

Reminder

- We lost volunteers and muscle memory during the pandemic
- We largely managed to run 2023 smoothly
- 2024 should be much better, but stuff might still break

Please volunteer!

- Sign up at https://volunteers.fosdem.org/
- As is tradition: If you help clean up Sunday evening
 - Keep all network cable you remove under staff guidance
 - Dinner for all teardown volunteers on Sunday night starting between 22:00 to 24:00



If you need help / who does what

- Yellow shirts: FOSDEM staff
- Blue shirts: Devroom managers (specific to a devroom)
- Green shirts: Video team
- Orange shirts: Volunteers for ALL the things

NB: Shirt order got messed up, not all of us might be color-coded

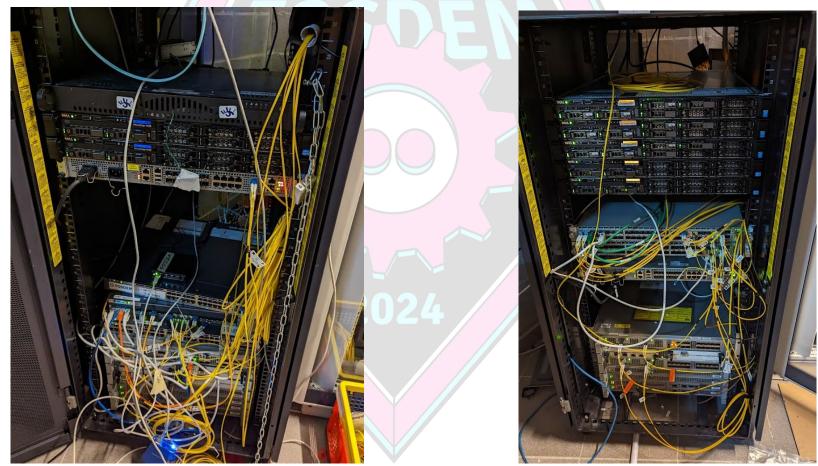


https://nav.fosdem.org

Infodesk

- https://nav.fosdem.org/l/c:1:133.0:269.65/
 - Conference booklet
 - Maps
 - Donations
 - Questions
- Matrix: infodesk:fosdem.org
- Email: info@fosdem.org





Network

- FOSDEM
 - IPv6-only first non-network large-scale conference network to be so
 - NAT64 & DNS64
 - Fix yo bugs!
- FOSDEM-Dualstack
 - IPv4 & IPv6



Lightning talk track, H.2215 (Ferrer), Sunday 16:25

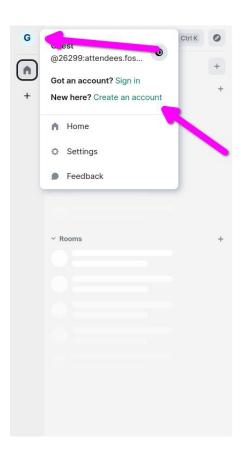
These are open networks – Encrypt your traffic

Social interaction

HALLWAY TRACK - WEEEEEeeeee!!!!

- Matrix (primary)
 - https://chat.fosdem.org/
 - You can use your own account...
 - ..or register a temporary one with us
- IRC (reasonable effort)
 - ircs://irc.libera.chat
 - https://web.libera.chat/

https://fosstodon.org/@fosdem





8000+ hackers = 600+ lectures = lightning talks = devrooms = beer

Welcome to FOSDEM 2024!

Welcome to our fully virtual version of the ULB, thanks to the amazing people at Matrix.org! FOSDEM is spread out over a lot of rooms at *chat.fosdem.org*. Use the webapp for the best experience.

Visit the main conference floor to see all rooms or visit the schedule to find out what's on in each room. Then click on your favourite room, sit back and enjoy the talk.

Confused? Unsure how to proceed? Visit the practical information page, look in the FAQ or talk to a human at the Infodesk!

FOSDEM 2024 Conference Space

To the main tracks

To the devrooms

Like and subscribe!

#FOSDEM

https://fosstodon.org/@fosdem

(I'll post the photo from the opening talk soon)



Schedule

- https://fosdem.org/schedule/
- https://fosdem.org/schedule/mobile/
- Native App(lication)s for
 - Android
 - KDE Plasma
 - o Qt
 - Sailfish
 - GTK

2024

Someone do Apple?

