

Welcome to the WikidataCon 2021!

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[Wikidatacon.org](https://wikidatacon.org)

Contact & help

info@wikidatacon.org

Schedule

program.wikidatacon.org

[#WikidataCon](https://twitter.com/WikidataCon)



Overview of the conference

3 days of exciting program! => program.wikidatacon.org

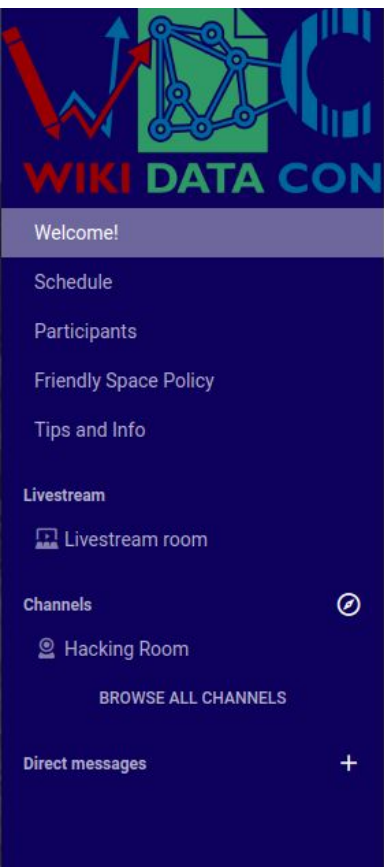
- **Day 1: Introductions and keynotes**
 - Friday, October 29th, from 12:00 to 23:00 UTC
- **Day 2 & 3: community tracks**
 - From Saturday, October 30th at 08:00 UTC
 - to Sunday, October 31st, at 19:00 UTC
 - 10 thematic tracks, 3 rooms in parallel

Discussions on Venuess, the conference platform

Hacking room & Social room



Welcome to your conference space!



Useful pages to check

Conference rooms

Click on “browse all channels”
to join the **text channels**

If you're not on the conference space yet: [register](#) to get your access link, see wikidatacon.org



Let's keep this space friendly

Encourage a **positive and constructive atmosphere**

Respect people's **privacy and anonymity**

- Use the name/username and pronouns people use
- Do not disclose personal information about people
- Ask for **consent** before taking a screenshot of people

Ask for help & help others

No harassment, personal attacks or violence

Need support? contact the Friendly Space Policy referents: [w.wiki/4Hon](https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:4Hon)



Where to get some help?

Help & support channel on Venueless

info@wikidatacon.org

Participants with “**moderation**” or “**tech support**” in their username

The organization team is available on Venueless:

- Léa Lacroix (coordination, program) - fr, en
- Érica Azzellini (coordination, program) - pt-br, en
- Jana Bolg (coordination, technical support) - de, en
- Amanda Jurno (Latin America and Caribbean events) - pt-br, en, es
- Elisabeth Giesemann (press, social media) - de, en

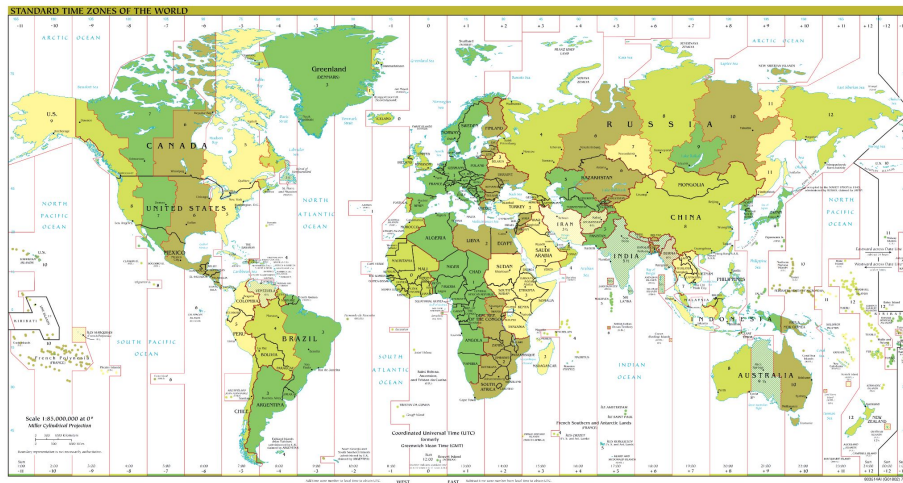


Times and time zones

Sessions times are often announced in **UTC (GMT)**.

