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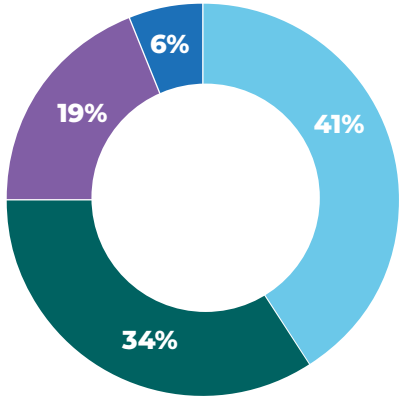
Metro Connect USA is the most important annual meeting for U.S. digital infrastructure leadership teams. It is the premier event for networking with C-level executives from the fibre, data centre, cloud, tower and cable industry, as well as MDs and Partners from the finance sector.

Metro Connect USA facilitates networking between existing partners and new partners through meeting rooms, business lounges, an exhibition hall, and multiple receptions.

The conference provides the yearly annual kick off with CEOs sharing announcements and updates on M&A deals, forecasts for the year ahead, with solutions-focused discussions on market disruptions and opportunities.

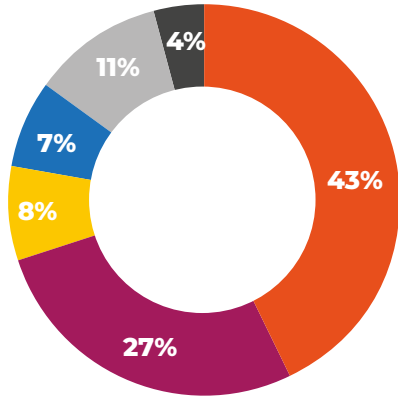
WHO JOINED US?

ATTENDANCE BREAKDOWN



- C-level, President, VP, SVP, EVP
- Director & Head
- Manager
- Sales/Business Dev Executive

ATTENDANCE BY COMPANY TYPE



- Network infrastructure (fiber operators, data centers, towers)
- Private equity GP investors, banks & LP investors
- Legal & consultancy
- Software vendors
- Engineering, construction & hardware
- Other - incl. energy providers & hyperscalers

 **2,900+**
TOTAL REGISTRANTS


 **940+**
UNIQUE COMPANIES

 **48+**
STATES REPRESENTED

 **100+**
SPEAKERS

 **25,798+**
CONTACTS MADE

 **10,427+**
TOTAL MESSAGES EXCHANGED

 **3,500+**
MEETINGS



HIGHLIGHTS



COMPANIES YOU CAN MEET IN 2026

- ▶ 123NET
- ▶ 1547 CRITICAL SYSTEMS REALTY
- ▶ 1623 FARNAM
- ▶ 263 GLOBAL
- ▶ 26FIVE GLOBAL LAB
- ▶ 2PIFI
- ▶ 360 REAL ESTATE
- ▶ 365 DATA CENTERS
- ▶ 3I INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ A&O SHEARMAN
- ▶ A2D INC.(DBA ECOMMUNITY FIBER)
- ▶ AB BERNSTEIN
- ▶ ABC TOWER SERVICES
- ▶ ACA CONNECTS
- ▶ ACCELERATE
- ▶ ACCESS MARKETING COMPANY
- ▶ ACER
- ▶ ACTIFAI
- ▶ ADTRAN INC
- ▶ ADVANCED MICRO DEVICES
- ▶ AGC EQUITY PARTNERS LTD
- ▶ AGENTIS CAPITAL ADVISORS
- ▶ AGILE NETWORKS
- ▶ AIROSMITH DEVELOPMENT
- ▶ AIRWAY TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ AIRWORKS
- ▶ AKAMAI TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ AKERMAN
- ▶ AKRIVIS
- ▶ ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ ALIANZA
- ▶ ALIGNED DATA CENTERS
- ▶ ALIXPARTNERS
- ▶ ALL STATE POWER
- ▶ ALL WEST COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ ALLIANCE BERNSTEIN
- ▶ ALLO
- ▶ ALTAFIBER
- ▶ ALTAWORX MOBILITY POWERED BY AMOP
- ▶ ALTMAN SOLON
- ▶ ALVAREZ & MARSAL
- ▶ AMDOCS
- ▶ AMENTUM
- ▶ AMERICAN CLOUD
- ▶ AMERICAN TOWER
- ▶ ANGELO GORDON
- ▶ ANTHEM BROADBAND
- ▶ ANTIN IP
- ▶ APOLLO GLOBAL MANAGEMENT
- ▶ APPLIED DIGITAL CORPORATION
- ▶ APTERRA INFRASTRUCTURE CAPITAL
- ▶ APTUM
- ▶ AQUA COMMS
- ▶ ARCADIAN INFRAOM
- ▶ ARCHTOP FIBER
- ▶ ARDIAN
- ▶ ARELION AS1299
- ▶ ARENOVA CAPITAL
- ▶ ARES MANAGEMENT
- ▶ ARGO INFRA
- ▶ ARK DATA CENTERS
- ▶ ARTHUR D. LITTLE
- ▶ ARVIG
- ▶ ASG
- ▶ ASPIRE COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ ASSURED COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ ASTOUND WHOLESALE
- ▶ AT&T
- ▶ ATLANTIC-ACM
- ▶ ATMOSPHERE DATA CENTERS
- ▶ ATMOSPHERE-DC
- ▶ ATN INTERNATIONAL
- ▶ AUBIX LLC
- ▶ AUREON
- ▶ AWS
- ▶ AXCENT NETWORKS
- ▶ AXIOM BANK, N.A.
- ▶ AXOS BANK
- ▶ AXTEL
- ▶ B&D COMMUNICATIONS LLC.
- ▶ B. RILEY
- ▶ B+T GROUP
- ▶ B2 TELECOM, LLC
- ▶ BAIN AND COMPANY
- ▶ BAKER BOTTS LLP
- ▶ BALYASNY ASSET MANAGEMENT
- ▶ BAM BROADBAND
- ▶ BANCO SANTANDER
- ▶ BANDWIDTH IG
- ▶ BANK STREET GROUP
- ▶ BARCLAYS
- ▶ BAY STREET ADVISORS LLC
- ▶ BBVA
- ▶ BCE GLOBAL - USA
- ▶ BENEFIT STREET PARTNERS
- ▶ BERKSHIRE PARTNERS
- ▶ BEYOND REACH
- ▶ BHC - ENGINEERING
- ▶ BHT / TCT
- ▶ BIARRI NETWORKS
- ▶ BLACKROCK / GIP
- ▶ BLACKSTONE
- ▶ BLOOM ENERGY
- ▶ BLUE OWL DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ BLUE STREAM FIBER
- ▶ BLUEBIRD FIBER
- ▶ BLUEPEAK
- ▶ BMO CAPITAL MARKETS
- ▶ BNP PARIBAS
- ▶ BOFA SECURITIES
- ▶ BOLDYN NETWORKS
- ▶ BONFIRE INFRASTRUCTURE GROUP
- ▶ BOUNDARY STREET CAPITAL
- ▶ BOUNTEOUS
- ▶ BREEZELINE - COGECO
- ▶ BREGAL SAGEMOUNT
- ▶ BRIDGEPOINT
- ▶ BRIGHTSPEED
- ▶ BRITISH COLUMBIA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION
- ▶ BROADBAND BREAKFAST
- ▶ BROADBAND INSIGHTS
- ▶ BROADBAND ONE
- ▶ BROADSTAFF
- ▶ BROADSTAR
- ▶ BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGEMENT
- ▶ BRYLER DESIGN PARTNERS LLC
- ▶ BSP
- ▶ BTEL
- ▶ BUG TUSSEL WIRELESS
- ▶ BUMBLEBEE NETWORKS
- ▶ BUZZ HPC
- ▶ BVS GROUP
- ▶ C SPIRE
- ▶ CALIX
- ▶ CANAM ENTERPRISES
- ▶ CAPITAL ONE
- ▶ CARLYLE GROUP
- ▶ CARMA, INC.
- ▶ CARTESIAN
- ▶ CASTLELAKE
- ▶ CBRE
- ▶ CC&L INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ CCI SYSTEMS, INC.
- ▶ C-CONNEX
- ▶ CENTERLINE COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ CENTERVIEW PARTNERS
- ▶ CENTRA DIGITAL INTERCONNECT
- ▶ CENTURI
- ▶ CEQUENCE
- ▶ CHANNELL COMMERCIAL CORPORATION
- ▶ CHARLESBANK CAPITAL PARTNERS
- ▶ CHC ADVISORY
- ▶ CHINA MOBILE INTERNATIONAL
- ▶ CHIRISA TECHNOLOGY PARKS
- ▶ CIBC CAPITAL MARKETS

