



DIA 2020



## Community Round Table Discussion: Look Book

A Guide to Making the Most of Your DIA  
Community Member-Facilitated Discussion

# Learning Formats: The Community Round Tables Add an Unconventional Element to Our Program Offerings!



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Maximize Your Time and Create a Custom and Memorable Learning Experience by Mixing and Matching Our Various Learning Formats

← Didactic/Passive Learning, Larger Audience

Interactive, Active, and Personalized Learning, Smaller Audience →



## DIAMond Sessions

- Acclaimed panelists from around the world representing multiple stakeholders
- Open conversations on today's most controversial topics



## Concurrent Educational Sessions

- Panel discussions, didactic presentations, and workshops
- Traditional and interactive educational formats
- 60-75 minutes
- More than 175 sessions spanning 13 educational tracks



## Soapbox Sessions

- TED-style format
- Informal speech with open discussion between the speaker and audience
- 30 minutes



## Innovation Theaters

- Exhibitor-led and sponsored
- Held in the Exhibit Hall
- Limited seating
- 45 minutes



## Preconference Short Courses

- Half- and full-day sessions
- Deep-dive into a specific topic area
- Up to 50 attendees
- Traditional and interactive educational formats



## Content Hub

- Led by DIA Community Members
- Rapid insight in a relaxed and casual learning environment
- 30 attendees
- 30 minutes



## Engage and Exchange

- Collaborative learning
- Peer-to-peer information exchange
- 10-minute presentation/30-minute small group discussions/20 minutes of sharing
- 50 attendees



## Community Round Tables

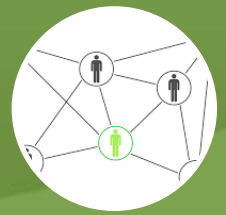
- Led by DIA Community Members
- Intimate and conversational discussions based off specific educational sessions
- Carry learning and debate from sessions to real-life application and discussion
- 60 minutes



## Poster Sessions

- A gallery of visually stimulating science and new best practice recommendations
- Research from a diverse group of scientific professionals
- One Student Poster Session
- Two Professional Poster Sessions

Learn More About Our Session Formats at [DIAGlobal.org/DIA2020](http://DIAGlobal.org/DIA2020)



**Community Round Table Discussions are designed to carry learning and debate from sessions to real-life application and discussion.**

Community Round Table Discussions are 60-minute DIA Community member-facilitated discussions that are inspired by sessions within the DIA 2020 program. This is an exclusive opportunity for DIA Community members to continue the dialogue and develop connections with current and potential new community members.

# Developing Your Discussion

5  
Minutes

- Introduce the session and welcome any session participants (chair/speakers) if they were able to attend.



55  
Minutes

- Facilitate an open discussion. Facilitators should be prepared to open the discussion by posing the first question to the audience or framing a discussion point to start with.

The goal is to have a meaningful discussion around the topic of the corresponding session

# Community Round Table Discussion Planning Notes

- All Community Round Table nominations must be submitted by a member of a DIA Community. Nominations by non-members will not be considered. Not a member? [Visit here to join a community.](#)
- Community Round Table Discussions will be held in the Community Zone. The Community Zone will have two large discussions areas set with approximately 40 chairs (campfire style).
- The Community Round Table Discussion will have a silent PA system where attendees can wear headsets to hear one another better. A roving AV tech will oversee the sound quality.
- Community Round Tables Discussions focus only on active discussion and do not utilize PowerPoint presentations or other visual aids.

Refer to the [Community Round Table Discussion FAQ](#) for additional planning information including important dates.





# Community Round Tables | Headset Usage

headsets for  
discussions in action at  
DIA 2019

# Questions?

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