

KCD SRI LANKA 2023

TRANSPARENCY REPORT



FOREWORD

KCD Sri Lanka comes back stronger than ever

KCD Sri Lanka 2023 took place on September 9th at Trace Expert City, Colombo. It was a one-day conference with learning and networking with Cloud Native enthusiasts from across Sri Lanka.

We are pleased that we were able to provide high-quality information to the community. The 2023 chapter sold 350 tickets, making it a huge success. Tickets were sold out and event was houseful.

We had 15 speakers who gave excellent speeches and 1 panel discussion.



Ram Iyengar

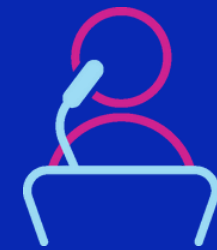
Cloud Foundry Foundation

Chief Evangelist



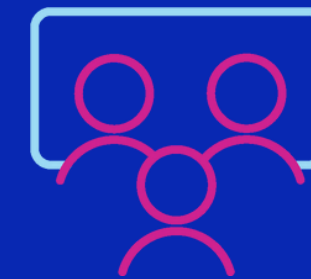
SPEAKERS & SESSIONS

Renowned speakers from the across the Island as well as foreign speakers participated in 16 sessions educating more than 350 enthusiastic participants.



15

Speakers



1

Panel Discussions

First-Time
Speakers

2

Female
Speakers

6

Male
Speakers

9

MOST POPULAR SESSIONS

Harnessing the power of WebAssembly

Nimesha Jinarajadasa – KodeKloud

KEYNOTE

WATCH SESSION

Kubeflow: Where ML Meets Kubernetes

Suresh Pieris – Inforwaves

KEYNOTE

WATCH SESSION

No Joker in the Pack: SBoMs for Container Images

Ram Iyengar - Cloud Foundry
Foundation

KEYNOTE

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SPEAKERS



**Kanchana
Wickremasinghe**

WSO2

Vice President and
General Manager Choreo
BU

KEYNOTE

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Audra Montenegro

CNCF

Community Manager

KEYNOTE

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**Janaka
Wickremasinghe**

Ascension IT

Head of Development

KEYNOTE

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Sumudu Liyanage

WSO2

Software Engineer

KEYNOTE

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**Rukshan
Senanayaka**

WSO2

Former Software
Engineering Intern

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Suresh Peiris

Inforwaves

Chief Architect

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SPEAKERS

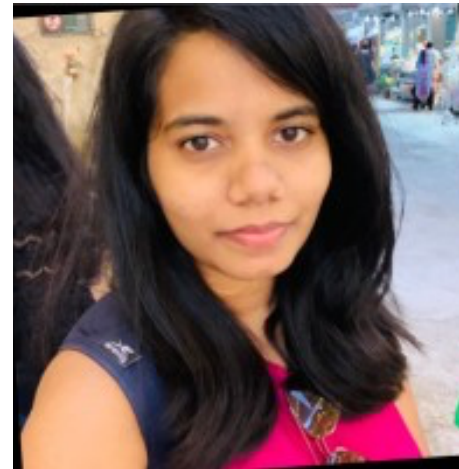


Ram Iyengar

**Cloud Foundry
Foundation**
Chief Evangelist

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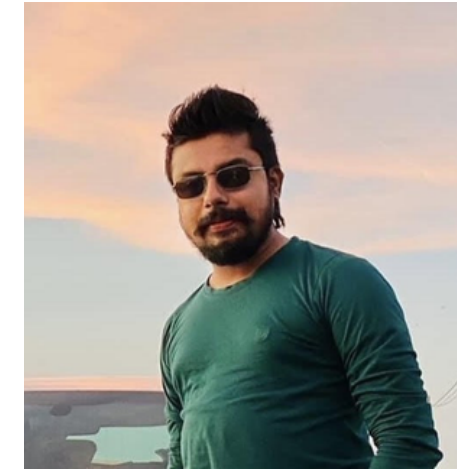


