



CPOSOC

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA OPEN SOURCE CONFERENCE
2016

Sponsorship Prospectus

November 19, 2016
The Ware Center at Millersville University
Downtown Lancaster, PA



The **Central PA Open Source Conference (CPOSC)** is a one-day technical conference for open source developers and users covering all aspects of open source technologies, with presentations and panels ranging from novice to expert skill levels and featuring case studies, best practices, code-alongs and more.

Now in its 8th year, CPOSC 2016 will be held on **Saturday, November 19**, at **The Ware Center at Millersville University** in the heart of historic Downtown Lancaster, PA, and is expected to have 150+ attendees..

Who attends CPOSC?

The target audience for CPOSC includes enthusiastic users of open source including:

- Developers who use open source languages (Ruby, Python, Perl, PHP, Java)
- System & network administrators who use open source tools
- Entrepreneurs who use open source technologies to power their businesses
- Open source project contributors (project committers and organizers)
- Students interested in open source careers
- Educators who use open source in the classroom

Why sponsor CPOSC?

- Promote your company, products & brand to a targeted audience
- Demonstrate your company's dedication to promoting innovation & diversity in tech
- Meet motivated & talented developers for possible recruitment
- Help promote open source software & give back to the community



Sponsorship Levels

	BRONZE SPONSOR	SILVER SPONSOR	GOLD SPONSOR	PLATINUM SPONSOR
Sponsorship amount	\$250	\$500	\$1,000	\$2,000
Number of sponsorships available	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited	Three (3)
Name on website & conference materials	√	√	√	√
Logo on website & conference materials	√	√	√	√
Promotion via conference email to attendees	√	√	√	√
Table in conference common area	NON-PROFIT ONLY	√	√	√
Promotional items given to all attendees		√	√	√
Company description printed with logo in conference materials			√	√
Number of free, all-access passes to conference	1	2	3	4
Special recognition by conference organizers to all attendees during welcome/closing addresses				√

In addition to the sponsor levels listed above, we also give away door prizes for attendees (books, swag, hardware, software, etc.). Any donations of open source-related items are welcome.

Company Logo / Description

Please submit a company logo & a description of your company or product (up to 50 words) to sponsorship@cposc.org. Logos should be in a scalable format such as .AI or .EPS with fonts outlined or TIFF/JPEG raster file (300 ppi). When shown on the conference website, logos will be displayed on a white background.

Payment

Payment can be made by check or credit card. Payments made with a credit card are subject to a 3% processing fee. [Please note that while CPOSC is a volunteer & community driven event, we are not currently registered with the IRS as a 501(c)(3) tax-deductible nonprofit charity. Your contributions to CPOSC are *not tax deductible*.]

Attendee Privacy

We respect the privacy of our attendees & have agreed to *not provide lists of attendee names or email addresses to third parties*. If you would like to collect email addresses from conference attendees, you are encouraged to provide some way for them to opt-in to your mailing list, such as a sign-up sheet.

Contact Info

If you would like to sponsor CPOSC 2016, please send an email to sponsorship@cposc.org. One of the organizers will respond promptly.