

Call for proposals!

Dates to Remember

We invite all agile practitioners to present at the Agile Tour Vienna 2024. In the previous years we had a good mixture of **German** and **English** talks, so contributions in **both languages are welcome**.

The submission deadline for 2024 is:

YOUNG TALENT

REGULAR SPEAKERS

14
April
2024

12
May
2024

Early Bird Submissions:

Submitting **in time has a big advantage** at the Agile Tour Vienna. If you submit by **14 April**, you will receive **valuable and constructive feedback from our review team** and have the opportunity to **adapt your abstract** accordingly.

The Review Team will finish the selection of talks for the "Young Talents" track by the end of April, and for the main track by beginning of June. Everyone who submitted a proposal will be informed once the decision is final. Speakers will receive a free ticket for the Agile Tour Vienna 2024. The Agile Tour Vienna is a non-profit community event which aims to keep ticket prices low. Therefore it is not possible to cover travel expenses or pay a speaking fee.

The conference takes place on **Thursday, September 12, 2024**.

Submit your session here: <https://www.conftool.net/agile-tour-vienna-2024/>

Topics to Cover

Here are a few themes that we find interesting and might inspire you! Obviously we're open to other great ideas as well. ;-)

Please indicate in your submission, which theme is most appropriate. If your talk doesn't fit one of those themes - no excuse, there's an Agile in General category for everything else! We reserve the right to move your topic to another track if we feel it is more appropriate.

Topic 1: Product Ownership / Management

- *How do you measure value?*
- *Do we need product owners or product managers?*
- *How to innovate in classical organisations?*
- *Do you have a product team or a feature team?*
- *Impact of AI on product development*
- *Case studies - pivoting to innovation?*
- *Integrating UX in agile software development*
- *What skills do modern POs/PMs need?*

Topic 2: Tech Track / Agile Engineering

- *How to balance agile development and organisational constraints?*
- *How to speed up the boring processes while remaining secure and safe?*
- *Impact of socio-technocratic systems on software development?*
- *Experiences using team topologies to create team boundaries?*
- *Using DDD in agile software development?*
- *Impact of AI on software development?*
- *Case studies - faster flow*

Topic 3: Business Agility / Transformation

- *What is baseline business/non-development Agility?*
- *Interesting case studies*
- *Agility in regulated environments*
- *How do businesses measure the benefit of Agile?*
- *What not to do in an Agile Transformation?*

Topic 4: Team Development

- *Favourite metrics for showing team improvement to management*
- *Case studies - from imploding to performing*
- *How cross-functional must a team be?*
- *The challenge of distributed teams*
- *Coaching methods to establish high performing teams (ORSC?)*

Topic 5: Agile in General

- *What's the future of Agile?*
- *What does Agility mean in your company?*
- *What impact will AI have on Agility?*
- *Implementing Agile without established frameworks, e.g. Scrum/SAFe, LeSS, etc.*

Find your Session Format

Possible session formats are:

- Classical Talk
- Interactive Session/ Workshop
- Practice Report (case studies)
- Young Talent (details on page 3)

These formats are **typically around 45 minutes** (including Q&A).

If your proposed **session involves longer exercises or a special format**, we can also offer you a **80-90-minute slot**.

For Young Talents only

We will again have the special “Young Talents” track, which is dedicated to supporting young professionals who hold their first session at a conference.

There is a specific set of requirements for submissions for this track:

- You are under 30 years old
- This is your first presentation at a conference
- Your session is a classic talk or practitioner report

Young talents will receive additional support.

• Before the conference:

- Feedback on your proposal, including the option to get in touch with an expert
- Individual coaching to prepare you for your talk
- Option to hold a rehearsal in front of a small audience providing you with valuable feedback

• After the conference:

- Personal feedback from experts