

Balisage²⁰¹⁰

The Markup Conference

Montréal in August is the place and time for serious markup geeks to meet.
This tradition continues with Balisage 2010

August 3 — 6, 2010, Montréal, Canada
pre-conference symposium (topic to be announced) August 2, 2010

Balisage is a peer-reviewed conference designed to meet the needs of markup theoreticians and practitioners who are pushing the boundaries of the field. It's all about the markup: how to create it; what it means; hierarchies and overlap; modeling; taxonomies; transformation; query, searching, and retrieval; presentation and accessibility; making systems that make markup dance (or dance faster to a different tune in a smaller space) — in short, changing the world and the web through the power of markup.

It's an XML Conference. It's a Markup Technology Conference. It's a conference about XSD, XQuery, XSLT, RDF, UBL, SGML, LMNL, XSL-FO, XTM, SVG, MathML, OWL, TexMECS, RNG, and other things that may or may not yet be associated with such acronyms. We welcome papers about topic maps, document modeling, markup of overlapping structures, ontologies, metadata, content management, and other markup-related topics at Balisage.

Balisage 2010 will feature:

- * A tightly focused Pre-conference Symposium
- * Peer-reviewed papers
- * Late-breaking presentations, and
- * *ad hoc* presentations

Schedule:

19 March 2010 — Peer Review Applications Due
16 April 2010 — Paper Submissions Due
16 April 2010 — Applications Due for Student Support Awards
20 May 2010 — Speakers Notified
2 August 2010 — Pre-conference Symposium
3–6 August 2010 — Balisage: The Markup Conference

For more information as available, see: <http://www.balisage.net>
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Vol 1 Proceedings of Balisage: The Markup Conference 2008

*Vol 2 Proceedings of the International Symposium on Versioning XML
Vocabularies and Systems*

Vol 3 Proceedings of Balisage: The Markup Conference 2009

*Vol 4 Proceedings of the International Symposium on Processing XML
Efficiently: Overcoming Limits on Space, Time, or Bandwidth*

Topics in the Balisage Series include:

Concepts

- * Computational Linguistics
- * Concurrent Markup/Overlap
- * Content Management
- * Datatyping
- * Encryption
- * Information Architecture
- * Information Retrieval
- * Interoperability
- * Knowledge Management
- * Knowledge Representation
- * Markup Languages
- * Metadata
- * Modeling
- * Natural Language Processing
- * Open Source
- * Schema Languages
- * Semantics
- * Social Networks
- * Sociology
- * Standardization
- * Technology Adoption
- * Trees/Graphs
- * Workflow

Processes

- * Editing/Authoring
- * Hardware-based Processing
- * Linking
- * Mapping
- * Messaging
- * Parsing
- * Publishing
- * Querying
- * Scripting
- * Software-based Processing
- * Streaming
- * Transforming
- * Validating
- * Versioning

Specifications

- * DOM
- * METS/MODS
- * Namespaces
- * RDF
- * RelaxNG
- * SAX
- * SVG
- * Schematron
- * TEI
- * TexMECS
- * Topic Maps
- * UBL
- * XForms
- * XLink
- * XML
- * XPath
- * XProc
- * XQuery
- * XSD/W3C Schema

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