

Networking chat 4-19- 2021

11:49:04 From Oleksiy Babych to Everyone : Montreal Canada
11:51:09 From UX Research and Strategy to Everyone : Hello everyone!
11:55:10 From Jenny Arredondo to Everyone : Hello from crazy New York! 😄
11:55:20 From UX Research and Strategy to Everyone : Frisco TX here
11:55:26 From Kate Nikita to Everyone : Hey from NYC!
11:55:28 From Lucy Niess to Everyone : Hello from Phoenix, Arizona :D It's not scorching hot...yet.
11:55:29 From Christiane Moser to Everyone : Good evening from Salzburg, Austria :-)
11:55:37 From Amanda Howard to Everyone : Hi everyone! I'm in Kentucky but right next to Cincinnati, Ohio.
11:55:40 From Sarah Hedrych to Everyone : I'm from Northern NJ, nice and temperate here :)
11:55:48 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : hello from Longmont, CO (Boulder County), expecting seven inches of snow
11:56:00 From Erica Fossati to Everyone : Hello! I'm from Italy
11:56:16 From Alex Babych to Everyone : Montreal Canada
11:56:25 From Lucy Niess to Everyone : This is the first one :D
11:56:30 From Amanda Howard to Everyone : First time :)
11:56:30 From Sarah Hedrych to Everyone : This is my first event
11:56:34 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : this is my first event. happy to be here
11:56:38 From Jenny Arredondo to Everyone : The 4th I think
11:56:40 From Alex Babych to Everyone : first event
11:56:43 From Christiane Moser to Everyone : 2nd time
11:56:45 From Erica Fossati to Everyone : First :)
11:56:45 From Widad to Everyone : Hello from Texas!
11:57:12 From Widad to Everyone : First
11:57:13 From Helene Oliveira to Everyone : Hello from Michigan!
11:57:23 From Alicia Colina-Ashby to Everyone : Hi from Texas
11:57:52 From Lucy Niess to Everyone : Modern technology xD
11:58:34 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : do people share their linkedin profiles in this group?
11:58:46 From Helene Oliveira to Everyone : 3rd time
11:58:50 From azablocki to Everyone : Dallas, tX
11:58:52 From Rahim Pirani to Everyone : Houston
11:59:01 From Michelle Proksell to Everyone : I'm based in Berlin. Been to previous online ux research & strategy sessions
11:59:07 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : got it. thanks
11:59:44 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : cool, thanks
12:00:17 From Helen Yoo to Everyone : Hi everyone! My name is Helen and I'm a UX Researcher in the Seattle area with an environmental/sustainability background. Excited to meet everyone :)
12:00:18 From Malari Barber to Everyone : We have a document for everyone to share their LinkedIn URL. Share your Link in this spreadsheet.
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ZqGtO5pKq9QkH_flprIH-ndFOMudDICw2L0AJV3T6IU/edit?usp=sharing
12:00:45 From emily to Everyone : Hello! Joining you all from Toledo, Ohio.
12:01:13 From Monica Mielke to Everyone : Greetings everyone from NYC. :)
12:01:19 From GHIZLANE to Everyone : Hi, Ghizlane from Switzerland
12:01:20 From Dr. Patty Costello to Everyone : Hello! Patty from Boise, Idaho.
12:01:22 From Jay Kietzman to Everyone : Hey! Joining from Chicago
12:01:24 From Taylor Riley (she/her) to Everyone : Hi all, I'm in Riverside, CA and I've done a bit of informal UX networking

12:01:32 From Melissa Hisona to Everyone : Hello First Time Joining from Austin TX

12:01:37 From annie to Everyone : Hello!! Annie here from Denver, CO!

12:01:40 From Susan to Everyone : Hello from San Francisco! I've attended UXRS events before.

12:01:44 From Bronwyn Carere to Everyone : Hello from Montreal (CA)!

12:01:48 From Anita to Everyone : Hello from England :)

12:01:55 From Craig Van Wiechen to Everyone : Hi. Joining from Toronto Canada. This is my third event :)

12:01:55 From Rachel Deutsch to Everyone : Hey! Joining here from Westchester NY. This is my first time at a UX and Research Strategy event.