Dimuthu De Silva

WSO2
System Engineer

KEYNOTE

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**Nimesha
Jinarajadasa**

KodeKloud
Software Engineer

KEYNOTE

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Achini Rathnayake

Randoli
Software Engineer

KEYNOTE

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**Rukshan
Senanayaka**

Balzed
Associate Software
Engineer

KEYNOTE

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Kavishka Fernando

WSO2
Developer Advocate

KEYNOTE

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SPEAKERS



**Lahiru
Karunathilake**

Inivos
Co-Founder and CTO

KEYNOTE

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Pulani Ranasinghe

Loons Lab
Founder and CEO

KEYNOTE

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Harindha Fernando

NCINGA
CEO

KEYNOTE

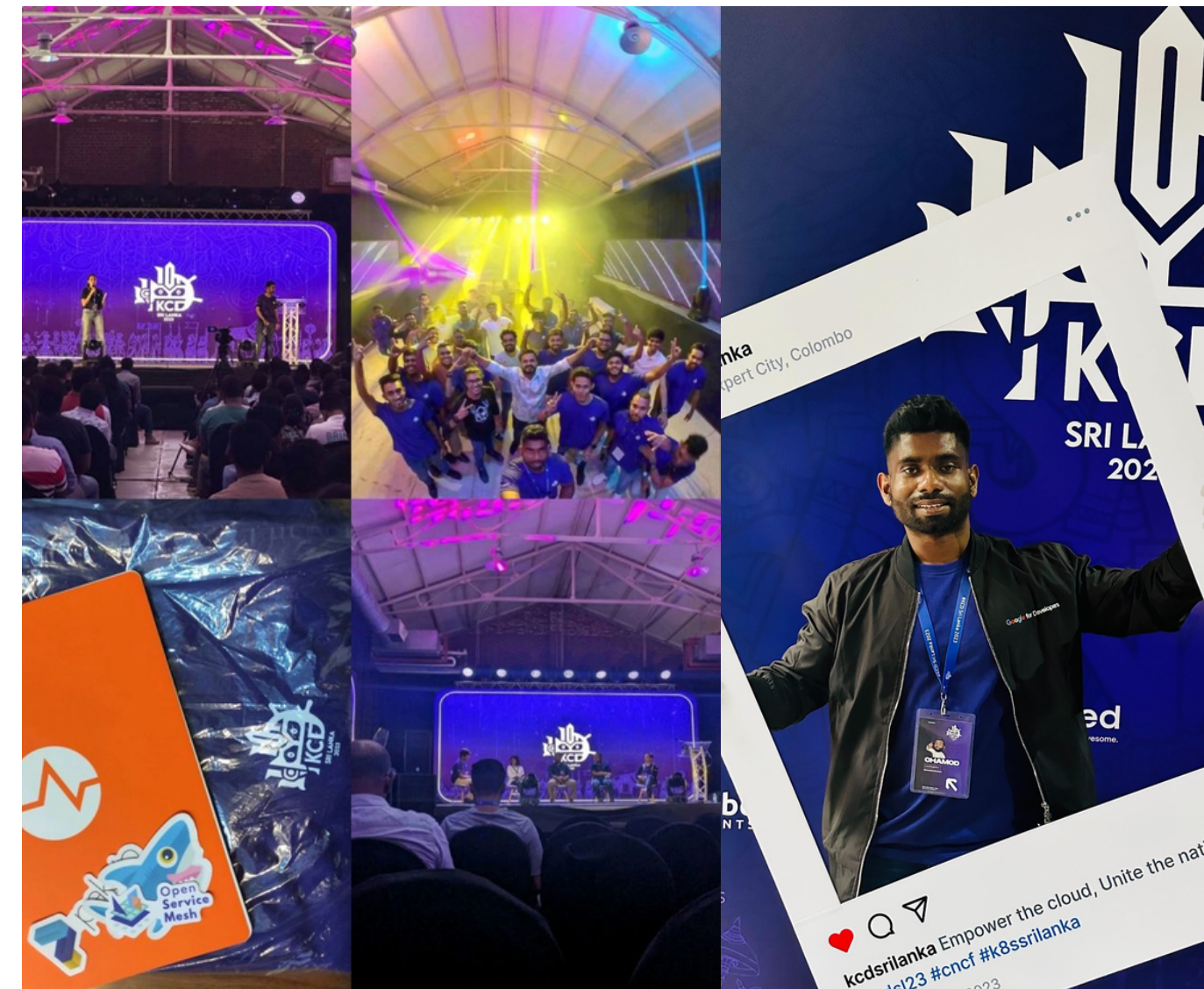
WATCH SESSION

KCD SRI LANKA ON TWITTER



Congratulations to the [@kcdsrilanka](https://twitter.com/kcdsrilanka) team for putting on a great show over the weekend! [#Kubernetes](https://twitter.com/hashtag/Kubernetes) [#CloudNative](https://twitter.com/hashtag/CloudNative) [#kcdsl2023](https://twitter.com/hashtag/kcdsl2023)

**KCD Events supported
by CNCF
@KubernetesDays**

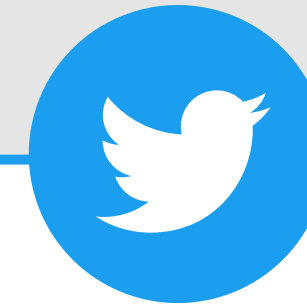


KCD SRI LANKA ON TWITTER



We're thrilled for Randoli's Achini to present at KCD Sri Lanka! Join the KCD on September 9th to learn how we tackled [#Kubernetes](#) complexity with platform engineering. More info here <https://zurl.co/UOnO#Randoli> [#platformengineering](#) [#CNCF](#) [#KCDsL2023](#)

