Pass the SALT 2018

1 year: time to share some feedback
10 years inside the RMLL conf
memories, friends, tons of work
100s talks
achievements

→ https://2018.pass-the-salt.org/achievements/
- technical tracks were less and less welcome
- reinventing the wheel each year
  → pleasure
- number of attendees
GOALS

. Focus on setting up bridges between communities
. Speaking to more people (& less already convinced people!)
. Having fun again!
@passthesaltcon I'm developing a reverse engineering syndrome: I've just reversed giggity to check it doesn't contain malware and then realized its source code is online ;/ ok I do confirm it is not malicious + source code matches the reversed code ;P + amusing log msg

They reverse app **before** checking if the source code is available!
Some challenges

→ which location? will people come?
→ will speakers submit?
→ will sponsors trust us?
→ will we (4 ppl) handle the load?
Q1: *will people come to Lille?*

→ *210 attendees*

(full booking < 5 days)

Q2: *a too small org team?*

4 ppl core team (1 local + 3 remote)

+ 5 more ppl on site for the D-Day ops

Some keys?

→ *Lead, trust and pleasure :)*
Q3 pleasure for tech people?
→ having efficient tools and full control on them to be able to « Do the Right Thing(tm) » efficiently

TODO: setting up our own association to be fully autonomous
Call for Papers:

37 talks and workshops submitted

curated talks: 4
Call for Papers:

9 sessions ↔ bridges between communities
(RE, devsec, web, network etc)

privacy, digital freedoms
Some figures:
- Breaks: 2400€
- Travel reimbursements: 1500-2000€
- Speakers dinner: 1500€
- Social event: 1500€
- Entry: 0€

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