

NGI Search Beneficiary Projects Highlighted at OW2con'24

This year OW2 annual conference showcases NGI Search beneficiary outcomes with demos and discussions in the main Hall community corner, and during a dedicated breakout session.

Paris, 11 June 2024 - OW2, the international community of professional open source software is offering excellent networking opportunities to open source contributors and users, next **June 11-12, 2024 at Orange Gardens in Paris-Châtillon**.

The **15th edition of OW2con** is bringing together developers, companies, academics and non-profit organizations. The conference also welcomes Tunisia as Invited Country and highlights three OW2 projects as Community, Market, and Technology OW2con'24 Best Project Awards. This event is made possible thanks to 12 open source sponsors: [NGI Search](#), [NGI Zero Commons Fund](#), Collabora Online, Huawei, Orange, Worteks, City of Paris, Rocket.chat, Xwiki, OnlyOffice, MAIF, and OpenUp.

During both days, more than 200 international developers have a chance to discuss with several dozens of speakers, partners and members of the community, including NGI Searchers. The central theme of this edition is "**Funding Open Source Software and Digital Commons**". All participants are able to find out more about the 5th NGI Search open call (June-July 2024) and ongoing NGI Zero Commons Fund open calls.

Four breakout sessions are planned during the event:

- [Success Stories from NGI EU Funding](#), moderated by [NGI Search](#)
- **Open Source in Education, Science and Research**, driven by the [Aperio Foundation](#)
- **OSPO, you can be heroes!** coordinated by the [OSPO Alliance](#)
- **Open Source Accessibility**, coordinated by the [OSAI](#) (Open Source Accessibility Initiative)

Four NGI Searchers will present their outcomes during the [first breakout session](#) planned on June 12 at 2:00PM CEST:

- [HeReFaNMI](#), Mohamed Amine Kerkouri, University of Orleans.
- [MADADA](#), Laurent Savaete, co-founder of ZigWay.co
- [Metavision](#), Orestis Spyrou, Researcher at Wageningen University & Research
- [OKLLM](#), Andy Donald, Research Fellow at Insight Centre for Data Analytics

Please, find the latest program, including 30+ sessions online: <https://www.ow2con.org>

The event will take place on Tuesday June 11 and Wednesday June 12, 2024 at the Orange Gardens, Innovation Campus, 44 Avenue de la République, 92320 Châtillon.

IT professionals can attend the conference for free, using a **mandatory photo ID, only through the online registration**: <https://pretix.ow2.org/ow2con-2024/>

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