

## **TUG'99**

## Vancouver, British Columbia August 15–19, 1999

The T<sub>E</sub>X Users Group is proud to announce the **twentieth** annual meeting will be held at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia, August 15–19, 1999.

The theme for the meeting has not been decided. There will be a contest held for the best theme and the winner will be announced at TUG '98, Toruń, Poland.

The Program Committee is interested in focusing on "state-of-the-art" TEX/LATEX, providing practical information on using macro packages, installing and using existing software tools, announcing new macro packages, new software tools or new approaches using TEX/LATEX. We are committed to making this conference one in which each presentation or workshop adds value for the publishing professional—author, publisher, consultant, and developer. To better serve the TUG community, the Program Committee would like to provide parallel sessions. For example, a paper may be presented about "LATEX  $2_{\varepsilon}$ : Improving Table/Figure Macros", which would go into technical detail about these macros. At the same time a workshop could be provided with step-by-step instructions for placing your tables and figures in the best location.

We encourage everyone to consider attending and presenting, especially publishers, commercial vendors of TeX, and consultants. We intend to provide a time for each to discuss or display their services and/or products.

We plan to provide full courses the week before the conference. Topics, dates, instructors to be announced later.

## Deadlines

October 17, 1998: (maximum 1 page each; 12pt fonts)

Submit abstracts for paper presentations Submit workshop description, objectives,

and prerequisites

December 18, 1998: Notification of acceptance

March 12, 1999: Preliminary papers due

July 16, 1999: Preprint deadline

**August 15–19, 1999:** TUG'99 Meeting

Please send all information regarding paper/workshop submissions to: tug99-pc@zebra.us.udel.edu.