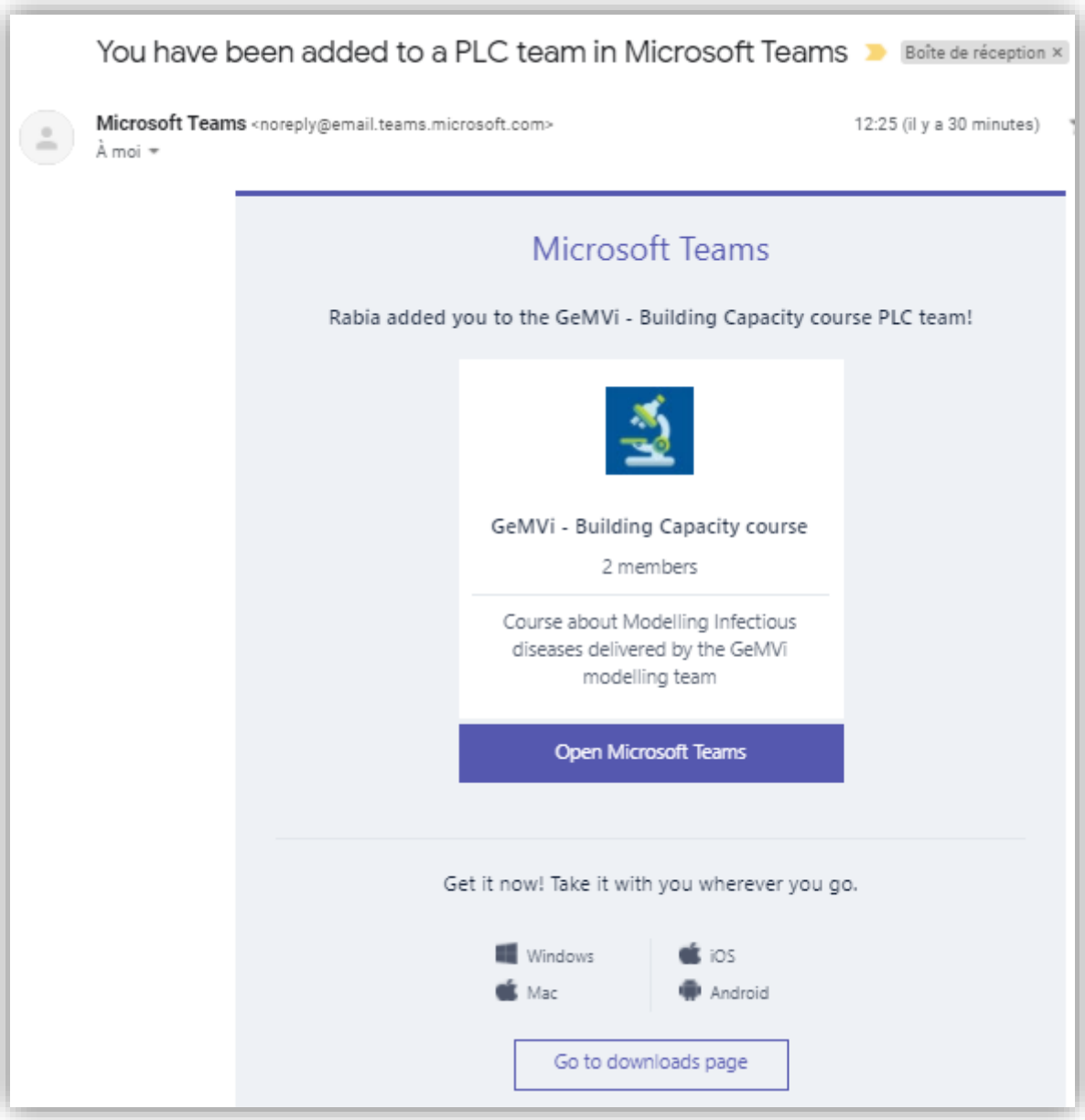
