Poster Theater: Interacting with Virtual Poster Presenters

The ISSCR meeting platform allows you to interact with poster presenters live and by scheduled appointment. This guide will help you become familiar with the options and capabilities to interact within the platform.

1. The Expanded Chat Window

Click on the chat icon in the upper right corner (*highlighted in yellow*) to view the expanded chat window:

A black panel will open containing the **Public Chat**

Click the “CHAT” tab to live chat with visitors who are on your page at the same time you are. All visitors see this group chat. **Note:** It is not private. Everyone viewing your page can view this chat.
a. Visitor Awareness Tab

Click the tab with the people icon to see the names of all attendees currently visiting the page.

The presenter will be listed as the “representative”.
2. Scheduled Meetings
   
a. The Connect Section

   If you wish to schedule a meeting with a poster presenter, click the “CONNECT” button from the poster page:

   ![Connect Button](image)

   The presenter’s availability will appear, and you can select a time to meet. When you select a time, an email will be sent to the presenter who can accept or decline the meeting.
IMPORTANT NOTE: Set your availability and ‘Allow Meeting Attendees to Contact Me’ is turned on prior to scheduling a meeting with a Poster Presenter. When they select a time, an email will be sent to you. You can accept or decline the meeting.

b. Live Chats (one on one)

Click on the “SCHEDULE A TIME TO MEET” section of the page; a menu of options will render. You can click “SCHEDULE MEETING” to schedule a meeting time, the same as the above process, OR you can click “SEND MESSAGE” to request a spontaneous one-on-one chat, if they are currently online. The presenter will always have the option to accept or decline chats and meeting requests.
When you send a live chat request, the presenter will be alerted. If they accept, live chatting begins immediately.