

An illustration of two people, a woman on the left and a man on the right, sitting at a desk and using VR headsets. The woman is wearing a white shirt and blue skirt, and the man is wearing a dark suit. They are both looking towards the right. On the desk, there are two orange binders, a laptop, and a small potted plant. The background is a stylized tropical scene with a blue sky, a green mountain, a body of water, and palm trees. A large, semi-transparent circular frame is overlaid on the background, containing a small illustration of a thatched-roof hut on a small island.

# Social Activities and Gather.Town

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# Social opportunities in Gather.Town and Whova



## Social Challenges

We have 7 challenges in Gather.Town and 2 in Whova



## Academic Content

Easy and interactive access to graphic content and pre-recorded videos



## Social Spaces

Virtual spaces to facilitate people gather and interact

# What is Gather.Town?



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TERRACE

Monica Tentori

Jon Paden

Danilo Gasques

Tommy Sharkey

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TERRACE

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PARTICIPANTS (4)

search participants

Tommy Sharkey

Danilo Gasques

Jon Paden

Monica Tentori (me)

You are currently locating

Jon Paden

stop locating

LOCAL CHAT

Moderator:

HEY! Jon is the Rabbit and asking for "dos cervicitas por favor!"  
*For food him*

Monica Tentori

1:15 PM

hi there are you guys ready?

Danilo Gasques

1:32 PM

<https://www.theverge.com/2024/7/22/22201678/photo-record-screen-macbook-apple-laptop-desktop-video-quicktime>

Monica Tentori

1:42 PM

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Danilo Gasques

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Main Auditorium  
(Whova)