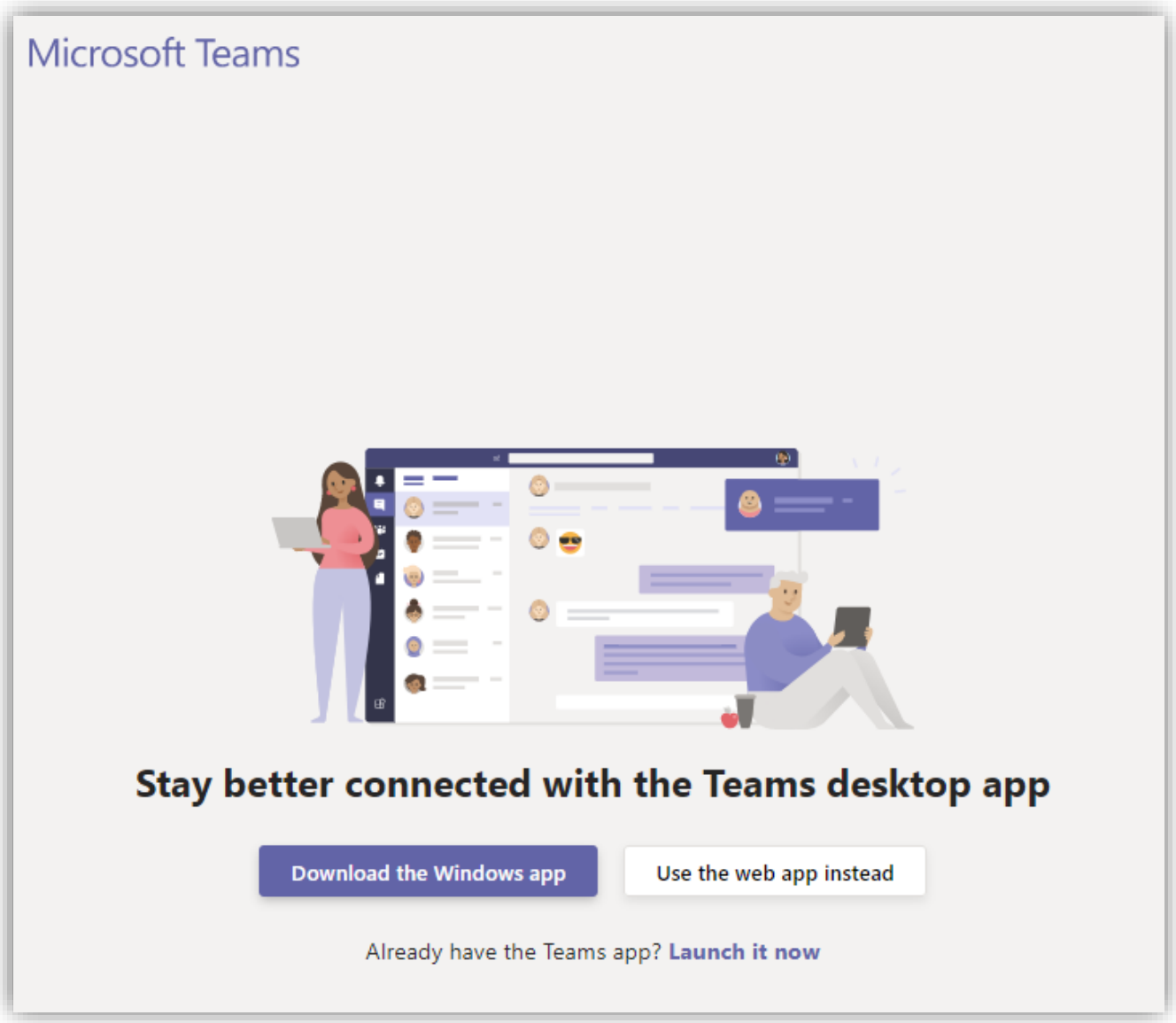
Steps to access the course channel