Randoli
@Randoli_inc



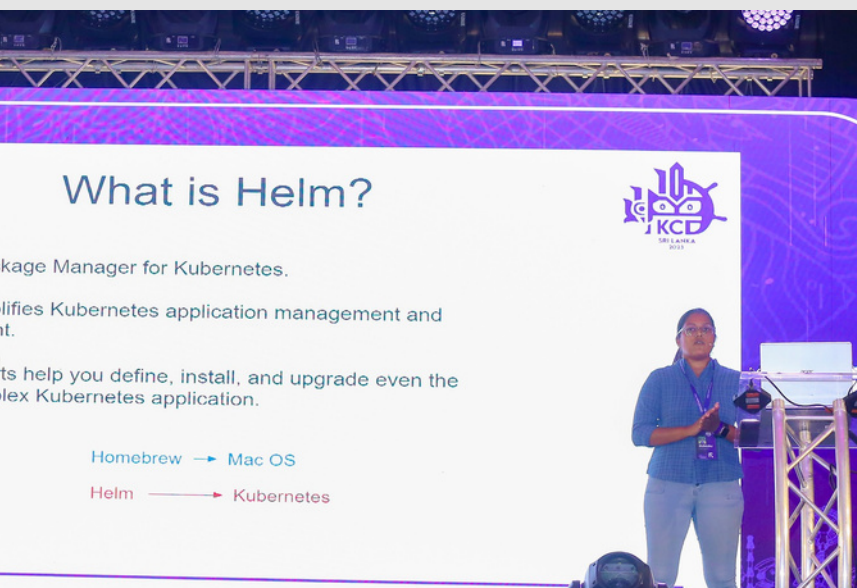
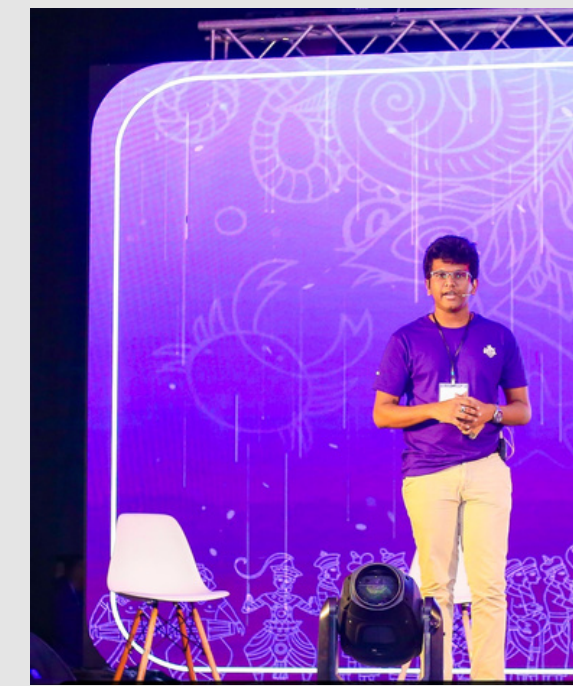
KCD Sri Lanka's second chapter has been concluded successfully; we hope you all had a lovely time with us. Thank you so much to the [@kcdsrilanka](#) team, the [@CloudNativeFdn](#), [@KubernetesDays](#), [@KubernetesSL](#), speakers, sponsors, partners, and volunteers.

Chamod Shehanka
@chamodshehanka

PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS



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Indrajith Ekanayake • 1st

I Help Desperate Students For Free | Microsoft MVP
| Technical Trainer - Cloud Native | Lecturer - Big...
2mo • 🌐

Cloud Native folks on my LinkedIn!

You can meet me at Kubernetes Community Days Sri Lanka on the 9th Saturday.

Huge thanks for organizing this [Kanchana Wickremasinghe](#), [Chamod Perera](#), [Kemila De Silva](#), and the team for organizing this. (Maybe I'm also happy to join in hands with organizing next year 😊)



Chathura Munasinghe • 1st

Software Engineer - Intern | .Net | Information Systems - Undergraduate
2mo • 🌐

Exciting times at Kubernetes Community Days Sri Lanka 2023!

