



## DIA 2026 Content Hub Session FAQs

This is a reference guide to DIA's policies and expectations related to Content Hub sessions. Any questions related to the Content Hub session may be directed to [AnnualMeetingProgram@DIAglobal.org](mailto:AnnualMeetingProgram@DIAglobal.org)

### What is a Content Hub session?

- This is a **non-traditional learning/networking hybrid specifically designed for a small groups of attendees to connect face-to-face with community leaders and other attendees that share the same interests.**
- The Content Hub is designed for **30-minute short presentation(s)** and seating for an intimate **audience of ~30 people.**
- The Content Hub is informal with a mix of different styles of seating to encourage relaxed conversations between the audience and the leader.
- A vital component of the Content Hub is the opportunity for the audience to participate in active Q&A.
- Content Hub sessions will be scheduled Monday, June 15 – Wednesday, June 17. Please note, all accepted Content Hub facilitators must be registered for the DIA Annual Meeting prior to attending the meeting.
- Facilitators must adhere to DIA guidelines (see [Program Development Guidelines](#) and [DIA Policy Concerning Promotion of Products and Services from the Podium at DIA-Sponsored Programs](#)), as well as to manage the Content Hub session.
- Content Hubs may have up to two (2) facilitators

### How do I develop a Content Hub?

- This is an activity where attendees will have the opportunity to interact with community leaders and participate in a conversation to gain rapid insight in a subject of value or attain a deeper perspective listening to information.

### How do I manage a Content Hub Session?

- Keep opening brief e.g. 5-10 minutes and in that time sufficiently frame the topic and the expectation for the Content Hub (i.e., what type of conclusion or solution is being sought).
- Facilitators are advised to **spend a majority of their time engaged in discussions** with the audience

### What shall I expect onsite?

- There may be internet connectivity. If internet connectivity is integral to the session activity, please notify DIA.
- The Content Hub space is set with small round tables, chairs, and couches (lounge like) for **approximately 30 attendees.**
- The session will be interactive; it will not be audio recorded.
- **There will be no sign-in or pre-registration, and attendance will be on a first-come, first-served basis.**
- The Content Hub will have:
  - 1 Laptop
  - monitor
  - 1 handheld microphone
  - A podium
  - Small round tables set with 4 seats each



### Important Dates to Remember

- **April 3, 2026**— Facilitator confirmation received by
- **April 7, 2026** – Content Hub description finalized\*
  - *\*Descriptions will be published as is if no changes are received by April 7.*
- **June TBD** – PowerPoint presentation to be uploaded to the DIA Presentation System
  - *DIA Presentation system information will be sent under separate cover*

#### **What are the expectations for PowerPoint Presentations?**

- PowerPoint presentations are OPTIONAL
- Ensure that copyright permission has been obtained as needed.\*
- Slide decks must be in the designated DIA template. They will be accessible pre-meeting to registered attendees.
- **All presentations must be fair, balanced and free of commercial bias. Materials must not be commercial or promotional.**
- **No Logos.** No logos may be used on any PowerPoint presentation. Facilitator clothing may not carry logos or other company-specific emblems.
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#### PowerPoint Presentation

- PowerPoint Presentations that will be used during the Content Hub must be uploaded to the DIA's Presentation system by **early June**. The [DIA template](#) is to be used for all PPT presentations.

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