

Call for proposals to organise the

## BETTY Summer School 2016

### Background

COST Action IC1201: Behavioural Types for Reliable Large-Scale Software Systems (BETTY) will sponsor a summer school in 2016. In order to start planning the summer school, the Management Committee meeting in September 2015 needs to make a decision about the location and local organiser. The length of the summer school is expected to be one week, although up to two weeks can be considered. Information about the 2014 summer school is at [summerschool2014.behavioural-types.eu](http://summerschool2014.behavioural-types.eu).

### Possible countries

Because the COST organisation likes to diversify the locations of events, and because of the places in which we have had previous BETTY meetings, we need to organise the 2016 Summer School in one of the designated “inclusiveness countries”. These are: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Serbia, Turkey.

### Call for proposals

We would like to receive proposals from individuals or groups who are interested in organising the BETTY Summer School 2016. Please submit a document including the following points.

- The location and venue, and their facilities. This does not have to be the home institution of the local organiser; indeed, the venue does not have to be an academic institution. However, please consider the cost and the practicalities of the venue. The venue will need a suitable lecture room. There will need to be accommodation on site or nearby, both low-cost accommodation for participants and suitable accommodation for lecturers.
- A description of the local organiser or local organising team and their relevant experience.
- An estimate of the cost, presented as a likely cost per participant per day for the local facilities including accommodation and catering.
- Details of preferred or likely dates for the summer school, and an indication that the venue will be available for those dates.
- Ideas about the format of the summer school: number of courses, daily programme, extra-curricular activities etc. You do not have to suggest specific lecturers or courses at this stage, but you can do so if you want to.
- Explain whether you are proposing to also organise the scientific programme, or whether you will need the BETTY Management Committee to form a scientific organising committee.

### Submission instructions

Please submit your proposal to the Chair of BETTY, Simon Gay <[Simon.Gay@glasgow.ac.uk](mailto:Simon.Gay@glasgow.ac.uk)>, by Wednesday 24th June 2015. If several proposals are received, we will ask proposers to give short presentations of their proposals at the BETTY Management Committee meeting during the first week of September, at the CONCUR conference in Madrid.