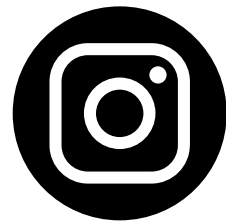
I had the incredible opportunity to attend this year's Kubernetes Community Days event, supported by the Cloud Native Computing Foundation (CNCF). 🌟

Kubernetes has truly transformed the way we build, deploy, and manage applications, and being part of this vibrant community is always inspiring. 💡
From insightful keynotes to deep-dive technical sessions, the event was a treasure trove of knowledge and networking. 🙌
It's heartening to see how Sri Lanka's tech ecosystem is embracing cloud-native technologies and innovation. 🇱🇰

A big shoutout to all the speakers, organizers, and fellow attendees for making this event a memorable experience. Let's continue to empower our teams and organizations with the latest in cloud-native technology. 🚀

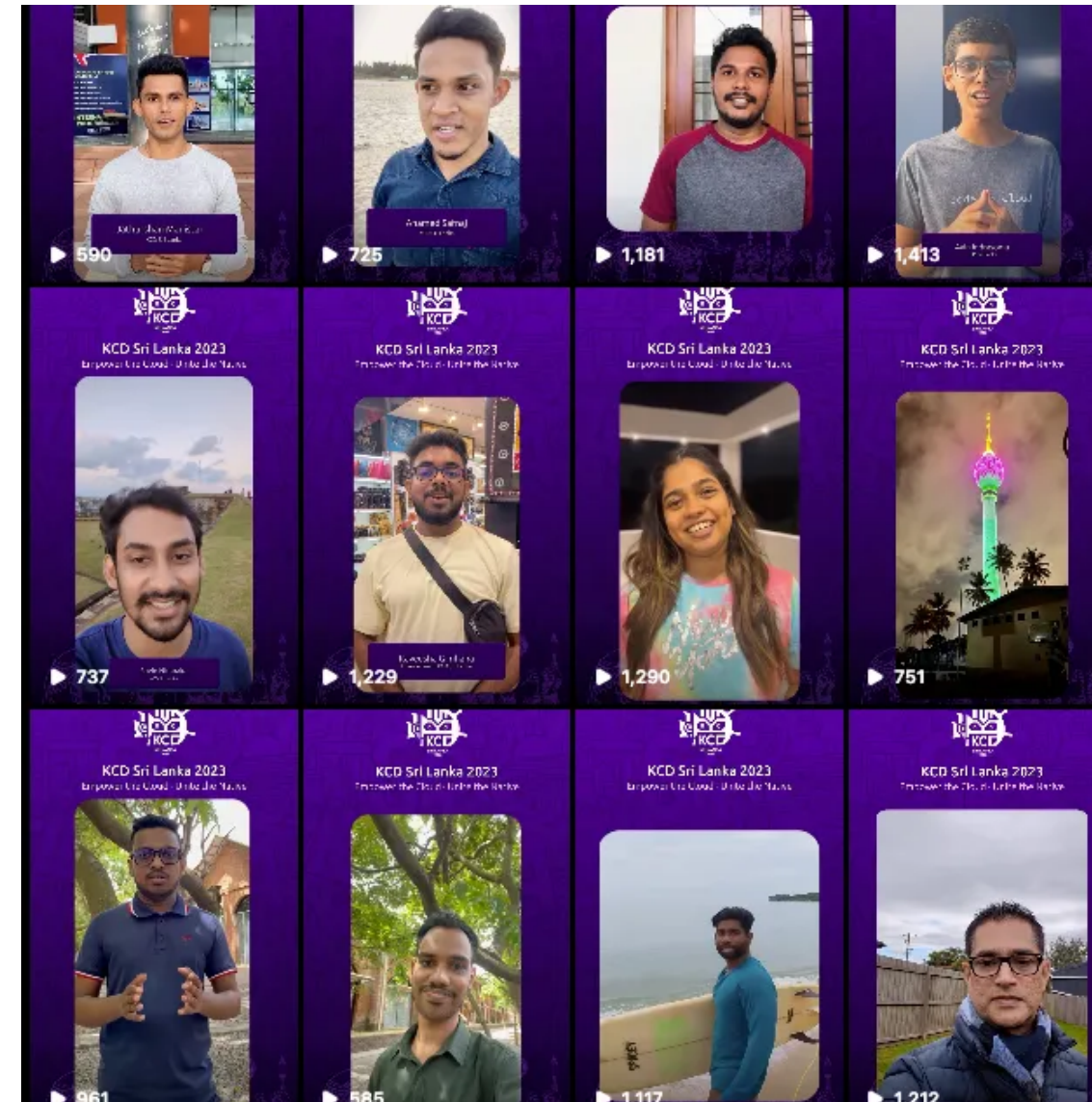
Looking forward to future events and collaborations in the ever-evolving world of Kubernetes and cloud-native computing! 🙌

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PRESS HIGHLIGHTS



Kubernetes Community Days Sri Lanka 2023 ([KCD Sri Lanka](#)), supported by CNCF, took place on 9 September at Trace Expert City.

