Hotel for your stay in Montreal since it is downtown or if you prefer to be closer to the Ericsson site, then we would suggest Ruby Foo’s since it is across the street.

Choice #1:

The hotel is located in downtown Montreal.

- Hotel Du Fort**
1390 Du Fort Street
Montreal, Quebec
- Telephone: 1-514-938-8333 or toll free (1-800-565-6333)
- Cost: \$145.00 CA/night including breakfast

Choice #2:

The hotel is located across the street from the Ericsson Location and it is 10 minutes away by car from downtown Montreal.

- Hotel Ruby Foo’s**
7655 Decarie Boulevard
Town of Mount Royal, Quebec
- Telephone: 1-514-731-7701
- Cost: \$99.00 CA/night

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

To get to the Ericsson location at 8500 Decarie coming from downtown, you can either use the Metro service (underground train, \$2 CA) or take a taxi (around \$15 CA).

If you decide to use the Metro service, please follow these directions:

Go down to your nearest metro station. Take metro direction *Angrignon* on the Green Line. Get off at the *Lionel Groulx* station and transfer to the Orange line by taking the metro going towards *Cote Vertu*. Get off at the *De La Savanne* station. Exit the station through the only exit available, which takes you to Decarie Street. You will see the Ericsson building exactly across the high way. To reach it, go left to corner of *De La Savanne* and cross to the other side of highway.

The Ericsson building at 8500 Decarie Blvd. will be on your right (you will pass three other Ericsson buildings before you reach it).

You can familiarize yourself with the metro map in Montreal by checking the following web site: <http://www.stcum.qc.ca>.

TRANSPORTATION TO OTTAWA

Since most of the attendees will attend the Ottawa Linux Symposium (June 26-29), we have included some information on how to go from Montreal to Ottawa. The trip is about one hour and a half if you decide to rent a car. If you decide to take the bus or the train, please see below.

For train tickets from Montreal to Ottawa:

Call *Via Rail* at: 1-888-842-7245 Web at: www.viarail.com

Suggested train: June 25, 2002 – time 18:00 – train #39 – class VIA1 – cost <\$100 Canadian

For bus service from Montreal to Ottawa:

Call *Voyageur* at: 1-514-842-2281 or 1-800-668-4438

INTERNET CONNECTION

We configured a DHCP server to provide you a connection to the Internet through Ca*net-3 (extension of Internet-2 in Canada). Your laptops will be connected directly to Ca*net-3 with no security (firewall) provided by us. Please bring with you Ethernet cables as we might not have cables for everyone.

CATERING

Since June 24 is a Quebec holiday, we will provide catering service at the conference room. As for June 25, the attendees will be offered lunch at the Ericsson cafeteria. Coffee breaks will include small snacks, juice, ...

SECURITY PASSES

We arranged security pass for attendees who confirmed their attendance.

SOCIAL EVENT

Ericsson invites the *members* of the Open Cluster Group to “Le Milsa”, a Brazilian restaurant in downtown Montreal. The address is 1445 Bishop Street. We will meet at the restaurant at 6:30.

AGENDA

June 24

08:30 – 08:50	Arrive for security check-in	Ann Myrand will be waiting for you at reception.
08:50 – 09:00	Transit to meeting location	
09:00 – 09:30	Ibrahim Haddad	Welcome & local agenda
09:30 – 10:00	Rich Ferri	State of the 1.x release
10:00 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 11:00	Stephen Scott	State of OSCAR
11:00 – 11:30	Michael C-S / Sean Dague	SIS functionality outside the scope of OSCAR
11:30 – 12:00	Brian Luethke	C3 v3.1 new features
12:00 – 12:30	Lunch and individual discussion time	
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13:30 – 14:00	Steven DuChene	Ganglia
14:30 – 15:00	Thomas Naughton	Combining C3 and Ganglia
15:00 – 15:30	Break	
15:30 – 16:00	Alain Veilleux	Presentation of the CCS at Sherbrooke University
16:00 – 16:30	Carol Gauthier.	Mydynaweb. Web interface for OSCAR
16:30 – 17:00	Tim Mattson	topic???
17:00 – 17:10	Ibrahim Haddad	Day one closing remarks and announcements
18:30 – 22:00	Social Event	Dinner

June 25

08:40 – 09:00	Arrive for security check-in	Ann Myrand will be waiting for you at reception.
09:00 – 09:30	Denis Monette	Welcome / Ericsson Research
09:30 – 10:00	Ibrahim Haddad	Ericsson potential contributions to OCG
10:00 – 10:30	Break	
10:30 – 11:00	Frederic Rossi	Asynchronous event mechanism on Linux
11:00 – 11:30	Michel Barette	Diskless Linux Clusters at Sherbrooke University
11:30 – 12:00	Benoit des Ligneris	OSCAR diskless – Ideas of implementation
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13:30 – 14:00	Makan Pourzandi	Distributed Security Infrastructure
14:00 – 14:30	Miroslaw Zakrzewsk	Cluster Access Control – with demo
14:30 – 15:00	Charles Levert	Distributed Security Policy
15:00 – 15:30	Break	
15:30 – 16:00	Marc Chatel and Bruno Hivert	Ericsson Research Lab visit
16:00 – 16:30	Open discussion and prepare for departure	
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17:00	Leave Ericsson to train station	
18:00	Departure to Ottawa	