

# Update on



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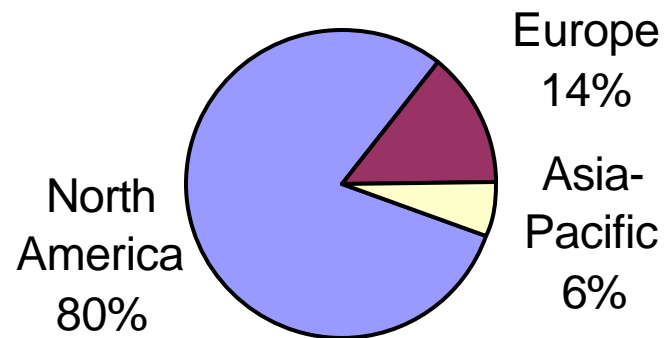
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Year	Location	Attendance
1999	Brisbane, Australia	210
2000	Chicago, USA	323
2001	Toulouse, France	312
2002	Kona, Hawaii, USA	267
2003	Ottawa, Canada	273 (*)

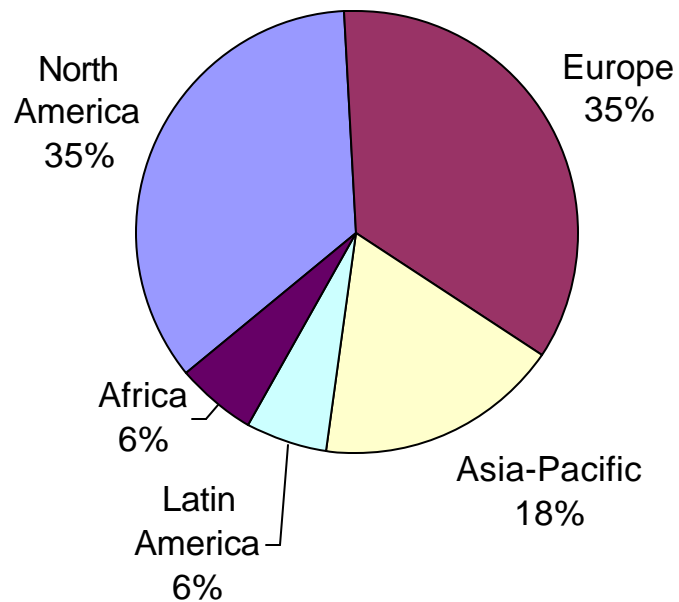
(\*) No visa for the Chinese delegation in 2003

# The FIRST Conf in Ottawa



## Origine of The Tutorial Speakers

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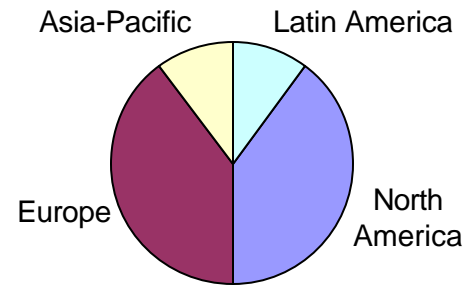