COMPANIES YOU CAN MEET IN 2026

- ▶ CIELO DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ CIENA
- ▶ CIM GROUP
- ▶ CIRCET USA
- ▶ CIRCUITVISION
- ▶ CIRION TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ CITI
- ▶ CITIZENS BANK
- ▶ CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH
- ▶ CITYSIDE FIBER
- ▶ CITYSWITCH
- ▶ CLAD
- ▶ CLEARWAVE FIBER
- ▶ CLIFFORD CHANCE
- ▶ CLOUD AGE
- ▶ CNI
- ▶ COASTAL FIBER
- ▶ COATUE MANAGEMENT
- ▶ COBANK
- ▶ CODECOM
- ▶ COGENT COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ COLT TECHNOLOGY SERVICES
- ▶ COMCAST
- ▶ COMMSOFT
- ▶ COMMUNICATIONS DATA GROUP
- ▶ COMMUNICATIONS TOWER GROUP
- ▶ COMPAXDIGITAL
- ▶ COMPEER FINANCIAL
- ▶ COMPETITIVE TELECOMS GROUP
- ▶ CONCENTRA CAPITAL GROUP
- ▶ CONCURRENT UTILITY SERVICES
- ▶ CONFLUENCE NETWORKS
- ▶ CONGRUEX
- ▶ CONNECTBASE
- ▶ CONNECTED NATION
- ▶ CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ CONSTELLATION SAAS
- ▶ CONTERRA NETWORKS
- ▶ COOLEY
- ▶ CORDIA ENERGY
- ▶ CORE
- ▶ CORE FIBER PARTNERS
- ▶ COREBRIDGE FINANCIAL
- ▶ CORELOGIC
- ▶ CORERO
- ▶ CORESITE
- ▶ CORNING
- ▶ COS SYSTEMS
- ▶ COSTQUEST ASSOCIATES
- ▶ COX BUSINESS
- ▶ COX COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ CPP INVESTMENTS
- ▶ CREDIT AGRICOLE CIB
- ▶ CREDITSIGHTS
- ▶ CREEK ENTERPRISE
- ▶ CREEK PLASTICS
- ▶ CRESTLINE INVESTORS
- ▶ CRESTONE SERVICES GROUP
- ▶ CRESTVIEW
- ▶ CRITICAL COMPONENTS
- ▶ CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE PARTNERS
- ▶ CROSSTIMBERS CAPITAL GROUP
- ▶ CROSSTOWN FIBER
- ▶ CROWN CASTLE
- ▶ CRYSTAL EYE TECH
- ▶ CRYSTAL PEAKS DATA CENTERS
- ▶ CSG
- ▶ CTC
- ▶ CUSHMAN & WAKEFIELD
- ▶ CVC DIF
- ▶ D.A. DAVIDSON
- ▶ DAKOTA CARRIER NETWORK
- ▶ DARK FIBER & INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ DARTPOINTS
- ▶ DATABANK
- ▶ DATACENTERHAWK
- ▶ DATA CLOUD
- ▶ DATACORE INNOVATIONS
- ▶ DATAVERGE
- ▶ DAVIS POLK & WARDWELL
- ▶ DAVIS WRIGHT TREMAINE LLP
- ▶ DC ADVISORY
- ▶ DC BLOX
- ▶ DC BYTE
- ▶ DCOMM
- ▶ DE-CIX GROUP
- ▶ DECLARATION NETWORKS GROUP
- ▶ DEEPOMATIC
- ▶ DEFT / SUMMIT
- ▶ DEUTSCHE BANK
- ▶ DFX TECHNICAL SERVICES
- ▶ DIAMOND COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ DIGITAL ALPHA
- ▶ DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE ADVISORS
- ▶ DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE GROUP
- ▶ DIGITAL UBIQUITY CAPITAL
- ▶ DIGITALBRIDGE
- ▶ DIRECT LTX
- ▶ DIRECTLINE COMMUNICATIONS INC.
- ▶ DIRECTV FOR BUSINESS
- ▶ DIVERSIFIED UNDERGROUND SERVICES
- ▶ DOBSON FIBER
- ▶ DQE COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ DUOS EDGE AI
- ▶ DYCOM
- ▶ E2COMPANIES
- ▶ EARTHLINK
- ▶ EAST KENTUCKY NETWORK
- ▶ ECC TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ ECL
- ▶ ECOMMUNITY HOLDINGS
- ▶ ECS
- ▶ EDGE CITY1343.COM
- ▶ EDGECONNEX
- ▶ EDGE CORE DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ EDGED DATA CENTERS
- ▶ EDGEUNO
- ▶ EERO, AN AMAZON COMPANY
- ▶ EIGHTY8 NETWORKS
- ▶ EIV CAPITAL
- ▶ EKinOPS
- ▶ ELEMENT CRITICAL
- ▶ ELEMENT8 INTERNET
- ▶ ELETRONET
- ▶ ELYSIUM MANAGEMENT
- ▶ EMBARC SOLUTIONS
- ▶ EMERTON
- ▶ EMTELLE
- ▶ ENCAP
- ▶ EPC
- ▶ EQT
- ▶ EQUINIX
- ▶ ERA PARTNERS
- ▶ ERNST & YOUNG
- ▶ ERVIN CABLE CONSTRUCTION
- ▶ ESSENTIA, INC.
- ▶ ETI SOFTWARE SOLUTIONS
- ▶ EVERCORE
- ▶ EVEREST INFRASTRUCTURE PARTNERS
- ▶ EVERSTREAM
- ▶ EVOCATIVE
- ▶ EX2 TECHNOLOGY, A VIVACITY COMPANY
- ▶ EXA INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ EXPRESS-TEK
- ▶ EXTENET
- ▶ EXTOLE
- ▶ EY PARTHENON
- ▶ EZEE FIBER
- ▶ FARMER MAC
- ▶ FARNSWORTH GROUP
- ▶ FENGATE
- ▶ FIBERCOM ENGINEERING
- ▶ FIBERLIGHT
- ▶ FIBERLOCATOR

COMPANIES YOU CAN MEET IN 2026

- ▶ FIBERLOG
- ▶ FIBERNOW
- ▶ FIBERWISE
- ▶ FIDELITY INVESTMENTS
- ▶ FIFTH THIRD BANK
- ▶ FIRMAMENT
- ▶ FIRST AMERICAN EQUIPMENT FINANCE
- ▶ FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE CO
- ▶ FIRST-CITIZENS BANK & TRUST
- ▶ FIRSTLIGHT
- ▶ FITCH RATINGS
- ▶ FLEXENTIAL
- ▶ FLEXNODE
- ▶ FLO NETWORKS
- ▶ FOAM INTERNET
- ▶ FOCUS INVESTMENT BANKING
- ▶ FORESIGHT
- ▶ FREecast
- ▶ FREEDOM 3 CAPITAL
- ▶ FRONTIER
- ▶ FTI CONSULTING
- ▶ FTI DELTA
- ▶ FUJITSU NETWORK COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ FULLERTON
- ▶ FUSION TELECOM SERVICES
- ▶ FUTURE INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ GAC ENTERPRISES
- ▶ GAIIA
- ▶ GAMUT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT
- ▶ GATEWAY FIBER
- ▶ GCG
- ▶ GCI COMMUNICATION CORP.
- ▶ GCM GROSVENOR
- ▶ GI PARTNERS
- ▶ GIGABIT FIBER
- ▶ GIGAPOWER
- ▶ GIGAFIRE
- ▶ GIGNET
- ▶ GIGRX

