

Newsletter Autumn 2026

The EOSC community is entering a colourful autumn, with new developments and opportunities in Austria and across Europe.

There is much to discuss and explore. In this edition, we share the latest EOSC SOA activities and invite you to join upcoming events, including our General Assembly.

The EOSC Support Office
Austria welcomes
Universität Klagenfurt
as a new member!



Fellowship of the Data

The FAIR Principles and Research Data Management (RDM) remain important foundations for EOSC. The International RDM Community Meeting 2026 took place on 21 - 22 September at the University of Vienna. The programme brought together around 150 participants from diverse backgrounds for two days of inspiring discussions on RDM.

Partners of the EOSC SOA contributed to the programme with keynote speeches and presentations. The EOSC SOA Secretariat was also represented with a poster and a pitch highlighting the role of RDM within the emerging EOSC Federation.

The detailed programme of the event can be found [here](#).

The poster „Building Bridges to the EOSC Federation: How RDM Connects Communities, Data, and Infrastructures” can be downloaded in the poster section here: <https://eosc-austria.at/eosc-soa-materials/>.

Zenodo



EOSC-CONNECT has kicked off in Helsinki

The project unites partners who support 14 emerging National EOSC Nodes across Europe. Austria is represented by EOSC SOA members TU Graz and Open Knowledge Maps, as well as TU Wien/Austrian Scientific Computing (ASC). EOSC-CONNECT will focus on improving interoperability, ensuring sustainability and governance, and facilitating cross-border resource sharing. For Austria, the project will provide direct support for ongoing efforts towards establishing an Austrian EOSC Node and strengthening participation in the European EOSC Federation.



Upcoming Events

Invitation to the EOSC SOA General Assembly 2026



The 6th EOSC Support Office Austria General Assembly will bring together the EOSC SOA community to review the achievements of the past year and discuss future strategies. Members will also elect new representatives for the EOSC SOA governing bodies.

A particular focus of this year's General Assembly will be the establishment of an Austrian EOSC Node and, consequently, the further strategic integration of Austria into the European EOSC Federation. This important next step will be discussed together with representatives from the Austrian research community, relevant stakeholders and decisionmakers.

Date: 3 December 2026, 1:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Location: LOFT A-D, JKU Uni-Center, Altenberger Straße 69, 4040 Linz

We look forward to welcoming our partners and community members in Linz!

[Agenda & Registration](#)

EOSC Symposium 2026



The EOSC Symposium 2026 will take place from 14 -16 October 2026 in Florence, Italy.

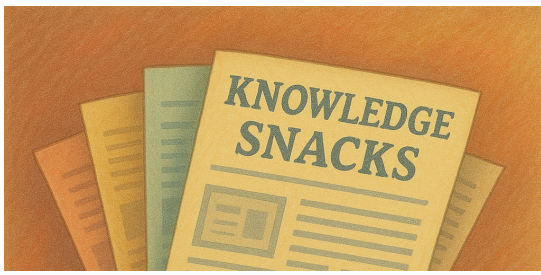
The event brings together representatives from research infrastructures, universities, policy, industry and the wider EOSC community. It offers an opportunity to discuss current developments, exchange experiences and explore the next steps for the EOSC Federation.

More information and the programme are available on the [EOSC Symposium website](#).

EOSC Association Updates

The latest EOSC Association Newsletter highlights key developments shaping the next phase of EOSC. With the EOSC Federation preparing to move into operations, the issue looks at the new SRIA 2.0 strategic direction, opportunities to contribute to EOSC governance and partnership priorities and insights from the Slovak EOSC Node. It also invites the community to participate in the 2026 Biennial KPI Survey and help shape the future of the European Partnership.

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New Knowledge Snack

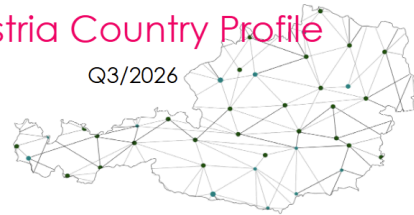
Our Knowledge Snacks provide concise insights into EOSC topics. The latest edition focuses on the EOSC Federation published within the [EOSC Austria Zenodo Community](#).

New Austria Country Profile

Please read the latest developments related to EOSC in Austria. Check out the recently published [Austrian Country Profile](#).

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Stay Tuned!

As the EOSC landscape continues to develop, we will keep sharing news, events, publications and opportunities through the EOSC SOA website.

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Stay connected with the Austrian EOSC community and join us in shaping Austria's contribution to the EOSC Federation.

We look forward to continuing our work on EOSC together!
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