# POPL 2015 Survey

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| 1. | I am primarily associated with *<br>Mark only one oval. |
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|    | academia (non-student)                                  |
|    | industry  |
|    | government  |
|    | student   |
|    | Other:  |

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# Program

### 2. The technical quality of papers was high

|    |                                   | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|----|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
|    | strongly agree                    | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |
| 3. | The papers pre<br>Mark only one o |            | interest   | ing mat    | erial      |            |                   |
|    |                                   | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|    | strongly agree                    | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |
| 4. | The talks were<br>Mark only one o | -          | sented     |            |            |            |                   |
|    |                                   | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|    | strongly agree                    | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |
| 5. | The presented<br>Mark only one o  |            | in my ai   | rea of w   | ork we     | re releva  | ant               |
|    |                                   | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|    | strongly agree                    | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |

## 6. Even with parallel sessions, I was able to attend most of the talks I was interested in

|     |                        | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                       |
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|     | strongly agree         | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree     |
| 7.  | The number of <b>p</b> | -          | accepte    | d was      |            |            |                       |
|     | Mark only one ov       | val.       |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | too many               |            |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | about right            | nt         |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | too few                |            |            |            |            |            |                       |
| 8.  | The length of P        | -          | sentati    | ons (in    | cluding    | questio    | ns) should be         |
|     | Mark only one ov       | al.        |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | 30 minute              | es         |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | 25 minute              | es         |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | 20 minute              |            |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | 15 minute              | es         |            |            |            |            |                       |
| 9.  | What type of pro       |            | gs do y    | ou finc    | l most u   | ıseful dı  | uring the conference? |
|     | USB stick              | ζ          |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | hardcopy               |            |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | download               | via inte   | rnet dur   | ing the    | conferer   | nce        |                       |
| 10. | What type of pro       |            | gs do y    | ou finc    | l least u  | seful dı   | iring the conference? |
|     | USB stick              | ζ          |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | hardcopy               | proceed    | dings      |            |            |            |                       |
|     | download               | via inte   | rnet dur   | ing the    | conferer   | nce        |                       |
| 11. | Have you viewe         | d any P    | OPL via    | deo onl    | ine?       |            |                       |
|     | Mark only one ov       | val.       |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | ) yes                  |            |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     | no                     |            |            |            |            |            |                       |
|     |                        |            |            |            |            |            |                       |

### 12. POPL should have a best presentation award

|     |  | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                                      |
|-----|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------------------------|
|     | strongly agree   | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree                    |
| 13. | In addition to the paper awards<br>Mark only one of the second seco | -          | ar Most    | t Influer  | ntial Pa   | per awai   | rd, POPL should give out distinguish |
|     |  | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                                      |
|     | strongly agree   | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree                    |
| 14. | I am a (co)-auth<br>Mark only one o<br>yes<br>no   |            | paper a    | ccepte     | d to PO    | PL *       |                                      |
| 15. | I am a (co)-auth<br>Mark only one of<br>yes<br>no  |            |            |            | ion *      |            |                                      |
| Ve  | nue  |            |            |            |            |            |                                      |
| 16. | I would not be<br>Mark only one of<br>yes<br>no  |            | g POPL     | _ if I we  | re not a   | lso attei  | nding a co-located event             |
| 17. | If yes, which ev   | vent(s)?   |            |            |            |            |                                      |
| 18. | The location of<br>Mark only one o   | -          | layed a    | a role in  | my dec     | cision to  | attend                               |
|     |  | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                                      |
|     | strongly agree   | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree                    |

# 19. Given a choice of an "interesting/higher cost" location or a "less interesting/lower cost" location, I would prefer:

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interesting/higher cost



less interesting/lower cost

20. Regardless of the location, I will not attend POPL if the nightly hotel costs are above *Mark only one oval.* 

| $\bigcirc$ | \$150          |
|------------|----------------|
| $\bigcirc$ | \$200          |
| $\bigcirc$ | \$250          |
| $\bigcirc$ | \$300          |
| $\bigcirc$ | doesn't matter |

21. Regardless of location, I will not attend POPL if the early registration costs for POPL are above

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| $\bigcirc$ | \$500          |
|------------|----------------|
| $\bigcirc$ | \$600          |
| $\bigcirc$ | \$700          |
| $\bigcirc$ | doesn't matter |

22. If POPL were held in the Pacific Rim area (China, Korea, Japan, Australia, etc.) how would this affect your likelihood of attending?

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## 23. If POPL were held in Israel, how would this affect your likelihood of attending?

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|                            | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                            |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------------------|
| much less likely to attend | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | much more likely to attend |

24. Which week of January do you prefer to hold POPL?

| $\bigcirc$ | week 2 |
|------------|--------|
| $\bigcirc$ | week 3 |
| $\bigcirc$ | week 4 |

#### 25. Future POPLs should have more opportunities for socializing and fun

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|                | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
| strongly agree | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |

26. Future POPLs should have an outing/social event, even if it increases the registration cost by \$85

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|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
| strongly agree | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |

27. What other factors would increase the likelihood that you would attend future POPLs as a non-author?



28. What other factors would decrease the likelihood that you would attend future POPLs as a non-author?



## **Facilities**

29. I stayed at one of the conference hotels



#### 30. The meals and break food met my needs

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|                | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
| strongly agree | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |

31. The conference facilities (internet, location, etc.) met my needs

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|                | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |                   |
|----------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
| strongly agree | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | strongly disagree |

32. Any comments on the facilities?

# **Open ended**

33. What did you like best about POPL '15?

34. What about POPL '15 were you most unhappy about?

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#### 35. Is open access important to you?

Anyone should be able to download papers from the ACM digital library with no fee or membership requirement.

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|            | 1          | 2          | 3          | 4          | 5          |           |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| Not at all | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | Extremely |

36. If open access required author processing fees, how much would you agree to pay? These fees would cover the processing and archival of the paper, as well as maintenance of the DL.

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| $\bigcirc$ | \$100  |
|------------|--------|
| $\bigcirc$ | \$250  |
| $\bigcirc$ | \$500  |
| $\bigcirc$ | \$1000 |

37. Would you support publishing the proceedings of POPL as a special issue of TOPLAS?

A similar proposal is being considered for PLDI. This would not prevent long form papers from being submitted to TOPLAS (as long as they have substantial added content), but would mean that POPL papers could be listed as journal publications. *Mark only one oval.* 

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