

Speakers Guide

Paper presentations



Sensing the City

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1. Prepare your paper presentation

- **Paper presentations last no longer than 10 MINUTES**

unless the session organiser provided different instructions.

Please bear in mind that it is more demanding for an audience to remain concentrated during an online presentation and keep sufficient time for questions and discussions

- **Save your presentation as PDF**

This is the only format that is guaranteed to work on the platform.



2. Prepare for attending the event

- **Complete your personal profile**

The RC21 Local Organising Team will send you a personal link to log in at the virtual platform

Add a profile picture and complete the contact details and bio

- **Check out other program items, create your personal schedule and maybe even schedule some appointments with other participants**

3. Prepare for speaking at the event

- **Upload your presentation in advance**

The RC21 LOT will send you an email invite to your “virtual room” one week before the conference

This contains a link whereby you can visit & test out your “virtual room”.

Log in to your virtual room

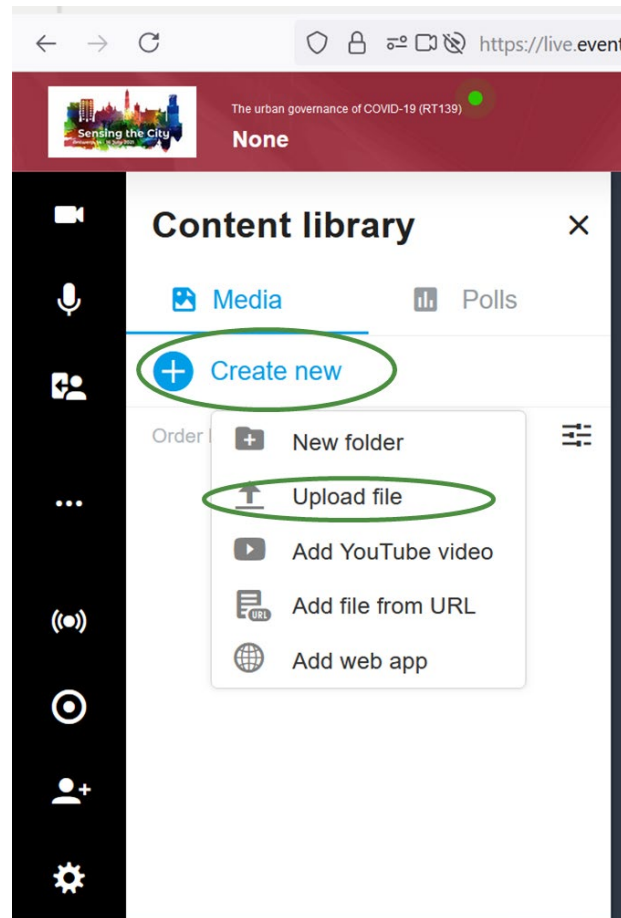
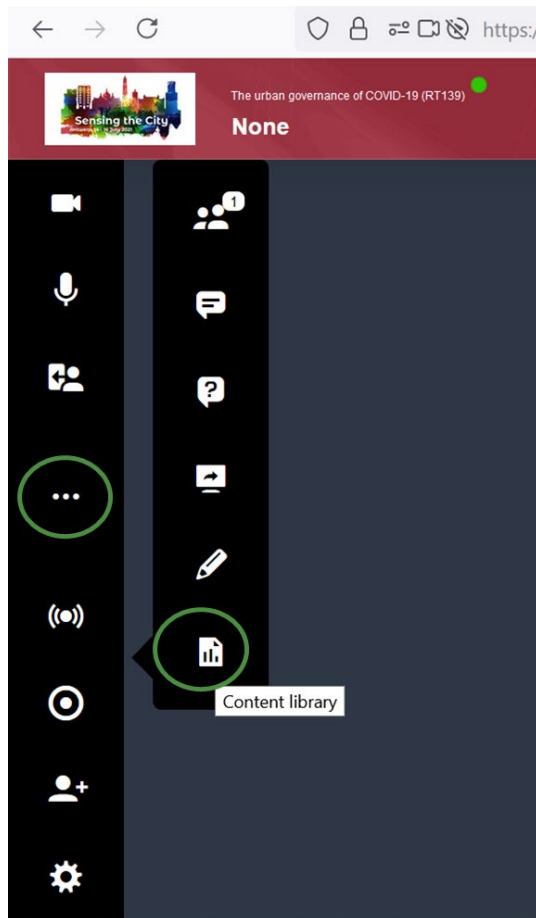
To access your room, you must log in with your personal event credentials. Once you logged in, you can familiarise yourself with your room.