- ▶ GIX FIBER
- ▶ GLASMASTERS
- ▶ GLDS
- ▶ GLO FIBER BUSINESS
- ▶ GLOBAL CONNECT COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ GLOBALINX DATA CENTERS
- ▶ GLOBENET CABOS SUBMARINOS
- AMERICA
- ▶ GOCARE
- ▶ GOFOTON
- ▶ GOLD DATA
- ▶ GOLDMAN SACHS
- ▶ GONETSPEED
- ▶ GOODCAP ADVISORS
- ▶ GOOGLE FIBER
- ▶ GPC INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ GRAIN MANAGEMENT
- ▶ GRANITE SHORE POWER
- ▶ GRANITE TELECOMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ GRAVITYPATH PARTNERS
- ▶ GRAYBAR
- ▶ GRAYMATTER ADVISORY
- ▶ GREAT PLAINS COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ GREENBACKER CAPITAL - GDEV
- ▶ GREENBERG TRAUIG, LLP
- ▶ GREENLIGHT NETWORKS
- ▶ GREYSTAR
- ▶ GRIDSOURCE
- ▶ GTAC
- ▶ GTC TOWERS
- ▶ GTCR
- ▶ GTT
- ▶ GUGGENHEIM PARTNERS
- ▶ H.I.G. CAPITAL
- ▶ H5 DATA CENTERS
- ▶ HAMILTON INDUSTRIES
- ▶ HANSEN TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ HARBOR LINK HOLDINGS
- ▶ HARLAN CAPITAL PARTNERS

- ▶ HARMONI TOWERS
- ▶ HARRIS WILLIAMS
- ▶ HARRY
- ▶ HARSRING CAPITAL
- ▶ HAYNES AND BOONE
- ▶ HEAVY READING
- ▶ HELABA
- ▶ HEXATRONIC
- ▶ HFCL
- ▶ HGC GLOBAL COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ HI TECH UTILITY CONSTRUCTION
- ▶ HIG CAPITAL
- ▶ HIGHLINE
- ▶ HILLIARY
- ▶ HITEQUITY
- ▶ HIWELLOCITY
- ▶ HNM SYSTEMS
- ▶ HONEST NETWORKS
- ▶ HONEYCOMB ASSET MANAGEMENT
- ▶ HOSTDIME GLOBAL CORP
- ▶ HOTWIRE COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ HOULIHAN LOKEY
- ▶ HUGH O'KANE ELECTRIC COMPANY
- ▶ HUMAN RESOURCE SOLUTIONS
- ▶ HUNTINGTON NATIONAL BANK
- ▶ HUNTON ANDREWS KURTH
- ▶ HUT 8
- ▶ HYLAN
- ▶ HYPER FIBER
- ▶ I SQUARED
- ▶ I3 BROADBAND
- ▶ IBT GROUP
- ▶ ICEBLUE INTERNET
- ▶ ICON TOWER
- ▶ IDEATEK TELCOM
- ▶ IDI BILLING SOLUTIONS
- ▶ IENTC TELECOM
- ▶ IG GROUP | INTERGLOBIX
- ▶ IM DATA CENTERS

- ▶ IMILLER
- ▶ IMMCO
- ▶ INCOMPAS
- ▶ INDATEL SERVICES
- ▶ INDIGO
- ▶ INFINERA
- ▶ INFRAFORWARD STRATEGIES
- ▶ INFRAKEY CAPITAL
- ▶ INFRAKEY DATAPARKS
- ▶ INFRALOGIC
- ▶ INFRARED CAPITAL PARTNERS
- ▶ ING
- ▶ INNOWAVE
- ▶ INORSA
- ▶ INSIDE TOWERS
- ▶ INSITE WEB
- ▶ INTELLIPOP
- ▶ INTERMEDIA
- ▶ INTERMOUNTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE GROUP
- ▶ INTESA SANPAOLO
- ▶ INTRAWAY
- ▶ INTREPID FIBER NETWORKS
- ▶ INTROL
- ▶ INVESTEC
- ▶ INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CORPORATION OF ONTARIO
- ▶ IQ FIBER
- ▶ IQGEO
- ▶ IRIS NETWORKS
- ▶ ISOFUSION/GIGABITNOW
- ▶ ISP ADVISOR
- ▶ ITG COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ J.P. MORGAN
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- ▶ JDI FIBERTECH
- ▶ JEFFERIES
- ▶ JLA ADVISORS

