

## OW2con'21: Leveraging the European Open Source Ecosystem

*On 23 and 24 June 2021, the OW2 annual conference will celebrate the European open source ecosystem. A broad programme with international presentations and high-level speakers.*

**Paris, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021** - OW2, the global community promoting open source software for information systems, announces the program of its 2021 annual conference that will take place on 23-24 June. For the second year in a row, OW2con will be a 100% virtual event with 36 international speakers thriving to address the general theme of the year: 'Leveraging the European Open Source Ecosystem'

During the day on 23 June and the morning of 24 June, the online conference will enable interactions with top notch speakers on the following topics

- Developer Topics
- Open source Technologies
- OW2 Projects Spotlight
- Using Open Source Responsibly
- Open Source Ecosystem

Keynote speeches will be given by strategists from the **European Commission**, **Fraunhofer** Institute for Systems and Innovation Research, the **Open Source Initiative** and **RIOS** (Rete Italiana Open Source).

The conference will see the launch of OW2 Quick Apps, a new application packaging that could democratise mobile apps, as well as the latest enhancements to the OW2 code base projects. Other highlights of the conference include open source governance, public policy, digital sovereignty, identity management, collaborative suites and Big Data. Finally, and not to be missed, the announcement of the OW2con'21 Best Project Awards.

The conference is free of charge and all presentations will be held in English. OW2online'21 will run on a platform enabling participants to ask questions in real time and to carry on conversations with speakers after their presentations.

Registration is free of charge, thanks to the sponsors of OW2con'21.

Check the full program and join your sessions: <https://www.ow2con.org/>

### About OW2

OW2 is an independent community dedicated to promoting open source software for information systems and to fostering their business ecosystems. OW2 federates 50+ organizations and 2500+ IT professionals world wide. OW2 hosts 50+ technology Projects, including: ASM, AuthzForce, CLIF, DocDoku, FusionDirectory, GLPI, JORAM, Knowage, LemonLDAP:NG, Lutece, OCS Inventory, Petals ESB, Prelude, ProActive, Rocket.Chat, SAT4J, SeedStack, Sympa, Telosys, Waarp, WebLab and XWiki. Visit [www.ow2.org](http://www.ow2.org), follow us on Twitter [@ow2](https://twitter.com/ow2).

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