- Each participant should receive an email invitation to access the teams channel “GeMVi Building Capacity course”. The email will contain a link to open Microsoft Teams and access the course channel. Here’s an example of what the email might look like:

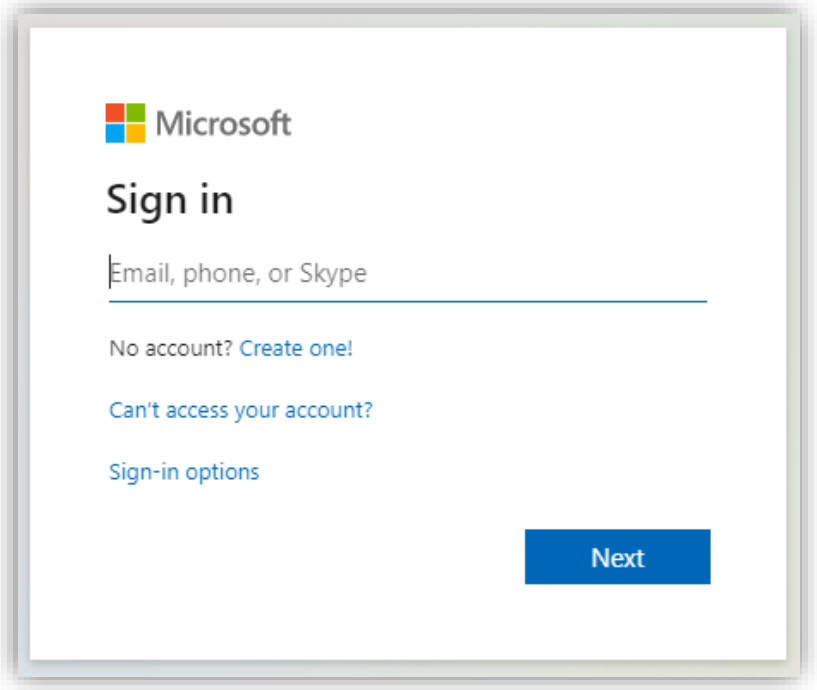


- Once you click on the “**Open Microsoft Teams**” link, it should open a web page and provide you with options, like this screen:

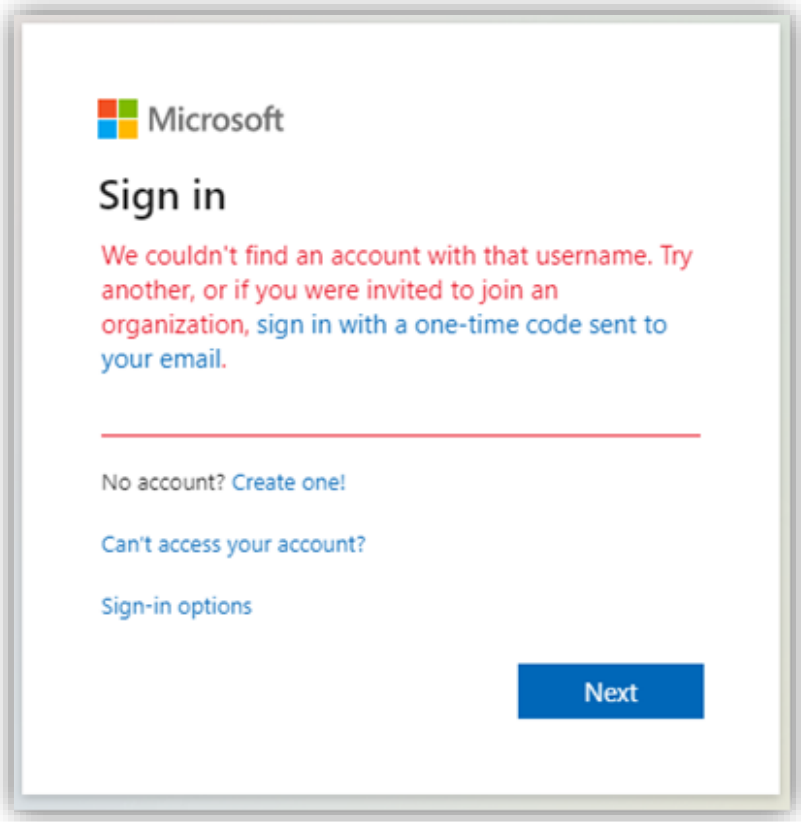


- If you don’t have the Microsoft Teams application installed, you can choose "Continue on this browser" or "**Use the web app instead**" to access on the web browser instead of the app. This way you don’t need to setup the application and can continue to access all needed functionalities from the web browser.