12:01:55 From Victoria Scripps to Everyone : Hi from Denver, CO!

12:01:57 From Whitestar Kinross to Everyone : Joining from Vancouver, Canada - Ux Designer new to a research focus <https://www.linkedin.com/in/s-jensen-vancouver>

12:02:05 From Malari Barber to Everyone : Hello from Southern California!

12:02:10 From Lisa D to Everyone : Hi, Lisa from Richmond, VA. I've attended a few of these events. Always great!

12:02:15 From Ashanti Holder to Everyone : Hi everyone! I am Ashanti, I am from Memphis :)

12:02:19 From Nisha Balaraman to Everyone : Hello from San Francisco, CA!

12:02:29 From Ameya Sawadkar to Everyone : Hello everyone! I'm from Athens, GA

12:02:30 From Maria L Laitan to Everyone : Hi everyone! I'm from Ann Arbor, MI

12:03:11 From Taylor Riley (she/her) to Everyone : My LinkedIn below for anyone who wants to connect (I'm an anthro PhD interested in UX, esp. with tech/media companies):
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/taylor-riley-b5076748/>

12:03:16 From Santhosh Gandhi to Everyone : Hi, I am Santhosh Gandhi. UX researcher from Tamilnadu, India.
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/isanthoshgandhi>

12:03:31 From Ashanti Holder to Everyone : Hi! I am coming from healthcare and am a jr. UX researcher :)

12:03:45 From Ashanti Holder to Everyone : My LinkedIn is <https://linkedin.com/in/ashantih> I look forward to connecting!

12:04:01 From Malari Barber to Everyone : Join us at our next event "When Strategy Meets Public Service: UX Research and Strategy in Government"-- Get your ticket now on Eventbrite
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/when-strategy-meets-public-service-ux-research-and-strategy-in-government-tickets-149488268435>

12:04:06 From Anita L to Everyone : Love to connect with you all:
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/anita-l-a30b3a15b/>

12:04:20 From Alicia Colina-Ashby to Everyone : Open to connecting <https://www.linkedin.com/in/aliciaca/>

12:04:20 From Trupti Gupta to Everyone : Hi All, I am Trupti from India - please feel to connect with me on:
<https://linkedin.com/in/trupti-gupta> I look forward to connecting!

12:04:23 From Jenny Bean to Everyone : Hi everyone! I'm Jenny Bean. Looking forward to connecting...
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/jenny-bean-39b3a35/>

12:04:29 From GHIZLANE to Everyone : My LinkedIn below for anyone who wants to connect, I am a PhD in consumer research and transitioning to UX research <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ghizlanearifine/>

12:04:43 From Malari Barber to Everyone : What did you think of today's networking event? Complete the survey now! Help us improve the UXRS events
<https://forms.gle/ebRdV47diH5BVxNb8>

12:04:44 From Victoria Scripps to Everyone : Would be happy to connect too:
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/victoriascripps/>

12:05:00 From Ameya Sawadkar to Everyone : <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ameyass/>
I am a qualitative research methods doctoral student. Looking forward to connecting with people.

12:05:47 From lfeoma E Otaka to Everyone : Hi everyone. I'm lfeoma and would be happy to connect
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/ifeoma-otaka-3a87082a/>

12:05:51 From Eric Oosenbrug to Everyone : I'm a new UX Design Researcher based in Kitchener-Waterloo (outside Toronto) with dreams of moving out West :) Happy to connect, share resources, etc. Open to opportunities! (PhD, Psych): <https://www.linkedin.com/in/oosenbrug/>

12:06:52 From Jordan Winick to Everyone : Hi everyone 🙌 I'm Jordan, joining in Denver, CO. Happy to connect with anyone <https://www.linkedin.com/in/jordanwinick/>

12:07:15 From Malari Barber to Everyone : Want to keep the conversation going? Sign up for our Slack channel! Fill in this form.

