

Program Committee Update

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Disclaimers

- All opinions expressed are my own.
- All errors are also mine.
- The program is the result of hard work by the entire PC.

NANOG 34 Program

- 29 submissions
 - 21 general session
 - 3 rejected
 - 1 withdrawn
 - 4 tutorials
 - 4 BOFs
- 21 on time, 8 after deadline

Areas for Improvement

- Schedule time for second round
 - Conditional acceptances
 - Late submissions
- More automation
 - Self-service submission on the web
 - Upload area for slides
 - Reminders

Program Survey

- March 2005
- Questions about format and content of NANOG programs
- 85 responses

Survey Results

- 70% support multiple tracks
 - Preference for two parallel tracks
 - Suggested track topics varied widely
 - 55% would attend an intro track
- Topic ratings:
 - New technologies (2.1)
 - VoIP (2.2)
 - Access provider networking (2.3)
 - Content provider networking (2.4)
 - Business/economic issues (2.4)

Survey Demographics

- Location
 - Canada 8% (7)
 - United States 80% (68)
 - Mexico 0% (0)
- Attendance
 - 3 per year 22% (19)
 - 1-2 per year 48% (41)

More Demographics

- Job function:
 - Engineering 51.8% (44)
 - Operations 16.5% (14)
 - Manager 12.9% (11)
 - Executive 4.7% (4)

More Survey Info

- Many good individual comments
- Results at:
<http://www.nanogpc.org/public/pcsurvey.html>