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## Class

# EKParticipant

A class that represents person, group, or room invited to a calendar event.

iOS 4.0+ | iPadOS 4.0+ | Mac Catalyst 13.1+ | macOS 10.8+ | visionOS 1.0+ | watchOS 2.0+

```
class EKParticipant
```

## Overview

Do not create `EKParticipant` objects directly. Instead, use the property `attendees` on [EKCalendarItem](#) to return an array of `EKParticipant` objects.

EventKit cannot add participants to an event nor change participant information. Use the properties in this class to get information about a participant.

A participant can be a person, group, room, or other resource.

## Topics

### Defining Participants

```
enum EKParticipantRole
```

The participant's role for an event.

```
enum EKParticipantType
```

The type of participant.

`enum EKParticipantStatus`

The participant's attendance status for an event.

`enum EKParticipantScheduleStatus`

The participant's scheduled status.

## Accessing Participant Properties

`var isCurrentUser: Bool`

A Boolean value indicating whether this participant represents the owner of this account.

`var name: String?`

The participant's name.

`var participantRole: EKParticipantRole`

The participant's role in the event.

`var participantStatus: EKParticipantStatus`

The participant's attendance status.

`var participantType: EKParticipantType`

The participant's type.

`var url: URL`

The URL representing this participant.

`var contactPredicate: NSPredicate`

A predicate to use with the Contacts framework to retrieve the corresponding contact instance.

## Finding Participant Address Book Records

`func abRecord(with: ABAddressBook) -> ABRecord?`

Returns the address book record that represents the participant.

~~`func abPerson(in: ABAddressBook) -> ABPerson?`~~

Returns the address book record that represents the participant.

Deprecated

~~`typealias ABAddressBook`~~

A reference to an ABAddressBook object.

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~~`typealias ABRecord`~~

A reference to an ABRecord object or any of its derived opaque types.

Deprecated

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## Relationships

### Inherits From

`EKObject`

### Conforms To

`CVarArg`

`CustomDebugStringConvertible`

`CustomStringConvertible`

`Equatable`

`Hashable`

`NSCopying`

`NSObjectProtocol`

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## See Also

### Calendars

`class` `EKCalendar`

A class that represents a calendar in EventKit.