Prepare your content in advance

Upload your presentation in your content library. Save your presentation as pdf and upload your presentation by selecting ‘Upload file’.



3. Prepare for speaking at the event



1. Open the Content library

2. Upload your PDF file

Please be aware that the Content library is personal. Only you will see the documents that you have uploaded.

3. Prepare for speaking at the event

- **Test your microphone, camera & internet connection**

- Update your Google Chrome**

- All speakers should attend the event via Google Chrome. Make sure your browser is fully updated on the device that you will use to attend the event.

- Ensure a stable internet connection**

- Make sure you have a reliable & strong internet connection. You can check your internet speed at: <https://fast.com/>

- Test your microphone & camera**

- Test if your microphone & camera are working correctly in the platform. VPNs or specific corporate networks may block outbound/inbound media. To make sure that a specific network is not interfering, it is recommended to perform a small test. You can perform the test at: <https://live.eventinsight.io/check.html>

3. Prepare for speaking at the event

Let's Get Digital Testing Suite

Use this page to troubleshoot common issues and find a quick solution.


Most of these errors lay with connection restrictions imposed by organizations themselves. A simple fix would be to try and enter the summit on a personal device (not connected to a company network, not connecting over a vpn connection, not using a corporate device). If this is not possible or is not working for you please contact the helpdesk at the bottom of this page.

[Click here](#) for common questions & solutions

Below, these checks give you a quick overview of the services we can reach as platform and which we don't.

Platform services

Timezone:	Europe/Amsterdam
Socket connection:	OK
Jquery:	OK
Jquery Request:	OK
Websocket:	OK
Browser features:	OK



Youtube video test:

Session services

IP: 91.230.22.125
Browser name: chrome
Browser version: 89
Platform: Win32
User agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64) AppleWebKit/537.36 (KHTML, like Gecko) Chrome/89.0.4389.114 Safari/537.36

- ✓ **Browser check:** You are using Google Chrome, which is the recommended browser for the best experience.
- ✓ **Signalling server check:** Connection to IP 95.168.174.119 on port 443 was successful.
- ✓ **Media server API check:** Connection to IP 213.227.131.204 on port 443 was successful.
- ✓ **Media server stream check:** Connection to IP 213.227.131.204 on port 46369 over UDP was successful. This connection will give you the best possible experience. Please check the video coming back from the server below to see how others will see you.
- ✓ Remote video loaded.

4. Day of the event

- **Check-in & get going**

Click on event link or roomlink & enter your login details (received in your email)

- **Enter your virtual room**

Do this at least 15 minutes in advance of your session start-time.

Participants who do not speak in your session, cannot enter your session before the start-time.

