

## **Outrageous Ideas and/or Thoughts While Shaving**

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For this closing panel discussion, we will recruit a collection of participants from the attendees and organizers. Each will agree to present one or more outrageous ideas that are too wacky to get funded and/or incapable of being turned into least-publishable units (LPUs). Less adventuresome panelists can present their pet peeve about research activities pursued by other in the DBMS community. Risk averse panelists can discuss more mundane problems which they would like to work on if they had more time or were excused from department committees.

Each panelist will be encouraged to comment on the other panelist's ideas. At the conclusion of the discussion, we will have an award for the most outrageous idea as well as the most thoughtful one.

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