

Software Technology Conference '99

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The 11th annual Software Technology Conference in Salt Lake City, Utah brought together representatives from industry, government, and academia to increase awareness of software engineering issues and technologies through tutorials, presentations, general sessions, and ad hoc discussions. Interoperability, greater use of software engineering, more emphasis on architecture, reuse of designs and code, and other methods and improvements were among the conference topics. Next year's conference is planned for April 30-May 5. For more information, contact Dana Dovenbarger at dovenbad@software.hill.af.mil

BELOW: David Fugan of Northrop Grumman for Defense Contract Management Command, aims for a hole-in-one at the booth sponsored by Rose International.



RIGHT: Thomas Brandt of the Software Engineering Institute digs into the goodies served up at the informal social in the Salt Palace Convention Center Exhibit Hall.



BELOW RIGHT: Laurie Whitney of Relaxation Station administers a massage at the OC Systems booth.



LEFT: Peggy Ingerski, left, APM; Karen D. Prenger, deputy for operations; and Dr. LorRaine Tauchi Duffy, all of SPAWAR Systems Center, chat among the exhibitor booths.



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BELOW: The Bar J Wranglers of Teton, Wyo. regaled those at the chuck wagon-style dinner with western music and tall tales.



ABOVE: Army liaison Lt. Col. John A. "Drew" Hamilton Jr., center, peruses some of the hot sellers at the Barnes & Noble booth.



ABOVE: Mary Alice Watson, a test analyst for Boeing Information Services, takes a break to read Mary Higgins Clark.



ABOVE: John Smith, center, Systems Engineering for Lockheed Martin, works with computer equipment at Lockheed's booth.



RIGHT: *CROSSTALK* publisher Reuel "Rudy" Alder, left, honors Robert Martin of MITRE as one of the journal's top 10 authors for 1998.