Including events such as KubeCon and CloudNativeCon, KCD aims to "Empower the Clouds, Unite the Native"

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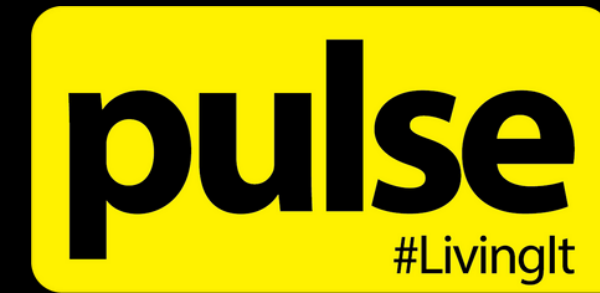


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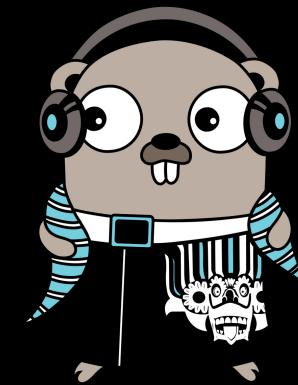


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SPEAKER DEMOGRAPHICS

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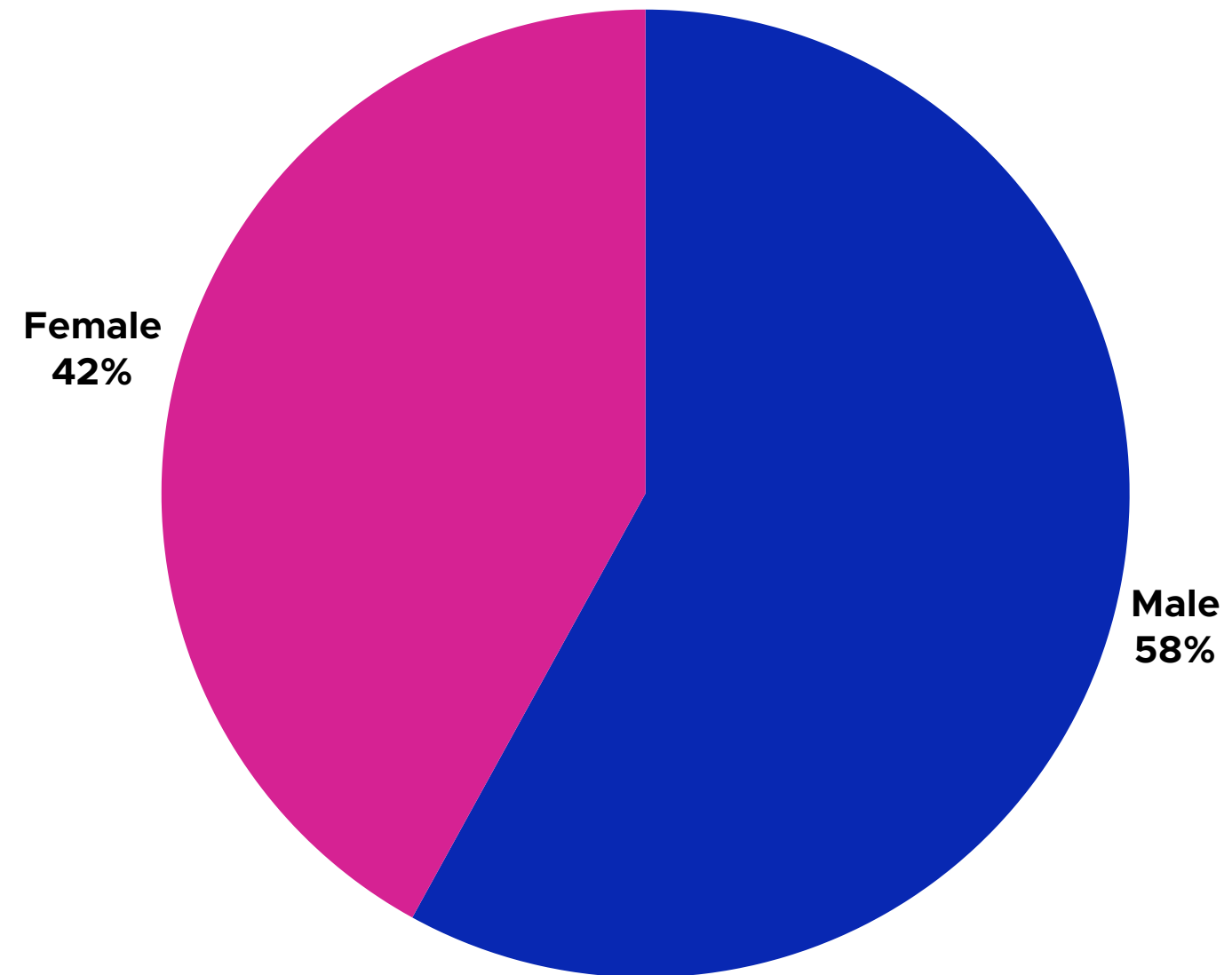
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Female

