BSDCan 2019

Who does hex anyway?

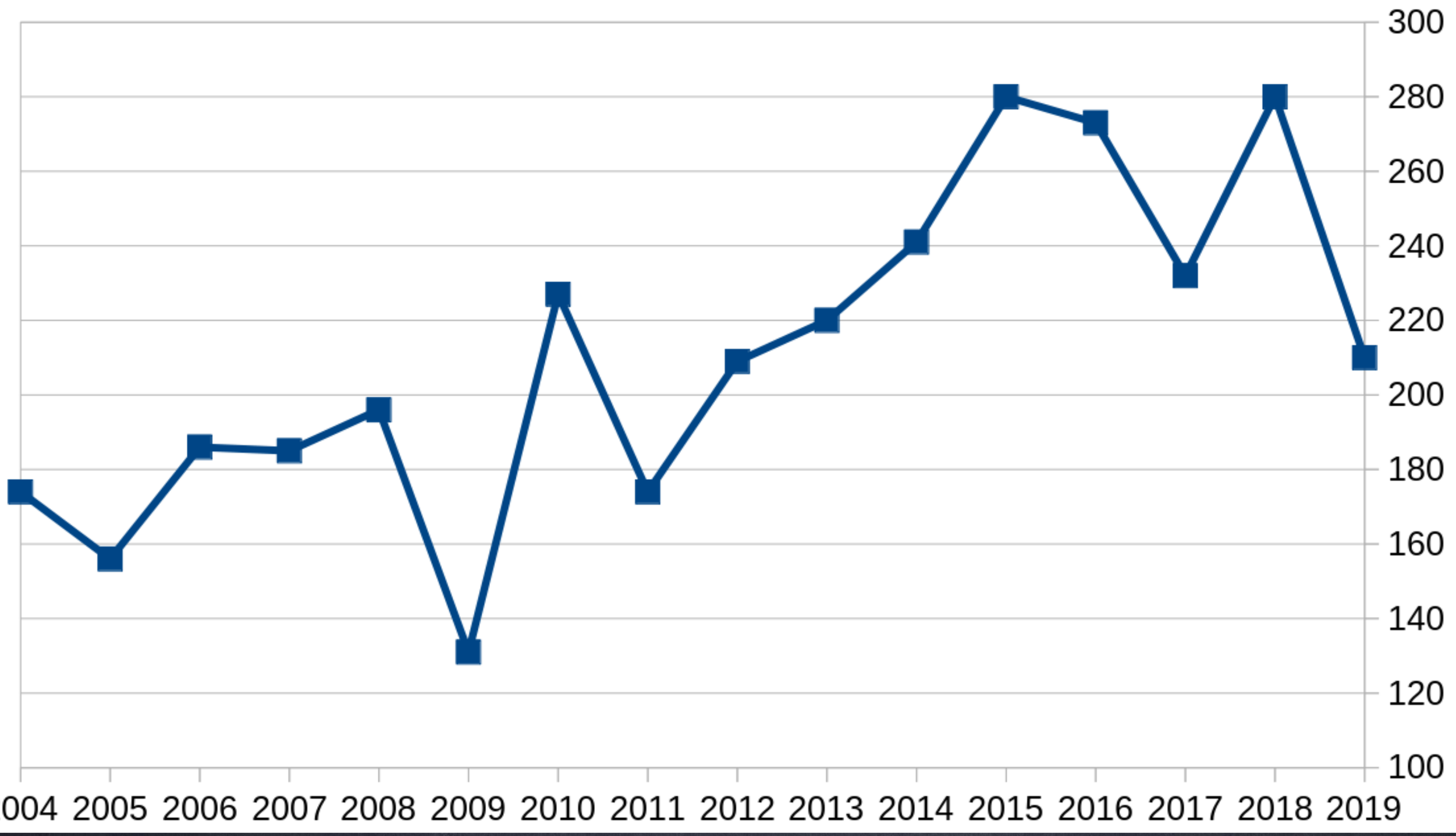
"This is why I'm here. So many smart people in one place." - Dan Langille, BSDCan 2016

About this session

- a few points
- then the auction
- then social
- lots of space to spread out

not Record attendance

- Current record: 280 in 2015 & again in 2019
- This year: 215 : down by 23%
- very high rate of payment/badge pickup
- Victoria Day long weekend?
- PGCon 2019 is also down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- exam writing / reviewing
- evaluation of questions
- learning materials
- blog/article writing
- THIS IS PAID WORK
- If interested, please email: community@lpi.org

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Volunteers

- Dru Lavigne & Warren Block - registration desk
- Adam Thompson - hotel coordinator & website updates
- Jennifer Russell - speaker liaison
- box carriers, etc

Thank you

- Elizabeth Lucas for taking the lead on non-conference activities

Thank you

- Patrick McEvoy
- Andrew Fengler
- all courtesy of SCALE ENGINE

Rant time

- Video and streaming are free
- volunteer effort
- fantastic results
- you're getting way more than you paid for
- priority is, always has been, and always will be: the people *at* the conference