- You'll be asked to enter your email

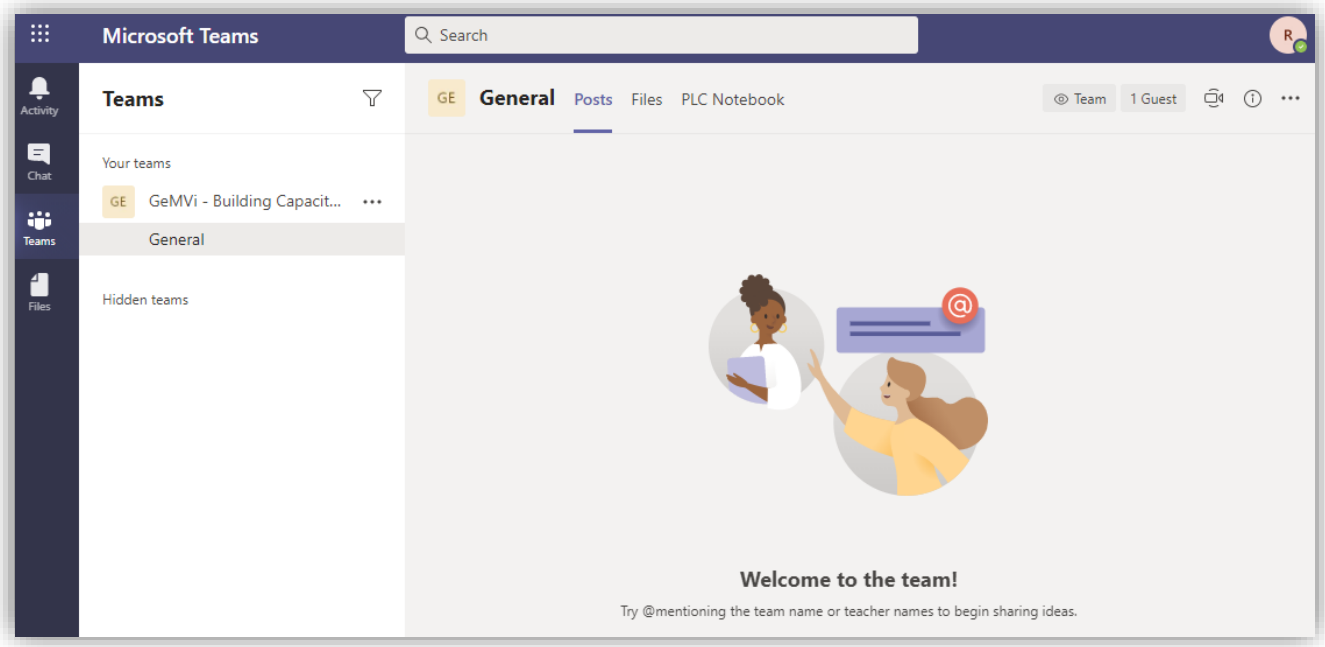


- A verification code might be sent to your email to verify your identity.
- If you see the following error:



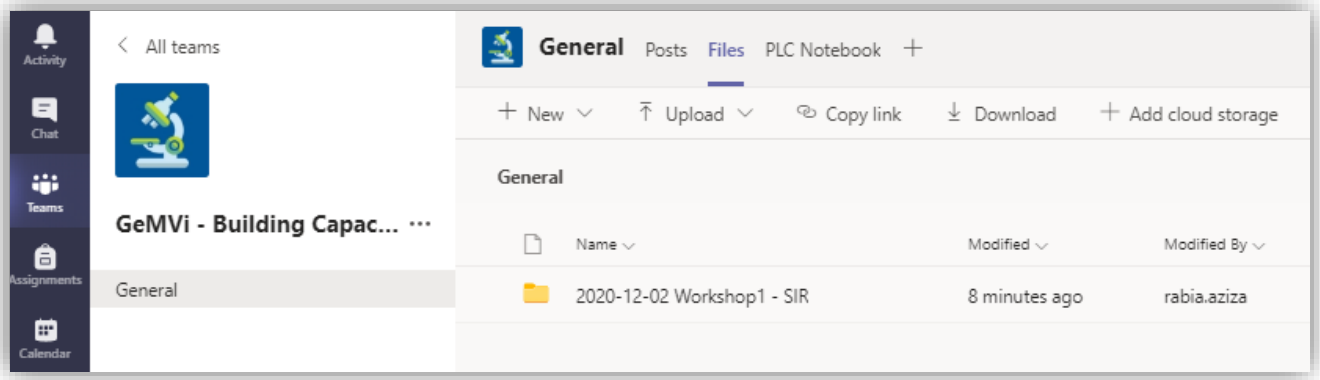
choose "**sign in with a one-time code sent to your email**" and proceed to verifying your access with the code sent by email.

