Primary Speaker Full Name:*
Karuppiah Natarajan

Primary Speaker Job Title:*
Application Developer

Primary Speaker Company:
ThoughtWorks

Primary Speaker Biography (provide a biography that includes your employer (if any), ongoing projects and your previous speaking experience).*
I'm Karuppiah. I'm an Application Developer. Recently I have been predominantly working in the infra space and developer tools. I love creating cool command line tools and making the lives of developers easier and better, with no headaches. I also love to contribute to open source - by creating my own projects and also contributing to existing projects. All my projects are on GitHub - https://github.com/karuppiah7890 . The recent biggest contribution that I am extremely proud of is - contributing to Helm.

Twitter Handle
Karuppiah7890

The Linux Foundation is committed to a diverse and inclusive community. The following questions are asked in an effort to track our progress in increasing diversity at events and will remain confidential.

What gender does the primary speaker identify with?*
Prefer not to answer

Does the primary speaker identify as a person of color?
Yes

Which racial/ethnic background(s) does the primary speaker identify? (check all that apply)
Asian

Additional Speaker and/or Panelists

Note: Each session is allowed (1) primary speaker and (1) co-speaker. The primary speaker for a proposal will receive a complimentary conference pass and the co-speaker will receive a discounted conference pass.

Due to The Linux Foundation inclusivity policy, no all male panels will be accepted. For panel discussions, all panelists will receive a complimentary conference pass; there is a maximum of 4 panelists & 1 moderator.

Is this a panel discussion?*

No

Is there a co-speaker?*

No

Key Topic Area*

Please select the key topic area of your submission. (Select one)

Open Source Program Office Management

Select sub-topic area of your submission* (Select one)

Consuming and Contributing to Open Source

Submission Type*

Lightning Talk (5-10 minutes in length; lightning talks are not a valid option for the Embedded Linux Conference or Introductory/101 Levels))

Abstract Title*

If your talk is selected, the Abstract Title you choose will be the Title shown in the conference schedule, often what attendees use as a starting point to determine if they will be interested in the talk. Choose your title carefully - make sure that it accurately describes what your talk will cover.

Finding Opportunities to Contribute to Open Source

Abstract*

Provide an abstract that briefly summarizes your proposal. Provide as much information as possible about what the content will include. Do not be vague.

This is the description that will be posted on the website schedule if your talk is selected, so be sure to spell check, use complete sentences (and not just bullet points) and to write it in the third person (use your name instead of I).

Remember that this description is what will make an attendee decide whether your session would be a good fit for them. Be sure to provide enough information to help attendees make the right choice. Be clear and concise.

 The presentation selection process is very competitive, with many proposals rejected. A well written abstract will greatly increase the possibility of the proposal being accepted.

In this talk, Karuppiah will be talking about how to find opportunities to contribute to Open Source based on his experience. The talk is not going to give a silver bullet answer, instead it will give you ideas and thoughts about how you can go about your Open Source journey and maybe learn a thing or two based on Karuppiah's experience. If you are a newbie or have contributed to open source before, everyone will have some take away from this short talk

Karuppiah has been contributing to Open Source for about a year now. He is proud of his contributions to small command line tools that he has made and his contributions to the Helm CNCF project. You can find him on GitHub @karuppiah7890

Have you or anyone else given this presentation before?*

Note: If you have given this presentation, please describe in the 'Abstract' box in what ways this version of the presentation will be significantly different.

Yes

Please provide the below detail of the previous presentation

Conference name:

Internal session in company

When did the presentation take place (year, month):

2020 January

Please provide a link to the slides and/or video of the previous presentation:

1. Contributing to Open Source Part 1: Finding Opportunities to Contribute:

Slides - https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1U0PjYLdqNzwttRYu0E9c6oAW9w3h9TVWocaqOMCnHbg/edit?usp=sharing

Video -

https://drive.google.com/file/d/19ETA8yvvD_8_0VHOLU9NzWw6HUKX30Tg/view?usp=sharing

2. Contributing to Open Source Part 2: Different ways of Contributing:

Slides - https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1dwQjn7eboEngopIgbBtzkYA-ounvLwKdRfxF1yse5q4/edit?usp=sharing

Blog - https://karuppiah7890.github.io/blog/posts/different-ways-to-contribute-to-open-source/

If your session is accepted, would you be open to our PR team contacting you about speaking with media & press onsite?*
Yes

Are you a first-time speaker?*

We love first time speakers so don't fret about letting us know if you are. We just want to make sure to provide first time speakers with the right resources before the event to make them successful.

Yes

Would you be willing to attend a first time speakers course online prior to the event if your talk is selected?

Yes

Additional Resources

The Program Committee reviews many proposals, and having extra resources helps to gauge the speaker's experience and expertise.

If you have not given this talk before, and have any links to previous talks showcasing you or any of your speakers, please share below. Other resources, like links to published books, LinkedIn profiles, or relevant blog posts, are also appreciated.

We welcome applications from new speakers, so don't worry if you don't have previous talk recordings to submit here. Even a YouTube video of yourself speaking for a couple of minutes could help the reviewers.

Writing - Slides, Blogs

Contributing To Helm:
https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/18WJBAwcljUDi-IWuroqAgHXu5w309_DqOShg3QIhMGU/edit?usp=sharing

Contributing to Open Source Part 1: Finding Opportunities to Contribute:

Slides -
https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1U0PjYLdqNzwttRYu0E9c6oAW9w3h9TVWocaqOMCnHbg/edit?usp=sharing

Contributing to Open Source Part 2: Different ways of Contributing:

Slides -
https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1dwQjn7eboEngoplgbBtzkYA-ounvLwKdRfxF1yse5q4/edit?usp=sharing

Blog -
https://karuppiah7890.github.io/blog/posts/different-ways-to-contribute-to-open-source/

All blog posts -

https://karuppiah7890.github.io/blog/posts/

Videos

Contributing To Helm By Karuppiah
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1tJlM-dNk4L1Tx2mGdjwGJiLVqwlSczp_/view?usp=sharing

Contributing To Helm Lightning Talk Karuppiah
https://drive.google.com/open?id=1xg2JjFbbBOgWQo8VmWMsVJUZwHT8csQw

Contributing to Open Source Part 1: Finding Opportunities to Contribute

https://drive.google.com/file/d/19ETA8yvvD_8_0VHOLU9NzWw6HUKX30Tg/view?usp=sharing

YouTube Channel
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8RUp-TYJUhTzgAgPqDKRRg?view_as=subscriber

Code of Conduct*

Please read http://events.linuxfoundation.org/code-of-conduct.

I agree to abide by the Linux Foundation Code of Conduct * - Yes

Slide Deadline Agreement*

- **I agree to submit my slides no later than 3 days before the event * -** Yes