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In 2026 we moved FOSSY northward to beautiful Vancouver, Canada and were thrilled with the result. University of British Columbia has a strong tech focus and many students from the Computer Science and Engineering departments were exposed to their first FOSS conference.

We partnered with IEEE Vancouver and reached out to local groups such as the Vancouver Linux Users Group (VanLUG). We also co-located with FediCon 2026 made the 2026 conference an attraction to locals and travelers alike. The UBC campus offered the perfect location for after hours conversations, or engaging discussions while walking in the refreshing summer breeze.

We will be back at UBC in 2027 and do even more outreach to different local groups, now that we've successfully determined that Canada is the place to be.

FOSSY is hosted by Software Freedom Conservancy, whose focus on ethical technology and cross-community collaboration makes this conference a natural outflow of our initiative to make technology more inclusive and bring people together for software freedom.

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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Focused Sponsorships

Social Event

\$10,000 USD/\$13,500 CAD

The first night of the conference is reserved for dinner, drinks, and getting to know our fellow conference-goers. The sponsor of this event would have special signage at the entrance of the social event.

Coffee Break

\$5,000 USD/\$6,500 CAD

Every day, we serve a light breakfast and coffee, as well as afternoon snacks. The sponsor would have a small sign the entire day of the coffee and snacks tables.

Quiet Room

\$3,000 USD/\$4,000 CAD

Sometimes you just need a minute to get away to a quiet space. The sponsor of the room would have a sign thanking them on the door.

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