



**Everything you  
wanted to know  
about speaking at  
Green Software  
Oslo User Group...**

...but were too afraid to ask 🌱

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# Who organizes this user group?



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# Where and How often do we meet?

3-4 times a year, in the afternoon,  
on working days.

Rebel or location sponsor.

Maybe **you would like** to host our  
next meetup or sponsor  
food/drinks? 😊



# Do we have a Code of Conduct?

Yes!



We want everyone to feel safe and included during our meetups.

We adhere to the Green Software Foundation Code of Conduct that can be found at:

<https://greensoftware.foundation/code-of-conduct>

# Can you present?

Yes! **You** can and **You** should!



We are looking for people of all experience levels.

We're happy to help you with choosing a topic of the presentation, give feedback on your slides, or do a dry run with you prior to the meetup.

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# Do you have to be very experienced in the field?

No, you don't!



Green software is an evolving domain and our group provides an arena where we can learn from each other, inspire each other and share our experiences.

Therefore **we welcome everyone** who would like to share anything around the topic of sustainability in tech!

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# What can you talk about?

 **No sales pitches or product marketing talks are accepted.**

For the rest, we've got some ideas! 



- a **demo** of a sustainability-related tool, framework or methodology
- a **presentation** of something you built or experimented with related to green software
- **how you apply** green software engineering principles at work
- an **intro** to a concept, framework, measurement formula, etc.
- ***non-technical sustainability topic*** that you think a broader community will benefit from (f.ex. how you persuaded your manager to use some work time for sustainability-related tasks)

# What kind of presentations are accepted?

We're open to any presentation format, as long as the topic is in the scope for the group.

- Regular talks (30-55 minutes)
- Lightning talks (5-15 minutes)
- Panel discussions
- Workshops or Hackathons
- We're open to ideas!





# Must you present in-person and do we cover travel costs?

We welcome **both** in-person (**preferred**) and online talks 😊

As a non-profit group we **aren't** able to cover travel costs at this point.



We would love to have you present in-person, if possible, for better interaction with and stronger engagement from the community. We understand that it's not possible to join in-person in all cases, therefore we do mix in-person and virtual presentations at our meetups to be more inclusive and allow for a more diverse range of speakers.

As a non-profit group we don't unfortunately have any funds to cover speaker's travel costs. We would be happy to provide a letter of encouragement or any other relevant information for you to get cost coverage from your employer, if applicable.

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# Do you need your own laptop to present?

No, but...

If you have a suitable one, please bring it.

We understand that not everyone may have a laptop they can use for this purpose, so please ask us beforehand and we'll provide one.



# Do we have materials from previous meetups somewhere?

Yes, to some extent!

We haven't managed to record any talks yet, but all the slides from previous meetups are available in our Github repository:

<https://github.com/gsf-oslo/meetups>



# How do you contact us?



**Meetup:**

<https://www.meetup.com/gsf-oslo>

**GitHub:**

<https://github.com/gsf-oslo>

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Anything else  
you're wondering  
about that we  
haven't covered  
here? 🤔



Please let us know so that we can help you and include your question here for the benefit of the broader community💚

To reach out to us directly, please use following contact info:  
<https://github.com/gsf-oslo#contributing-and-support>

Or check out links from the previous slide.

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