42%

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ATTENDEE DEMOGRAPHICS

GENDER



Male

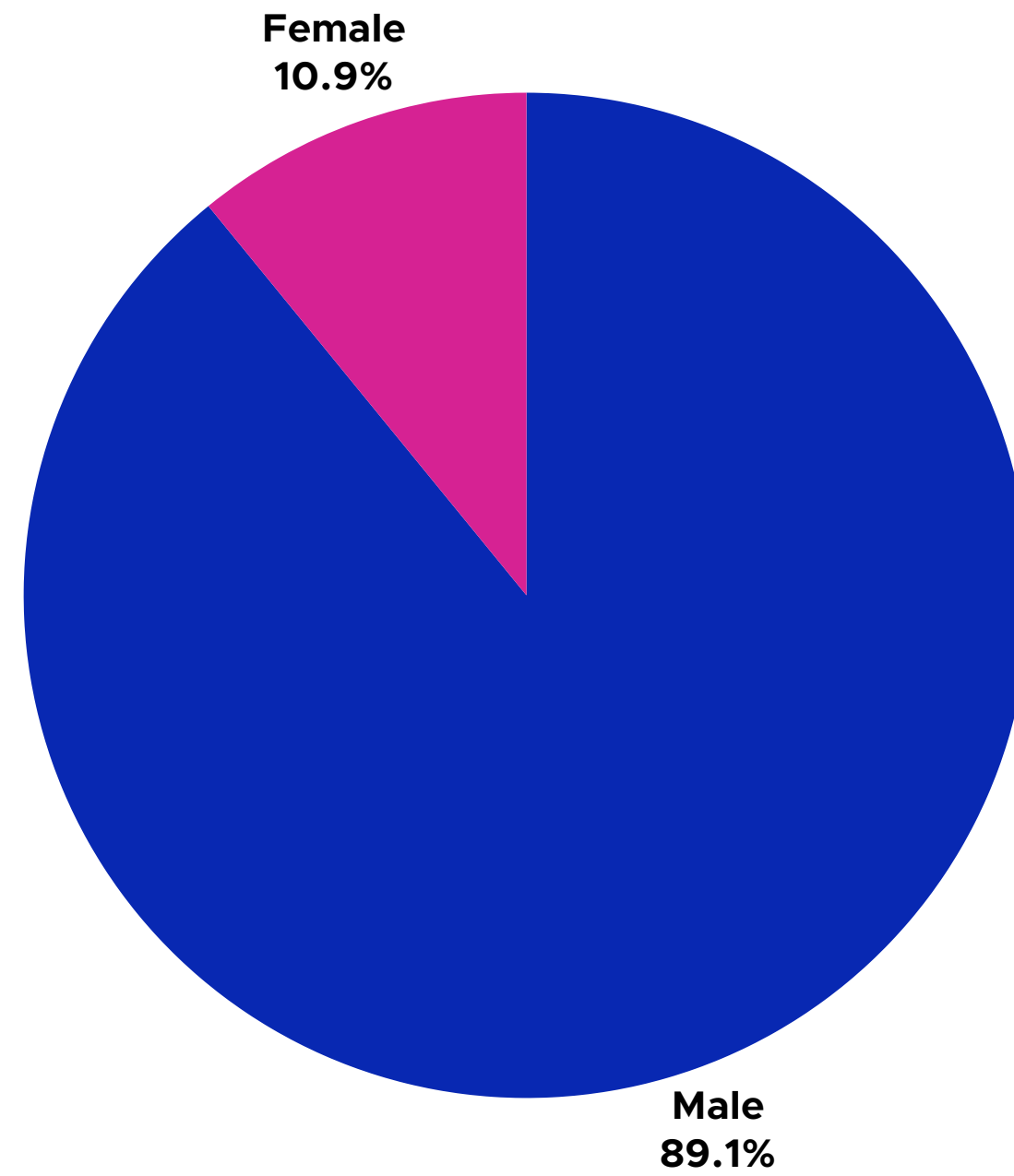
89.1%



Female

10.9%

DO YOU IDENTIFY AS A?



