Practical TeX 2006 — program and information

Tuesday July 25– Friday July 28	9 am–5 pm **LaTeX workshop**	
	led by Sue DeMeritt & Cheryl Ponchin	
	8–9 am *registration* (on Tuesday, at Rutgers)	
	10:15–10:30 am *break*	
	12–1 pm *lunch*	
	3–3:15 pm *break*	
Saturday July 29	5–7 pm *registration & reception* (at the Clarion hotel, Windsor Ballroom)	
Sunday July 30	8–9 am *registration* (at Rutgers)	
	9 am Karl Berry, TeX Users Group	*Welcome & introductions*
	9:20 am Barbara Beeton, AMS & TUG	keynote address: *How to create a TeX journal: A personal journey*
	10:20 am *break*	
	10:30 am Peter Flom, NDRI	*LaTeX for social scientists and other people who think they don't need it*
	11:10 am Jim Hefferon, St. Michael's College	*LaTeX resources*
	11:50 am Boris Veytsman, George Mason Univ. & AES ITT Industries	*Design of presentations: Notes on principles and TeX implementation*
	12:30 pm *lunch*	
	1:40 pm Alan Wetmore, US Army	*TeX and after dinner speaking*
	2:20 pm Steve Peter, Beech Stave Press	*Fonts, typefaces, glyphs & sorts*
	3 pm *break*	
	3:10 pm Klaus Höppner, DANTE e.V. & TUG	*Creation of a PostScript Type 1 logo font with MetaType1*
	3:50 pm William Adams, Mechanicsburg, PA	*TypeSpec v2: Typesetting font specimens*
	4:30 pm q & a, Birds of a Feather (see following page)	
Monday July 31	9 am Ned Hummel, University of Nebraska	*Common macro pitfalls and how to avoid them*
	9:40 am Francesco Costanzo & Gary L. Gray, Penn State University	*Examples of readily implementable, but "fancy", page layout elements and organizational structures for a book*
	10:20 am *break*	
	10:30 am Federico Garcia, Univ. of Pittsburgh	*Capabilities of PDF interactivity*
	11:10 am Boris Veytsman, GMU & AES ITT	*Automatic report generation with Web, TeX and SQL*
	11:50 am Kaveh Bazargan, River Valley Technologies	*Removing vertical stretch: Mimicking traditional typesetting with TeX*
	12:30 pm *lunch*	
	1:40 pm David Walden, E. Sandwich, MA	*A lifetime as an amateur compositor*
	2:20 pm Troy Henderson, US Military Academy	*Creating high-quality technical graphics with MetaPost*
	3 pm *break*	
	3:10 pm Andrew Mertz & William Slough, Eastern Illinois University	*Graphics with PGF and TikZ*
	3:50 pm Jon Breitenbucher, College of Wooster	*LaTeX at a liberal arts college*
	4:30 pm q & a, TUG meeting	
Tuesday August 1	9 am Peter Flynn, Silmaril Consultants	*Rolling your own document class*
	9:40 am Federico Garcia, Univ. of Pittsburgh	*LaTeX and the different bibliography styles*
	10:20 am *break*	
	10:30 am Boris Veytsman, GMU & AES ITT	*Drawing medical pedigree trees with TeX and PStricks*
	11:10 am Elizabeth Dearborn, Buffalo, NY	*TeX and medicine*
	11:50 am Bob Neveln & Bob Alps, Widener Univ.	*Writing and checking complete proofs in TeX*
	12:30 pm *lunch*	
	1:40 pm Stephen Moye, AMS	*A wayward wayfarer's way to TeX*
	2:20 pm Steve Peter, Beech Stave Press	*Introduction to memoir*
	3 pm *break*	
	3:10 pm panel: Barbara Beeton, Jim Hefferon, Mirko Janc, Jonathan Kew	moderator: *David Walden*
	≈ 4 pm *end*	
	7 pm *banquet* (at the Clarion hotel, Garden Room)	