

A new MBONE tool is presented, which allows a speaker to tune in to loosely coupled multicast conferences. Participants may submit a written topic to the chairman and may later be invited to speak. While collecting the requests, the chair disseminates the candidate list by multicast, using an SRM approach. When a speaker is invited, its media are remotely controlled by confcntrl. Use of the new tool is announced by sdr, enhanced by specific plug-in files.