COMPANIES YOU CAN MEET IN 2026

- ▶ JOHN LAING
- ▶ JSA
- ▶ JSI
- ▶ JTD TECHADVISORS
- ▶ KALIL & CO
- ▶ KANSAS FIBER NETWORK
- ▶ KCI TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ KEARNEY
- ▶ KELLER & HECKMAN
- ▶ KEYBANC CAPITAL MARKETS
- ▶ KEYBANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
- ▶ KFW IPEX-BANK
- ▶ KINETIC
- ▶ KIRKLAND & ELLIS
- ▶ KKR
- ▶ KLEIN LAW GROUP
- ▶ KLT HOLDINGS
- ▶ KOCH REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS
- ▶ KONTRON
- ▶ LAKESHORE FIBER
- ▶ LARUS
- ▶ LAYER 9 DATA CENTERS
- ▶ LAZARD
- ▶ LB NETWORKS
- ▶ LEDCOR TECHNICAL SERVICES
- ▶ LEO BERWICK
- ▶ LIBERTY MUTUAL INVESTMENTS
- ▶ LIBERTY NETWORKS
- ▶ LIGHT SOURCE COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ LIGHTEDGE SOLUTIONS
- ▶ LIGHTHOUSE TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ LIGHTPATH
- ▶ LIGHTRIVER TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ LIGHTWHEEL RECRUITMENT ADVISORS
- ▶ LINX - THE LONDON INTERNET EXCHANGE
- ▶ LIVE OAK BANK
- ▶ LIVEOAK FIBER
- ▶ LOGIC NETWORKS
- ▶ LOGIX FIBER NETWORKS
- ▶ LOUDOUN COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
- ▶ LS NETWORKS
- ▶ LS POWER
- ▶ LUCK GROVE
- ▶ LUMEN
- ▶ LUMOS FIBER
- ▶ LYTE FIBER
- ▶ MAC MOUNTAIN
- ▶ MACH NETWORKS
- ▶ MACQUARIE GROUP
- ▶ MADISON INTERNATIONAL REALTY
- ▶ MAGELLAN GROUP
- ▶ MAGNOLIA HILL PARTNERS
- ▶ MAINSTREAM FIBER NETWORKS
- ▶ MANAGED TELECOM SERVICES
- ▶ MANULIFE INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT
- ▶ MARSH
- ▶ MASTEC
- ▶ MC PARTNERS
- ▶ MEAG/MUNICH RE
- ▶ MEARS BROADBAND
- ▶ MEDIA CAPITAL ADVISORS
- ▶ MEDIACOM COMMUNICATIONS CORP
- ▶ MEF
- ▶ MERIDIAM
- ▶ META
- ▶ METRO COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ METRO FIBER NETWORKS INC.
- ▶ METRONET
- ▶ METROPOLITAN PARTNERS GROUP
- ▶ MGG INVESTMENT GROUP
- ▶ MID-ATLANTIC BROADBAND
- ▶ MIDCO
- ▶ MIDWEST FIBER NETWORKS
- ▶ MILBANK
- ▶ MILLENNIUM
- ▶ MILLENNIUM INFRASTRUCTURE FUND
- ▶ MINDFULTECH INSTITUTE
- ▶ MINERVA TEC GROUP
- ▶ MINTZ
- ▶ MIS03
- ▶ MISSION CRITICAL GROUP
- ▶ MIZUHO | GREENHILL
- ▶ MOBIA INOVATIONS
- ▶ MOBY
- ▶ MOELIS & COMPANY
- ▶ MOMENTUM
- ▶ MONROE CAPITAL
- ▶ MOORGATE CAPITAL PARTNERS
- ▶ MORGAN STANLEY
- ▶ MORGAN STANLEY INFRASTRUCTURE PARTNERS
- ▶ MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS
- ▶ MORRISON
- ▶ MOSS ADAMS
- ▶ MOUNTAIN
- ▶ MOX NETWORKS
- ▶ MTS: MANAGED TELECOM SERVICES
- ▶ MUBADALA
- ▶ MUFG BANK
- ▶ MUNSON COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ MYBUNDLE
- ▶ MYRIAD360
- ▶ N&S
- ▶ N&S CONSTRUCTION, INC
- ▶ NANTWORKS
- ▶ NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK
- ▶ NATIONAL BANK FINANCIAL
- ▶ NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA
- ▶ NATIONAL ONDEMAND
- ▶ NATIXIS
- ▶ NATWEST
- ▶ NETCON
- ▶ NETGLOBAL
- ▶ NETRALITY DATA CENTERS
- ▶ NETWORK CONNEX
- ▶ NEUTRAL NETWORKS
- ▶ NEVADA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF SCIENCE, INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY
- ▶ NEW PROJECT MEDIA
- ▶ NEW STREET RESEARCH
- ▶ NEWBY VENTURES
- ▶ NEWMARK
- ▶ NEWPORT GLOBAL ADVISORS
- ▶ NEXO LATAM
- ▶ NEXSYSONE DMCC
- ▶ NEXTERA INFRASTRUCTURE SOLUTIONS
- ▶ NGT GROUP
- ▶ NI2
- ▶ NITEL
- ▶ NJFX
- ▶ NOKIA
- ▶ NOMAD FUTURIST FOUNDATION
- ▶ NOMURA
- ▶ NORTHAMPTON CAPITAL PARTNERS
- ▶ NORTHLAND CAPITAL MARKETS
- ▶ NORTHLEAF
- ▶ NORTHPOINT DEVELOPMENT
- ▶ NORTHWARD INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ NOVACAP
- ▶ NOVVA
- ▶ NTI, A NETWORK CONNEX COMPANY
- ▶ NUQUEST ENERGY
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COMPANIES YOU CAN MEET IN 2026

- ▶ OHIO GIG
- ▶ OIC, LP
- ▶ OMERS
- ▶ ONP
- ▶ ONVALUE
- ▶ OPPENHEIMER & CO
- ▶ OPTIMUM
- ▶ OPTIMUM BUSINESS
- ▶ OPTK NETWORKS
- ▶ OPTRUST
- ▶ ORANGE
- ▶ OSG
- ▶ OSI GLOBAL
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- ▶ PAMLICO CAPITAL
- ▶ PARAGON NAVIGATOR
- ▶ PARTNERS GROUP
- ▶ PAVLOV MEDIA
- ▶ PAYMENTUS
- ▶ PBI FIBER
- ▶ PCCI GROUP
- ▶ PEAKVIEW SOLUTIONS
- ▶ PEI GLOBAL PARTNERS
- ▶ PENINSULA FIBER NETWORK
- ▶ PEPPERTREE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT
- ▶ PERCEPTURE
- ▶ PETABIT SCALE
- ▶ PHILLIPS LYTLE
- ▶ PHOENIX COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ PHOENIX TOWER INTERNATIONAL
- ▶ PILOT
- ▶ PINPOINT CAPITAL ADVISORS
- ▶ PIVOT-TECH DEVELOPMENT
- ▶ PJT PARTNERS
- ▶ PLANET NETWORKS
- ▶ PLATEAU TELECOMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ PLATFORM INVESTMENT PARTNERS
- ▶ PMP STRATEGY
- ▶ POINT BROADBAND
- ▶ POINTONE
- ▶ POMEGRAN.
- ▶ PORT COLORADO
- ▶ POSITRON ACCESS SOLUTIONS CORP.
- ▶ POST ROAD GROUP
- ▶ POWER & TEL
- ▶ POWER DESIGN
- ▶ POWER LOOP
- ▶ POWER SUSTAINABLE
- ▶ POWERFLO SOLUTIONS LTD
- ▶ POWERHOUSE DATA CENTER
- ▶ PRAXEDO
- ▶ PRIME COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ PRIME FIBER
- ▶ PRODAPT
- ▶ PROJECT FIBER
- ▶ PROSKAUER
- ▶ PROVIDENT DATA CENTERS
- ▶ PRYSMIAN
- ▶ PRYSMIAN GROUP
- ▶ PS LIGHTWAVE
- ▶ PWC
- ▶ Q ADVISORS
- ▶ QANTM AI
- ▶ QIX
- ▶ QMC TELECOM
- ▶ QSCALE
- ▶ QSERA TELENET
- ▶ QUADREAL PROPERTY GROUP
- ▶ QUANTA SERVICES
- ▶ QUANTICA INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ QUANTUM LOOPHOLE
- ▶ QUANTUM LOOPHOLE
- ▶ RADIUS GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ RADIUSDC
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- ▶ RECOVERY POINT SYSTEMS
- ▶ REGIONS SECURITIES
- ▶ RENDER NETWORKS
- ▶ REP COM INTERNATIONAL
- ▶ REV
- ▶ RIDGELINK
- ▶ RINGSQUARED
- ▶ RIOT PLATFORMS
- ▶ RIPPLE FIBER
- ▶ RISE BROADBAND
- ▶ RISE LIGHT & POWER
- ▶ RITTER COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ ROGERS
- ▶ ROLAND BERGER
- ▶ ROPES & GRAY
- ▶ ROSENBERGER
- ▶ ROTHSCHILD & CO
- ▶ ROWAN DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ RPOWER
- ▶ RUSSELL REYNOLDS ASSOCIATES
- ▶ RX GLOBAL
- ▶ S&N CONSTRUCTION
- ▶ SAFE SECURITY
- ▶ SAGE MANAGEMENT
- ▶ SAILFISH INVESTORS
- ▶ SALUTE
- ▶ SANTANDER
- ▶ SBA EDGE
- ▶ SCE
- ▶ SCHURZ COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ SCOTIABANK
- ▶ SCP
- ▶ SDC CAPITAL PARTNERS
- ▶ SDN COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ SEABORN NETWORKS
- ▶ SEAPORT CAPITAL
- ▶ SEARCHLIGHT CAPITAL PARTNERS
- ▶ SECURE HALO
- ▶ SEGRA
- ▶ SENTINEL DOME PARTNERS
- ▶ SHENTEL
- ▶ SIERRA IG
- ▶ SIFI NETWORKS
- ▶ SIRO
- ▶ SITENNA
- ▶ SITETRACKER
- ▶ SIXTH STREET
- ▶ SKYCOM ENGINEERING
- ▶ SKYWIRE NETWORKS
- ▶ SLICE WIRELESS SOLUTIONS
- ▶ SLICFIBER
- ▶ SMARTOPTICS
- ▶ SMBC
- ▶ SNOWHAWK PARTNERS
- ▶ SOCIETE GENERALE
- ▶ SOLARIS ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ SOLOMON PARTNERS
- ▶ SONAR SOFTWARE
- ▶ SONIC TELECOM
- ▶ SOUTH REACH NETWORKS
- ▶ SOUTHERN TELECOM
- ▶ SOUTHLAND HOLDINGS
- ▶ SPARKLIGHT
- ▶ SPECTROTEL
- ▶ SPECTRUM BUSINESS
- ▶ SPROCKET NETWORKS
- ▶ SQUAN CONSTRUCTION SERVICES
- ▶ STACK INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ STACKPATH
- ▶ STARCOM FIBER
- ▶ STARTOUH
- ▶ STEPSTONE GROUP REAL ESTATE LP
- ▶ STERLIGHT TECHNOLOGIES

