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FOSSY 2026

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**Vancouver, Canada
August 6-9, 2026**

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For our fourth annual Free and Open Source Yearly Conference, we've shifted northward and are moving from Portland to the beautiful University of British Columbia campus in Vancouver, Canada.

The UBC community's longstanding support for Free and Open Source Software has helped to make Vancouver an emerging tech hub and highlight of the Pacific Northwest. We are partnering with UBC and IEEE Vancouver to attract both students and local tech professionals, while also opening up invitations world wide.

Many of our attendees look forward to coming back year after year to build on the connections they've made.



FOSSY is hosted by Software Freedom Conservancy, whose focus on ethical technology and cross-community collaboration makes a conference like FOSSY a natural outflow of their initiative to make technology more inclusive and bring people together under FOSS.

We hope that you not only help make FOSSY possible with your generous contributions, but also attend and become a part of the North American home for annual in-person discussion, advancement, and gathering of Free and Open Source Software and its communities.

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Tiered Sponsorships:

Western Red Cedar: \$30,000 USD/\$41,000 CAD

Sponsor booth, 8 employee tickets

20% discount on additional sponsorship

Top tier acknowledgment on materials

Sitka Spruce: \$10,000 USD/\$13,500 CAD

4 employee tickets

10% discount on additional sponsorship

Middle tier acknowledgment on materials

Douglas Fir: \$7,000 USD/\$9,500 CAD

2 employee tickets

Lowest tier acknowledgment on materials

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Focused Sponsorships:

Social Event: \$10,000 USD/\$13,500 CAD

Includes acknowledgment at entrance of social event

Coffee Break: \$5,000 USD/\$6,500 CAD

Includes acknowledgment on refreshment table

A/V Support: \$20,000 USD/\$27,000 CAD

Includes acknowledgment slide in keynote room

Quiet Room: \$3,000 USD/\$4,000 CAD

Includes acknowledgment on door of Quiet Room

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Booth information

We expect FOSSY's commitment to free and open source to be a big draw for our attendees. Most of our booths will be allocated to non-profit organizations or FOSS projects, except for those at the Western Red Cedar sponsorship tier. We expect sponsor's booths to receive extra attention for that reason. These booths will be labeled as sponsorship booths, and while we do not prohibit exhibitors from using or featuring proprietary software in their booths, we do ask that it is indicated as non-free.



Software Freedom Conservancy

Software Freedom Conservancy is a United States 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. A portion of the Tiered sponsorships can be considered a tax-deductable donation to the organization, as allowable by U.S. law.

SFC's mission is to ensure the right to repair, improve, and reinstall software. We promote and defend these rights through fostering FOSS projects, driving initiatives that actively make technology more inclusive, and advancing policy strategies that defend FOSS (such as copyleft licensing).

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