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BSIDES GRONINGEN

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Thank you for considering sponsoring BSides Groningen!

BSides Groningen is a cybersecurity conference supporting the Groningen region, attracting over 150 information security professionals and industry leaders from across the Netherlands. Our mission is to provide a free, high-quality event that welcomes everyone. Creating a platform for experts, IT professionals, and newcomers to exchange ideas, share knowledge, and build lasting connections within the community.

The conference is made possible thanks to the generous support of our sponsors, helping cover essential event costs such as the venue, A/V setup, meals, and materials.

Organized by Stichting Friendly Cyber, a non-profit organization, all proceeds are reinvested into future local BSides events or community-focused cybersecurity initiatives. Our dedicated team of volunteers is committed to strengthening and growing the information security community in our region.

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SUMMARY OF BSIDES GRONINGEN

What is BSides?

BSides events combine security expertise from a variety of platforms in search of the 'Next Big Thing' in information security. BSides is an open platform that gives security experts and industry professionals the opportunity to share ideas, insights, and develop longstanding relationships with others in the community. It is a rare opportunity to directly connect and create trusted relationships with key members of the community.

BSides began in 2009 when talented speakers were unable to present at a major conference due to limited space and time. In response, BSides was created to expand opportunities, allowing more speakers, diverse topics, and innovative events to thrive beyond conventional conference limitations.

The goal of BSides is to offer small intimate events where all participants can engage each other to help develop connections, friendships, and network with different industry professionals.



RECAP OF LAST YEARS EVENT

Become a Sponsor of BSides Groningen 2026

BSides Groningen is back and stronger than ever. After a successful return to the Netherlands in 2025, our event brought together **150+** cybersecurity professionals, ethical hackers, researchers, and students for a day full of insights, innovation, and inspiration.

With over **40 talk submissions** and only **8 selected speakers**, the quality of content was exceptional. Beyond the talks, our Capture The Flag (CTF) challenges, lockpicking village, and networking opportunities created a dynamic space for knowledge exchange and community building. In 2026, we're going even bigger. And we're looking for sponsors who want to be at the heart of the cybersecurity community in the Netherlands.

Still not convinced? Check out our aftermovie to experience the energy and impact of last year's event. You can find it along with all other details on our website: **bsidesgrunn.org**.

Let's join forces to make BSides Groningen 2026 unforgettable.



REASONS TO SUPPORT

BSides Groningen is attracting over 150 information security professionals and industry leaders from across the Netherlands. We recognize the value in engaging a smaller audience and being the big fish in a small pond. Every organization will have different goals and priorities which is why we offer different levels of participation. We specifically designed several different options for any sized organization to participate and support this event.

- **Brand placement & awareness**

Based on your sponsorship level, your brand may be featured across various platforms, including the event website, t-shirts, promotional materials, signage, lanyards/badges, and even booths.

- **Stay in touch with the industry**

BSides provides a platform for supporters and participants to connect with industry leaders. Its attendees form a dynamic network within the security community, making them the ideal audience for meaningful engagement.

- **Big fish, small pond**

For some, sponsoring large is not within their price range, limiting their ability to share their message. At BSides, we offer sponsorship opportunities for every budget, ensuring that your voice is heard, and your brand reaches a highly engaged community.

- **Be part of the next big thing**

BSides offers supporters and participants a unique opportunity to connect with industry leaders. Its attendees form a vibrant network within the security community, making them the key audience for meaningful engagement and collaboration.

ABOUT THE VENUE

Kinepolis Groningen

BSides Groningen will be held on at Kinepolis Groningen. The cinema is located in the 'Euroborg' next to the FC Groningen football stadium. With the largest screens in the north, it is the perfect location for talks during BSides Groningen!



SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES —

Platinum - €7.000

- Table space at the event, for recruiting or vendor purposes
- Mentioned in the opening & closing ceremonies
- Prominent large-sized logo placement on the website
- Prominent large-sized banners, and promotional materials
- Company name and logo named in individual sponsor message on social media
- Verbal recognition
- Sponsor provided banner placement at venue
- 5 Badges
- Early bird tickets up to 10

Gold - €4.500

- Table space at the event, for recruiting or vendor purposes
- Mentioned in the opening & closing ceremonies
- Medium-sized logo placement on the website
- Medium-sized banners, and promotional materials
- Company name and logo named in individual sponsor message on social media
- Verbal recognition
- Sponsor provided banner placement at venue
- 3 Badges
- Early bird tickets up to 10

All of the sponsorship options can be modified and negotiated

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES —

Silver - €2.000

- Table space at the event, for recruiting or vendor purposes
- Mentioned in the opening & closing ceremonies
- Regular-sized logo placement on the website
- Regular-sized logo banners, and promotional materials
- Company name and logo named in individual sponsor message on social media
- Verbal recognition
- Sponsor provided banner placement at venue
- 2 Badges
- Early bird tickets up to 5

Bronze - €500

- Small-sized logo placement on the website,
- Small-sized logo banners, and promotional materials
- Company name mentioned in specific bronze sponsor message on social media together with other bronze sponsors
- Verbal recognition
- 1 Badge
- Early bird tickets up to 2

All of the sponsorship options can be modified and negotiated

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