<https://forms.gle/4pFyZJyreEdvPWoz6>

12:07:28 From Bobby Bishop to Everyone : UX Researcher/Designer with a background in Psychology. In Atlanta. Connect with me here: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/bobby-bishop/>

12:07:30 From Svetlana Tcareva to Everyone : Hi everyone! Recently finished PhD at Yale and got a job in UX this January. Happy to connect - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/svetlana-tcareva/>

12:07:52 From Malari Barber to Everyone : Feedback or ideas for us on events? Feel free to contact me on LinkedIn <https://www.linkedin.com/in/malaribarber/>

12:08:33 From Susan Subracko to Everyone : UXR in Brooklyn - would love to connect!
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/susansubracko/>

12:08:34 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : Would love to connect.
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/amy-wilkins-phd720/>

12:08:51 From Helene Oliveira to Everyone : Connections:
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/helene-vassilopoulos-oliveira/>

12:09:13 From Ioannis Kourtis to Everyone : Hi everyone. Young and ambitious UX Researcher from Athens, Greece here. Happy to connect: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/yannis-kourtis-9bb89112b/>

12:09:20 From Melissa Hisona to Everyone : Hi I'm Melissa and would love to connect:
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/melissahisona-reyes/>

12:09:33 From Lucy Niess to Everyone : Aspiring UX researcher here! Making the transition out of academia in UX research. Would love to connect and meet new people! <https://www.linkedin.com/in/lucycniess/>

12:09:33 From Jess Wilczak to Everyone : Hi all! PhD in Human Geography joining from London, Ontario ("the other London"). Looking forward to connecting! <https://www.linkedin.com/in/jessicawilczak/>

12:09:51 From r l to Everyone : Hello folks. Gray-haired UXD here moving towards focus on UXR.
<https://www.linkedin.com/in/richleetn/>

12:10:19 From alice yim to Everyone : Hi from Chicago! A aspiring UI/UX designer here :) Looking forward to connecting!

12:10:20 From alice yim to Everyone : <https://www.linkedin.com/in/alice-yim>

12:10:25 From Parinaz Kassemi to Everyone : Hi everyone! I'm Parinaz joining from Minneapolis! Would love to connect with you all! <https://www.linkedin.com/in/parinazkassemi>

12:10:30 From saki p to Everyone : Hi, my name is Saki, i'm based in Toronto.

Currently looking for UX volunteer opportunities.

UX Mentors and fellow UXERS to collaborate.

Would love to connect.

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/psaki/>

12:10:57 From Adrienne to Everyone : 4 is a good size

12:26:18 From John Milanski (Boulder, CO, USA) to Everyone : Anyone looking for volunteer opportunities with gov, <https://www.linkedin.com/company/usdr/>

12:31:30 From Santhosh Gandhi to Everyone : Hi Everyone,
I am Qualitative UX Researcher.

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/isanthoshgandhi>

12:40:36 From Erica Fossati to Everyone : This is so cool :D

12:41:06 From Chelsea Case (she/her) to Everyone : Agreed! This is a great session!

12:41:28 From Monica Mielke to Everyone : Yeah, I'm having a lot of fun! Great variety between the two groups so far

12:41:36 From Felicia Ingram to Everyone : I didn't get Amanda or Tara LinkedIn profiles 🙄

12:41:43 From GHIZLANE to Everyone : love this session

12:41:49 From Amanda Howard to Everyone : Felicia: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/amanda-howard-921b6659/>

12:41:50 From GHIZLANE to Everyone : Awsome!

12:41:52 From Chelsea Case (she/her) to Everyone : Former Imagineer designing theme parks and now moving into UX Research & Strategy. Feel free to reach out over LinkedIn.

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/chelsea-case/>

12:42:00 From Michaela Mora to Everyone : <https://www.linkedin.com/in/michaelamora/>

12:42:19 From Allan to Everyone : good

12:42:23 From Jenny Arredondo to Everyone : Before I forget to add it here. Let's connect! 😎👍

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/jenny-arredondo-757b642/>

12:58:16 From Monica Mielke to Everyone : It was nice meeting you too! Alice, Janice, and Trupti

12:58:30 From Trupti Gupta to Everyone : Likewise!

