

TABLEAUX 2025 PC cochair and LO chair report

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Programme committee, invited speaker selection

- 27 PC members, out of which 10 entirely new
- 2023: 44, 2021: 40, 2019: 43, 2017: 37, 2015: 21
- 14 people were nominated as invited speaker candidates (avoiding TABLEAUX invited speakers of past 10 years)
- Who to invite decided by voting

Paper submissions and review process

- Submission stats:
 - 51 abstracts
 - 47 full submissions (of which 2 short papers)
 - 26 accepted (no short papers), 1 withdrawn post-acceptance
- 2023: 25/43, 2021: 26/46, 2019: 26/43, 2017: 19/27
- Each paper got at least 3 reviews, several got 4
- Relatively few subreviewers

Registrations

- Registration stats
 - Early: regular 23, reduced 4
 - Early Tbl+Fro: regular 11, reduced 2
 - Late: regular 1, reduced 1
 - Late Tbl+Fro: –
 - Online Tbl+Fro: presenters 2, other 10
- Interesting sociological differences between TABLEUX and FroCOS/ITP!

Organization

- Challenges, uncertainties
 - Iceland is not exactly cheap, but you want to be hospitable
 - Classrooms are a huge problem at this uni term time
 - Sept is still high tourist season in Iceland (I wanted Oct)
 - High cost of accommodation makes it difficult to predict how many people can afford to come
- RU has almost nil bureaucracy and the administration is friendly, which is great
- But the events people don't really help you a lot

Budget

- Had to be completely safe with budget, so planned very conservatively
- 200 EUR (+ fees) was the Springer charge for Golden OA per accepted paper for us this year
- But: Springer gives a significant amount of the money back for best paper awards
- Govt of Iceland Iceproof grant contributes to invited speaker costs of ITP but also Tbl+FroCos
- Regular early reg fee 500 EUR, with dinner 600 EUR. This is cheap!
- Reduced fee for students and retired participants 30 pct cheaper, but no discount on dinner
- Registration went better than projected, so we could afford more niceties than first anticipated

Thanks for coming to Reykjavik