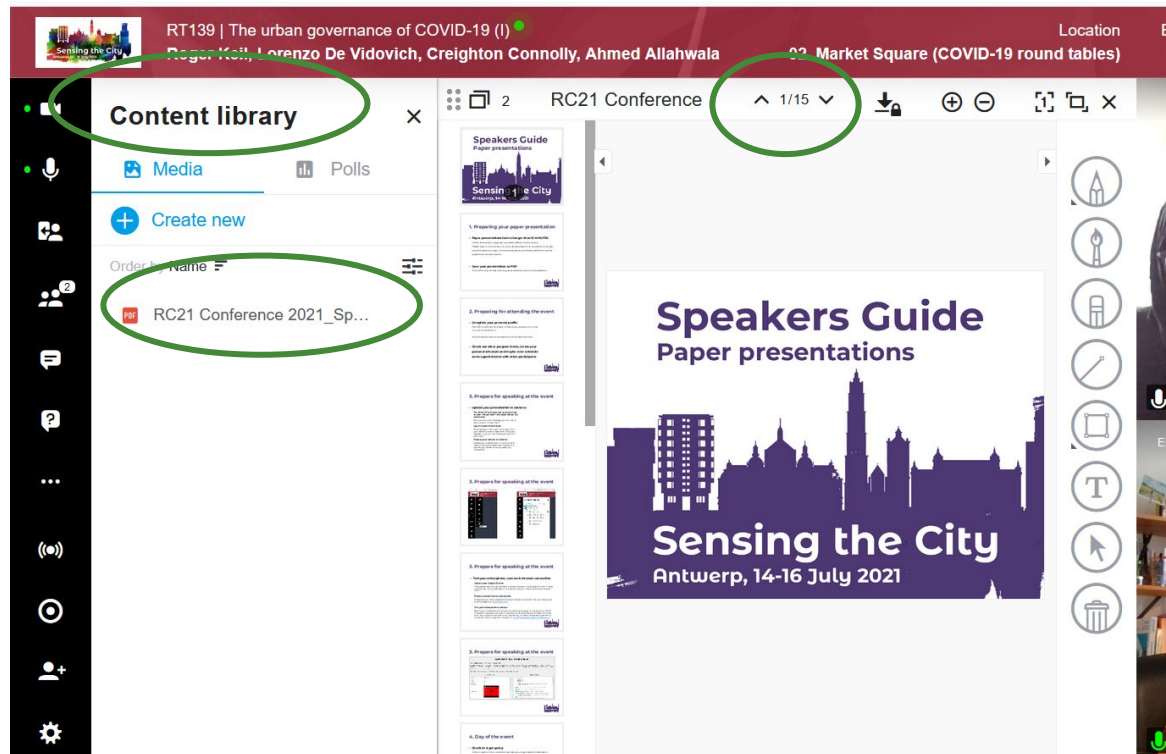
- **Set your layout**

Via the bottom right of your virtual room you can set your layout.

Participants can also adjust this individually.



5. Presenting during your session



1. Open the Content library

2. Open your PDF file

3. Move the presentation with the arrows on top

CAUTION: as a speaker in a session you are able to move the presentation of other speakers to the next slide. Please only use this function when you are presenting.



6. Networking at the event

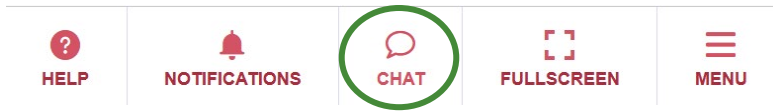
▪ How can I speak with my participants after my session has ended?

1. Note the name(s) of participants who questioned/commented in your session
2. Search their name(s) in the attendees list
3. Continue the discussion via:
 - 1-on-1 messages through the chat function on the platform
 - Instant video conversation
 - Schedule an appointment
 - Add to connection

