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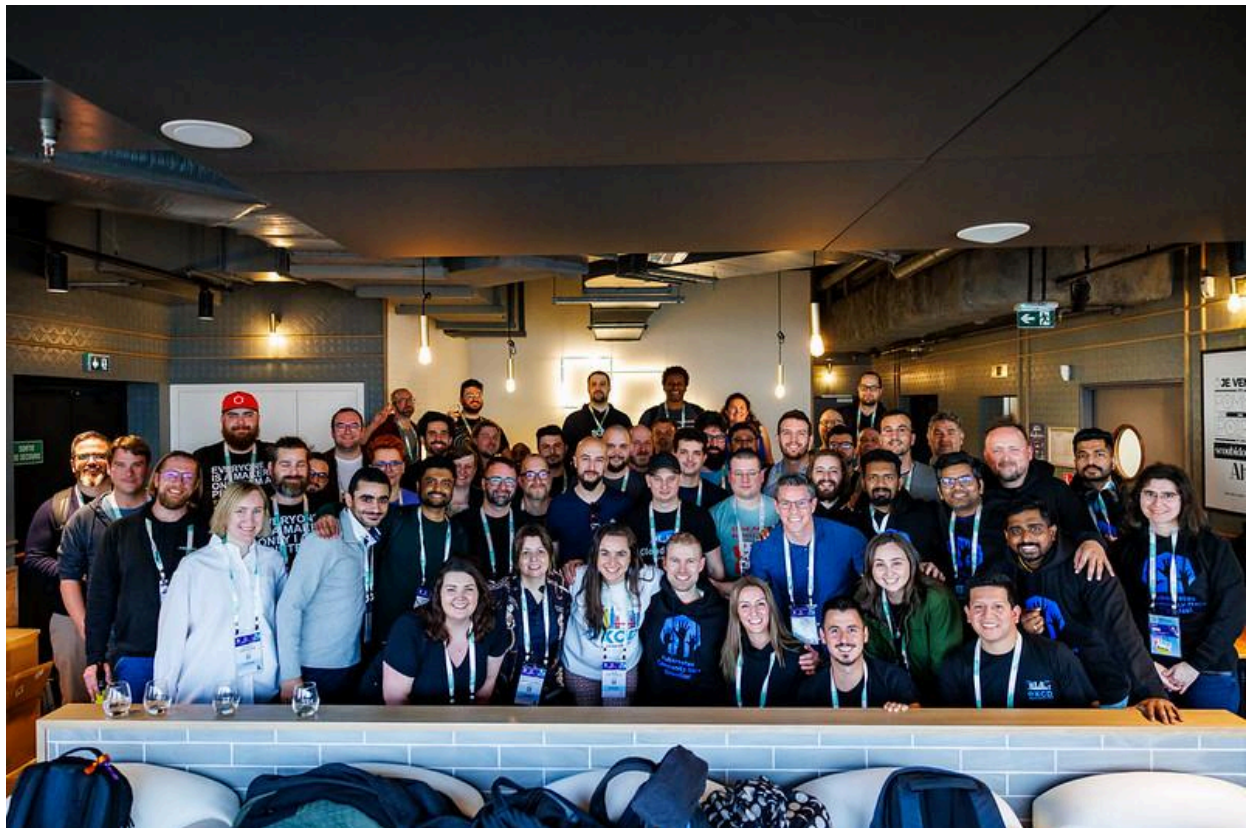
KCD Monthly Organizer Digest

March 29, 2024

Over 50 Community Event Organizers at KubeCon Paris

Both KCDs and Cloud Native Community Groups (CNCGs) attended KubeCon Paris and joined us at the Community Events Kiosk in the project pavilion. This gathering was highly successful, especially with the tours led by CNCF's Jorge Castro. If you missed it, be sure to [Check it out](#)!

Tuesday evening, we were able to come together for a happy hour and bites. The energy in-person is so valuable. Katie and I appreciated all the face to face time we received from nearly all who were there.

Brazil, Costa Rica, Guadalajara, and Los Angeles

Congratulations to all teams that hosted KCDs in February and March. Three of the KCDs were inaugural events in Latin America, and KCD Los Angeles hosted their second-annual event co-located with SCALE. Keep an eye out for their transparency reports via cncf.io/reports.

We are excited for the next five KCDs happening in April!

- KCD Texas (April 12)
- KCD Pune (April 13)
- KCD Islamabad (April 20)
- KCD Shanghai (April 20)
- KCD Romania (April 25)

New KCD Submissions on Hold

We are so excited to see this program continue to grow with overwhelming enthusiasm from the community. Doubling the number of KCDs in just a year's time and the request to host in 2024 looking to exceed expectations, we have made the hard decision to hold approving KCDs for the remainder of the year and into the beginning of next year. The hold will allow our team the opportunity to review current processes and tooling. We have heard a lot of feedback over the last year and based on demand we need time to review the best way to scale the program.

We are so honored that you chose to host your event with the KCD program. Your dedication, enthusiasm and feedback are what makes this community grow stronger. Please be on the lookout for a survey to help shape the program.

If you have any questions email, kcd@cncf.io.

Upcoming Bevy Changes

While we are still using Bevy to power community.cncf.io for community group chapters and their meetups, we are moving away from Bevy for KCDs.

What does this mean for your event?

- The "Conference" event type will go away at the end of April. So if your event is using that event type in May and beyond, please contact me to discuss an adjustment within your event's microsite. We can make sure the link that you have been promoting does not change.
- For those events that have passed with this event type in place, nothing should change for the way your event is viewed. That said, if you have yet to download videos or post a YouTube video in the wrap-up section, please do so before the end of April.
- If your event is happening in Q3 and beyond, we would like to enable you with the new platform which will allow for registration and organizer autonomy in your local currency. I will be better enabled by May for those of you ready to try it.
- If your KCD is between May and August, please be sure to …
  - build your schedules in Sessionize, **not** using the agenda feature in Bevy.
  - not count on Bevy for streaming multiple tracks virtually

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KubeWeekly Newsletter

The next newsletter is due to go out on April 5, so one week from today. Please let me know by the end of day, Wednesday the 3rd what content you want me to promote for you in the newsletter.

Simply reply directly to me in response to this email.

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A reminder that your contribution of time is invaluable. And your dedication to making cloud native ubiquitous, is very much appreciated. We are always aiming to work better together. 🙏

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