Best Practices for Moderators

Thank you for moderating a portion of The 2025 DSA Conference! Below, please find suggested steps to prepare you for this task.

- Reach out to the scholars on the panel in advance. Introduce yourself and confirm expectations for time limits.
- 2. Collect the necessary information and media.
 - a. Collect all digital presentations from the panelists. Media is best played from a singular device (rather than one per presenters).
 - b. Collect short bios from presenters that you can introduce them with.
 - c. Confirm pronunciation of presenter names, and preferred pronouns
 - d. Ask if there are any specific questions or themes they would like for you to address during the panel.
- 3. **Download Crestron Air Media on the device you will use for presentations.** This will allow you to access the presentation room's audio/visual systems wirelessly. A laptop is recommended over a smartphone for this purpose. Directions below:

Windows

- 1. Download the Windows installation file.
- 2. Right-click on the downloaded .exe file and select "Run as Administrator".
- 3. See Connecting to an AirMedia with a Windows Laptop for connectivity instructions.

macOS

- 1. Download the macOS installation file.
- 2. Double-click the downloaded file to begin the installer.
- 3. See Connect to an AirMedia on a Mac Laptop for connectivity instructions.

iOS/Android

Visit our articles for Android or iOS for instructions on obtaining the Crestron AirMedia application and for connectivity information.

For more instructions, see: Present with AirMedia