**Signing Up & Joining Discord**

Join by accepting our Discord invite: [https://discord.gg/hMXj7xCzKr](https://discord.gg/hMXj7xCzKr)

Discord will open in your browser. No downloads needed.

- You need to enter a user name. (Please enter a first name and last initial so we can identify you)
- Verify you are human. (You are NOT creating a Discord account).
- Enter your birthday – this can be any random date, but be sure you are older than 13 years of age.
- Enter your email only if you would like to open a Discord account. If not, click on the X in the top right corner.

Since this is a Guest account, if you close Discord, you will need to repeat the sign up process again.

**Navigating Discord**

Various channels are set up for TEC Expo. If you get stuck, scroll down to open the Q & A channel and send a message to the ETS team asking for help.

- All required permissions for guest speakers will be set up by an ETS moderator. If you are a participant, during the first 10 minutes of the presentation, your audio and video will be disabled.
- For a better experience, please close all other applications on your desktop, including VPNs. VPNs makes audio and video inaccessible.
- When you are ready to leave your session, simply click the ‘hangup’ button (phone with an x, scroll over it and a pop-up says ‘disconnect’).

We hope you enjoy your Discord explorations!

If you have any questions about accessing Discord or about TEC Expo, you can email ETS. Thank you!