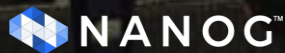# NANOG
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Topics to Discuss

- NANOG Governance

- Program Update

- Events Update

- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Programs

- Community Updates

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NANOG Governance

How NANOG is run

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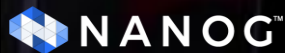
Greg Newman
Software
Craftsperson

Shawn Winstead
Bus. Development
Specialist

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The NANOG Program

Curated by industry professionals

How the Program is Built

- The Program Committee are all volunteers
  - Board appointed and self governing
- There are sub-committees
  - Keynotes
  - Tutorials and Tracks
  - Lightning Talks
  - Moderators
  - Data Analysis
- Online Tool for submitting and managing the process
- Interested in helping out? Come talk to us!

https://www.nanog.org/about/who-we-are/program-committee/

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Life Cycle of a Talk

NANOG 93 (Atlanta) Program Calendar	
Nov 4, 2024	CFP Announcement
Dec 2, 2024	CFP Reminder
Jan 6, 2025	DRAFT Presentation Slides Due / Topics List Published
Jan 13, 2025	Meeting Agenda Published
Jan 27, 2025	In-Person Final Slides DUE
Feb 2, 2025	On-Site Lightning Talk Submission Open

Program Committee Process: Rolling Call for Proposals → Receive Proposals → Assign Shepherd + Content Reviewer → Receive Draft Slides → Peer Review Begins → Slides Due → Agenda Published → Final Slides Due → Conference Begins

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- Keynote: Ultra Ethernet for AI and HPC
- Security Track: Open and Criminal Proxies: Crimes Within a Crime: Illicit Residential Proxy Services and Cyber Criminal Enablement
- Navigating Open RAN: Lessons from working with Large Telcos
- Keynote: Whatever Happened to IPv6?
- BGP Flowspec Doesn't Suck. We're Just Using it Wrong.
- Workshop: EVPN Layer 2 & Layer 3 Data Center - Overview, Configure and Validate EVPN using Containerlab
- Hackathon

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@TeamNANOG YouTube Channel

- If you missed NANOG 92
- 24.1k subscribers
- 3.1 million lifetime page views
- 21.1k views per month
- 2.75k hours of viewing per month
- 167+ subscribers added per month
- Top video: Tutorial Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Optical Networking - 179k views

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Future Events

- NANOG 93 - Atlanta, GA (3-5 Feb 2025)
  - Theme: Automation
  - Co-meeting: OARC

- NANOG 94 - Denver, CO (9-11 Jun 2025)
  - Theme: Datacenter Operations

- NANOG 95 - Arlington, TX (27-29 Oct 2025)
  - Theme: Enterprise Networks - 5G + WiFi
  - Co-meeting: ARIN

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Future Planning

- Anticipating **Workshop** content

- Looking forward to growing the **Community**

- Building out an online **Sponsorship** Tool

- Committee Appointment window Jan/Feb 2025

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Diversity Equity +
Inclusion Programs

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Pursuing a more inclusive Community

To support our efforts of diversity, equity and inclusion, NANOG has done the following:

- Partnered with a DEI consulting firm to provide independent Ombuds support to our community.
- Ombuds are onsite during events and can be reached via email at anytime. In addition they provide reports to board and community on our DEI progress.

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Our Definition of DEI

- **Diversity** - The practice and quality of including and involving different intersectional perspectives including different visible and nonvisible identities (such as culture,skin tone, heritage, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, age/generation, socio-economic class, ability, religion, language, immigration status, and veteran status) to ensure multiple perspectives are represented.

- **Equity** - Recognizing past exclusion and working to achieve general inclusion for everyone by offering opportunities by ensuring policies, systems, processes, and practices so all feel validated and have opportunities to be successful.

- **Inclusion** - Intentional, ongoing effort to ensure every individual and all their identities feels, safe, welcomed, valued, so they can fully participate, are listened to and respected in all aspects of organizational work.
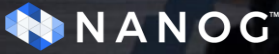
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Community Update

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Community Initiatives

- Ambassador Program soft-launched
- Workshops
- Affinity Groups
    - Wine Connoisseurs
    - Pickleball
    - Running / Hiking
- Membership has been steady

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Thank you

We hope you'll join us in building the Internet of tomorrow.

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Q+A