



Welcome to the ECML/PKDD 2014 PhD session

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ECML/PKDD 2014 PhD session in a nutshell

- the first edition of a PhD session at ECML/PKDD
- **goal:** exchange in an interactive atmosphere around the work of PhD students
- 23 submissions: 8 accepted for oral presentation, 11 for poster presentation
- **program:** invited talk, oral presentations (+ optional poster), spotlight + poster presentations

<https://phdsession-ecmlpkdd2014.greyc.fr/>
(including proceedings)

What is a PhD session?

The goal of a PhD session is different from the goal of a “mini conference”.

A PhD session emphasizes:

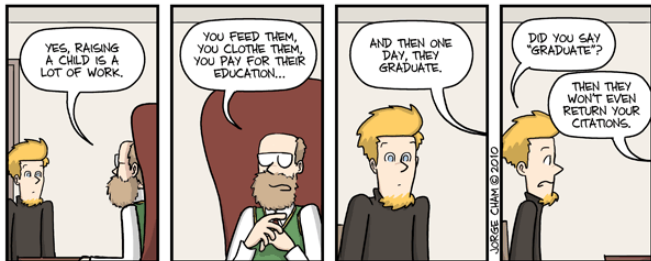
- paper presentations aim to discuss the thesis proposals and works (e.g., give your research hypothesis, explain how you (plan to) solve the problem)
- feedback on the PhD work from the reviewers/audience
- exchange with the audience not only on the work but also on the PhD student [life](#) in ML/DM
 - ➡ go back with take home messages (e.g., get interactions and networking is a major goal when attending a conference)
 - (other take home messages will follow from the invited talk)

Program

- introduction
- 10:25—11:20: Invited talk: Bart Goethals



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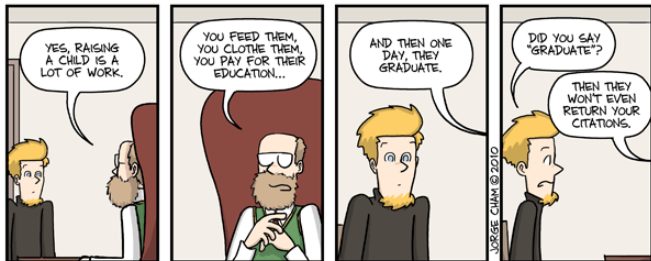
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- 12:00—13:00: poster session: spotlights + posters
- 14:00—16:00: oral presentations (5 papers) and conclusion

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Special thanks to:

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- the invited speaker
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