

Centre for High Performance Computing 2020 National Conference

Monday 30 November 2020

HPC: Software Platforms (14:00-15:00)

-Conveners: Chair: Zama Mtshali

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 14:00 | [102] Configuring the Kaldi ASR toolkit for the Lengau Cluster | VAN DER WESTHUIZEN, Ewald |
| 14:30 | [127] Stories from the Front Lines: The Good, Bad, and Ugly of Building an Opensource Distributed Platform for Scientific Compute: Software, Hardware, and Community | PIENAAR, Rudolph |

HPC: for AI and Machine Learning (15:15-16:15)

-Conveners: Chair: Krishna Govender

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 15:15 | [33] Accelerating HPC+AI science workflows using NVIDIA GPU | Dr RÖTH, Gunter |
| 15:45 | [171] The Role of Storage for efficient Machine Learning | BREUNER, Sven |

Tuesday 01 December 2020

HPC: Education (11:00-12:00)

-Conveners: Chair: Bryan Johnston

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 11:00 | [21] From touching the code to online coding clubs | GREYLING, Jean |
| 11:30 | [80] Two decades of African research on academia-industry high performance computing access and utilization – A systematic literature review | Prof. CILLIERS, Liezel |

HPC: Technology (12:15-13:15)

-Conveners: Chair: Themba Hlatshwayo

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 12:15 | [153] NVIDIA Mellanox InfiniBand In-Network Computing | SHAINER, Gilad |
| 12:45 | [147] Budgets and Allocation in HPC | Dr LITTLEWOOD, Ian |

HPC: Technology (14:00-15:00)

-Conveners: Chair: Eric Mbele

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 14:00 | [169] Diversified Computing Power for Pervasive Intelligence | Dr ZHOU, Bin |
| 14:30 | [151] Artificial Techniques in Pharmaceuticals and Drug Discovery | KHALEEL, Adnan |

HPC: Technology (15:15-16:15)

-Conveners: Chair: Sticks Mabakane

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 15:15 | [174] Talk by Microsoft Cancelled on Short Notice | |
| 15:45 | [170] AMD's Heterogeneous Path to Exascale | FOLEY, Matt |

Wednesday 02 December 2020

HPC: Storage & IO (11:00-12:00)

-Conveners: Chair: Lepeke Phukungoane

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 11:00 | [36] Calabash - why store your data in a cloud when you can use a gourd ? | RATCLIFFE, Simon |
| 11:30 | [17] SANReN Data Transfer Pilot Service and Performance Enhancement Response Team update | PILLAY, Kasandra |

HPC: Storage & IO (12:15-13:15)

-Conveners: Chair: Jay Lofstead

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 12:15 | [103] Converging Storage Technologies Using a Flexible HPC Storage Framework | KUHN, Michael |
| 12:45 | [117] The GekkoFS Burst Buffer File System | Prof. BRINKMANN, André |

HPC: Storage & IO (14:00-15:00)

-Conveners: Chair: Sean Murray

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 14:00 | [59] A Workflow for Identifying Jobs with Similar I/O Behavior Utilizing Time Series Analysis | Dr KUNKEL, Julian |
| 14:30 | [88] Stitch-IO for Additive Manufacturing Simulation | LOFSTEAD, Jay |

HPC: Storage & IO (15:15-16:15)

-Conveners: Chair: Jay Lofstead

| time | [id] title | presenter |
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| 15:15 | [35] LANL HPC Storage Thrusts | Mr GRIDER, Gary |
| 15:45 | [41] Managing Bufferbloat in Storage Systems | MALTZAHN, Carlos |