

Resources

RISC Conference in San Francisco

If you're really tired of hearing "68K-this" and "x86-that," spend some time at the second annual RISC '93 conference on March 16–18. The program offers a smorgasbord of tutorials, lectures, demos, and "rap sessions" featuring experts from all of the leading RISC vendors. The schedule provides for "total immersion" with activities available from 8:30 AM until 9:30 PM. Participants will learn about major products in the SPARC, MIPS, 29000, and the i960 families, as well as up-and-coming architectures such as PA-RISC, Alpha, POWER, ARM, and Hobbit. The conference will be held at the Hyatt Regency hotel near the San Francisco Airport.

Registration for the three-day conference is \$695. Contact RISC '93, 1 Technology Park, PO Box 990, Westford, MA 01886; 508/392-2124, fax 508/692-7780.

Sun Shines in San Francisco

SunWorld '93, to be held May 10–13 at Moscone Center in San Francisco, will feature an exposition with over 175 companies displaying SPARC software, hardware, peripherals, and services. The show includes a conference program from Tuesday through Thursday with four tracks: current solutions, future directions, system management, and interoperability. On Monday, Sun will offer one-day tutorials on a variety of technical topics. Speakers include Scott McNealy himself, Andy Heller of HaL, and Adobe president Charles Geschke.

Early registration (by 4/15) is \$495 for the conference or \$695 with the tutorials. Exhibit-only tickets are free before 4/15. Contact SunWorld '93, PO Box 3500-83, Boston, MA 02241; 800/225-4698, fax 508/872-8237.

Market Report on Embedded Control

A new report on *The 32-Bit Embedded Control Market* analyzes market segments for 32-bit processors, includ-

ing high-growth areas like printers, internetworking, X-terminals, automobiles, and consumer devices. It also compares various RISC and CISC processors competing in these areas. The report costs \$1950 from Desktop Strategies, 23190 Ravensbury Avenue, Los Altos, CA 94022; 415/948-3927, fax 415/948-3590.

An Embedded Conference in the East...

The popular Embedded Systems Conference is holding its first-ever East Coast show in Atlanta on April 6–8 at the Stouffer Waverly hotel. Sponsored by *Embedded Systems Programming* magazine, the multi-track conference features presentations by vendors and other industry experts on topics such as microcontrollers, peripherals, fuzzy logic, real-time operating systems, and programming. The first day is devoted to technical tutorials. The show also includes a vendor exposition.

Attendance at the two-day conference costs \$695 (before 3/26), or \$995 including the tutorials. An exhibit pass is free before 3/26. Contact ARI, Suite 104, 1420 MacArthur Drive, Carrollton, TX 75007; 214/245-6012, fax 214/245-8700.

...and Another Embedded in the West

The Embedded Computer Conference (ECC) will be held at the Santa Clara Convention Center (near San Jose) on April 13–16. The first day features workshops on embedded SPARC applications and embedded PC issues. The rest of the week features sessions on Alpha, PA-RISC, the 29200, the i960, Ramtron, VME, Futurebus, Multibus, and many others. The attached exposition features OEMs and system integrators.

Early registration (by 3/15) for the three-day show is \$465, or \$595 including Tuesday's workshops. Contact BAV Expositions, 85 Washington Street, South Norwalk, CT 06854; 203/831-9444, fax 203/838-1447.