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NOVEMBER 6 – 9

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

MCCORMICK PLACE WEST

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Keynotes

Keynote: Welcome + Opening Remarks - Priyanka Sharma, Executive Director, CNCF

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R4Qy/keynote-welcome-opening-remarks-priyanka-sharma-executive-director-cloud-native-computing-foundation
https://youtu.be/NcLAVtQ5H4A?si=kEwj6EilJLFp9EZP

Keynote: CNCF Graduated Project Updates

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R4Zf/keynote-cncf-graduated-project-updates
https://youtu.be/BabknB7Hjhk?si=--Bc8_1EvpOv_ptp

Keynote: Everything, Everywhere, All At Once - Hemanth Malla & Laurent Bernaille

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R4bN/keynote-everything-everywhere-all-at-once-hemanth-malla-senior-software-engineer-datadog-laurent-bernaille-principal-engineer-datadog
https://youtu.be/Q9P--Fr1XRo?si=F08FkgWadgDMCEvx

Keynote: A Vision for Vision - Kubernetes in Its Second Decade - Tim Hockin

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R4e1/keynote-a-vision-for-vision-kubernetes-in-its-second-decade-tim-hockin-distinguished-engineer-google
https://youtu.be/WqeShpaztZY?si=VcO0WCVK-i48adtO

Sessions

15,000 Minecraft Players Vs One K8s Cluster. Who Wins? - Justin Head & Cornelia Davis

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R2lz/15000-minecraft-players-vs-one-k8s-cluster-who-wins-justin-head-super-league-gaming-cornelia-davis-spectro-cloud
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4YNp2vb9NTA

Humans of Cloud Native Panel - Finding Your Way in #TeamCloudNative

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1TGuW/humans-of-cloud-native-panel-finding-your-way-in-teamcloudnative-mitch-connors-aviatrix-miranda-jaramillo-the-trevor-project-bart-farrell-cncf-ambassador-whitney-lee-vmware

Unlocking the Full Potential of GPUs for Ai Workloads on Kubernetes - Kevin Klues, NVIDIA

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R2oG/unlocking-the-full-potential-of-gpus-for-ai-workloads-on-kubernetes-kevin-klues-nvidia

Project Maintainers Explain Cert-Manager in 5 Levels of D... Tim Ramlot, Maël Valais & Ashley Davis,

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R2rN/project-maintainers-explain-cert-manager-in-5-levels-of-difficulty-tim-ramlot-mael-valais-ashley-davis-venafi
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OxGWG6CD1iU

An Offer You Can't Refuse: Discovering Chicago Film Sets with MLOps in Kubernetes

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R2tV/an-offer-you-cant-refuse-discovering-chicago-film-sets-with-mlops-in-kubernetes-annie-talvasto-vshn-adi-polak-treeverse

Extra Fun Sessions

Dungeons and Deployments: Levelling up in Kubernetes

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1Tbpo/dungeons-and-deployments-leveling-up-in-kubernetes-noah-abrahams-oracle-natali-vlatko-cisco-kat-cosgrove-dell-seth-mccombs-acuitymd

Phippys Field Guide to Wasm - Karen Chu & Matt Butcher, Fermyon

https://kccncna2023.sched.com/event/1R2ri/phippys-field-guide-to-wasm-karen-chu-matt-butcher-fermyon

Security Showdown: The Overconfident Operator Vs the Nefarious Neér-Do-Well - Whitney Lee, VMWare & Lewis Denham-Parry, Chainguard
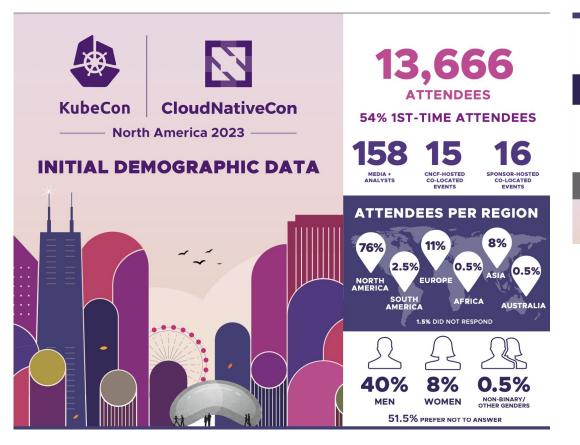
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Demographics

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INITIAL DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

13,666 ATTENDEES
54% 1ST-TIME ATTENDEES

158 MEDIA + ANALYSTS

15 CNCF-HOSTED CO-LOCATED EVENTS

16 SPONSOR-HOSTED CO-LOCATED EVENTS

ATTENDEES PER REGION

- **76%** NORTH AMERICA
- **2.5%** SOUTH AMERICA
- **11%** EUROPE
- **0.5%** AFRICA
- **8%** ASIA
- **0.5%** AUSTRALIA

1.5% DID NOT RESPOND

- **40%** MEN
- **8%** WOMEN
- **0.5%** NON-BINARY/ OTHER GENDERS

51.5% PREFER NOT TO ANSWER

MOST REPRESENTED COUNTRIES
USA, CANADA, INDIA

TOP THREE JOB FUNCTIONS:
DevOps/SRE/SysAdmin, Developer, Architect

1871 CFP SUBMISSIONS

88 MAINTAINER TRACK SESSIONS

20 KEYNOTES

359 BREAKOUTS

CFP ACCEPTANCE RATE: 11%   **END USER TALKS: 41%**

GENDER MINORITY SPEAKERS: 24%
% OF GENDER MINORITY KEYNOTE SPEAKERS: 45%