

Developer Days Call for Speakers

Submission Guidelines

Submission deadline: July 19, 2024

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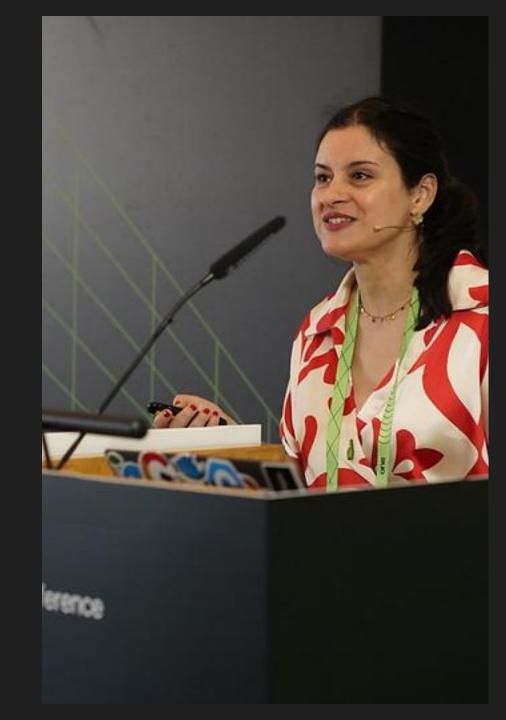
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Intro to Developer Days

We're very excited to announce that we are bringing the OutSystems Developer Days to Bengaluru on August 31st, 2024!

Never heard about it? That's OK! Developer Days is a one-day event designed to empower local communities, fostering engagement, learning, and growth alongside peers and OutSystems.



Key Dates

Submission Deadline July 19, 2024

Notifications of selection sent to everyone August 7, 2024

Agenda Launch on the event website August 8, 2024

August 31, 2024 **Event Date**



^(*) Beside the event dates, all dates are subject to change according to the organization needs. Speakers will be notified as soon as possible if any of these dates change whatever it might be the reason.

Speaker Perks

These are the Speaker Perks for this year's event:

- Speaker profile and session promotion
- Branded digital promotional assets
- Special Community badge
- Assistance from the OutSystems' Committee (*)
- Dedicated Support Team

What we are looking for...

Speaker Types

Author > Speaker

The speaker is the primary representative of the session, and therefore the main point of contact with the organization.

Co-Author(s) > Co-Speaker

The co-speaker is the speaker's sidekick.

What we are looking for...

Session Format

30 to 45-minute Sessions that can be focused on technical topics or other areas, get creative!

Some ideas:

- Becoming a tech lead
- Finding your path to OutSystems development
- A social cause you supported with OutSystems platform and skills

- How to ace a technical interview
- A cool app you built
- Developing mobile apps
- OutSystems architecture and tooling, creating style guides, and more!

A Good pitch

Present a clear, focused message. Try to focus on ideas worth spreading, highlighting unique, innovative and impactful ideas that will shape the Developer Days audience's outlook. Other Developers, as well as the OutSystems' Committee, are interested in your own experiences and practical advices, so share what you know and you will likely inspire others.

Keep it short and to the point. Don't overthink too much at this stage. Together, we will have time to enhance your presentation.

List the key takeaways from your session. These takeaways or goals if you may, will help everyone understand what are the messages to be learned or understood from your session.

A Good pitch

Grab others attention with a good title and abstract. Avoid grammar, spelling and punctuation errors at all cost while submitting your session, however, if your submission is accepted, our editors will help you tweak your title and abstract before it's published.

Title up to 80 characters

Abstract up to 500 characters

An Awesome Bio

A good rule of thumb is anywhere from 3–6 sentences in length. Write in third person narrative, which is the most common mode of expression in print and other media. You can (and actually should) include more (fun!) facts and bring more substance to a biography in third person.

Treat your biography as though it were an advertisement (but a fun and catchy one).

Answer the questions of who you are, how your expertise is beneficial to the reader's problems or goals and why you're the perfect person to speak at the conference. Open with your most impressive accomplishment to make the biography "pop".

Bio up to 500 characters

An Astonishing Photo

- Stand by the side of a window
- Use a light/clean background
- Use portrait mode or blur background mode (if available)
- Test out looking sideways and directly at the camera
- Wear a strong colored shirt to help your phone better balance colors

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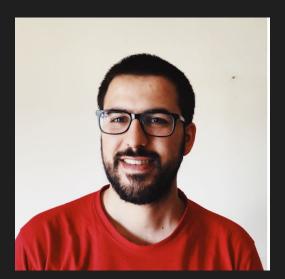
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Submission Tips

An Astonishing Photo

Tips and trick for selecting or taking an astonishing photo*







How to submit

The Submission Process will take you through a 4-step form (*)

Terms & Conditions	Acceptance of the Terms and	Conditions and Image Consent
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Author's Details Detailed information related to the Author and Co-Author (if

applicable) of the session

Submission's Details Entering every detail about the session

Review Your Submission Review Submission

How to submit

Requirements

(*) Title/Job Role

(*) Company

(*) Biography

(*) Mobile Number

(*) Country

Linkedin URL

(*) Profile Image

- Author's Details (*2)

- (*) This field is mandatory.
- (*2) These requirements are also applicable to co-author.

How to submit

Requirements

(*) Session Title

(*) Session Abstract

(*) Key Takeaways

Session Detailed Description/Outline

(*) Difficulty Level

(*) Session Prerequisites

(*) Suggested Keywords

Session Deck

Additional Submission Information

Submission's Details



How to submit

Selection Process

We have an internal selection committee that will review pitches.

We look at the entire pitch to help us get a comprehensive idea of what to expect from your talk. This is where your focused topic and description really helps!

After the evaluation period, all applicants will receive notification of acceptance or rejection by August 7, 2024, regardless of the status of their submission.

Frequently Asked Questions

Isn't there a list of topics that I should follow? No, you're free to submit whatever you believe is relevant, keeping in mind the needs and interests of your local community.

Is there a limitation in terms of number of speakers and/or co-speaker per submission? Yes, each submission is limited up to 2 speakers (1 speaker, 1 co-speaker). Check the Speaker Types section >

Why do I need to share personal information, such as my mobile number? Having your number will help the Support Team to reach out if needed. Don't worry, we promise not to spam you! It will only be used in case of an emergency or urgent matter.

Frequently Asked Questions

Why can't I edit my session after I submit it? If you have received a confirmation number, you can't edit your session within the platform anymore. But, you can withdraw that submission and submit one more time. However, the advice is that you don't overthink it too much, if selected, your submission can be enhanced after.

How will the Committee select the final sessions? The Committee has an evaluation criteria in place according to which will be reviewing all the submissions, one by one.

How will authors be notified? A notification with the final decision will be sent automatically to the author's email address previously indicated on the submission form.



Ready to Apply?

We're looking forward to receiving your submission. If you decide to go for it, good luck!

If you have additional questions related to the Submission Process, you can always to reach out at speakers@outsystems.com.

