Welcome to ESUG'05, Brussels, Belgium

Welcome !

- Belgium ...
 - Home of Beer,
 - Home of Chocolate,
 - Home of Great Food



So we could have had ...











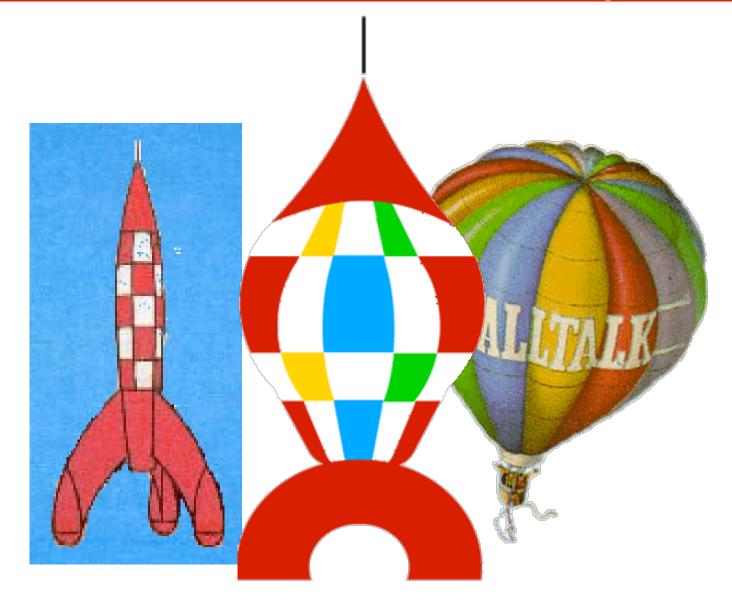
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Home of "Comic books"





This is how we got our logo!





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Wonderful preparation

... in visible and less visible places...











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We'll put your contributions to good use (suggestions are always welcome)

Stephane has more to tell you in a second...



Conference News

- **100 Participants**
- 29 Technical Talks
- Research Conference, Educator's Track
- Social Events & Receptions
- 9 Innovation Awards Submissions



Conference Programme

Check your `Hitchhiker's Guide'

Basic Structure:

Research Conference (Tuesday) Technology Innovation Awards (Tuesday) Educator's Track (Friday) All the rest:Technical Track and Talkussions



Schedule Updates

- Advanced Seaside (2) and Liberating the Business Modeler are swapped
- Advanced Seaside (2): now 9h45
- Liberating the Business Modeler now 11h
- Design Discussion (Friday)
 - (...prepare your questions...)



Social Events & Receptions

Tuesday: Welcome Reception (a.k.a Beer Tasting) (Innovation Awards Demonstrations)

Thursday:

Guided Tour of Brussels Visit to the brewery Cantillon

Banquet

Friday: Chocolate Tasting



Some things to remember

- 1. Problems? Check the Booth!
- 2. No smoking inside!
- 3. Please, turn of cellphones (or make'm buzz)
- 4. Wear your badge
- 5. Subway Ticket is for 5 complete days

(not 10 rides as mentioned in `The Guide')

- 6. Always use the microphone for questions!
- 7. Presentations need to be given to the volunteer

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