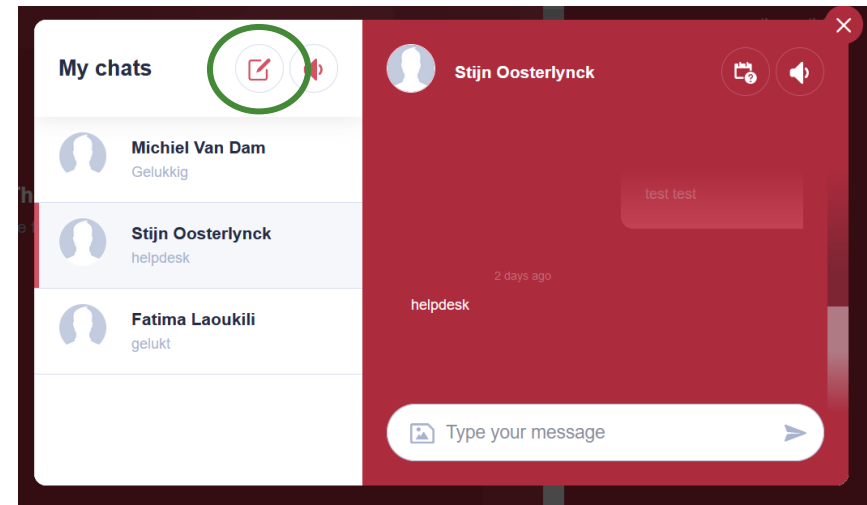
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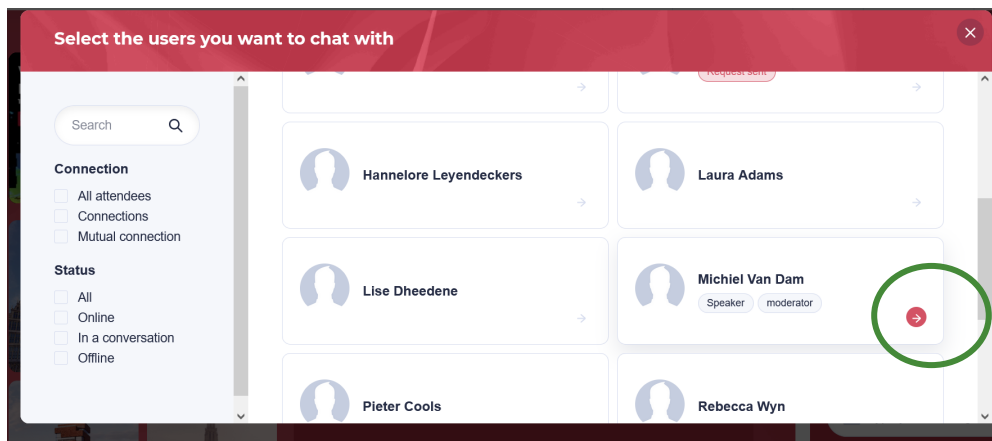
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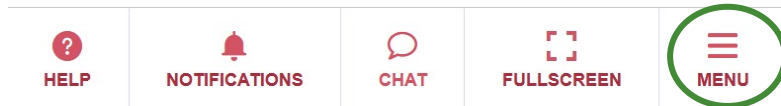
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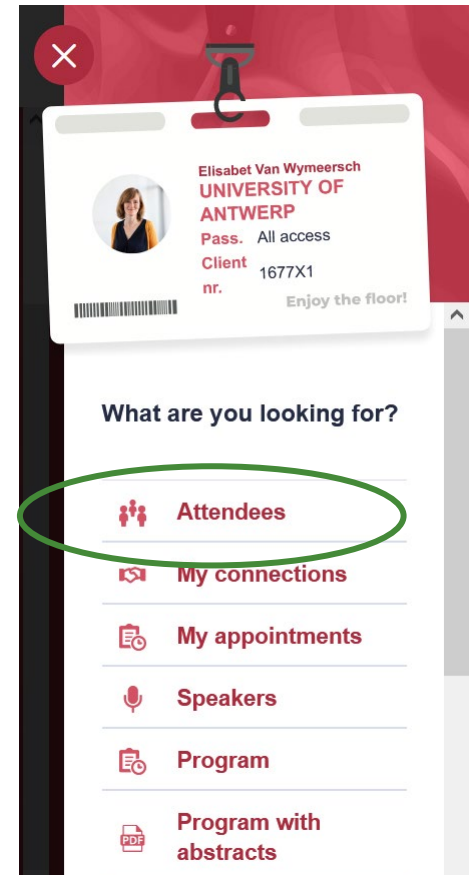
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Instant video conversation

