

2026 Events Calendar

BSD Events taking place through June 2026

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Please send details of any FreeBSD related events or events that are of interest for FreeBSD users which are not listed here to freebsd-doc@FreeBSD.org.



Hackathon 202604

April 24 – 26, 2026

Wiesbaden, Germany

<https://wiki.freebsd.org/Hackathon/202604>

We're pleased to share that planning is underway for a regional FreeBSD Hackathon in Wiesbaden this April. The event is designed to bring together local community members, but participation is open to anyone interested in contributing to FreeBSD. The goal is to collaborate, connect, and make meaningful progress on FreeBSD in a focused and supportive environment.



Open Source Summit North America 2026

May 18 - 20, 2026

Minneapolis, Minnesota

<https://events.linuxfoundation.org/open-source-summit-north-america/>

The summit features a wide range of tracks covering Linux, cloud and containers, AI, security, embedded systems, and more. Attendees can expect keynote sessions, technical talks, and opportunities to connect with the broader open-source community. Deb Goodkin, Executive Director of the FreeBSD Foundation, will be speaking at the conference.



Ottawa 2026 FreeBSD Developer Summit

June 17-18, 2026

Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

<https://wiki.freebsd.org/DevSummit/202606>

Co-located with BSDCan 2026, the two-day event consists of developer discussion sessions, vendor talks, and working groups.



BSDCan 2026

June 17 - 20, 2026

Ottawa, Canada

<https://www.bsdcn.org/2026/>

BSDCan is a technical conference for people working on and with BSD operating systems and related projects. It is a developer's conference with a strong focus on emerging technologies, research projects, and works in progress. It also features Userland infrastructure projects and invites contributions from both free software developers and those from commercial vendors.