## The Chair

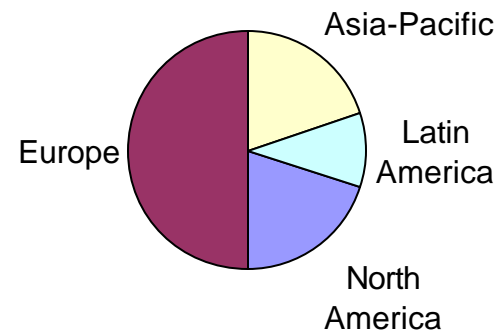
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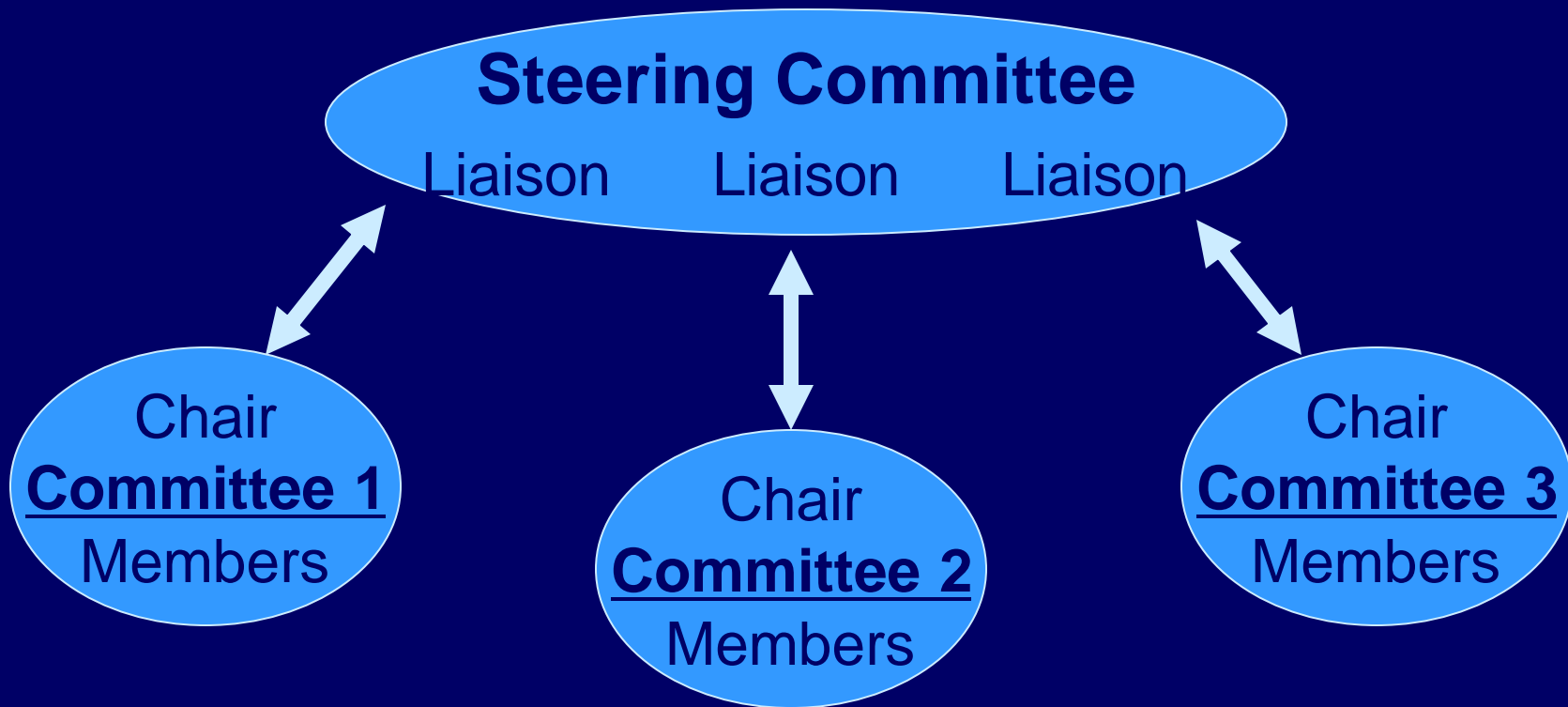
**Old Steering Committee**



**New Steering Committee**



# What's New ?



## The Method

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## Committees

### **Steering Committee**

*Chair:* Klaus-Peter  
Kossakowski

### **2004 Conference Program Committee**

*Chair:* Kathy Fithen  
*Liaison:* Claudia Natanson

### **TC Program Committee**

*Chair:* Steve Romig  
*Liaison:* FIRST Secretariat

### **Infrastructure Committee**

*Chair:* Wietse Venema  
*Liaison:* FIRST Secretariat

### **Newsletter Editorial Committee**

*Chair:* David Crochemore

### **Membership Committee**

*Chair:* Steve Hansen  
*Liaison:* Udo Schweigert

### **Email Policy Committee**

*Chair:* Mike Caudill

# What's New ?

## Projects

### **Web Site**

#### **Restructuring**

*Lead: Liliana Solha*

### **Microsoft FIRST**

#### **Responders Toolkit**

*Lead: Byron S. Collie*

*Liaison: Ian Cook*

### **UNIX FIRST**

#### **Responders Toolkit**

*Lead: Mowgli Assor*

*Liaison: Ian Cook*

### **Best Practice Guides**

*Liaison: Ian Cook*

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# Specific Interest Groups

## Motion 5

Specific Interest Groups can be recognized by FIRST. These Specific Interest Groups (SIG) must contain but are not restricted to FIRST Members. The internal organization of the recognized SIG remains freely decided by the SIGs themselves, including, if applicable, membership process, membership fees, terms of reference, goals and projects. The recognition of a SIG by FIRST leads to a mutual commitment between both organizations.

# Specific Interest Groups

## *Support from FIRST to the SIG*

FIRST may provide some logistical support to the group, such as:

- facilitating a meeting of the SIG during or adjacent to a FIRST event (conference or technical colloquium);
- providing the infrastructure for a mailing list, if necessary;
- publishing information on the SIG in the FIRST newsletter ;
- listing the SIG as a recognized SIG on the FIRST web site, and including appropriate links on a dedicated page ;
- facilitating the spread of the SIG deliverables to the Incident Response community ;
- providing information on FIRST and FIRST projects to the SIG on a regular basis.

# Specific Interest Groups

*Commitment from the SIG to the FIRST membership*

When a SIG is recognized by FIRST, it commits itself to:

- encourage its members to apply for FIRST membership;
- present its work, projects, and deliverables to the FIRST community during the conferences and/or TCs;

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# The World Summit on Information Society

- Organized by International Telecommunication Union (ITU) on behalf of the United Nations
- Two phases :
  - Geneva, December 2003
  - Tunis, November 2005
- Participants:
  - Governments
  - Private Sector
  - Civil Society -> FIRST is (probably) an accredited NGO for the WSIS