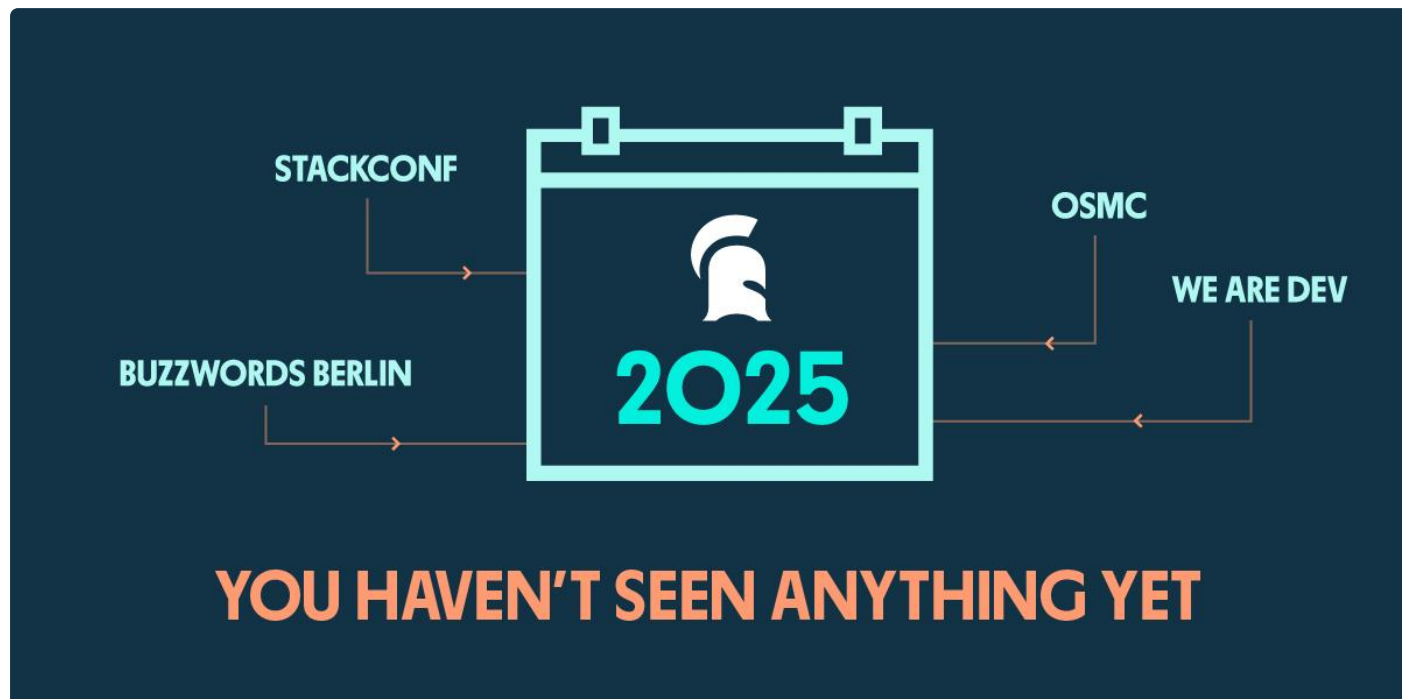


2025: You Haven't Seen Anything Yet!

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☰ 2025: A Year of Exciting Possibilities with Search Guard! ☰

As 2025 unfolds, we're energized by the opportunities ahead, and we want to bring you along for the ride. With fresh product updates, exciting partnerships, and a packed event schedule, there's so much to look forward to this year. Let's take a moment to reflect on some of your favorite content from 2024 and share what's on the horizon for Search Guard!

The Best of 2024: Your Favorite Content

Looking back on 2024, we're proud of the content we created together. Here are the blogs that stood out to our readers, based on both traffic and engagement:

Top Blogs by Traffic:

1. [Writing Kibana Plugins](#)

An essential guide for developers looking to extend Kibana's functionality with custom plugins.

2. [Elasticsearch Painless Alerting Primer](#)

Step-by-step instructions for configuring alerting in Elasticsearch with Painless scripts for advanced use cases.

3. [10 Tips on How to Improve Your Elasticsearch Indexing Performance](#)

Proven strategies for boosting Elasticsearch performance and streamlining the indexing process.

4. [John Draper & Captain Crunch](#)

A fascinating history of John Draper, aka Captain Crunch, and his role in early hacker culture.

5. [Kibana OpenID Keycloak](#)

How to integrate Kibana with OpenID and Keycloak for secure, centralized user authentication.

Top Blogs by Engagement:

1. [Search Guard Alerting vs ElastAlert](#)

A comprehensive comparison of Search Guard Alerting and ElastAlert to help you choose the right tool for your alerting needs.

2. [Search Guard vs Search Guard FLX](#)

A side-by-side analysis of Search Guard and Search Guard FLX, two robust solutions for securing your Elasticsearch and OpenSearch environments.

3. [Melba Roy Mouton](#)

A tribute to Melba Roy Mouton, a pioneering woman in computing and a key player in NASA's space missions.

4. [Hall of Fame: Karl Koch](#)

An exploration of Karl Koch's legacy in the world of hacking, tracing his influence on the digital revolution.

5. [Enterprise Alerting with Elasticsearch & Kibana \(Free Version\)](#)

A practical guide to setting up enterprise-level alerting using Elasticsearch and Kibana with a focus on free solutions.

Where to Find Us in 2025

This year, we're bringing our expertise to some of the most significant events in the tech space. Here's where we'll be meeting up with our community and sharing knowledge:

- **Buzzwords Berlin:** Join us for a deep dive into the cutting-edge trends in search, security, and scalability.
- **Stackconf:** Discover the latest in DevOps, cloud infrastructure, and how Search Guard integrates with modern tech stacks.
- **OSMC (Open Source Monitoring Conference):** We're excited to return to OSMC to learn, share, and enhance Open Source monitoring techniques with you.
- **WeAreDevelopers:** We'll be exploring the intersection of development, security, and innovation with some of the brightest minds in the industry.

We're eager to meet you in person—mark your calendars and get ready to engage with us at these key events!

Our Partnership with GlobalGiving

At Search Guard, we believe in more than just securing data and infrastructure—we're committed to making a meaningful impact on the world. Our collaboration with **GlobalGiving** allows us to empower our employees and community to contribute to important social and environmental causes. Through this

initiative, we provide opportunities for donations and volunteer efforts, fostering a culture of responsibility and shared purpose.

We're proud to align our mission to secure not only technology but a better future for communities around the globe. Together, we can make a real difference!

Stay Connected

Want to stay in the loop? [Join our mailing list](#) to receive the latest product updates, event announcements, and insightful blog posts straight to your inbox.

Here's to a fantastic year ahead! We're excited to have you along for the ride and thank you for being an essential part of the Search Guard journey.

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