

# Current and future applications of network and control sciences for Psychiatry"

# Summer School 2021

## **General Tips for Participation**

## **Tips for Your Internet Connection**

The most important advice is: **do not use wireless LAN but use a cable connection**! The wireless connection can drop as soon as your neighbour activates the microwave oven. Also, Bluetooth and wireless headsets interfere with the WiFi signal.

You can still order a simple **USB-to-LAN connector and LAN cable** for around 10-15 Euro from your favourite online retailer.

So, please remember: when connectivity issues arise, your home internet connection is very likely not the problem. Even an old 8 Mbit DSL connection should be sufficient for several concurrent video conferences. Therefore, if you experience problems, your wireless LAN connection is the most likely culprit. Even if we repeat ourselves here: **Do not use wireless LAN but use a cable connection!** This is all the more important if you present a poster or have a presentation in a symposium.

### **Tips for Your Attendance**

We are happy to look forward to a packed program! Please prepare yourself for three intense days of talks, poster presentations and meet the expert sessions!

Links for the zoom meetings and gather.town will be sent on by email. Please check your mailboxes carefully for the link. For talks, new zoom links will be used for each day.

**Use your real name in Zoom and gather.town**. This is the only way your colleagues can recognize and contact you. This is also required for security reasons.

- Make sure your video camera and microphone are ready. If you are in a noisy environment, use a headset, otherwise a desktop microphone works fine.
- Prepare drinks and snacks, and don't forget the coffee! Have your favourite pizza delivery service flyer ready!
- During breaks, if your program has empty slots, or for scheduled meetings with colleagues, **come to our gather.town space**, which is open around-the-clock.

In general, should you encounter any problems during the conference, please contact us via <u>controlpsychiatry@med.uni-tuebingen.de</u> or <u>https://zoom.us/my/summerschool.support</u>



### **Tips for Zoom Sessions**

We want to keep the conference as vivid as possible and allow you to interact as much as possible. We have therefore opted for a live online structure of our program rather than for pre-recorded videos.

Although most of us are now more experienced in Zoom than we would have some time ago, here are some helpful tips:

Please **switch on your cameras**! For the speakers, it is a much more experience to see your faces instead of a black screen with names on it. Switc videos when you attend a session, but most importantly, switch it on participate in the discussion.



Please **update your Zoom client** before the conference (do it right now!). Just start Zoom, right-click on the Zoom icon and "Check for Updates".



If you want to participate in a discussion and ask a question: Use the "Raise Hand" feature of Zoom, which you find under "Reactions". Only this way the chairs have a simple way to

identify you and permit you to switch on your microphone.

If you have an **old Zoom client**, you will find the "Raise Hand" button at the bottom of the participants list, which you activate with the "Participants" button.

Alternatively, the chairs may invite you to submit questions via the Chat window.

Before you enter a Zoom session, **make sure that your video and audio work**. Start Zoom, right-click the icon, and select "Settings ...". Under "Video" you check whether the video is to your satisfaction. Under "Audio", you find the button "Test Mic" for a sound check.



The sessions are **accessible via Zoom links provided via email at 8:30am CET**. The links open an internet browser window which allows

you to download the Zoom client, if you have not done so, and launch it. Should you prefer not to install the Zoom client, you can follow the "Join from Your Browser" link to attend in a browser session (not recommended!).

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During most sessions, participants will be able to **unmute themselves only when prompted** by the chairs to do so. To ask your question during a discussion, just click on "Unmute" when asked to do so.

In every session, a **Technical Host** will be present. They can be contacted using the Chat window. They can also try to put you in contact with the speakers after a session.