ATTENDEE DEMOGRAPHICS

I PRIMARILY CONSIDER MYSELF AS:



Employed

55.8%



Undergraduates

39.0%



Students

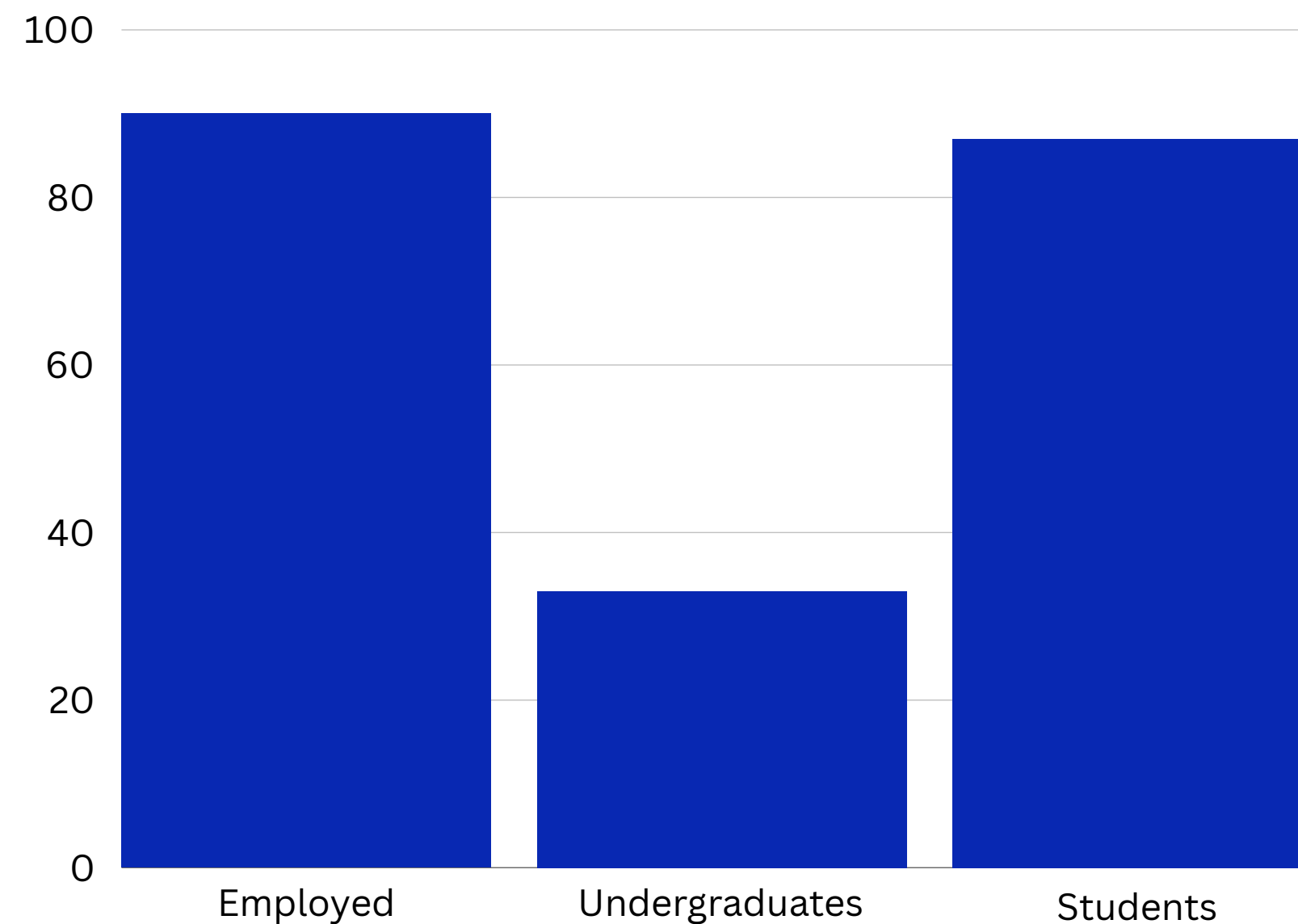
5.2%

ATTENDEE DEMOGRAPHICS

ORGANIZATIONS

We were thrilled to see the diverse representation of organization types at our event, ranging from end-users to consulting firms and vendors.

The wide range of attendees reflects the growing interest and adoption of cloud-native digital infrastructures and Kubernetes across different sectors of the industry.