COMPANIES YOU CAN MEET IN 2026

- ▶ STERN RECRUITING
- ▶ STIFEL
- ▶ STIMULUS TECHNOLOGIES
- ▶ STONEPEAK
- ▶ STRATCAP WIRELESS
- ▶ STRATICA X
- ▶ STRATUS NETWORKS
- ▶ STRUCTURE NET
- ▶ SUBOPTIC FOUNDATION
- ▶ SUMMIT BROADBAND
- ▶ SUMMITIG
- ▶ SUNFLOWER BANK
- ▶ SURF INTERNET
- ▶ SUSTAINABLE DATA DEVELOPMENT
- ▶ SVL DATA CENTER COOLING
- ▶ SWISS LIFE ASSET MANAGEMENT AG
- ▶ SWITCH
- ▶ SWYFTCONNECT
- ▶ SWYFTFIBER
- ▶ SYMPHONY WIRELESS
- ▶ SYNOVUS
- ▶ SYNTRIO SOLUTIONS
- ▶ SYRINGA NETWORKS
- ▶ SYTEX
- ▶ TACC
- ▶ TACHUS
- ▶ TAILWIND VOICE & DATA
- ▶ TAK BROADBAND
- ▶ TAKODA DATA CENTERS
- ▶ TALLGRASS
- ▶ TAP
- ▶ TARANA WIRELESS
- ▶ TD SECURITIES
- ▶ TDC
- ▶ TDS TELECOMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ TECEX
- ▶ TECFUSIONS
- ▶ TEG CONSULTING
- ▶ TEKCOM RESOURCES
- ▶ TEKSYSTEMS
- ▶ TELCABLES US
- ▶ TELEBERMUDA INTERNATIONAL
- ▶ TELECON
- ▶ TELECON DESIGN
- ▶ TELEHOUSE
- ▶ TELFORCE GROUP
- ▶ TELIN
- ▶ TENFOLD SEARCH
- ▶ TEOCO CORPORATION
- ▶ TEP
- ▶ TERAFIBER
- ▶ TERAWULF
- ▶ TERRANOVA CAPITAL
- ▶ TERSUS SERVICES
- ▶ TEXAS CAPITAL
- ▶ TEXAS LONE STAR NETWORK
- ▶ THE DEAL
- ▶ THE FISHEL COMPANY
- ▶ THE GALLOWAY GROUP
- ▶ THE PRITZKER ORGANIZATION
- ▶ THERMO BOND BUILDING
- ▶ THIRD COAST BANK
- ▶ TILLMAN FIBER CO
- ▶ TILLMAN GLOBAL
- ▶ TILSON
- ▶ TILSON INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ TIMBERLINE REAL ESTATE PARTNERS
- ▶ TINIFIBER
- ▶ TITLEVEST
- ▶ TKI INFRASTRUCTURE SOLUTIONS
- ▶ T-MOBILE
- ▶ TOAST
- ▶ TORRECOM
- ▶ TORRECOM PARTNERS
- ▶ TOWARDEX
- ▶ TOWERCO
- ▶ TPG
- ▶ TPX
- ▶ TRANS AMERICAS FIBER SYSTEM
- ▶ TRANSUNION
- ▶ TRG DATACENTERS
- ▶ TRIAGE PARTNERS
- ▶ TRIPLE DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ TRUIST SECURITIES
- ▶ TRUSS ENERGY
- ▶ TRUVISTA COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ TWIST BROADBAND
- ▶ UBIQUITY
- ▶ UBS
- ▶ UNDERLINE INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ UNITED COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ UNITED FIBER
- ▶ UNITED INTEGRITY ADVISORS
- ▶ UNITED UNDERGROUND UTILITY GROUP
- ▶ UNITEL
- ▶ UNITI FIBER
- ▶ UNIVERSAL NETWORK SERVICES
- ▶ UNWIRED BROADBAND
- ▶ US SIGNAL
- ▶ UTILLIGEN
- ▶ VALHALLA INDUSTRIES
- ▶ VALMONT TELECOMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ VALORC3 DATA CENTERS
- ▶ VANTAGE DATA CENTERS
- ▶ VANTAGE POINT SOLUTIONS
- ▶ VARINET TELESERVICES INC.
- ▶ VAST NETWORKS
- ▶ VCTI
- ▶ VERITÀ TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION
- ▶ VERIZON
- ▶ VERIZON WIRELESS
- ▶ VERO NETWORKS
- ▶ VERTEK CORPORATION
- ▶ VERTICAL BRIDGE
- ▶ VERTIV
- ▶ VETRO
- ▶ VIAERO FIBER NETWORKS
- ▶ VIAPHOTON
- ▶ VINEYARD INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ VIRGINIA OFFICE OF BROADBAND
- ▶ VISION NET
- ▶ VISIONARY BROADBAND
- ▶ VISTACARE COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ VITRUVI SOFTWARE
- ▶ VIVARO TELECOM
- ▶ VOYA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT
- ▶ VTAL
- ▶ VTEL
- ▶ VTXC
- ▶ VYTAL DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE
- ▶ WADE TRIM
- ▶ WAFRA
- ▶ WATCH HILL WIRELESS SOLUTIONS
- ▶ WEB CREATOR LIVE
- ▶ WEBSTER BANK
- ▶ WECOM FIBER
- ▶ WELINK
- ▶ WELLS FARGO SECURITIES
- ▶ WHITE & CASE
- ▶ WHITE LABEL COMMUNICATIONS
- ▶ WILKINSON BARKER KNAUER
- ▶ WIN TECHNOLOGY
- ▶ WINDSTREAM
- ▶ WINDSTREAM HOLDING
- ▶ WIRE 3
- ▶ WISPER INTERNET
- ▶ WISPER ISP
- ▶ WOMBLE BOND DICKINSON
- ▶ WOMEN IN TECH WORLD SERIES
- ▶ WOODFOREST NATIONAL BANK
- ▶ WREN HOUSE
- ▶ WYYERD FIBER
- ▶ ZAPPTER SYSTEMS
- ▶ ZAYO
- ▶ ZB8 INFRA
- ▶ ZENTRO
- ▶ ZINIER
- ▶ ZIPLY FIBER

THE LEADING SPEAKERS (PREVIOUSLY AT METRO CONNECT USA)