12:58:41 From Malari Barber to Everyone : What did you think of today's networking event? Complete the survey now! Help us improve the UXRS events

<https://forms.gle/ebRdV47diH5BVxNb8>

12:59:07 From Allan to Everyone : guys was really good to be here, I need to leave for another meeting this is my linkedIn <https://www.linkedin.com/in/allanreis/>

12:59:11 From Linda Francis to Everyone : Thank you for this it was wonderful....once a month? I have to go to my next zoom. BFN! Good luck everyone, carry on with the good work!

12:59:13 From Craig Van Wiechen to Everyone : I'm amazed at how quickly the time passes and the people are great to talk to

12:59:14 From Ameya Sawadkar to Everyone : This was more helpful than most information sessions I have been to! Thank you.

12:59:25 From Malari Barber to Everyone : Join us at our next event "When Strategy Meets Public Service: UX Research and Strategy in Government"-- Get your ticket now on Eventbrite

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/when-strategy-meets-public-service-ux-research-and-strategy-in-government-tickets-149488268435>

12:59:38 From Malari Barber to Everyone : Want to keep the conversation going? Sign up for our Slack channel! Fill in this form.

<https://forms.gle/4pFyZJyreEdvPWoz6>

12:59:38 From Anita L to Jen Blatz UX Research and Strategy(Direct Message) : Would to connect to you all: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/anita-l-a30b3a15b/>

12:59:43 From Monica Mielke to Everyone : I agree, I like the idea of once a month.

12:59:54 From Ameya Sawadkar to Everyone : +1 for once a month.

12:59:58 From Jen Blatz UX Research and Strategy to Everyone : Rocket Pro TPO, is a division of Rocket Mortgage that works exclusively with mortgage brokers, community banks and credit unions. Rocket Pro TPO partners provide incredible service to their clients, while tapping into the expertise, technology and award-winning process from Rocket Mortgage. The partner loan officer creates, and maintains, the relationship with the client. Rocket Mortgage approves, underwrites, processes and closes the loan in its name. Rocket Pro TPO has recently experienced massive growth. In 2019, Rocket Pro TPO closed more loan volume than in the previous five years combined. This has led to the lender's offices in Charlotte and Detroit growing substantially. Rocket Pro TPO's Charlotte office has been named one of the city's best places to work by the Charlotte Business Journal for seven straight years, 2013 through 2019.

13:00:07 From r l to Everyone : Would love to see '2nd chat' opportunities ie more consensus topics and folks already having done the meeting and greet aspect so can dive right into subjects! :)

13:00:10 From Felicia Ingram to Everyone : Do you all have a LinkedIn group

13:00:16 From Jen Blatz UX Research and Strategy to Everyone : LinkedIn Collector Spreadsheet
We have a document for everyone to share their LinkedIn URL. Share your Link in this spreadsheet.
https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ZqGtO5pKq9QkH_flprIH-ndFOMudDICw2L0AJV3T6IU/edit?usp=sharing

13:00:25 From Anita L to Jen Blatz UX Research and Strategy(Direct Message) : I really appreciate this and agree with once a month too!

13:00:43 From Lucy Niess to Everyone : I have to run to another meeting! Let's connect on LinkedIn! I love meeting new people and helping people out :D <https://www.linkedin.com/in/lucycniess/>

13:00:49 From Marie Clare Doyle to Jen Blatz UX Research and Strategy(Direct Message) : Nice meeting everyone <https://www.linkedin.com/in/marie-clare-doyle-046ab3111/?originalSubdomain=ie>

13:01:09 From Adrienne to Everyone : Hi everyone,

I am working with a team on Austin Advertising Federation website revamp.

If you work in advertising (in house or agency) please help us complete our survey:

If you work in creative/agency setting in TEXAS (and/or Austin), please complete survey:

NON Austin Ad Fed members:

<https://forms.gle/APkDedtbSV8qyiZe9>

Austin Ad Fed members:

<https://forms.gle/Pk5VgjibGiW7YQhm6>

Thank you for your time.