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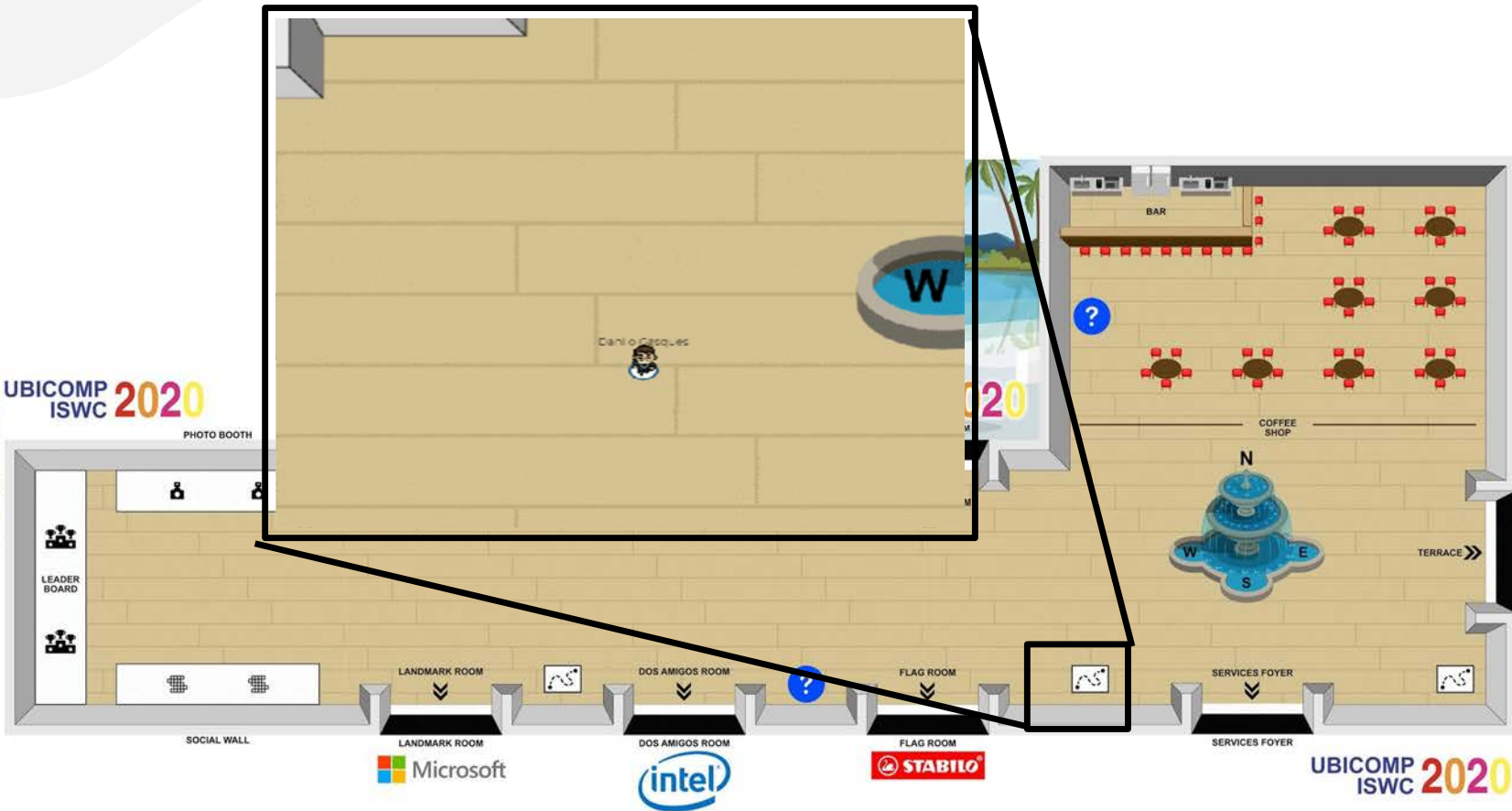
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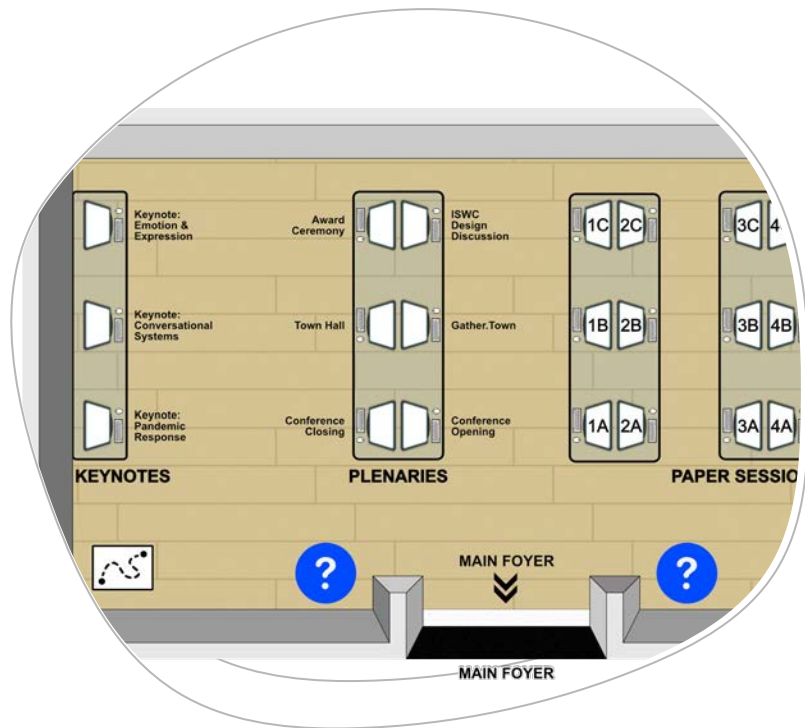


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# Auditorium (Whova)

