

Open-Source Software in Education, Research & Development, and IT Systems



Faculty of Management Science and Informatics of the University of Žilina
in cooperation with the **Society for Open Information Technologies (SOIT)**, the associations
CSTUG, Czech Statistical Society, Geocommunity and the company **InoHub Energy**

are organizing the 14th edition of the conference



OSSConf 2026



The conference will take place at the premises of the Faculty of Management Science and Informatics in Žilina, Slovakia, on

1. July – 3. July 2026

The aim of our conference is to provide a space for informing about new developments in open-source software and open technologies, about possibilities for using these tools in science and education, and also to provide a space for an informal, friendly gathering of users and supporters of open information technologies.

On the occasion of the conference, a proceedings volume will be published. We accept authors' contributions either as non-reviewed papers, for which we publish only the abstract or as reviewed papers, which will be assessed by two independent reviewers. The prescribed template for writing papers in the T_EX/L_AT_EX typesetting system is available on the conference website: <https://ossconf.fri.uniza.sk/pre-autorov/>. We accept submissions in Slovak, Czech or English.

Important dates

Reviewed papers: until 10. June 2026.
Abstracts of non-reviewed talks: until 20. June 2026.

Sections

Open AI

L^AT_EX, R and Their Friends

OSS Development

OSS in Education

Open GIS & Open Data

Open Hardware

and, premiering this year, a new section

Cybersecurity

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