MCP Dev Summit Toronto

POST EVENT REPORT

October 5-6, 2026 | Toronto, Canada

Presented by Agentic AI Foundation

582 ATTENDEES

263 ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTED

60% OF ATTENDEES IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRY

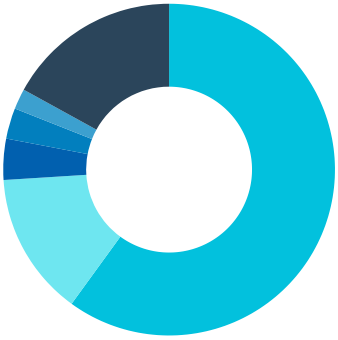
TOP 3 JOB FUNCTIONS:

1. Engineering/Software Development
2. Architecture (Software/Systems)
3. Data Science/AI/ML

POPULAR SESSIONS:

1. **Your MCP Server Needs a Memory Layer, Not More Markdown**
   - Mubashir (Moe) Masood, ClickHouse
2. **Architecting Agents That Scale: Orchestration Patterns with MCP at the Core**
   - Shivam Tyagi, Royal Bank of Canada (RBC)
3. **MCP vs CLI vs API vs Browser: What Should My Agent Use and When?**
   - Shalev Shalit, Willow
4. **Stop Wrapping Endpoints, Start Wrapping Intent: Why Great APIs Make Bad MCP Servers**
   - Kashish Verma, Independent & Sreeram Venkitesh, DigitalOcean
5. **Beyond the Protocol: The Agentic Stack Enterprises Say Is Still Missing**
   - Hillary Curran, Guru

INDUSTRY



- 60% Information Technology
- 14% Financials
- 4% Telecommunications
- 3% Health Care
- 2% Energy
- 17% Other

JOB FUNCTION

- 33% Engineering / Software Development
- 15% Architecture (Software / Systems)
- 10% Data Science / AI / ML
- 7% Sales / Marketing / Media
- 6% Executive Management
- 6% Student / Academic
- 4% DevOps / Site Reliability Engineering (SRE)
- 4% Product Management
- 4% Security / Compliance
- 3% IT Operations / Infrastructure
- 2% Education / Training / Research
- 6% Other

6 SPONSORS

362 TALKS SUBMITTED

76 CONFERENCE TALKS

MOST REPRESENTED COUNTRIES

CANADA, USA, NETHERLANDS