

# 2011 Tutorial Track Agenda

Monday, May 23, 2011

Chair: Sean Roberts, Yahoo!

Meeting is Located in Onyx

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

**Breakfast**  
Located in Ballroom Foyer

7:30 AM – 5:30 PM

**Registration/Hospitality Desk**  
Located in Ballroom Foyer

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM

**Welcome and Introduction** – Session Chair: *Sean Roberts, Yahoo!*

9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

**Morning Session on Cloud Storage** – *Geoff Arnold, Yahoo!; Joshua McKenty, Piston Cloud Computing Inc; Patrick Quaid, Yahoo!*

Discussion about cloud storage @ Internet and Media companies

In this session we will review the current state of cloud storage and where cloud storage is going in the future. We will answer questions like why does cloud services matter, given the current available options, where to start, and how does IaaS compare to cloud services. This information should be interesting to anyone that is involved in massive distributed systems

10:30 AM – 11:00 AM

**AM Break**  
Located in Onyx Foyer

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**Continue Morning Session on Cloud Storage**

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

**Lunch**  
Located in Central City

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**Afternoon Session on Storage Infrastructure** – *Chris King, LinkedIn; Sean Roberts, Yahoo!*

Discussion about Storage Infrastructure @ Internet and Media companies

In this session, we will review the biggest problems with implementation and the principles behind design. We will answer questions like what does it take to maintain large numbers of storage devices, what kind of problems are there in maintaining exabytes of data and billions of files, and how does this interest a local lab that is not global. This information should be interesting to anyone that is involved in architecture and operations of massive storage systems.

3:00 PM - 3:30 PM

**PM Break**  
Located in Onyx Foyer

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM

**Open Discussion on Tutorial Topics** –  
*Geoff Arnold, Yahoo!; Joshua McKenty, Piston Cloud Computing Inc; Patrick Quaid, Yahoo!; Chris King, LinkedIn; Sean Roberts, Yahoo!*

6:00PM – 8:00 PM

**Welcome Reception**  
Located in Ellyngton's