



Sponsor Prospectus

Unlocking scalable and accessible open science on the cloud

October 16-17, 2025 • Rome, Italy

Welcome to the Zarr Summit

Revolutionizing Open Science on the Cloud

The Zarr Summit Adopter Days convene leaders from major scientific organizations with Zarr developers and implementers for 2 intensive days focused on accelerating the adoption of cloud-native data storage solutions for massive scientific datasets.

From climate modeling to Earth observation to genomics research, Zarr offers unprecedented capabilities for storing and accessing multi-dimensional scientific data in the cloud. These Adopter Days provide a unique opportunity for organizations to learn directly from core developers and share their experiences with Zarr.

Why Your Sponsorship Matters

Zarr is built on community contributions. Your sponsorship enables a bright future for the project, by enabling unprecedented collaboration between major scientific organizations and the core Zarr development team.

60+

Participants

50+

Organizations

5+

Continents

20+

Implementers

2

Days

Global

Impact

About the Zarr Summit Adopter Days

Event Focus

Adopter Days (October 16-17)

Two intensive days bringing together major scientific organizations, data providers, and Zarr implementers to accelerate real-world adoption through:

- ✓ Roundtables with Zarr core developers and steering council
- ✓ Migration strategies and best practices sessions
- ✓ Virtual Zarr implementation guidance
- ✓ Lightning talks from current adopters
- ✓ Case study presentations from successful implementations

Participants

Our summit brings together an incredible diverse range of organizations, including:

- ✓ **Governmental Agencies:** NASA, ESA, EUMETSAT, and more
- ✓ **Research Institutions:** Climate prediction centers, genomics labs, and more
- ✓ **Technology Leaders:** CloudFerro, NVIDIA, Google, and more
- ✓ **Zarr Core Team:** Leading developers and steering council members

Expected Outcomes

The Adopter Days will provide a groundwork for future innovation:

- ✓ Best practices guidance for petabyte-scale deployments
- ✓ Roadmap for future Zarr development and implementer support

Sponsorship Packages

Benefits	Platinum \$50,000	Gold \$10,000	Lunch \$5,000	Break \$2,500
Logo on Zarr Summit website	✓	✓	✓	✓
Social media mentions on LinkedIn	✓	✓	✓	✓
Verbal thank you during opening remarks	✓	✓	✓	✓
Prominent logo display on event signage	✓	✓		
Logo on event t-shirt	✓			
Logo on event lanyards		✓		
Dedicated email announcing sponsorship	✓	✓		
Recognition via signage during sponsored time	Full event	Full event	Lunch	Break

Custom Sponsorship Opportunities

We welcome discussions about custom sponsorship packages tailored to your organization's specific goals and budget. Additional opportunities include:

- ✓ Evening reception sponsorship
- ✓ Welcome bag and swag sponsorship
- ✓ Live streaming and documentation support
- ✓ Travel scholarship funding

Important note: All overflow funds will support continuing Zarr development efforts, ensuring your investment has lasting impact beyond the summit.

Join Us in Rome

Build the future of scalable open science

These Adopter Days represent a unique opportunity for organizations to accelerate their transition to cloud-native data solutions. The guidance received and connections made will improve how your organization manages and analyzes massive datasets.

Organizers



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Ready to Sponsor?

Contact us today to discuss sponsorship opportunities and contribute to this important gathering for scalable open science.

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