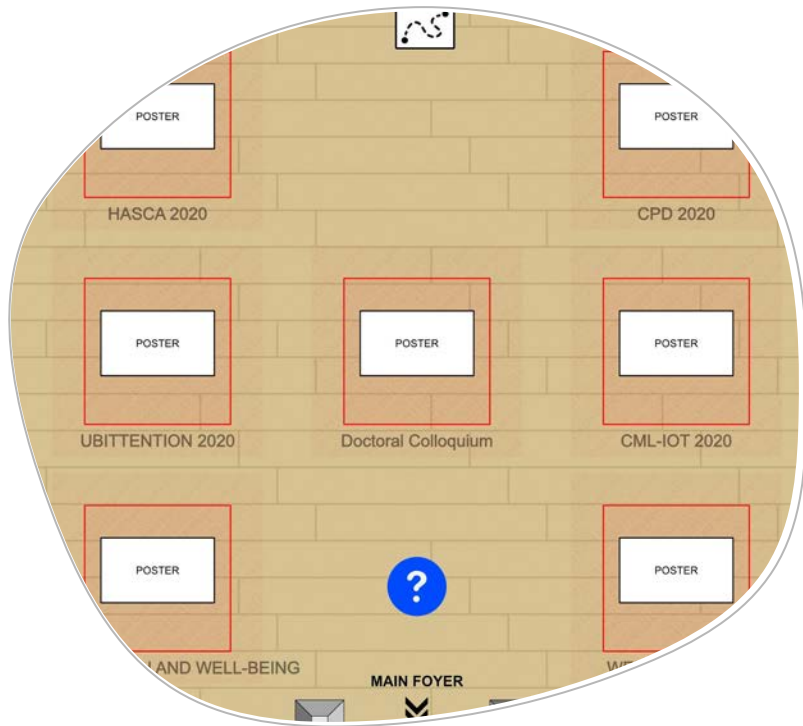
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the live sessions on Whov including  
the Keynotes, Paper Sessions and the  
Plenaries