Michael Weening
CEO
CALIX



Nathan Hazlewood
CDO
COLOGIX



Veneeth Iyengar
Executive Director
CONNECT LOUISIANA



Marc Ganzi
CEO
DIGITALBRIDGE



Kim Benton
VP Product & Marketing
FRONTIER



Pamit Surana
CRO
GIGAPOWER



Cindy Jia
Director, Sustainable
Finance
ING



Brian Stading
CEO
LUMOS FIBER



Kurt Hagerman
Field Chief Information
Security Officer
ORACLE



Greg Wilson
Founder
RIPPLE FIBER



Andrés Irlando
President
ZAYO



Paul Sunu
CEO
WINDSTREAM

SPONSOR PACKAGES

| | DIAMOND | PLATINUM | GOLD | SILVER | BRONZE |
|--|---------|----------|------|--------|--------|
| BRANDING | | | | | |
| Logo to appear on event website homepage | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Logo & profile on sponsor's page of event website | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Verbal recognition at the start of keynote session(s) | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| Logo on event meeting portal | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Sponsor announcement on Capacity Media social channels | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| Logo on event marketing emails | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Logo on selected advertisements in Capacity Magazine | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Pre-event 'Welcome to the sponsors' email with <100-word welcome message, logo and your chosen link e.g. to pre-book meetings/your panel | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| In-event announcement (push notification) - your message promoted to all delegates e.g. to visit your booth / panel | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| High impact branding on event meeting portal | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| Logo on post-event report | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| One page advert in post-event report | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| Logo aligned with non-sponsored conference sessions | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

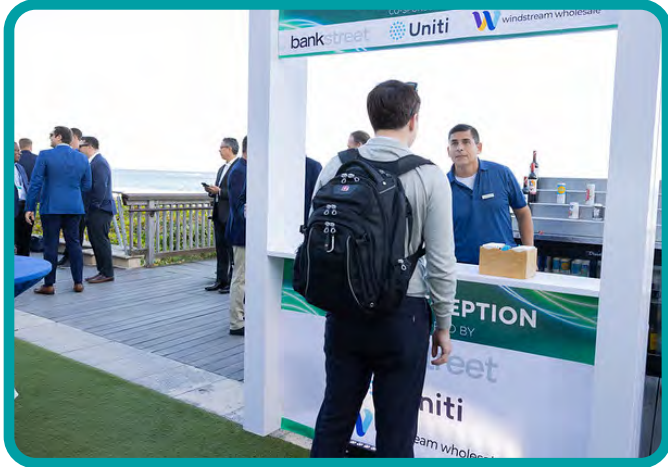
SPONSOR PACKAGES

| | | | | | |
|---|----|----|----|---|---|
| Branding on-site at the event | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Logo on hotel check-in welcome letters via QR code | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| Exclusive branding on-site at the event | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| Branding around event entrance | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| NETWORKING | | | | | |
| Event attendee passes | 15 | 15 | 10 | 7 | 5 |
| 1 x Premium Meeting Room - includes branded sign, directional signage, and light refreshments | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| 1 x Standard Meeting Room - includes branded sign, directional signage, and light refreshments | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Preferential allocation of meeting room (size and location) - in order of sponsor tier | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Ability to access and message all delegates in advance of the event to set up meetings | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Pre-event list of individuals interested in meeting with your company (information collected at event registration) | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| Badge scanning capability for your delegates included | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

SPONSOR PACKAGES

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

| | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Speaking position for senior representative (final placement by conference producer) | ✓ | ✓ | Subject to availability | | |
| Onsite testimonial video published across Metro Connect channels | ✓ | | | | |
| Option for short pre-event 'Welcome' video published across Metro Connect channels (video supplied by sponsor) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| Option to provide content to be posted on Capacity Media's Twitter and LinkedIn (subject to event organiser approval/ availability) | 2 | 2 | 1 | | |
| PACKAGE TOTAL | \$66,000 | \$55,000 | \$42,000 | \$30,975 | \$22,950 |



EXHIBITORS



Standard Exhibitor with 3 Passes
\$10,995 (includes branded backdrop)

- ▶ Show ready 3m x 2m exhibition space (10 x 7 feet)
- ▶ Fully turnkey - backdrop included (digital artwork file supplied by sponsor)
- ▶ Table and four chairs included with access to power
- ▶ 3 delegate passes for the event
- ▶ Badge scanning included for your delegates
- ▶ Access to all delegates in advance to set up meetings



Larger Booths & Freebuilds
POA

- ▶ For 12sqm or larger, you have a choice of using our turnkey show ready solution, or bespoke with our contractor.

BUSINESS LOUNGES



**Premium Meeting Lounge with 2 passes
\$7,300**

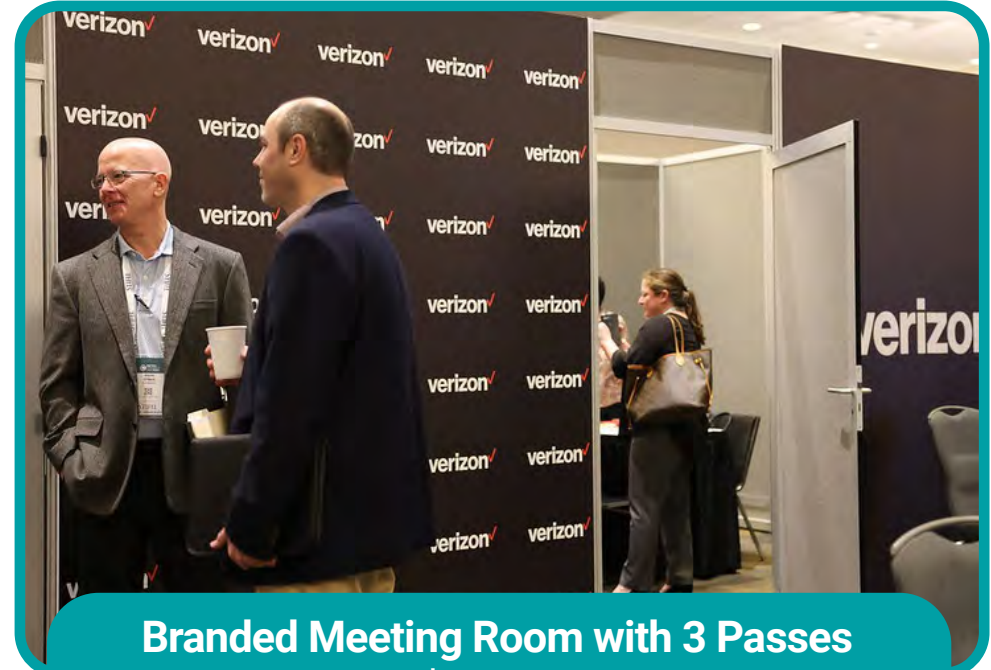
- ▶ Comfortable, executive style seating for 4 persons with coffee table provided
 - ▶ Visible branded sign for the event and access to power
 - ▶ Badge scanning included for your delegates
 - ▶ Access to all delegates in advance to set up meetings
 - ▶ 2 delegate passes

MEETING ROOMS



Standard Meeting Room with 3 Passes
\$11,950

- ▶ Private meeting room to seat up to 10 people
- ▶ Directional signage provided
- ▶ Daily room refresh and cleaning
- ▶ External door signage with meeting room holders logo
- ▶ 3 delegate passes for the event
- ▶ Light refreshments included daily
- ▶ Badge scanning included for your delegates
- ▶ Access to all delegates in advance to set up meetings



Branded Meeting Room with 3 Passes
\$11,950

- ▶ Branded, constructed private meeting room to seat 6 people located in exhibition area
- ▶ Includes all furniture (table and chairs) and power access
- ▶ Large branded front panel across external frontage
- ▶ Nametag for company name outside
- ▶ Badge scanning included for your delegates
- ▶ Access to all delegates in advance to set up meetings

DUNES CABANAS WITH 3 PASSES



LIMITED NUMBER AVAILABLE

- ▶ Cabana set up to seat 4 people including coffee table and 4 chairs
- ▶ Includes branded banner across external door frontage
- ▶ Includes internally branded curtain, branded mirror and branded table
- ▶ Includes power access, fridge, lighting and ceiling fan
- ▶ 2 x additional deck chairs on patio deck and ability to open doors onto external patio deck area
- ▶ Light catering included daily
- ▶ Up to 3 passes included

