



On November 11, 12 and 13, XXP, the Belgian-Dutch Xbase usergroup, wil organise the 2015 European DevCon. The organising committee hereby publishes a

## Call for papers.

The European DevCon will provide an excellent international forum for sharing knowledge and results in programming using the Xbase platform. The aim of the conference is to provide experienced, less experienced as well as new software developers inspiration for new techniques that they can use and products that they can make as well as the necessary technical information to do so.

Authors are solicited to contribute to the conference by submitting articles that illustrate their projects, programming techniques, tools and products in the following areas :

- All hands-on experience in working with Xbase 2.0
- All experience in combining Xbase with other development tools and ICT technology
- All internet communication techniques
- Combining Xbase with website development and apps development
- Presentations on inspiring products made using Xbase, pure or combined with other tools

The organising committee is of course ready to consider any proposal that is outside the above categories.

The sessions for presenting the contributions will take one hour each, including a 15 minute questions-period. As a result the conference can offer more sessions than usual, and preparation for a session will be less of a burden to speakers. Also, the one hour presentations will be to the point and concise.

Authors are requested to send a description of their proposed presentation to the organising committee. The submission deadline is May 15. Each presentation will, at conference time, be documented (Powerpoint, PDF, code snippets etc) in such a way that the audience can use it for reference.

Speakers at the DevCon will receive compensation for transport and will participate in the conference free of charge.

In addition to the day-sessions there is a possibility for presenting contributions in the evening. An evening session wil normally be even shorter, they are planned to last a maximum of 45 minutes.

An evening session may be :

- a product presentation
- an extended questions-time of a day-presentation
- a hands-on session in which a particular problem is discussed among developers

Any speaker or conference participant can send the organising committee a request for holding an evening session, these will then be included in the conference schedule. Evening sessions may also be organised ad hoc at the conference, if a conference room is available.