

Hello CoNEXT 2021 Virtual Attendees!

Welcome to the CoNEXT 2021 virtual event. This year, we are introducing a new layer of social interaction via the gather.town platform.

The CoNEXT 2021 virtual space is designed to replicate, as much as is possible in a virtual environment, face-to-face interactions. The gather.town link for CoNEXT 2021 is:

<https://gather.town/app/sc1FxxkPfdI5HM5e/conext-2021>

In an effort to provide all the relevant information you will need to enjoy CoNEXT this year, please review the important links at the bottom of this email prior to stepping into the CoNEXT 2021 Gather space. Once in Gather, you will be able to access all workshops, posters, technical sessions and social activities outlined in the Event Program (<https://conferences2.sigcomm.org/co-next/2021/#!/program>).

In Gather you will be able to walk into a visually appealing virtual environment, interact with your peers, participate in Gather specific events like visiting with our event sponsors, participating in our scavenger hunt and attending the poster session as well as the technical and sponsor sessions.

This email contains information related to manoeuvring through gather.town, relevant meeting information and directions and hints on how to participate in our scavenger hunt activity which you can begin NOW:)... after you read ALL the information in this email :)

Please don't forget to subscribe to the Slack channels located throughout the online program. Each session has a dedicated Slack channel for you to ask questions to all event authors, organizers, chairs, sponsors and peers.

All Q&A will be conducted via Slack so please don't forget to subscribe to all sessions. Slack is a great way to interact before, during and after the event is over.

Finally, Association Management Solutions (AMS) will be supporting this event as well as our space in Gather. For any event or Gather specific questions, feel free to stop by the AMS Info Booth in Gather starting Wednesday, December 8th at 12:00 CET. We look forward to seeing you all at CoNEXT 2021!

IMPORTANT LINKS!

Gather Instructions:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xQJGPsEmGR2HiLftCHthWloOyamdwUGa/view?usp=sharing>

Gather Video Tutorial:

<https://youtu.be/6ufaX8ciKIk>

Scavenger Hunt Instructions:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rwjTKIPm1yHE877c-jWg-ViFTeB9swYT/view?usp=sharing>