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Time				
8:00 - 9:00	Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer Exam - Darwin			
	Track A - Einstein B/C	Track B - Einstein A	Track C - Baekeland	Track D - Darwin
8:00 - 9:30	Registration and Exhibition			
9:30 - 10:30	<p>Morning Keynote - Solving Challenging Engineering Applications Now and in the Future</p> <p>Join our international guest speaker as he explores visionary approaches to solving some of the most challenging engineering applications around the globe and glimpse the future through the eyes of engineers. This keynote will demonstrate an exciting variety of technologies and products, applications, prototypes, and research from mobile measurements to cloud integration to advanced control.</p> <p><i>Charles Schroeder - Director of Test Systems, and Margaret Barret - Product Manager, National Instruments (in English)</i></p>			
10:30 - 11:00	Break and Exhibition			
11:00 - 11:45	<p>Tips and Tricks to Speed LabVIEW Development</p> <p>Hear about some simple techniques that can help you code more quickly. Learn about little known LabVIEW features, advanced functions, and other tools that can help you save development time and create more efficient code.</p> <p><i>Rik Prins, NI, (in English)</i></p>	<p>Overcoming Microsoft Excel Limitations for LabVIEW Data Analysis and Reporting</p> <p>If you're frustrated with Microsoft Excel's slowness or inability to handle the size or format of your data file, learn how to use a tool designed for engineers instead of being limited by one designed for accountants. Also discover how Siemens used NI DAdem to determine the root cause of damaging high-voltage transients.</p> <p><i>Thierry Coppens, NI, (in English)</i></p>	<p>Research and Teaching Platforms for Embedded Control and Design</p> <p>In this session you'll learn how National Instruments provides a unified platform that will take you from simulation through to rapid prototyping and deployment. Our tools enable the seamless integration of real-world signals with your mathematical models, whether they were developed in NI LabVIEW or other third party software. Also we'll announce a new low-cost platform targeted to student projects and courses.</p> <p><i>Alex Floor, NI, (in English)</i></p>	<p>Hands-on: Introduction to NI LabVIEW</p> <p>Discover how you can apply LabVIEW in this introduction with guided exercises to take real-world measurements and perform signal processing and analysis.</p> <p><i>Casper Klop, NI, (in Dutch)</i></p>
11:50 - 12:35	<p>Under the Hood: LabVIEW Real-Time Module Based on Linux RT</p> <p>Learn all about this exciting new operating system supported by the LabVIEW 2013 Real-Time Module running under the hood of the next generation of CompactRIO. From the new scheduler to file system permissions and real-time benchmarks, this session will cover all of the important details. Attend to find out about these new improvements and changes through comparisons that will be provided to the real time operating systems used on today's CompactRIO systems.</p> <p><i>Rik Prins, NI (in English)</i></p>	<p>skyWATS.com – Connect with TestStand or LabVIEW, store and analyze test data in the cloud</p> <p>Use our LabVIEW toolkit or TestStand add-on to automatically upload UUT reports to the skyWATS cloud service. Get instant access to reporting, Yield analysis and SPC through your web browser.</p> <p><i>Tom Lomsdalen, Virinco, (in English)</i></p>	<p>Academic Platforms for RF and Communications</p> <p>Ground-breaking research and teaching within RF, wireless communication systems and software-defined radio requires a flexible platform for software design, hardware prototyping and implementation. This session details how National Instruments delivers an accessible, highly-modular approach that is benefitting RF & communications researchers all over the world. You will also see how NIs communication platform allows for hands-on learning for students at different levels.</p> <p><i>Filip Langenaken, NI, (in Dutch)</i></p>	

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12:35 - 13:30	Lunch and Expo			
13:30 - 14:30	<p>Afternoon Keynote - Advancements in Graphical System Design</p> <p>Watch NI engineers unveil the latest version of LabVIEW and learn about new features that make you even more productive and expand your capabilities. Besides a demo-heavy tour through LabVIEW 2013, you will also learn about some great customer applications demonstrating graphical system design in cutting-edge measurement and control systems.</p> <p><i>Erik van Hilten and Margaret Barret,, National Instruments, (in English)</i></p>			
14:30 - 14:45	Break and Exhibition			
14:45 - 15:30	<p>UI Design Best Practices</p> <p>The user interface in the industrial design field of human machine interaction is the space where interaction between humans and machines occurs. The goal of this interaction is effective operation and control of the machine on the user's end and the generation of feedback from the machine, which aids the operator in making operational decisions. In this session, explore basic principles, best practices, and practical applications of UI design.</p> <p><i>Cedric Hocquet, NI, (in English)</i></p>	<p>Using Network Streams migrating from a single machine Object Oriented application to a distributed application</p> <p>When designing and implementing distributed control or test systems, you don't want to have to worry about details of communication. Network Streams will solve the details of network communication for you. Learn about a distributed test system and why and how we build an Object Oriented layer around the Network Streams that helps us using the Command design pattern across network boundaries.</p> <p><i>Jeffrey Habets, VI Technologies, (in English)</i></p>	<p>The 10 most frequently made mistakes, when designing and building a turn-key production test platform for PCB's</p> <p>National Instruments PXI solutions are a perfect solution if you want to build a modular and flexible test and measurement solution for use in your test laboratory. But if you need to turn this PXI solution into a reliable production test system, there are many issues that need to be solved. In this presentation we will highlight the top 10 "pitfalls" you can expect on your way to design, build and bring your test system to production. On each of the 10 point we will show examples and explain how to overcome them.</p> <p><i>Peter van Oostrom, 6TL Engineering, (in Dutch)</i></p>	<p>Hands-on: Developing an embedded system</p> <p>This hands-on session focuses on extending your LabVIEW skills into FPGA-based design with the LabVIEW reconfigurable I/O (RIO) architecture. You will use the LabVIEW Real-Time and LabVIEW FPGA modules to configure, program, and deploy a RIO-based embedded system.</p> <p><i>Thierry Coppens, NI, (in Dutch)</i></p>
15:35 - 16:20	<p>LabVIEW Application Builder: Tips and Tricks for Deploying Desktop Applications</p> <p>How many times have you created an executable and wondered what was going on behind the scenes? After reviewing basic steps, this session covers advanced lessons on creating simple executables in LabVIEW and offers tips and tricks for configuring a build specification. Learn what makes up an executable, how to include code that is not a dependency, and how to change and add components after an executable has been deployed.</p> <p><i>Rik Prins, NI, (in English)</i></p>	<p>Extending your LabVIEW skills to LabVIEW Real-Time and LabVIEW FPGA</p> <p>Have you used LabVIEW for your desktop and considered using LabVIEW Real-Time or LabVIEW FPGA for your next project? Learn the skills you need, what to expect when making the transition, and how to avoid common pitfalls.</p> <p><i>Wouter van Hoof, NI, (in English)</i></p>	<p>A robust software framework for machine control</p> <p>In this presentation T&M Solutions will show and explain critical design choices for implementing machine control in a software application. By describing a case study and showing the framework applied, visitors of this presentation are taking the journey of robust software design philosophies.</p> <p><i>T&M Solutions, (in Dutch)</i></p>	
16:20 - 16:50	Happy Hour			