\$11,950



THOUGHT LEADERSHIP OPTIONS

Sponsor an Existing Panel or Roundtable

- ▶ Positioned as exclusive sponsor of an existing panel / roundtable on the website and event app agenda
- ▶ Branding on holding slides for that session
- ▶ Exclusive branding on any marketing email(s) or social media promotion where Capacity Media may choose to highlight the session content
- ▶ Session to be promoted on social media (including company logo)
- ▶ Panel speaking or moderating slot for senior representative – final placement to be confirmed by conference producer
- ▶ Session can be recorded with your company logo and made available to attendees after the event and for your own marketing (additional cost)

\$12,500

Bespoke Roundtable

- ▶ Exclusively host and lead a thought leadership discussion with up to 25 senior digital infrastructure players
- ▶ Capacity to send out targeted invitations based on your target list of individuals/companies/company types to join
- ▶ Work with our conference producer to help shape content
- ▶ Your preferred format for up to 1 hour
- ▶ Exclusive branding as a sponsored session on the website and event app agenda
- ▶ Exclusive branding on email marketing highlighting session content

\$25,000

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP OPTIONS

Bespoke Panel

- ▶ Panel session reserved for you – sponsor to provide senior representative(s) to speak and you can include customers/other speakers to build your own panel of content (speakers subject to approval from Capacity)
- ▶ Capacity to assist with speaker recruitment for your panel (if preferred)
- ▶ Positioned as exclusive sponsor of a panel session on the website and event app Agenda
- ▶ Exclusive branding on any marketing email(s) or social media promotion where Capacity may choose to highlight the session content
- ▶ Session to be promoted on social media (including company logo)
- ▶ Exclusive branding on any holding slides for that panel
- ▶ Session can be recorded with your company logo and made available to attendees after the event and for your own marketing (additional cost)

\$28,000



MEETUP PACKAGES 2026 (PER MEETUP)

Lead Partner - maximum of 3 per MeetUp, each non-competitive to each other

- ▶ Consultation in the Meetup survey sent to all delegates where you can help shape questions
- ▶ Ability to work with us on recommended invitees
- ▶ Logo on pre meetup survey
- ▶ Access to the meetup
- ▶ Onsite branding at the MeetUp for this group
- ▶ Opportunity to introduce at the start in brief initial Panel discussion
- ▶ Lead Roundtable discussion(s) in the Meetup
- ▶ Participate in any feedback session at the end as well as the Networking Drinks/Refreshments
- ▶ Branding (along with other Lead Partners) on catering/networking drinks branding at the end of the MeetUp as there will be dedicated networking session

\$20,000

Associate Partner

- ▶ Access to the MeetUp
- ▶ Onsite branding at the MeetUp for this group
- ▶ Branding (along with other Partners) on catering/networking drinks branding at the end of the MeetUp as there will be dedicated networking session

\$10,000



METRO CONNECT MEETUPS

Metro Connect MeetUps are exclusive, invite only and interactive networking and content sessions each capped at 58 people, uniting handpicked groups of the most senior decision makers across the MeetUp theme. They are closed-door discussions focused around the most pressing industry developments to equip leaders' decision-making and share expertise. The first hour is fully interactive content, followed by 30 mins of open networking and refreshments/drinks.

We are running the following MeetUps for 2026:

The Data Center MeetUp

This session will unite data centers, hyperscale, neo-cloud and construction & engineering leaders for an in-depth, interactive discussion tackling the key challenges and opportunities shaping the data center landscape. We'll cover:

- ▶ Financing the data center boom: financing strategies, is growth sustainable, or will the bubble burst?
- ▶ Build, Baby, Build: strategies to accelerate construction and overcome development roadblocks
- ▶ From lengthy lead teams to rising costs: overcoming challenges in the supply chain
- ▶ Enterprise vs hyperscale: the evolution of business models
- ▶ Upgrades, retrofits, rebuild: what solutions are emerging?

The first hour is dedicated to an interactive discussion, followed by 30 minutes of networking & refreshments.

The Data Center Fiber MeetUp

The explosion of AI has led to an unprecedented demand for data centers, driving new fiber build outs. This session will offer the prime opportunity for data center operators, hyperscalers & neo-cloud players to meet fiber providers to source connectivity for new and expanding facilities. We'll cover:

- ▶ Assessing demand for additional data center interconnect capacity and routes
- ▶ From the ground up: embedding fiber strategy early in data center development
- ▶ Future-proofing connectivity: optimizing fiber infrastructure to meet capacity and speed requirements
- ▶ How has the shift to a power-first strategy impacted fiber connectivity to and between data centers?

The first hour is dedicated to an interactive discussion, followed by 30 minutes of networking & refreshments.

METRO CONNECT MEETUPS

The FTTH MeetUp

Fiber remains the gold standard in residential connectivity, and demand for bandwidth is only increasing with the rise in streaming, remote work, AI tools and smart home devices. This session will unite fiber operators, network designers, network construction, key technology vendors and state broadband offices to discuss:

- ▶ From streaming to smart homes: how are the FTTH services evolving?
- ▶ How can networks be monetised long-term, and how are public-private models developing?
- ▶ Deploying smarter: new tools and technologies powering the FTTH network
- ▶ Designing tomorrow's connectivity: smarter network planning
- ▶ Planning and managing network build-out and delivery schedules

The first hour is dedicated to an interactive discussion, followed by 30 minutes of networking & refreshments.

The AI Infrastructure MeetUp

This session unites visionaries and leaders driving AI innovation across digital infrastructure, from neoclouds to AI platforms . Join us for a forward-looking discussion exploring:

- ▶ The AI surge: How will the next wave of artificial intelligence reshape our digital infrastructure landscape?
- ▶ How are networks evolving for AI
- ▶ The rise of neoclouds: Are they the next generation of hyperscalers—and is their growth truly sustainable?
- ▶ Preparing for the future of AI: scaling compute, storage and connectivity
- ▶ Designing for efficiency: how cooling and chip architecture shape the future of compute

The first hour is dedicated to an interactive discussion, followed by 30 minutes of networking & refreshments.

METRO CONNECT MEETUPS

The Power MeetUp

Uniting energy & utilities companies, along with data center operators, hyperscalers and investors, this session will address the challenges in powering and financing the infrastructure powering the data center boom. We will cover:

- ▶ Overcoming grid and interconnection bottlenecks: which solutions can help overcome transmission restraints?
- ▶ How are developers financing energy infrastructure, and are data centers tied in to these deals?
- ▶ Cost, risk and sustainability: strategic planning for data center power
- ▶ Gas, nuclear, or hydrogen: which generation models are gaining traction, and how does this vary by facility size?

The first hour is dedicated to an interactive discussion, followed by 30 minutes of networking & refreshments.



PRIVATE FUNCTIONS

Private Functions

- ▶ Private drinks receptions and parties
- ▶ Private seated dinners from small to large scale
- ▶ Beach functions
- ▶ Private breakfast briefings

CONTACT US TO FIND OUT MORE!



EVENT FUNCTIONS

First refusal and priority is given to tiered sponsors of the Event. These are designed as bolt-ons to packages.