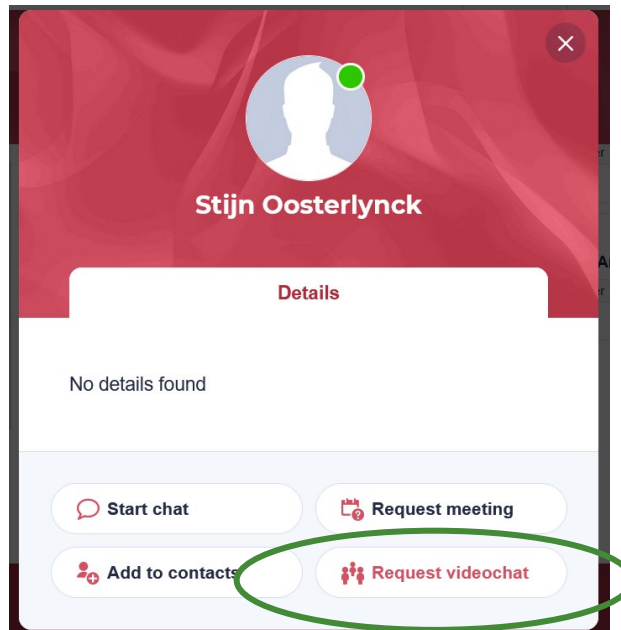
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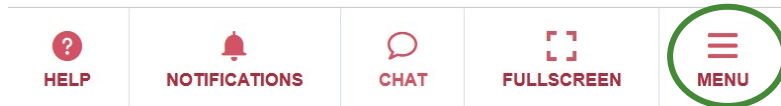
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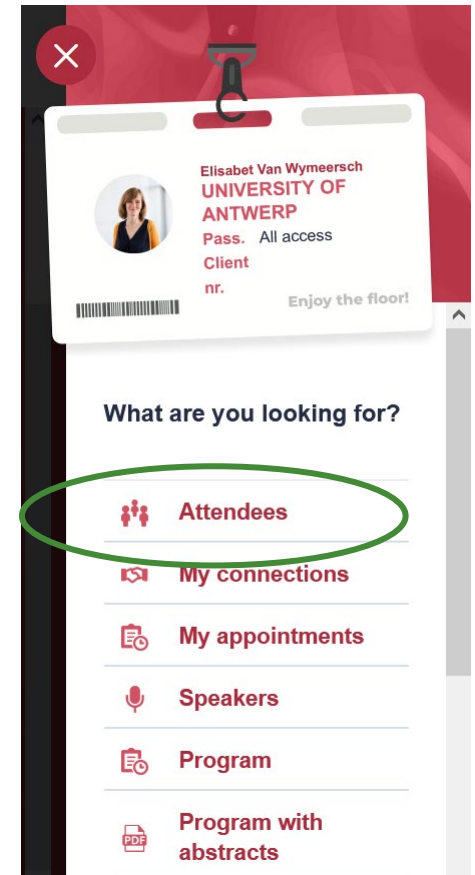
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Schedule an appointment

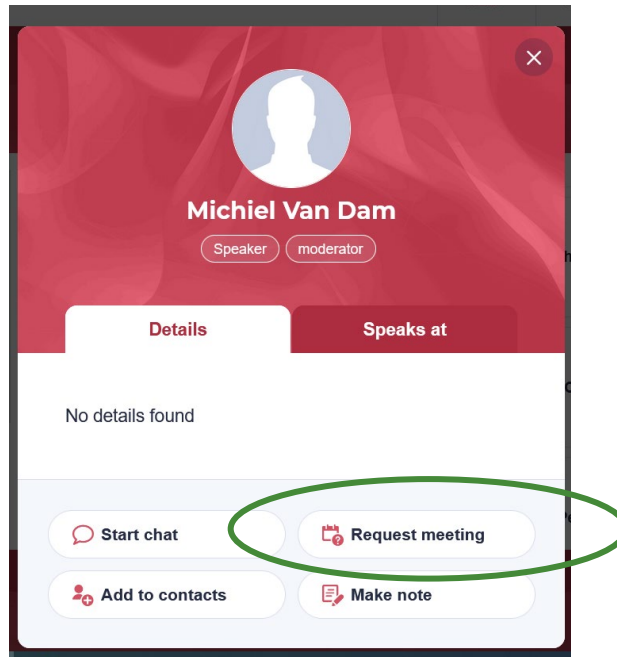
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7. After the event

- **Rewatch the keynote sessions**

The RC21 Local Organising Team will upload all keynote lectures on their website (<https://www.uantwerpen.be/en/conferences/rc21-conference-2021/>)

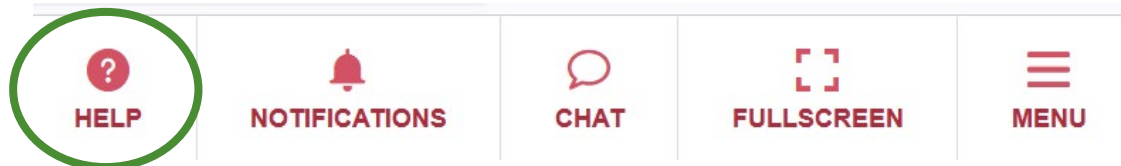
8. Questions

- **Before the conference**

Mail us at RC21-2021.Conference@uantwerpen.be

- **During the conference**

Ask your question at the helpdesk





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