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The Corporation for Education Network Initiatives in California (CENIC) invites you to attend its 10th annual conference, *Your Connection to the World*.

Quite possibly the most important networking and educational event of the year, CENIC 2006 provides an opportunity to connect with California's key high-performance networking professionals – educators, researchers, business people and government representatives – and help advance the vision of tomorrow's Internet.

The conference offers three days of stimulating tracks, influential speakers and a rich array of collaborative panels set in a modern venue with commanding views of the bay and skyline of San Francisco, as well as both the Golden Gate and Bay Bridges.



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Keynote Speakers:



Francine Berman, Ph.D.

Dr. Francine Berman, director of the San Diego Supercomputer Center (SDSC) and professor of computer science and engineering at UC San Diego, is a pioneer and international leader in Grid Computing and a leader in the national effort to build a comprehensive modern cyber-infrastructure to support research in science and engineering. In her roles as university professor, SDSC Director, National Partnership for Advanced Computational Infrastructure (NPACI) Director, and TeraGrid Principal Investigator, Dr. Berman provides leadership and vision for a broad set of international initiatives in Grid and High Performance Computing and continues to make both deep and broad contributions to modern science and technology. In May 2004, she was recognized by *BusinessWeek* magazine as one of the top women in technology.



Scott Bradner

Scott Bradner, Senior Technical Consultant and University Technology Security Officer at Harvard University, has been involved in the design, operation and use of data networks at Harvard since the early days of the ARPANET. He was involved in the design of the original Harvard data networks, the Longwood Medical Area network (LMANet) and New England Academic and Research Network (NEARnet), as well as founding chair of the technical committees of LMANet, NEARnet and the Corporation for Research and Enterprise Network (CoREN). In his role as University Technology Security Officer, Bradner helps the University community deal with technology-related privacy and security issues. He also provides technical advice and guidance on issues relating to the Harvard data networks and new technologies. He founded the Harvard Network Device Test Lab, is a frequent speaker at technical conferences, and a weekly columnist for *Network World*.