Welcome to WebApps’11

Armando Fox, UC Berkeley
(Program Chair)
WebApps Conference Goals

• Showcase most interesting new research in
  – Web applications
  – technologies to support Web applications
  – both client and server side work

• Bring together academics and industry/R&D practitioners working in these areas
  – Program committee: 5 academics, 3 industrial researchers, 5 from Web 2.0 companies

• Launched just last year
Stats

• 29 submissions, 12 in proceedings = 41%
  – 9 from academia
  – 2 joint industry/academic authors
  – 1 industry-only authors (3 authors from 3 different companies!)

• Geographic distribution
  – 8 from U.S. institutions
  – 2 from European institutions
  – 1 collaboration between Asian/European institutions
Topical Overview

• Server-side security
• Client-side security & extensibility
• Researcher’s workbench
• Lessons & experience from application deployment
WebApps Help Humanity

- Matthew Faulkner & Michael Olson, Caltech
- Mobile+Cloud apps for earthquake detection & rural healthcare
- **Today** at 4:45 PM (joint with USENIX ATC)
Dead Media

- Finn Brunton, NYU
- What can “dead” media formats tell us about the future of technological communication?
- **Tomorrow** at 9 AM
Panel on Client-Side Web App Architecture

Patrick Chanezon, Google

Raffi Krikorian, Twitter

Erik Meijer, Microsoft

Charles Ying, Flipboard
Poster Session

• Joint session with USENIX ATC
• Posters from additional WebApps submissions and USENIX ATC authors
• Hors d’oeuvres and happy hour

**Today** 6:30 PM
Kent Beck

- Inventor of Extreme Programming (XP)
- Creator of Test-Driven Development (TDD) and JUnit
- Speaking tomorrow 3pm: “Software G-Forces”
Thanks: Program Committee

Adam Barth, Google
Abdur Chowdhury, Twitter
Armando Fox, UC Berkeley
Jon Howell, Microsoft
Collin Jackson, CMU Silicon Valley
Bobby Johnson, Facebook
Emre Kıcıman, Microsoft Research
Owen O’Malley, Yahoo! Research
John Ousterhout, Stanford University
Michael E. “Max” Maximilien, IBM Research
Swami Sivasubramanian, Amazon Web Services
Geoffrey M. Voelker, UCSD
Nickolai Zeldovich, MIT
Thanks: Corporate Sponsors

Google

Facebook
And Thank You!

- Authors who submitted papers
- Presenters and participants today
- Guest speakers