- Once you access the channel, you will be met with a screen like the following:



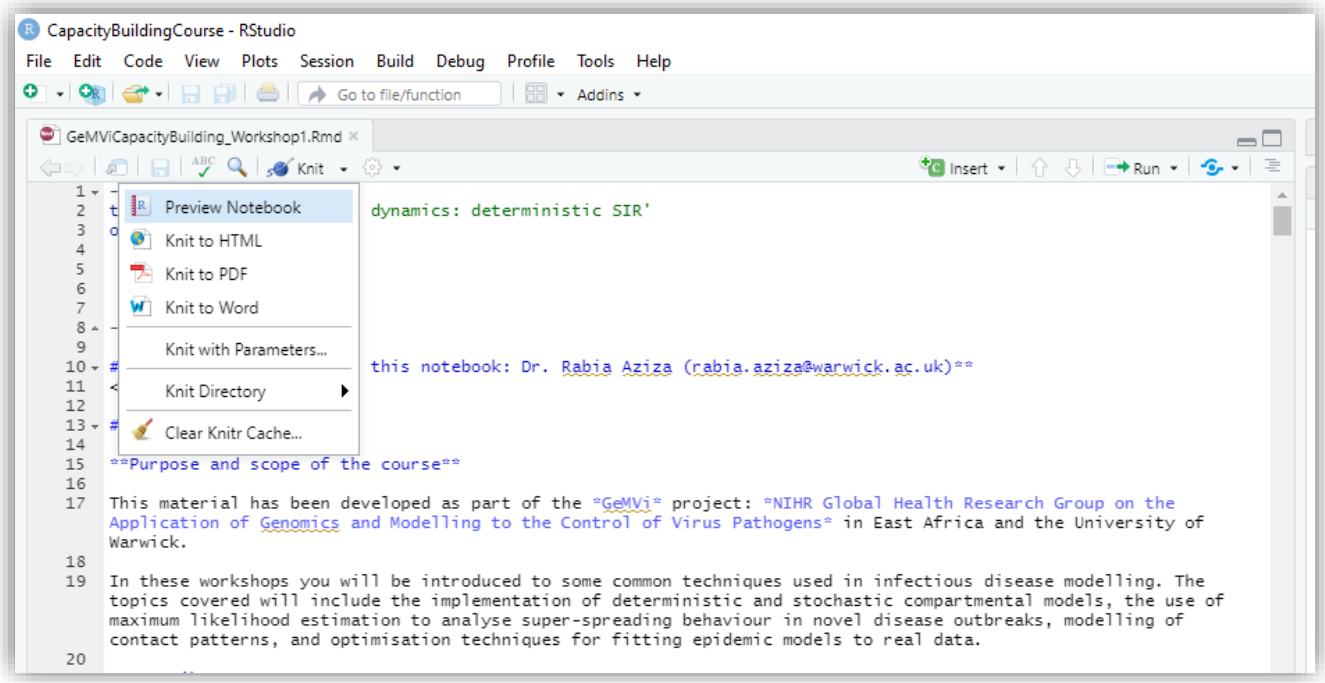
- On the "Posts" screen, you'll find the main interactions and conversations shared between all participants. **First thing to do is write a brief introduction of yourself so everyone can start to get to know the other participants.**

- Under "Files", you can access to the necessary materials for the workshops:



- The notebook of the first workshop can be found under the folder "2020-12-02 Workshop1 – SIR"

- Open the notebook with RStudio and Knit it.
  Knit is an engine under RStudio that uses the library rknit and allows generating different outputs (html, pdf, or word) of a notebook.



- Try knitting the notebook into HTML. If it's the first time doing so in your current RStudio, then it may ask to download some libraries. You'll need to accept the downloads.
  Other than the libraries required by Knit, you'll also need the "deSolve" library.