

Hopin Attendee Instructions VT HOSA Spring Leadership Conference

Welcome and thank you for registering for the VT HOSA State Leadership Conference (SLC)!

We hope this virtual conference experience gives you some great opportunities to learn and share with others! You are registered for the conference and just need to select your school to claim your ticket (this will be important for the speed networking activity).

The first thing you will need to do is click [HERE](#) and under the tickets section on the right, choose the correct school to claim your ticket and create your profile. You won't see much at the conference site until the day of the conference, but look at what you can and get familiar with the Hopin platform. Once you register and create your profile you will be entered into the drawing for the Dunkin Gift Cards that will be raffled off on Monday at the conference!

On the day of the conference, you'll log on and see everything will be live.

A couple of suggestions to make your experience the best it can be:

- Browsers: The latest versions of **Chrome or Firefox** guarantee the best experience. Please avoid Brave, Safari, Microsoft Internet Explorer or Edge since these browsers lack the modern web technologies support necessary for online events to run in a web browser. Mobile browsers: Safari on iOS and Google Chrome on Android.

Note: Sometimes, third-party extensions can affect the experience blocking some of the Hopin interface elements. That's why we also recommend opening the event in *Incognito mode* (command+Shift+N on macOS or Ctrl+Shift+N on Windows) on Chrome or *Private tab* (command+Shift+P for macOS or Ctrl+Shift+P for Windows) on Firefox.

- At lunchtime, we will be providing speed networking. You will be randomly matched with another attendee from a different chapter for 2 minutes. This is a great time to practice your "elevator speech," an introduction of yourself in the time it takes to ride an elevator. We will also have suggested topics for you.
- Check out this [short video](#) to explain the Hopin Platform, which we are using for this conference.
- Please be patient with any "bumps" we may experience during the conference. This is new territory for all of us.
- Have fun and participate!