Schedule

- 862 events (+118)
- 933 speakers (+146)
- 67 tracks/devrooms
- 62 project stands (+5)
- 32 lightning talks (-5)

Schedule - Devrooms

Al and Machine Learning devroom, APIs & friends devroom, Collaboration and Content Management devroom, Community devroom, Confidential Computing devroom, Containers devroom, DNS devroom, Debuggers and analysis tools devroom, Declarative and Minimalistic Computing devroom, Designing Futures of FOSS Content Management with the Open Website Alliance devroom, Distributions devroom, Embedded, Mobile and Automotive devroom, Emulator devroom, Energy: Reimagining this Ecosystem through Open Source devroom, Erlang, Elixir, Gleam and Friends devroom, FOSS Educational Programming Languages devroom, FOSS on Mobile Devices devroom, Free Java devroom, GCC devroom, Go devroom, Graphics devroom, HPC, Big Data & Data Science devroom, Identity and Access Management devroom, JavaScript devroom, Kernel devroom, LLVM devroom, Legal and Policy Issues devroom, Libre-SOC, FPGA and VLSI devroom, Matrix devroom

Schedule - Devrooms

Microkernel and Component-based OS devroom, Modern Email devroom, Monitoring & Observability devroom, Mozilla devroom, Network devroom, Nix and NixOS devroom, Open Hardware and CAD/CAM devroom, Open Media devroom, Open Research devroom, Open Source Design devroom, Open Source Firmware, BMC and Bootloader devroom, Open Source In The European Legislative Landscape devroom, Perl and Raku devroom, PostgreSQL devroom, Public Code and Digital Public Goods devroom, Python Devroom devroom, RISC-V devroom, Railways and Open Transport devroom, Real Time Communications (RTC) devroom, Retrocomputing devroom, Ruby devroom, Rust devroom, Software Bill of Materials devroom, Software Defined Storage devroom, Software-Defined Radio and Amateur Radio devroom, Testing and Continuous delivery devroom, Tool the docs devroom, Translations devroom, Virtualization and Cloud Infrastructure devroom, Web Performance devroom

Schedule - Stands

https://fosdem.org/stands/

AlmaLinux, Ansible, Automotive Grade Linux, Badge. Team, CentOS, RDO and OKD, CERN Open Source, Checkmk, CiviCRM, Codeberg, Code Your Future, coreboot / flashrom / EDKII / OpenBMC, Debian, Droidian + CalyxOS, Fedora Project, FOSSASIA, FreeCAD, Free Software Foundation Europe, GNOME, GNU HEALTH PROJECT, GNU Radio + IQEngine, Google Summer of Code 20th year stand, Grafana, HAM Radio, Homebrew, ISRG - Let's Encrypt, Prossimo & Divvi Up, Jenkins, Joplin, KDE, Kodi, La Contre-Voie, LibreOffice, Linux Foundation Europe, Linux on Mobile, MariaDB Server, Mastodon, Matrix.org Foundation, Mautic, Minetest, Mozilla, Nextcloud: Self-hosted, open file sync & communication platform, Nix and NIxOS, NLnet Foundation, Open Culture Foundation+ Taiwan open source community, openHAB, Open Source Design, Open-source fitness: wger + Feeel, OpenTofu, Percona LLC, PINE64, PostgreSQL, Proxmox Virtual Environment, Prusa Research, Realtime Lounge, Rocky Linux / Rocky Enterprise, Software Freedom Conservancy, The OpenSSL Project, Thunderbird, wolfSSL

(no) hacker room

- Please use the cafeteria: https://nav.fosdem.org/l/chez theo/
- We didn't have enough rooms this year (as always)
- Old hacker room is reserved DO NOT ENTER



Etiquette

- Form an orderly queue (but don't block pathways!)
- Follow instructions from staff & volunteers
- Staff & volunteers may be in a hurry make way when you can
- Consider letting staff & volunteers skip the food queue

Staff & volunteers will do food runs for Infodesk/NOC/VOC – they will skip the food queues for that purpose

Etiquette





Watch the live stream on fosdem.org/schedule/streaming!

Find other rooms on nav.fosdem.org.

Feedback

There are feedback links throughout the schedule

feedback@fosdem.org

First Aid

- https://nav.fosdem.org/l/a:985/
- Red cross
- Building K, level 2, corridor to the right



Health & Safety

- Some of you are sick, right now
 - Some with COVID-19
- Some of you will fall sick while here
 - Some with COVID-19
- Some of you will fall sick at home
 - Some with COVID-19

Health & Safety

- FOSDEM flu is real
 - Personally speaking, I have been ill after 50%+ of my FOSDEMs
- Wearing masks is optional, but recommended
- We have free masks at the infodesk

If you feel sick, go to your hotel/home, and stay there.





25 years celebration

- If you have old FOSDEM (or OSDEM) shirts, please bring them next year
 - The older the more important
 - Staff, volunteer, etc shirts, too
- If you grew out of them, consider bringing them for old or new friends who fit
- We will figure out a group photo on Sunday, next year

Code of Conduct

- https://fosdem.org/practical/conduct/
- conduct@fosdem.org
- +32 2 788 74 73
- Ask any staff

Thanks

- All volunteers
- All devroom managers
- All speakers
- All staff















Donations

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Be excellent to each other