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UKUUG's Winter Conference & *Perl* Tutorial 13th & 14th February 2002 - London

The following speakers will present interesting talks at the forthcoming Winter Conference being held at SOAS, University of London, WC1H 0XG

Paul Anderson, Edinburgh University
Large-scale Linux Configuration with LCFG

Jim Davies, Univ. of Oxford
A Web-based Course Administration System

Andrew Findlay, Skills 1st Ltd.
LDAP and Security

Matt Holgate, Glasgow
The Arusha Project
See <http://ark.sourceforge.org/>

Stuart McRobert, Imperial College
Applied Ethernet 10GB
& update on ***Sun SITE Northern Europe***

Wayne Pascoe, MolemanArmy
A business case for FreeBSD
See <http://www.molemanarmy.com/bsdcon/>

Peter Polkinghorne, Kingsford Stacey Blackwell
Containing Windows
SAMBA PDC, etc as used in a law office environment

Alain Williams, Parliament Hill Comp. Ltd
Configuration: Making it Easy, Getting it Right

Mike Wyer, Imperial College
Lexis Exam Invigilation System
voted Best Practical paper at Usenix LISA, Dec.2001

The Conference will start at **14.00** on **Wednesday 13th February** and will finish at lunchtime on **Thursday 14th February**.

Perl Tutorial: Wednesday, 13th February, 09.30 - 13.00

Perl for System Administrators - Simon Cozens

Tutorial description: Perl is sometimes known as the Swiss Army chainsaw of systems administration, but what makes it so well-suited to the task? Simon Cozens shows how to program in Perl by looking at some common, system administration tasks and using Perl to tackle them. The talk will cater for those with little to no Perl experience, but experienced programmers will be able to pick up some new tricks.

Bio: Simon Cozens is an open source programmer and author; he is a columnist for the Perl Journal, the author of Beginning Perl and co-author of Professional Perl Programming, both by Wrox Press, and co-author of the forthcoming Using Perl and C. He has recently joined the UNIX team at the University of Oxford (OUCS).

See also <http://simon-cozens.org/>.

See <http://www.ukuug.org/events/winter2002/> for up-to-date information

The UKUUG was formed to represent users of UNIX and Open systems in the UK. It uniquely caters for the needs of people in this area and is completely independent of specific hardware and software vendors. All profits are used to further the activities of the organisation.

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