



Big Data Spain 2015 - Terms and Conditions and Privacy Policy

About the Conference

The Conference is an annual meeting of experts in Big Data technologies, companies and institutions whose 4th edition will take place in Kinépolis Madrid, Spain, on the 15th and 16th of October 2015.

The company Paradigma Tecnológico SL (thereafter “we”) organises the Conference in co-operation with an extensive group of individuals, universities, communities and companies. XING Events GmbH is the only ticketing platform of the event. Paradigma Tecnológico SL and XING Events GmbH are not related in any other way than as client and provider respectively.

We aim to keep the administration of the Conference at its simplest and most efficient so you can enjoy our focus in relevance and quality of talks and .

Registration scope

The only valid platform to buy or validate the tickets is at XING Events GmbH via the [Big Data Spain's website](#). Tickets will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Each ticket is nominal at registration.

The tickets can be transferable individually only once for the whole duration of the Conference.

All attendees must pay the full registration fee and the funds received at XING Events GmbH in order to have their access granted to the venue of the event. Individual ID cards, passports, etc will not grant access on their own. Tickets are the only document that will grant access to all the talks, coffee breaks and lunches at the venue of the Conference. Tickets will be made available by the attendees to the staff at the registration desk of the Conference on their arrival as the only accepted proof of the payment and identification. The print out may be on paper or or electronic screens.

The organisers will not provide attendance certificates.

Limited capacity of rooms on-premise

The capacity of the Conference is limited. The rooms of some talks, workshops, tutorials will have less capacity than others. The organisers will not forecast or predict the available number of seats for attendees to each session of the Conference. The criteria of access to all sessions is of a rigorous first-come first-served basis.

Cancellation Policy

Transfers of tickets between individuals are accepted. Cancellations are managed, processed and charged by XING Events GmbH. **Attendees can cancel their tickets at a cost to the buyer of 5.99 € per ticket plus 5.9% of price of the ticket with no exception.** Cancellation fees are not refundable under any circumstance, either under the control of the attendee or buyer or otherwise, including force majeure.

Liability

The organisers reserve the right to amend any part of the Conference program if necessary at any time. The organisers will not accept liability for damages of any nature sustained by speakers, attendees, volunteers or accompanying persons, or loss of, or damage to their personal property as a result of the Conference or related events.

In the event of industrial disruption or other unforeseen circumstances, such as antisocial behaviour by one or more attendees or non-attendees, the organisers accept no responsibility for loss of monies incurred by speakers, attendees or volunteers. Tickets of registered attendees will be refunded to a maximum of the price of each ticket following the first 60 days of their request and only to the account they provided to XING Events GmbH.

Speakers, attendees or volunteers should make their own arrangements with respect to travel, accommodation and insurance.

Privacy policy

The organisers collect three kinds of information about users: 1) data that users volunteer by signing up to receive news and product information, entering contests, completing surveys, or buying directly from us; 2) aggregated tracking data we collect when users interact with the website at www.bigdataspain.org and 3) data that XING Events GmbH collect in our behalf of those individuals and companies registering at and paying for the tickets of the Conference.

The specific use of your personal information varies, depending on how you contact us:

When you sign up online to receive Big Data Spain newsletters, product and company news you must provide your name and email address. We never sell or rent your email address or other personally identifiable information you provide us under these circumstances.

When you register for an Big Data Spain Conference, XING Events GmbH collect the data in our behalf of those individuals and companies registering at and paying for the tickets of the Conference. We share this customer information only with other companies and as described below:

- With third parties like XING Events GmbH we retain to perform functions on our behalf, such as fulfilling orders, processing credit card payments, managing mailing lists and delivering packages. These parties are restricted from using your information for any other purpose. This may include exchanging information with other companies and organisations for fraud protection and credit risk reduction.
- By purchasing Big Data Spain tickets, allow the Platinum sponsors to collect for commercial purposes the data that you upload to XING Events GmbH and the Big Data Spain 2015 website. You expressly consent to the automatic processing of personal data by the Platinum sponsors. We may share your name, position, company and email address with companies sponsoring the Big Data Conference as Platinum sponsors if those sponsoring companies explicitly request that information from us. We will not share any additional information such as the time of registration, payment data, etc.
- In accordance with the provisions of Organic law 15/99 of 13 December 1999 on the

Protection of Personal Data, you as an attendee are informed about the collection of your personal data as described above. You can exercise your rights of access, rectification, cancellation and opposition under the Data Protection Act, by notice in writing to the Platinum sponsors of the Conference.

Aggregated tracking information

We analyse visitors' use of our sites by tracking information such as pageviews, traffic flow, search terms, and click through. We use this information to improve our site. We also may also share this anonymous traffic and demographic information in aggregate form with advertisers, sponsors and other business partners.

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A cookie is a small text file that we transfer to your computer's hard drive through your web browser when you visit our sites. Cookies enable our systems to recognise your browser, so that we can provide you with personalised information and features. We also use cookies to track user traffic patterns.

On our sites, we and some of our advertisers use a third-party ad server to display ads. These ads may contain cookies. The ad server receives these cookies, and we don't have access to them. You can set your browser to warn you before accepting cookies or to block cookies. If you block cookies, you may not be able to use certain site features or functions.

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Notification of Changes

Changes to these terms and conditions will be announced at www.bigdataspain.org website or via the Twitter account [@bigdataspain](https://twitter.com/bigdataspain)

Code of Conduct

The organisation of Big Data Spain assumes that all attendees are well-intended and, collectively, a smart group of people. This document provides a few guidelines about the expectations and the behaviour of everybody involved in the Conference.

Our priority is that the Big Data Spain Conference is a safe and productive environment for everyone.

We will conduct the Conference mostly in English, including written and oral instructions and introduction of speakers and sessions. We recommend that you make sure that your fluency in oral and spoken English is sufficient before attending to or speaking at the Conference. We may use Spanish in some sessions and as an auxiliary language in some cases by the event staff.

We would love the event to run in time and efficiently for everybody so that you do not even notice us as organisers. Please be patient and understanding should any incident or technical glitch show up, from delays or confusion in registration line ups to quality and availability and quality of audio, Wi-fi facilities, drinks and refreshments, etc.

Please bring any concerns to the immediate attention of the event staff, or contact [bigdataspain \[at\] gmail.com](mailto:bigdataspain@gmail.com). While we cannot guarantee response times, we will try to help in keeping the event friendly and effective to all participants.

Law and location

The company processing the costs and revenue of the Conference is Paradigma Tecnológico SL with VAT identification number ESB84946656, address Vía de las dos Castillas, 33 - Ática 4, 2ª Planta, postcode 28224, city Pozuelo de Alarcón, telephone + 34 91 352 59 42 registered at the Registro Mercantil de Madrid, Tomo 23.604, Libro 0. Folio 195. Sección 8, Hoja M-423565.

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