On the **Schedule** page of Venueless, times are converted to your local timezone.

On **program.wikidatacon.org** you can switch from UTC to your local timezone.



Attention: in Europe, the daylight saving time ends on Sunday: at 3am, the new time will be 2am.

- on **Friday 29 and Saturday 30**, we're in **UTC+2**
- on **Sunday 31**, we're in **UTC+1**

How to interact with speakers on Day 1?

- Ask **questions** in the **Etherpad** of the session (linked from the program and in the chat)
- Some sessions have a Q&A, some don't but have a follow-up session in the next days of the conference
- Most speakers attend the conference, feel free to reach out to them on Venuess if you have any questions

Day 2 & 3 Community tracks

3 rooms in parallel

10 tracks

Direct interaction with
speakers and participants

Most sessions are recorded

Advice: check the program
and create your
personalized schedule
on program.wikidatacon.org

Day	Time UTC	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3
Sat	08:00	Tips & Tools		
Sat	09:00			
Sat	10:00	Reusable data	Sister projects	Sustainable future
Sat	11:00			
Sat	12:00		GLAM	Reimagining Wikidata
Sat	13:00			
Sat	14:00			
Sat	15:00			
Sat	16:00			
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Sat	21:00			
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Sat	23:00			
Sun	00:00	Asia-Pacific		
Sun	01:00			
Sun	02:00			
Sun	03:00			
Sun	04:00			
Sun	05:00			
Sun	06:00			
Sun	07:00			
Sun	08:00	<i>Break</i>		
Sun	09:00	<i>Break</i>		
Sun	10:00	Wikibase	Education & science	
Sun	11:00			
Sun	12:00			WikiCite
Sun	13:00			
Sun	14:00			
Sun	15:00			
Sun	16:00			
Sun	17:00			
Sun	18:00	Closing session (livestream)		Birthday presents LT

Happy birthday Wikidata!

Today we're celebrating
[Wikidata's 9th birthday](#)

and the achievements of the community \o/

Messages, birthday presents, events:
[[Wikidata:Ninth_Birthday]]

[Birthday presents](#) lightning talks session:
Sunday, October 31st, at 17:00 UTC in Room 3
You can still sign up to present something



Languages at the conference

Most sessions are taking place in [English](#), but we also have some sessions in Portuguese, Spanish and French!

[Brazilian Portuguese subtitles](#) for Day 1: when available, links to videos with subtitles will be posted in the chat

On Venueless, you can also find [text channels by language](#)



We love documentation!

Each session comes with a notes-taking pad:
please **help take notes** during sessions!

Speakers: share your slides on Commons
[[Category:WikidataCon 2021 presentations]]

Day 1: the **replay** will be accessible shortly
at the end of the day

Day 2&3: most sessions are recorded

Recordings of sessions will be uploaded online
after the conference (possibly a few weeks delay)



The conference is yours!

If you have ideas for spontaneous sessions, feel free to use the [hacking room](#)

If you have ideas for [social events](#), contact the organizers: info@wikidatacon.org

To add last-minute sessions in the program, contact the organizers

[Be active](#) in the discussions and sessions, interact with speakers and other participants

Help taking notes

We are still looking for a few people to help [facilitate sessions](#) on Day 2&3, contact us if you're interested



Thank you for your contribution!

Many thanks to all speakers, helpers,
and technical support for the conference

Thank you to our sponsors who supported the event



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