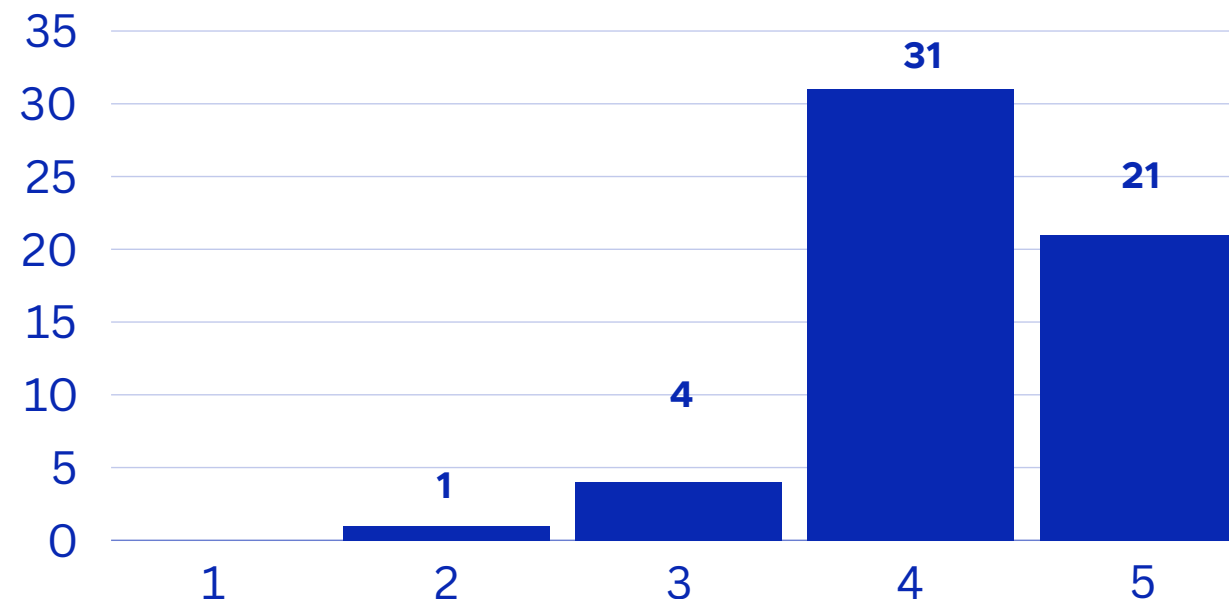


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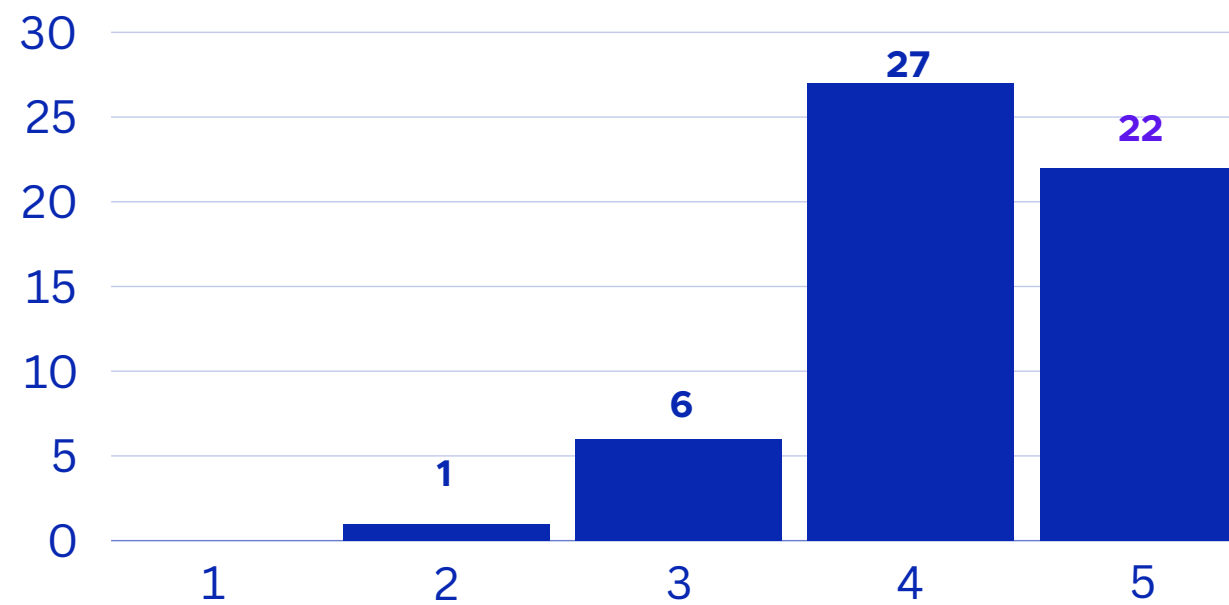
OVERALL SATISFACTION SCORE



EVENT RATING
from 35 responses



TALKS RATING
from 33 responses



WHAT ATTENDEES SAID

“There was a great atmosphere (lots of humor) thanks to the organizers.”

“It's an awesome moment of gathering for the community of which I'm part. Of course, I'll be there again!”



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**It was very engaging
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was lots of opportunity
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potential customers.**



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By becoming a sponsor, you will have the opportunity to connect with a diverse audience of industry professionals, showcase your brand, and contribute to the growth and success of our community.

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Kanchana Wickremasinghe

Main Organizer
KCD Sri Lanka