Sponsored Evening Reception

- ▶ Capacity to provide prominent, exclusive branded sponsor signage at the function
- ▶ Capacity to provide exclusive branding touchpoints on drinks
- ▶ Capacity to provide all food & beverage for attendees
- ▶ Capacity to provide PA/music, lighting and opportunity for sponsor to give a welcome address/speech
- ▶ Sponsor is also welcome to bring any additional banners, signage or gifts for the function
- ▶ Logo to appear on event website and planner/app agenda as sponsoring the reception
- ▶ Logo to appear on an email promoting the reception to all delegates on the day

\$POA

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Sponsored Lunch

- ▶ Capacity to provide prominent, exclusive branded sponsor signage at the function
- ▶ Capacity to provide exclusive branding touchpoints at tables and catering stations
- ▶ Capacity to provide all food & beverage for attendees
- ▶ Sponsor is also welcome to bring any additional banners, signage or gifts for the function
- ▶ Logo to appear on event website and planner/app agenda as sponsoring the lunch
- ▶ Logo to appear on a service email promoting that day's agenda to attendees



\$20,000

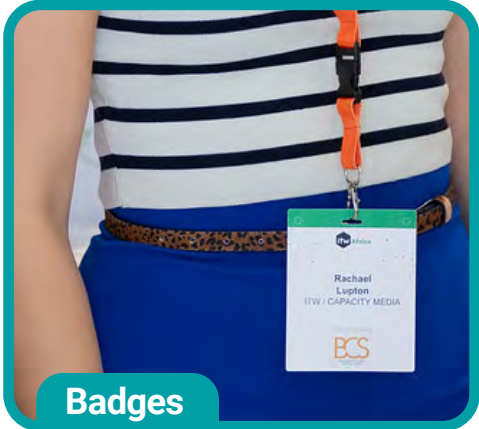
Sponsored Breakfast or Coffee Break

- ▶ Capacity to provide branded sponsor signage at the function
- ▶ Capacity to provide exclusive branding touchpoints at tables and catering/serving stations
- ▶ Capacity to provide light refreshments & beverages for attendees
- ▶ Logo to appear on website and event planner/app agenda as sponsoring the function
- ▶ Logo to appear on a service email promoting that day's agenda to attendees



\$10,000

CREATIVE BRANDING OPPORTUNITIES



Badges
POA

Your company to be the exclusive sponsor of the Metro Connect USA 2026 delegate badges.

Sponsorship to include:

- Company logo on every badge given at registration



Lanyards
POA

Your company to be the exclusive sponsor of the Metro Connect USA 2026 delegate lanyards.

Sponsorship to include:

- Company logo on every official lanyard given at registration
- Sponsor to provide the company branded lanyards



Key Cards
POA

Your company to be the exclusive sponsor of the hotel key cards for all meeting rooms and hotel bedrooms.

Sponsorship to include:

- Company logo on every meeting room and hotel bedroom key card
- Key cards to be handed out at the hotel check-in desks



Registration Sponsor
\$35,000

Sponsorship to include:

- Company logo on the registration page prior to the event
- Company logo on confirmation emails to each attendee as they register for the event
- Company branding on each self-registration desk and digital touch screens
- Company branding on new enquiries desk
- Company branding on registration backdrop

CREATIVE BRANDING OPPORTUNITIES



Happy Hour
POA



Coffee Station
POA



Seat Covers
POA



Branded LED Screens
POA

Sponsorship to include:

- Host a drinks reception for an hour
- Beers, wine and soft drinks included
- Branding and signage around the happy hour bar

Your company to be the host of a coffee station.

Sponsorship to include:

- Premium coffees throughout the day served by a barista
- Branded coffee cups for each drink
- Branding at the coffee station
- Company logo & profile on sponsor's page of website
- Opportunity to distribute marketing collateral at the coffee station



Branded Elevator
POA

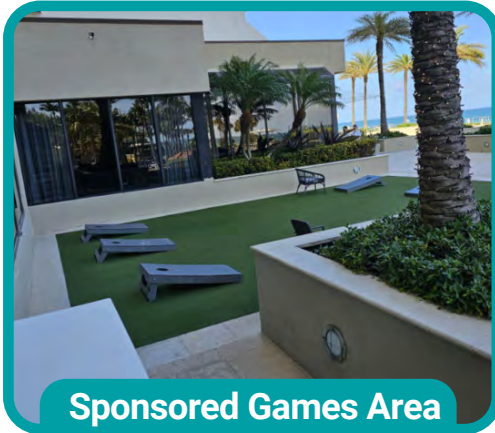


Wi-Fi Sponsor
POA

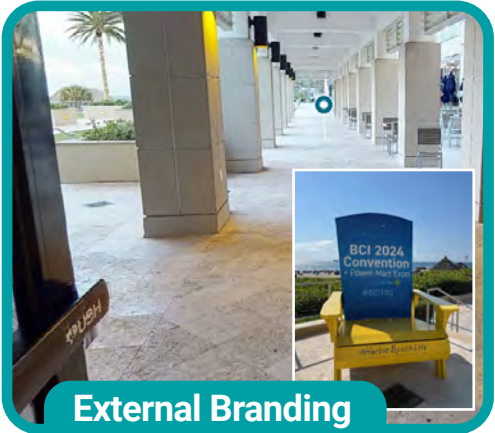
CREATIVE BRANDING OPPORTUNITIES



Escalator
POA



Sponsored Games Area
POA



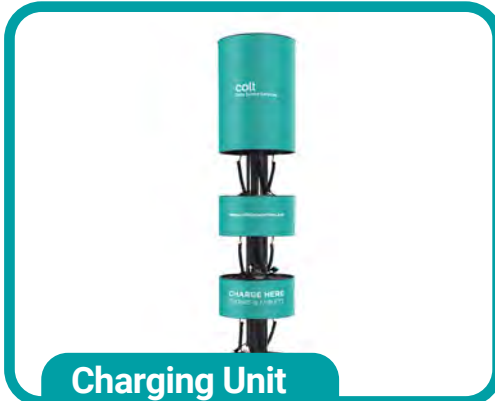
External Branding
POA



Smoothie Station
POA



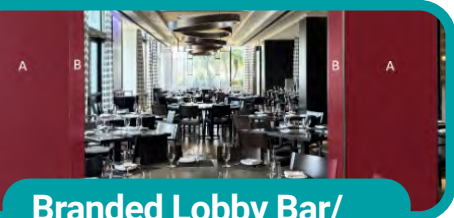
Sand Artwork
POA



Charging Unit
POA



Networking Tent
POA



**Branded Lobby Bar/
Restaurant**
POA

PUBLISHING OPPORTUNITIES



WRITTEN CONTENT

- Publish a sponsored interview or news article within the Metro special edition magazine to position your company as a thought leader and tell your story. Metro Magazine will be distributed on-site at the event, published on the Capacity Media website (3.7m annual page views) and emailed to Capacity's subscriber audience of 25k+.

Full page - \$6,400
Double page - \$9,000

Online-only - \$5,400



DISPLAY ADVERTISING

- Advertise within the Metro special edition magazine in order to build brand awareness or promote your product offering. Metro Magazine will be distributed on-site at the event, published on the Capacity Media website (3.7m annual page views) and emailed to Capacity's subscriber audience of 25k+.

Half page - \$4,000

Full page - \$5,200

Double page - \$8,000

Front cover (incl. a full page advert and double page written content) - \$15,000



VIDEO INTERVIEW

- Take part in a video interview, recorded on-site at the event. Promote your company's vision and reach a wide audience through Capacity Media's marketing and distribution channels.

5-10 minute interview - \$6,000

PUBLISHING OPPORTUNITIES



WEBINAR

- Sponsor a webinar in the lead up to the event. Feature speakers from within your company or invite customers to discuss your offering. Reach a wide audience through Capacity Media's marketing and distribution channels.

Webinar - \$14,000



NEWSLETTER EMAIL

- Enhance your presence at the event and get involved with the daily email newsletter sent to all Metro attendees on each day of the event
- Engage with our audience all year round and highlight your company within the Metro email newsletters, received by 10,000+ subscribers.
- Raise brand awareness and direct traffic to your website via a digital banner. Include a piece of written content to highlight your company's expertise. Or publish a press release to raise awareness of company news.

Digital banner - \$4,200

Sponsored press release - \$4,600

Online written content - \$5,400

GET INVOLVED

How will you be participating in Metro Connect USA 2026?

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