Program Committee

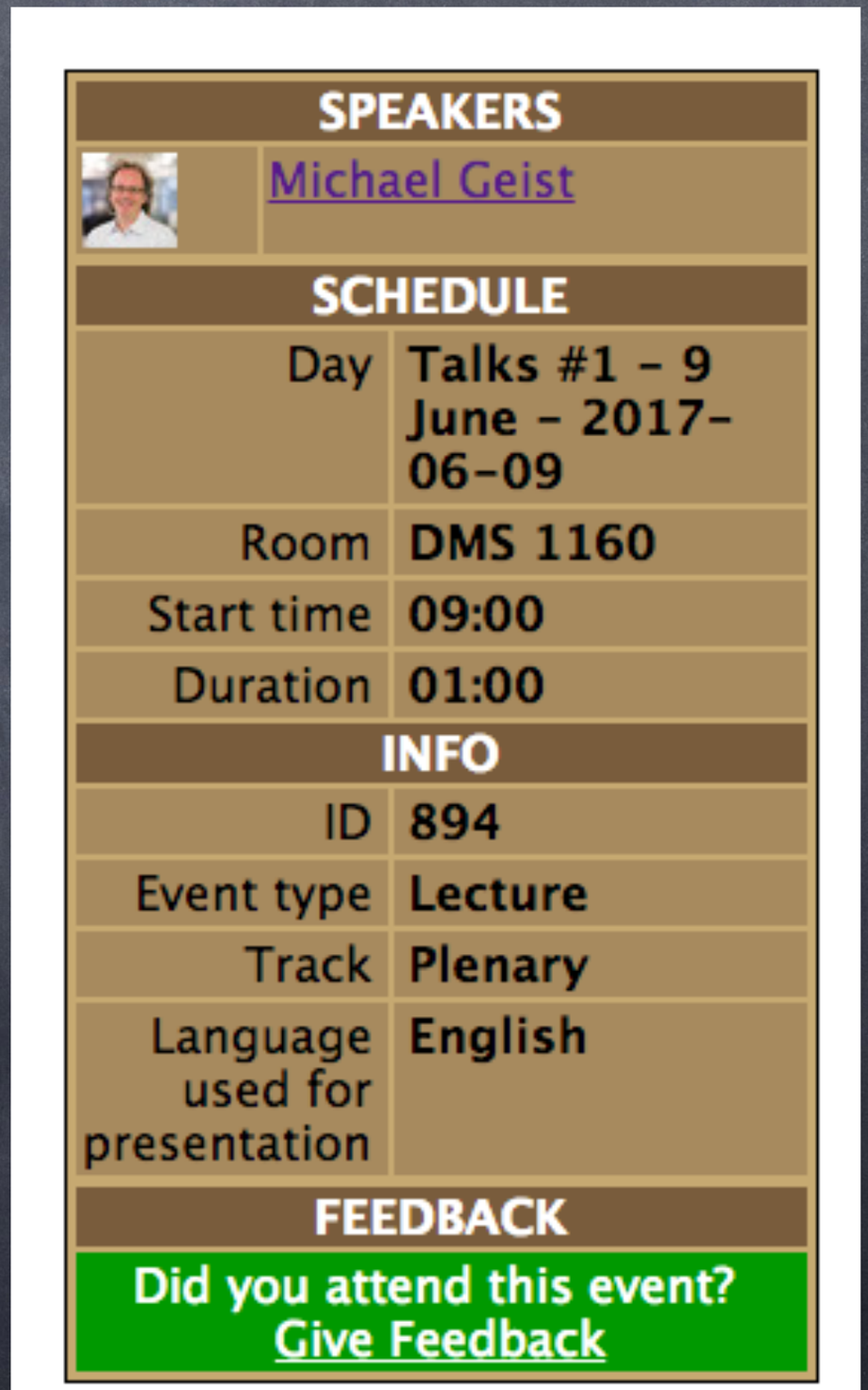
- Peter Hansteen - close friend of OpenBSD Project
- Greg Lehey - LEMIS Pty Ltd.
- Michael W. Lucas - Consultant and BSD Author
- David Maxwell - NetBSD Project
- George Neville-Neil - FreeBSD Project

Where did you stay?

- See the survey sent via email

Feedback

- Find the talk in the schedule
- Give feedback please



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- Groff Origins: https://twitter.com/dlangille/status/462732293686452224

EuroBSDCon 2019

- CFP deadline May 26 - one week-ish
- Lillehammer, Norway
- https://2019.eurobsdcon.org/

AsiaBSDCon 2020

- The 15th annual
- Tokyo
- March 19-22, 2020
- AsiaBSDCon 2021 will be in Taiwan

Auction

The Pen

- This pen was sister to the pens first handed out by Michael W Lucas for free at BSDCan 2013. Lucas offered this pen for the auction, and was purchased after a fierce battle for CA$80.
- Kirk McKusick also used the pen to sign the "Design and Implementation of BSD" book sold at the auction.
- This pen was brought back to BSDCan 2017, and was won by the same person for CA$40.
- In early 2017, it was the star of the best-seller "Git Commit Murder", which is clearly not about the BSDCan conference.
- Bid Early, Bid Often!

The $20 bill

- Found during BSDCan 2018
- Sold for $25

Henning Brauer

- photos

Closing social event

- The Sens House (73 York Street) from 18:30
- BIG place, different management, different food
- no music, quiet, can talk
- lots of food, lots of space to spread out
- badge required!
- first 2 drinks included; soft drinks are free

BSDCan 2020: June 2-6

Good bye & safe travels!