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Reception

Yesterday evening at the reception in museum, we had two very interesting welcome talks. We apologize for the absence of microphone. Those who couldn't hear anything, extracts of these talks will be taken up in this newsletter and on the ETAPS2002 website.

Musée Dauphinois

The Musée Dauphinois is a regional museum of mankind, aimed at promoting the memories of communities that lived in the Alpes (see the permanent exhibitions "Les gens de l'Alpe" and "La Grande Histoire du Ski"). Housed in the former convent of Ste-Marie d'en Haut, on the side of the Bastille Hill, the museum is a listed historic monument. It is opened every day, except Tuesday, from 10:00 to 18:00. It is also possible to visit the cloister and the 17th century baroque chapel.

Natural Parks

Grenoble is surrounded by three mountain chains : Chartreuse, Belledonne and Vercors. Belledonne is the highest (about 3000 meters) and may be the wildest one.

The Chartreuse range became a regional nature park in 1995. A mosaic of landscapes alterning open alpine pastures, high-altitude forests and long cliffs, reserves a wide variety of fauna and flora species. In the chartreuse, you can find snow-shoe and cross-country ski routes ; for example, from the Col de Porte, you can climb to Chamechaude or to Charmant Som.

The Vercors regional park, founded in 1970, is a natural limestone citadel. Also, you can explore Vercors regional Park on foot, on skis or, in summer, on a bike. From Saint-Nizier, you can climb the Moucherotte and you have a superb panoramic view on a part of french alps.

Note that the famous Ecrins and Vanoise National parks are also very closed to Grenoble and could be a possible destination for your holidays.

Today program

The program will be opened at 9:00 by the invited lecture given by Greg Morrisett of Cornell University (USA). A second invited lecture given by Michael Lowry of the NASA Armes Research Center will take place at 14:15. The schedule of the main conferences sessions and the ACL2 workshop is shown in the back of the letter.

Remember that TACAS is located in the E building, ESOP (Room F018) and ACL2 (Room F022) in the F building, and FASE in the MJK building.

EASST General Assembly

The general assembly of the European Association for Software Science and Technology (EASST) will take place at 18:45-19:30 at the Maison Jean Kuntzmann (MJK). Everybody is invited.

Weather for Tuesday

Clouds coming from the south. Today, only little sun with some showers, temperature up to 19 Celsius. If you have a car, you have certainly noticed that it is covered by a fine layer of sand. The rain coming from the Mediteranean Sea, often brings this sand from the Sahara Desert.

Participants list

You can find in the registration area a list of participants of the dayly conferences. At the end of the week, the lists of all main conferences and workshops will be available on the ETAPS2002 website.

Programme of Tuesday, April 9, 2002

9 : 00–10 : 00	**ESOP invited talk** *Amphi Weil* Greg Morrisett : "Type Checking Systems Code"			
10 : 00–10 : 45	**Coffee break**			
10 : 45–12 : 45	**TACAS** *Amphi E* *Chair:* *Wang Yi* Software Verification	**FASE** *Amphi MJK* *Chair:* *Peter Moses* Tool Demos	**ESOP** *Amphi F018* *Chair: Julia Lawall* Program analysis: applications	**ACL2** *Amphi F022* *Chair:* *??*
12 : 45–14 : 15	**Lunch**			
14 : 15–15 : 15	**ETAPS invited talk** *Amphi Weil* Michael Lowry: "Software Construction and Analysis Tools for Future Space Missions"			
15 : 15–16 : 00	**Coffee break**			
16 : 00–17 : 30	**TACAS** *Amphi E* *Chair:* *Bernard Steffen* Infinite-State and parametric systems	**FASE** *Amphi MJK* *Chair:* *Rald-D Kutsche* Meta-Models	**ESOP** *Amphi F018* *Chair:* *David Sands* Program analysis: principles	**ACL2** *Amphi F022* *Chair:* *???*
17 : 30–17 : 45	**Short break**			
17 : 45–18 : 45	**TACAS** *Amphi E* *Chair:* *Joost-Pieter Katoen* Tool demonstrations	**FASE** *Amphi MJK* *Chair:* *Martin Grosse-Rhode* Formal Approaches towards UML		**ACL2** *Amphi F022* *Chair:* *??*
19 : 45–19 : 30	**EASST General Assembly**			