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All the Features in the Drupal Event Platform

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AGENDA

01

WHAT IS THE EVENT PLATFORM?

Understanding the needs that drove its creation and what it provides

02

DEMO

Install and set up a site from scratch

03

ROADMAP

What's ahead for the Event Platform

WHAT IS THE EVENT PLATFORM?



A set of modules that simplify the website setup for a Drupalcamp (or similar event)

A modular content architecture which includes:

- Sessions and BOFs
- Sponsors
- Job Listings
- Featured Speakers





Releases for Conference Organizing Distribution

Version starts with

Filter

cod 7.x-2.0

7.x-2.0

Bug fixes

New features

This is the first full release, Drupal 7.59 core of the Conference Organizing Distribution

With the last RCs being stable, we've made a cut of a full release for COD. The difference between RC4 and Full is limited to updates in contributed modules.

[Read more](#) [View usage statistics for this release](#)

cod 7.x-2.0-rc4

7.x-2.0-rc4

Bug fixes

This is a module and security update to Drupal 7.58. No COD modules are updated in this release.

CAPABILITIES INCLUDE:

- A workflow to moderate user-submitted sessions
- Automatically notify speakers when their sessions are accepted or rejected
- Display sponsors prioritized by level of sponsorship
- Users can flag interesting sessions and see a personal schedule

Generate Time Slots ☆

Start Date *

08/14/2025 📅

The first day for which time slots will be generated.

End Date *

08/16/2025 📅

The last day for which time slots will be generated.

Start Times *

10am
11am
12pm
1pm
2pm

Provide the start times for the time slots to be generated, with each time on its own line. The following formats can all be understood: 1:00pm, 13:00, 13h00

Duration *

45 minutes

The length, in minutes, of the time slots that will be generated.

Replace existing

Select this to replace all existing time slots with the generated values.

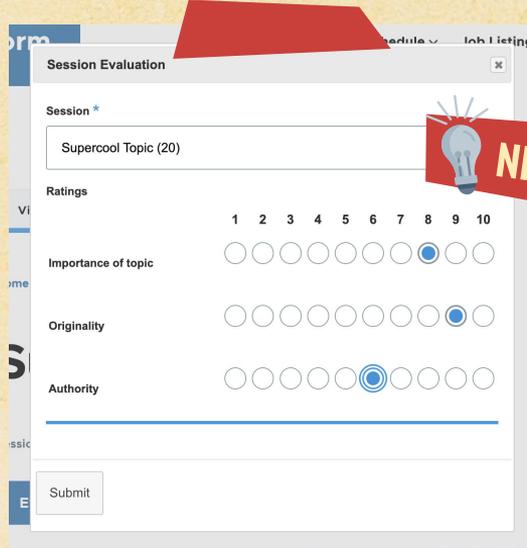
Generate

DRAG-AND-DROP SESSION SCHEDULER

Time Slots	Room A	Room B	Room C	Sessions
Thu, May 25 2023	10:00 - 10:45am			Session B by admin
	11:00 - 11:45am			BOF C by admin
	12:00 - 12:45pm	Session C by admin		BOF C by admin
Fri, May 26 2023	1:00 - 1:45pm		BOF B by admin	
	10:00 - 10:45am	Session A by admin		
	11:00 - 11:45am			
Fri, May 26 2023	12:00 - 12:45pm	BOF A by admin		
	1:00 - 1:45pm			

TIME SLOT GENERATOR

SPECIALIZED TOOLS



Session Evaluation

Session *
Supercool Topic (20)

Ratings

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Importance of topic: 8

Originality: 9

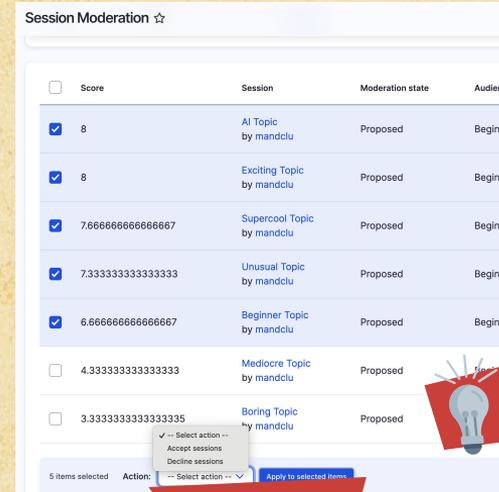
Authority: 6

Submit



RATE SESSIONS

BULK MODERATE SESSIONS



<input type="checkbox"/>	Score	Session	Moderation state	Audien
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	8	Exciting Topic by mandclu	Proposed	Begini
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7.666666666666667	Supercool Topic by mandclu	Proposed	Begini
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7.333333333333333	Unusual Topic by mandclu	Proposed	Begini
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6.666666666666667	Beginner Topic by mandclu	Proposed	Begini
<input type="checkbox"/>	4.333333333333333	Mediocre Topic by mandclu	Proposed	
<input type="checkbox"/>	3.333333333333333	Boring Topic by mandclu	Proposed	

5 items selected Action:



OTHER 2025 IMPROVEMENTS

- Better multilingual support
- List concurrent sessions on session page

A THEME OF ITS OWN



- A fork of the 2025 FLDC theme
- Made configurable: colors, graphics, etc
- Under the hood:
 - SDCs
 - CSS variables





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EXAMPLE DRUPAL CAMP 2025

Yada yada yada

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Submit
a
Session

Logo image

Use the logo supplied by the theme

Favicon

Your shortcut icon, or favicon, is displayed in the address bar and bookmarks of most browsers.

