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I'm looking for one or two speakers for a panel on "Authorization, Authentication, & Security" at the Seminar on Academic Computing at Snowmass, Colorado. The session is on Tuesday morning, August 9, the conference is August 7 - 10.

Steve Lerman recommended that I contact you about a presentation (or two) on the Athena authentication server, Kerberos (is that spelled right?). The other two speakers are Bob Cosgrove (Director of Computing Systems at CMU) for the technical side, and Chris Thyberg (Andrew Consulting Manager, CMU) - for the user side.

The program committee was interested only in MIT and CMU and it's up to the speakers to decide how to structure the panel presentations. The session is an hour and half. The audience will be fairly broad, definitely not USENIX-like. They will range from small-college microcomputer managers to fairly savvy vice president for computing types from big universities. The conference itself is quite general, aimed at computing administrators, and very laid-back -- it's impossible to be otherwise in Snowmass!

So, who wants to get out of hot, muggy, old Cambridge in August to spend a week in the Rockies..blue sky...beautiful mountains..cool evenings....hiking...swimming...balloon rides...oh yeah, and a little unix....?
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