

# Conference Attendance 1 2018/19

## Post Conference report

Application 00005 From Ms Lina Hao

## Conference Report

### Conference attended

The 43rd IEEE Conference on Local Computer Networks (LCN)  
This question is read only.

### Location of the Conference

Chicago, USA

### Start Date

01/10/2019

Must be a date.

### Finish Date

04/10/2018

Must be a date.

### What were the highlight and mane takeaways of this conference?

Our paper was presented on Wednesday, October 3 13:30 - 15:00 in the session "Adaptive networking applications" chaired by Kyong Jin Shim.

The main takeaways were around security of networks and this was evident from the keynote presentation by Klara Nahrstedt and also significant discussions on security in the panels session I attended entitled "What Blockchain offers for Networking Community".

What were the favorite sessions, any contacts you made, etc.

### What were the lowlights of the conference?

Some of the session papers were not thematically grouped and therefore some sessions I attended had very shallow discussions. Other sessions for example Green networking and IoT had much livelier discussions, I successfully made contact with two researchers in USA and look forward to pursue some work with them (together with my supervisor).

What would you do differently?

### How will you plan to share your learnings with the New Zealand Internet Community?

I am planning to participate in NetHui 2019 and also Australasian Computer Science Week in 2019 to disseminate the ideas we have developed in the paper. Moreover, we are also in talks with local industry partner Aviat (in Lower Hutt) and MetaSwitch (in Wellington) to explore further research opportunities.

**We'd love to see some visual and audio representations of your work. Please share below.**

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## Financial Report

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### Project Income & Expenditure

Please provide details of any project income (funds received) and project expenditure (funds spent) to date.

Use the 'Notes' column to provide any additional information you think we should be aware of.

Income Description	Income Amount (\$)	Notes
Funding from InternetNZ	\$3,600.00	Funding from InternetNZ
Funding from Faculty of Engineering VUW	\$3,500.00	Funding from VUW
Funding from Supervisor - Bryan Ng	\$80.50	Funding from supervisor
Can be grants, donations, personal funds etc.		

Expenditure Description	Expenditure Type	Expenditure Amount (\$)	Notes
Registration fee	Conference registration fees *	\$1,250.00	as quoted in proposal
Accommodation	Accommodation	\$2,370.00	as quoted in proposal
Visa	Other expenditure (add note please)	\$240.00	USA visa
Domestic travel	Other expenditure (add note please)	\$220.00	Bus, taxi

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Flights	Flights	\$3,100.49	as quoted in proposa 

### Income and Expenditure Totals

<b>Total Income Amount</b>	<b>Total Expenditure Amount</b>	<b>Income - Expenditure</b>
\$7,180.50 This number/amount is calculated.	\$7,180.49 This number/amount is calculated.	\$0.01 This number/amount is calculated.

**Have you experienced any issues with your intended project budget to date? If so, please explain reasons for any major variances or for providing incomplete information:**

No issues, supervisor topped up funding to pay for NZD 40 transport costs.

### Feedback

#### Feedback

You are almost at the end of our application process. Before **submitting** your application, please take a few moments to provide some feedback.

**Please indicate how you found the acquittal process:**

Very easy  Easy  Neutral  Difficult  Very Difficult

**How many minutes in total did it take you to complete this form?**

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Estimate in minutes (i.e. 1 hour = 60 minutes)

**Please provide us with your suggestions about any improvements and/or additions to this form that you think we need to consider:**

The process was easy enough.