

Earning Applause: Delightful CLIs with clap

- **Speaker:** Jack Brown
- **Room:** HC 203
- **Time:** Sat 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm
- **Format:** Lecture (30 Min + Q&A) — Live Event
- **Difficulty:** Introductory / Some experience required
- **Track:** Development & Dev Tools
- **Presenter Location:** In-person
- **Experience:** several-th time speaking
- **At:** at lfnw

Description:

Do you love Command Line Interfaces — or have you hated at least one? This talk takes a fast, opinionated tour through what makes a CLI delightful (or dreadful), with real examples from the wild. From ergonomics to error messages to the subtle art of not surprising your users, Jack breaks down the ingredients of a great terminal experience.

Then the focus shifts to the Rust ecosystem, showcasing how the **clap** crate can help you build expressive, user-friendly, applause-worthy CLIs. Attendees will see how clap's features can elevate tooling even if they aren't heavy Rust users today

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