Adrienne

13:01:23 From Malari Barber to Everyone : What did you think of today's networking event? Complete the survey now! Help us improve the UXRS events

<https://forms.gle/ebRdV47diH5BVxNb8>

13:01:31 From Amanda Howard to Everyone : Thanks, Felicia 😊 😊 😊

13:01:49 From Amy Wilkins to Everyone : thanks for this! I have to grab a phone call. so great.

13:02:02 From Taylor Riley (she/her) to Everyone : I also have to run but I'm very excited to connect with people from this event! :) I don't know if anyone else is a struggling adjunct, but just in case I want to express my solidarity! <https://www.linkedin.com/in/taylor-riley-b5076748/>

13:02:05 From Felicia Ingram to Everyone : 👍 !

13:03:33 From Erica Fossati to Everyone : I'd like to know you all :) <https://www.linkedin.com/in/ericafossati/>

13:03:39 From Ameya Sawadkar to Everyone : Been through that in most starting level interviews in India.

They call it GD (group discussion) and they are a chaotic affair every time. xD

13:03:41 From Lisa D to Everyone : the recruitment process needs UX

13:03:44 From Bobby Bishop to Everyone : Stanford Prison Experiment

13:03:59 From Tara Butler // PRPL to Everyone : Loved that show

13:04:13 From Jordan Winick to Everyone : They're waiting to see who facilitates the group

13:04:15 From Bobby Bishop to Everyone : basically a reality tv show

13:04:41 From Monica Mielke to Everyone : Very Hunger Games vibes, lol

13:04:46 From emily to Everyone : @Ameya Sawadkar Seriously??

13:04:48 From Cybele Wu to Everyone : I have another event so I need to go but this is good. I am so excited to connect and network with you all.

13:05:05 From Anita L to Jen Blatz UX Research and Strategy(Direct Message) : That's quite common in engineering roles, to do an assessment centre day so collaborate with your competitors

13:05:36 From Anita L to Everyone : Love to connect with you all:

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/anita-l-a30b3a15b/>

13:05:45 From Anita L to Everyone : That's quite common in engineering roles, to do an assessment centre day so collaborate with your competitors

13:05:45 From Tara Butler // PRPL to Everyone : I just had to do that for a Sr. Product Manager interview and wasn't selected after 5 rounds of interviews. I spent a week on the project presentation.

13:07:55 From Ameya Sawadkar to Everyone : Thank you for the session. Have to leave now. Looking forward to more such discussions!

13:08:20 From Rüya Ince to Everyone : I would be happy to have a chat with you all over LinkedIn:

<https://www.Linkedin.com/in/ruyaince>

13:08:40 From Helen Yoo to Everyone : Thanks for hosting this event, really great to meet everyone! Have to head out early, but would love to stay connected on LinkedIn :)

13:10:55 From emily to Everyone : I need to go! Thanks for organizing this!

13:12:06 From Michelle Proksell to Everyone : @Jen - I did the same for my case study for my current role - went into detail and will keep hold of it for future situations if need be

13:12:27 From Safiullah Khan to Everyone : Thanks for organising this, looking forward to join the next one. Pleasure listening in everyone.

13:12:34 From Bobby Bishop to Everyone : whiteboard interview?

13:13:17 From Bobby Bishop to Everyone : no right answer, but what you gave us is the wrong one

13:13:31 From Melissa Hisona to Everyone : Thanks you! It was great meeting everyone! Have a great week!

13:14:04 From Amanda Howard to Everyone : I have another meeting but it was lovely to meet all of you! Have a great day!

13:14:57 From Michelle Proksell to Everyone : my brother has been trying to get a job for the last year and mostly been ghosted. and he's a senior level business analyst with a lot of experience - with huge companies ghosting him

13:16:33 From Bobby Bishop to Everyone : I hear that's a thing in academia some places

13:17:11 From alice yim to Everyone : Thank you for having this!

13:17:12 From Dr. Patty Costello to Everyone : Thanks all! Great event.

13:17:17 From Susan to Everyone : Thank you!

13:17:17 From Anita L to Everyone : Thank you for organising this!

13:17:18 From Christiane Moser to Everyone : What a great Event! Thanks

13:17:21 From Courtney Yingling to Everyone : thank you! this was awesome! lovely meeting yall