



Explore all that STARCANADA has to offer.

Sunday, June 21

Conference Registration - 7:30am – 10:00am

7:30 AM - 10:00 AM

Continental Breakfast - 7:30am – 8:30am

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Software Tester Certification—Foundation Level (3-Day)

Conrad Fujimoto, Intellectica Systems Inc.

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Agile Tester Certification (2-Day)

Matta Saikali, Testrics Inc.

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Mobile Application Testing (2-Day)

Gene Gotimer, Coveros, Inc.

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Lunch

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Training Classes Resume

1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Monday, June 22

Continental Breakfast - 7:30am – 8:30am

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Conference Registration - 7:30am – 10:00am

7:30 AM - 10:00 AM

Multi-day Training Classes Continue (Agile Tester Certification, Software Tester Certification—Foundation Level, and Mobile Application Testing)

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM

Lunch

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Training Classes Resume

1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Tuesday, June 23

Conference Registration - 7:30am – 5:00pm

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Continental Breakfast - 7:30am – 8:30am

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Multi-day Training Classes Continue (Software Tester Certification—Foundation Level)

8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Tutorials TB: Testers in Value-Driven Product Development

J.B. Rainsberger, JBRAINS.CA

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Tutorials TA: Test Estimation in Practice

Rob Sabourin, AmiBug.com

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Tutorials TC: Essential Test Management and Planning

Rick Craig, Software Quality Engineering

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Tutorials TD: Get Full Value from Your Automated Tests

Gerard Meszaros, FeedXL.com

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Tutorials TE: Fundamental Test Design Techniques

Lee Copeland, Software Quality Engineering

8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Lunch

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Tutorials TF: Tips for Expanding Your Testing Toolbox

Alan Page, Microsoft

1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Tutorials TH: Security Testing for Testing Professionals

Gene Gotimer, Coveros, Inc.

1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Tutorials TG: Getting Things Done: What Testers Do in Agile Sprints

Rob Sabourin, AmiBug.com

1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Tutorials TI: Measurement and Metrics for Test Managers

Rick Craig, Software Quality Engineering

1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Welcome Reception

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Bonus Sessions B1: Jump Start to Mobile Testing (Part of the yvrTesting June Meetup)

Melissa Tondi, Denver Automation and Quality Engineering
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Wednesday, June 24

Bonus Sessions B2: Win the Race with a Dark Horse—Drive Enterprise Agility through QA and Testing

Prasad MK, TCS Assurance Services
7:15 AM - 8:15 AM

Continental Breakfast - 7:30am – 8:30am

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Conference Registration - 7:30am – 4:30pm

7:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Keynotes K1: How We NOW Test Software at Microsoft

Alan Page, Microsoft
8:30 AM - 9:45 AM

Networking Break • Visit the Expo

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions W2: Testing the Internet of Things

Regg Struyk, Polaron Software
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions W1: Leadership for Test Managers and Testers

Rick Craig, Software Quality Engineering
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions W4: Testing Mobile App Performance

Brad Stoner, Neotys
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions W3: From Formal Test Cases to Session-Based Exploratory Testing

Ron Smith, Intuit
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP1: “Works on our PCs”: Improving Collaboration between Test and Dev

Dan Levy, Telerik
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP2: Painless Mobile Application Quality Testing

Christopher De Kok, IBM
10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions W5: Building a World-Class Quality Team at eBay

Steve Hares, eBay
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions W6: Virtualize APIs for Better Application Testing

Lorinda Brandon, SmartBear Software
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions W8: Usability Testing Goes Mobile

Susan Brockley, ExxonMobil

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP3: Time to Cut the Cord: Bringing DevOps Back to Mobile

Dan McFall, Mobile Labs

11:30 AM

Concurrent Sessions W7: Test Automation Strategies and Frameworks: What Should Your Team Do?

Gene Gotimer, Coveros, Inc.

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Lunch - Meet the Speakers

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions W12: Techniques, Tools, and Technology for Better Mobile App Testing

Brad Johnson, SOASTA

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions W10: Inside the Mind of the 21st Century Customer

Alan Page, Microsoft

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions W11: Establish an Integrated Test Automation Architecture

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions W9: The Tester's Role in Agile Planning

Rob Sabourin, AmiBug.com

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP4: Reimagining Assurance and Testing in the Digital Era

Tom Edwards, Nielson

Kirpal Shahani, TCS

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Networking Break • Visit the Expo

2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Concurrent Sessions W15: Automate REST API Testing

Eric Smith, HomeAdvisor

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Concurrent Sessions W13: Testing for Talent: Leveraging Testing Principles in Building Teams

Joy Toney, ALSAC/St Jude Children's Research Hospital

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Concurrent Sessions W14: Testing Hyper-Complex Systems: What Can We Know? What Can We Claim?

Lee Copeland, Software Quality Engineering

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP5: 7 Steps to Pragmatic Mobile Testing

Tom Chavez, SOASTA

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Concurrent Sessions W16: Agile Metrics and the Software Delivery Pipeline

Christopher Davis, Nike, Inc.

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Keynotes K2: Lightning Strikes the Keynotes

Lee Copeland, Software Quality Engineering

4:15 PM - 5:15 PM

Expo Reception - 5:15pm – 6:15pm

5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Thursday, June 25

Continental Breakfast - 7:30am – 8:30am

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

Conference Registration - 7:30am – 4:00pm

7:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Keynotes K3: Build the Right Product Right: Transitioning Test from Critiquing to Defining

Gerard Meszaros, FeedXL.com

8:30 AM - 9:45 AM

Networking Break • Visit the Expo

9:45 AM - 10:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions T1: Managing Technical Debt

Philippe Kruchten, Kruchten Engineering Services, Ltd.

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions T2: Reduce Test Automation Execution Time by 80%

Tanay Nagjee, Electric Cloud

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions T4: Root Cause Analysis for Testers

Jan van Moll, Philips Healthcare

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP6: Driving Test Innovation through Automation

John Hensel, Jazz Aviation

10:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions T3: Create Disposable Test Environments with Vagrant and Puppet

Gene Gotimer, Coveros, Inc.

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

Concurrent Sessions T6: Write Your Test Cases in a Domain-Specific Language

Beaumont Brush, Dematic, Inc.

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T7: Transform a Manual Testing Process to Incorporate Automation

Jim Trentadue, Ranorex

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T8: Become an Influential Tester: Learn How to Be Heard

Jane Fraser, Anki, Inc.

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Industry Technical Presentations ITP7: Tableau Public: Most Beautiful Data Visualization Site in the World or Stress Test for Tableau Server?

Chris Macey-Cushman, Tableau

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T5: The Adventures of a First-Time Test Lead: An Unexpected Journey

Ioan Todoran, Expedia Affiliate Network

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Lunch - Meet the Speakers

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T10: The Power of Pair Testing

Kirk Lee, Infusionsoft

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T9: Giving and Receiving Feedback: A New Imperative

Omar Bermudez, agilecafe.org

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T12: If You Could Turn Back Time: Coaching New Testers

Christin Wiedemann, Professional Quality Assurance, Ltd.

Richard Lu, Professional Quality Assurance, Ltd.

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Concurrent Sessions T11: Test Automation: Investment Today Pays Back Tomorrow

Al Wagner, IBM

1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Keynotes K4: The Next Decade of Agile Software Development and Test

J.B. Rainsberger, JBRAINS.CA

2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

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