



# IETF Global Host Sponsorship

The Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF), founded in 1986, is the premier standards development organization for the Internet. The IETF makes voluntary standards adopted and used by billions of Internet users, network operators, and equipment vendors. These technical standards shape the trajectory of the Internet's development.

While most of the IETF's work is conducted online, IETF meetings three times a year bring together more than 7000 leading technologists from around the world. Sponsoring the IETF supports technical excellence and industry-defining standards.

**IETF Global Hosts are industry leaders that understand the value of significant, long-term support for the IETF's work through meeting sponsorship.**



Global Hosts reflect the highest level of commitment and recognition among all IETF sponsors. They receive distinctive benefits for their sustaining contributions, and—through their ongoing commitment—are uniquely able to provide advanced input into meeting venue selection. The IETF manages the details of hosting for Global Hosts, making the process seamless and easy.

## Global Hosts Benefits

Ongoing	At hosted meetings
Recognition at all meetings during the Welcome Reception	Shared meeting room in meeting venue (based on availability)
Recognition on IETF Meeting Signage at all meetings	Plenary session welcome address
Acknowledgement at every IETF Meeting Plenary session	Technical talk to the IETF community
Recognition in the IETF Annual Report	IETF social event recognition (if included in agreement)
Social Media promotion	Presidential suite in primary meeting hotel (based on availability)
Acknowledgement in the meeting proceedings	Complimentary registrations
Invitation to Global Host meetings with IETF Executive Director	Branded t-shirts and lanyards

Global Hosts can include the Social Events and Welcome Receptions as part of their sponsorship agreements with costs amortized over their term.

Sponsorship option	Annual contribution
Global Host	USD 130,000
Global Host with Social Event	USD 175,000
Global Host with Social Event and Welcome Reception	USD 190,000

Within the 6 or 9 year term of their commitments, Global Hosts have the first options to select which meetings to host.

Term	Hosted meetings
6 years	2
9 years	3



To learn more about IETF Global Host sponsorship, please contact [Stephanie McCammon](#)