## Tenth NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Conference on Mass Storage Systems and Technologies

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## Nineteenth IEEE Symposium on Mass Storage Systems

The Inn and Conference Center University of Maryland, University College April 15-18, 2002

We now have the ability to create more data and at faster rates than ever before. This ability to create new digital content has started a revolution in information technology, with myriad technologies for storage, processing, and networks rapidly evolving to meet information system needs and requirements. This conference will look at these technological evolutions from a storage-centric point of view to present a roadmap of how they will impact the development and deployment of information storage and retrieval systems. This conference will give attendees a glimpse into the future from an engineering view rather then a marketing view, and will highlight the expected evolution of data storage technologies over the next three to five years. A Vendor Expo, however, will also feature commercial products and capabilities. Organizations interested in reserving space for the Vendor Expo should contact Ben Kobler at 301-614-5231 or kobler@gsfc.nasa.gov. Space will be assigned on a first come first served basis.

## **Registration Desk:** (Main concourse)

Monday, April 15, 2002	8:00 a.m 12:30 p.m., 5:00 p.m 7:30 p. m
Tuesday, April 16, 2002	8:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 17, 2002	8:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 18, 2002	8:00 a.m 12:00 noon.

**Tutorials**: (Main Auditorium)

Monday, April 15, 2002 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Symposium**: (Main Auditorium)

Tuesday, April 16, 2002	9:00 a.m 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 17, 2002	9:00 a.m 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 18, 2002	9:00 a.m 12:00 noon

**Vendor Expo**: (Founders, Chesapeake, and Ft. McHenry rooms)

Tuesday, April 16, 2002	10:30 a.m 9:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 17, 2002	8:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 18, 2002	8:00 a.m 3:30 p.m.

**Lunches**: (Founders, Chesapeake, and Ft. McHenry rooms)

Monday, April 15, 2002	12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.
Tuesday, April 16, 2002	12:30 p.m 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 17, 2002	12:30 p.m 2:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 18, 2002	12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.

The cost of lunch is included in the registration fee.

Welcome Reception: (Main concourse)

Monday, April 15, 2002 5:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Conference participants that arrive Monday, April 15, 2002, are invited to register early while enjoying some light refreshments. The cost for the reception is included in the registration fee.

**Evening Reception and Poster Session**: (Founders, Chesapeake, and Ft. McHenry rooms)

Tuesday, April 16, 2002 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

All Conference participants are invited to attend the Poster Session, while also enjoying some light refreshments. The cost for the reception is included in the registration fee.

Banquet: (Founders, Chesapeake, and Ft. McHenry rooms)

Wednesday, April 17, 2002

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Cocktail Reception 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Dinner

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. After Dinner Talk

The cost of the banquet is included in the registration fee.