

Call for Participation

39th International Conference on Very Large Data Bases Riva del Garda, Trento, August 26-30, 2013 http://www.vldb.org/2013/



VLDB is a premier annual international forum for data management and database researchers, vendors, practitioners, application developers, and users, covering current issues in data management, database and information systems research. The conference will feature 3 *Keynote Talks*, 97 *Research Presentations*, 6 *Tutorials*, 48 *Demonstrations*, 2 *Panels*, an *Industry Vision Session*, and 16 satellite *Workshops*.

Registration is now open on the VLDB 2013 web site: http://www.vldb.org/2013/ The deadline for early registration is July 25, 2013.

VLDB 2013 will take place at the town of *Riva del Garda*, Italy. It is located close to the city of *Trento*, on the north shore of *Lake Garda*. The list of its famous guests includes Goethe, Freud, Nietzsche, the Mann brothers, Kafka, Lawrence, and more recently James Bond.

The shores of Lake Garda are full of picturesque villages, such as *Malcesine, Torri del Benaco, Sirmione* (where Maria Callas owned a villa), and many others. The cities of *Verona*, as well as *Trento*, where the Council of Trent took place in the 16th century, are within easy reach. *Venice, Padua*, and *Mantua*, with their rich cultural heritage, can be visited in a single-day trip. A little bit further away, *Ravenna* with its world-famous early Christian mosaics, as well as *Florence*, the birthplace of the Renaissance, and the entire region of *Tuscany* are very interesting and popular destinations.

Nature lovers should not miss the opportunity to visit the *Dolomite Mountains*, part of the *Alps* and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. These magnificent and impressive mountains offer numerous opportunities for hikes, mountaineering, rock climbing, as well as for relaxing at the shores of one of the many lakes.

The conference is organized by **dbTrento**, the Database and Information Management Group of the Information Engineering and Computer Science Department (DISI), at the University of Trento.

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