



TECHNICAL COMMUNICATION

2022

SUMMIT

CONFERENCE & EXPO

15-18 MAY 2022

***GETTING THE MOST
FROM THE SUMMIT***

Thank you for registering for STC's Technical Communication Summit.

The Summit offers all kinds of education, along with the opportunity to meet other people who "speak your language."

Please take a few minutes to review these slides so that you can get the most from your first experience at the Summit.

Tip #1: Plan a daily schedule

- Use the program to select a first choice session for each time slot.
- Select a second choice session for each time slot. Your first choice may not be what you expected. It's o.k. to leave a session.

Tip #2: Take advantage of “resources”

- Stay at the Hyatt Regency O’Hare to be close to the action all day! (*STC’s room block closes on 15 April.*)
- Visit with the exhibitors in the Expo Hall.
- Introduce yourself to speakers you really like. They’ll appreciate the positive feedback!
- Use the conference app. It is an excellent source of information.

Tip #3: Network-Everyone is doing it!

Networking starters.....

- Hi! I'm (your name) from (city, state, country).
Where are you from?
- This is the first time I've been to the Summit—
how about you?
- I'm really looking forward to
(session/presenter). What else do you
recommend?

Recognize yourself. Wear ribbons!
Ribbons available in the Summit registration area.



Pick Up Your 1st Time Attendee Ribbon.



NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES:

ALL THE EDUCATION SESSIONS!

WELCOME RECEPTION—SUNDAY THE EXPO HALL

- Meet exhibitors and other conference participants

HONORS EVENT—TUESDAY AT 5:30 PM

- Celebrate STC's top award winners

CHECK OUT THE NETWORKING AND ENTERTAINMENT PAGE
ON [SUMMIT.STC.ORG](https://summit.stc.org)

- There are all kinds of things to do in Rosemont and Chicago!

USE THE CONFERENCE APP

- You'll be able to connect with other Summit attendees.

Tip #4: Follow conference “etiquette”

- Wear your nametag where it can be seen. This will help others remember your name, and badge checkers will let you in the special events!
- Don't let your cell phone/mobile device annoy others.

Other helpful tips:

- Set-up and use the conference app. This will enable you to connect with other attendees.
- Dress to be comfortable, but remember you'll be in large meeting rooms where the AC takes a while to adjust.
- It's o.k. to give yourself a break and skip a session.
- Stop by the Chicago Chapter Welcome table to find out about fun things to do in Chicago. Say "Hello" to our friendly Chicago Chapter members!

QUESTIONS?

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We look forward to seeing you in Rosemont!

Start planning for the future...

Summit '23

14-17 May 2023

Atlanta, Georgia