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3rd Workshop on Extreme-Scale Programming Tools

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- **Mission**: Improve the quality and accelerate the development process of complex simulation codes running on highly-parallel computer systems
- Start-up funding (2006-2011) by Helmholtz Association of German Research Centres
- Activities
 - Development and integration of HPC programming tools
 - diagnose programming errors and optimization opportunities
 - Training & support to apply tools
 - Academic workshops to exchange ideas and to promote young scientists

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- SILC (BMBF, 2009-2011)
- PRIMA (DOE, 2009-2012)
- TEXT (EU-FP7, 2010-2012)
- H4H (ITEA-2, 2010-2013)
- HOPSA (EU-FP7, 2011-2012)
- Mont-Blanc (EU-FP7, 2011-2016)
- DEEP (EU-FP7, 2011-2015)
- ECS (G8, 2011-2014)
- LMAC (BMBF, 2011-2014)
- Catwalk (DFG, 2013-2015)
- Score-E (BMBF, 2014-2016)
- PRIMA-X (DOE, 2014-2016)

Tools and their integration

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Tools Guide



- Brief tools overviews
 - capabilities
 - support for systems, programming models and languages
- To assist with selection of best-suited tools



Training



- Tuning workshops
 - 3-5 days with dedicated HPC system or cluster
 - Bring your own application codes
 - Mostly now via PRACE Advanced Training Centre curriculum
- Short courses
 - Reduced tuning workshops (2-3 days)
 - CSCS, DKRZ, DLR, KAUST, NCAR, NLHPC, VŠB
- Conference tutorials
 - Half-day or full-day with hands-on exercises
 - Generally using Live-ISO image within virtual machine
 - Cluster, EuroMPI, Euro-Par, ICCS, ISC, SC, XSEDE
- Other invited training events
 - DEISA, PRACE

VI-HPS Tuning Workshops

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TW1 (03/08, RWTH, Aachen) TW2 (10/08, ZIH, Dresden) TW3 (02/09, JSC, Jülich) TW4 (09/09, HLRN, Bremen) TW5 (03/10, TUM, Garching) TW6 (05/10, SARA, Amsterdam) TW7 (03/11, HLRS, Stuttgart) TW8 (09/11, GRS, Aachen) TW9 (04/12, UVSQ, St-Quentin) **TW10** (10/12, LRZ, Garching) TW11 (04/13, MdS, Saclay) TW12 (10/13, JSC, Jülich) TW13 (02/14, BSC, Barcelona) TW14 (03/14, RIKEN AICS, Kobe) TW15 (04/14, MdS, Saclay) TW16 (05/14, EPCC, Edinburgh) **TW17** (02/15, HLRS, Stuttgart)

Scientific workshops

- PROPER workshop series
 - Productivity & performance
 - Focus on tools and their application
 - Forum for young scientists
 - In conjunction with Euro-Par since 2008
- SC conference workshops
 - Extreme-scale performance tools (2012)
 - Extreme-scale programming tools (2013, 2014)
 - ► In cooperation with SPPEXA
 - ► Open call for abstracts









Extreme-Scale Programming Tools

Session 1 09:00-10:00	Keynote: Japanese HPC Update: Exascale Research and the Next-Generation Flagship Supercomputer – Naoya Maruyama (RIKEN AICS)
Session 2 10:30-12:30	Tools for measurement and analysis of parallel execution performance & efficiency » 5 talks (each 20 minute slots)
Session 3 14:00-15:00	Keynote: The Exascale Challenge – Are Tools the Key to Success? – Michèle Weiland (EPCC)

Tools for measurement and analysis of parallel execution efficiency		
10:30	Uncovering Degraded Application Performance with LWM ² – Aamer Shah (German Research School for Simulation Sciences)	
10:50	Interactive Exploration of Fine-Grained Scalability Models – Paul Wiedeking (RWTH Aachen University)	
11:10	A Prototype of a Power API Framework – David DeBonis (Sandia National Labs)	
11:30	Whitelisting MSRs with msr-safe – Kathleen Shoga (University of the Pacific)	
11:50	Efficiently Visualizing Power, I/O, Memory and CPU Over Time at Extreme Scale – <i>Mark O'Connor (Allinea)</i>	
12:10	Discussion	

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Frameworks for parallel application development and engineering		
14:40	Case Studies in Dataflow Composition of Scalable High Performance Applications – Justin Wozniak (Argonne National Lab)	
15:00	Break	
15:30	ExaStencils: Advanced Stencil-Code Engineering – Christian Lengauer (University of Passau)	
15:50	Generating Highly Parallel Geometric Multigrid Solvers with the ExaStencils Approach – Sebastian Kuckuk & Christian Schmitt (FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg)	
16:10	A Scalable Auto Tuning Framework using Machine Learning Techniques – Abid Malik (University of Houston)	
16:30	Reducing Measurement Overhead by Leveraging Static and Profile Information for Automated and Application-specific Instrumentation – Christian Iwainsky (Technische Universität Darmstadt)	
16:50	Intuitive Performance Engineering at the Exascale with TAU and TAU Commander – John Linford (ParaTools, Inc.)	
17:10	Discussion	