

DYALOG

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Welcome to Dyalog'23

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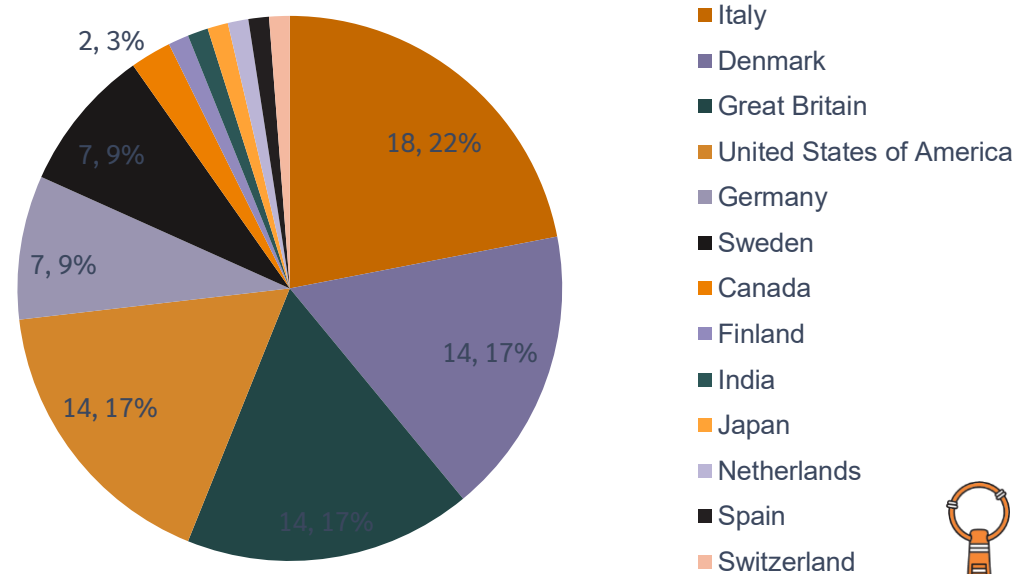
CEO



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Country	Count
Italy	18
Denmark	14
Great Britain	14
United States of America	14
Germany	7
Sweden	7
Canada	2
Finland	1
India	1
Japan	1
Netherlands	1
Spain	1
Switzerland	1

Registrations By Country



Welcome to Dyalog'23

- A special welcome to our two competition winners:
 - Andrea Pisera, Student winner
 - Alexander Block, Professional winner
- About a quarter of us are here for the first time and a warm welcome to you
- About a third of us are from Dyalog



Welcome to Dyalog

- and yes Dyalog is growing:

Stefan

Jada

Abs

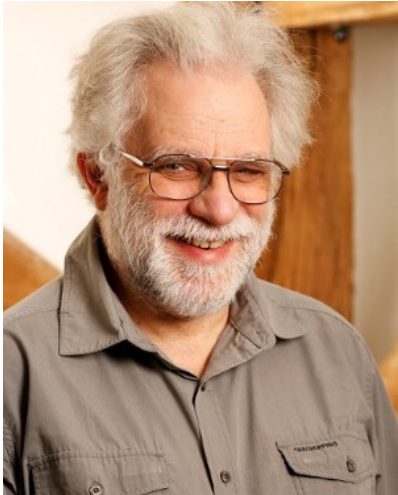
Aarush

Mike



Goodbye to

Geoff



Gitte



Hello to

- ◆ Should you be worried?
- ◆ I am not!
- ◆ January 1st 2024, Stine Kromberg will take over as CEO of Dyalog Ltd
- ◆ We have spent the last couple of years making sure that the transition will be smooth

Stine



Dyalog

- ◆ Dyalog is growing
- ◆ Most of our income is tied to our customers success and our customers are doing well
- ◆ We spend every predictable penny and cent on keeping Dyalog APL up-to-date and on spreading the word about APL



Dyalog

- ◆ Most years there is also some unpredicted income which benefits the shareholders
- ◆ Warren Buffett — *'Games are won by players who focus on the playing field -- not by those whose eyes are glued to the scoreboard.'*
- ◆ Our eyes are focused on APL and its potential



The APL Trust Fund

- ◆ This brings me to the first of two things I would like to get off the ground before I retire:

The APL Trust Fund



The APL Trust fund

- ◆ APL is a rewarding career in many ways
 - ◆ You learn a lot
 - ◆ Which you can easily express to a computer
 - ◆ Very often prosperous
- ◆ Morten and I personally, and Dyalog in general would like to pay something forward



The APL Trust Fund

- ◆ We believe there are like minded individuals out there who has worked with, enjoyed and prospered from APL –who also want to “Pay it forward!”
- ◆ The Dyalog Board has approved the initial funding to create a charitable Fund with the purpose of promoting APL for the benefit of Education and Science!
- ◆ *The Charity's objects are restricted specifically for the public benefit, to promote the advancement of education and research in the fields of science and mathematics, particularly by raising awareness of the programming language known as 'APL' and funding related research*



The APL Trust Fund

- The Trust Fund will be created as a charitable company, a legal entity, which will be registered as a charitable fund with the UK Charity Commission upon approval.
- The company will hold the assets pledged to the fund and is obliged to report to the Companies House like any other company
- The Company is also obliged to comply with the rules and regulations of the Charity Commission.



The APL Trust Fund

- We now have the articles of association ready for approval by the government. It can take a while - at least a couple of months.
- There are still some questions we need to research, but once everything is in place and approved there will be a website inviting members and informing about the proceedings of the fund.
- All communication with the Fund will be by digital means as well as most meetings of the board and committees.



The APL Trust Fund

- We hope that some of you will support the APL Trust Fund
- Maybe even become active in the work

- Please let us know



The new Website

- Who would have thought it could take so long to do
- Well it took just as long last time
- Back then we made a really good website for our customers
- For newcomers it was probably more confusing than informative about APL and Dyalog



The new Website

- ◆ We are doing our best to make it better this time
- ◆ We have promised each other that we will launch before New Year 2024
- ◆ [Let me give you a preview](#)
- ◆ Let us know what you think when it is there



Feedback

- ◆ Your feedback makes a difference!
- ◆ User Meeting Feedback this year is online (URLs/QR codes provided)
 - ◆ Access through the Dyalog '23 webpages
 - ◆ [Feedback](#) tab and links in **Programme** tab
 - ◆ Paper-based alternatives are available for presentations (please only feed back on each presentation once!)
- ◆ Password: **D23**
- ◆ Please press **Done** when complete



New Book on APL

- Ray Polivka has just finished a new introductory book to APL
- It is targeted at Highschool students
- It is not yet published (but I have a preview copy)
- Watch the website for news on this



Welcome to Dyalog'23

- ◆ Thank you all for being here
- ◆ Welcome again to all of our first timers – I wish you a long and rewarding career with APL and just as much fun as I have had.
- ◆ Enjoy Dyalog'23