Use the favicon supplied by the theme

Event Horizon Utilities

Event Horizon Color Scheme Settings

These settings adjust the look and feel of the Event Horizon theme. Changing the color below will change the base hue, saturation, and lightness values the Event Horizon theme uses to determine its internal colors.

Event Horizon Primary Color

Dark Pink (Default) ▾

Primary base color

#e70077

Enter color in hexadecimal format (#abc123). Derivatives will be formed from this color.

Event Horizon Secondary Color

Teal (Default) ▾

Secondary base color

#93e7ff

Enter color in hexadecimal format (#abc123). Derivatives will be formed from this color.

Home page graphic

Use the graphic supplied by the theme

Home page texture

Use the texture supplied by the theme

Save configuration

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Example Drupal Camp 2025



Key Dates

Sessions Open: Mon, May 5 2025

Session Deadline: Mon, Jun 23 2025

Schedule Published: Mon, Jul 7 2025

Dates: Thu, Aug 14 - Sat, Aug 16 2025

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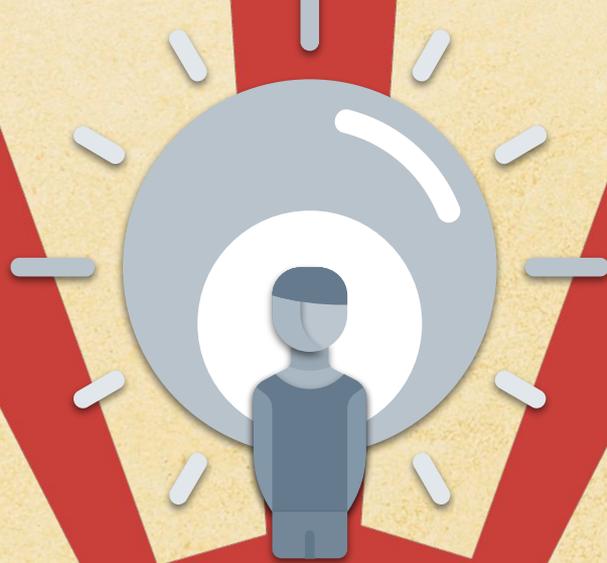
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About the Speaker

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Concurrent Sessions



THE

BIG IDEA

EVENT PLANNING WORKFLOW

01

DATES ANNOUNCED

Call for sponsors, featured speakers, etc

02

CALL FOR SESSION PROPOSALS

Users submit sessions, trainings, etc

03

SESSIONS DEADLINE

Sessions scored and ranked. Notify speakers, schedule, etc

04

SCHEDULE PUBLISHED

Schedule, flag for personal schedule

05

UNDERWAY

Link to today's schedule

06

COMPLETE

Wrap message, link to playlist

Could we highlight different information at each stage?

Could we automate the transitions?

EVENT PLANNING WORKFLOW

Event Stage	Dynamic Menu Items	Header CTA	Home Page Content	Event Page	Session Page
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Sessions Closed	Sessions, Registration, Jobs, Trainings	Register Today	Current Event: Speakers, Sponsors, Stats, News	Dates, Speakers, Sponsors, Recent Session Proposals	Description, speakers, scoring widget (admin only)
Schedule Published	Schedule, Registration, Jobs, Trainings	Register Today	+ link to schedule	Dates, Speakers, Sponsors, Schedule	+ room, time, concurrent sessions
Underway	Schedule, Registration, Jobs, Trainings	Register Today	+ link to current day's schedule	Dates, Speakers, Sponsors, Today's Schedule	+ room, time, concurrent sessions
Complete	Schedule, Jobs	View the Playlist	Speakers, Sponsors, Stats, Link to playlist, News	Dates, Speakers, Sponsors, Link to playlist, Thank You statement	Description, speakers, room, time, slides, recording, rating widget?

NOTES:

- A dynamic menu item is a single menu item that points to the appropriate location relative to the event being currently viewed, or to the "current" event as configured]

John Picozzi
8:45 AM Apr 3

Maybe instead of newsletter signup (as they are already on the site) it should be something like "Save the date Nov 14th & 15th"

April Sides
9:50 PM Apr 3

As far as a CTA, I think the newsletter signup is a good call to action. In addition, maybe follow us on social media channels.

Martin Anderson Clutz
4:33 AM Apr 6

Would there be value in having add to calendar links?

John Picozzi
1:51 PM Apr 6

Sure!

John Picozzi

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SMART MENU LINKS

- Maintain contextual argument when going to / switching between views that use them
- Extracts a value from a specified place in the request path
- Provides validation for the entity type and bundle, as well as an additional path segment
- Can limit a link's visibility based on the referenced entity's moderation state
- Links are configuration entities

- Custom CTA block
 - Shows the appropriate CTA based on the event workflow state
- Block visibility based on moderation state
 - Extended Moderation State Condition, new version released



02
DEMO



03

ROADMAP

- Create a site template for Event Platform
 - More opinionated about optimizations
 - Metatags, social media image gen, etc
 - Implement [Drupal CMS installer](#)
- Convert existing modules to recipes
 - Move some functional code to separate projects, make configurable



- Spin up a full install in minutes
 - Automatically paused if unused for a period of time
- Able to move to public hosting



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FORGE**

- Allow ticket purchase within Drupal
 - More control of the checkout experience
 - Potentially lower fees
- Dialogue already started with Centarro

... COMING SOON ...

AI?

- When the request path references an event, make the event's full name (including the camp name) the "site name" value passed to the theme
- Potential approach: move the entity identification and validation code from Smart Menu Links to a service

- Allow speakers to only create sessions while the current event is in the “Sessions Open” workflow state
- Custom
 - Cache context
 - Access policy service



THANKS!

Does anyone have any questions?

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