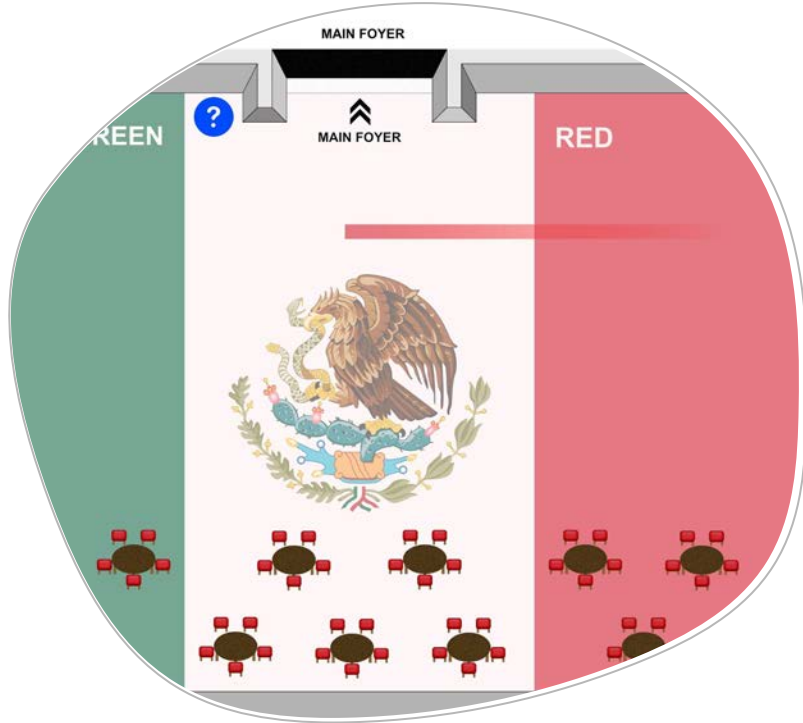




# Workshops and DC

The room holds a dedicated space for  
the content from Workshops and the  
DC



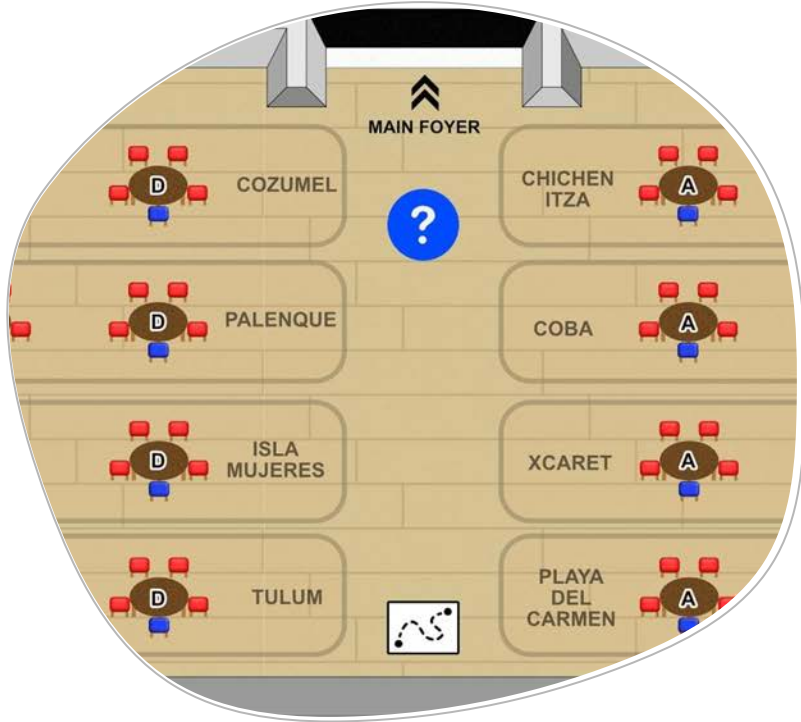


# Flag Room & Gadget Show

A multi purpose room with a podium, private tables and colors to rapidly separate individuals in two groups

# Speed Networking & AMA tables in the Landmark and Dos Amigos

A references matrix of tables for 2 and 5 to support private discussions and speed networking gatherings

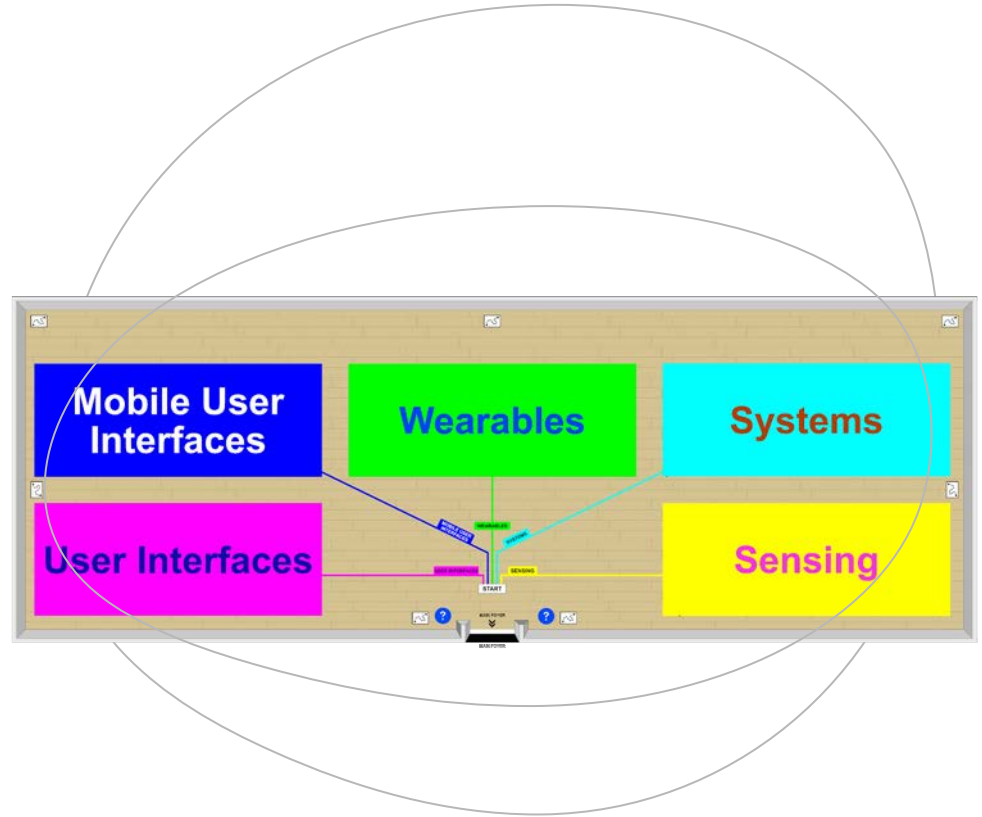




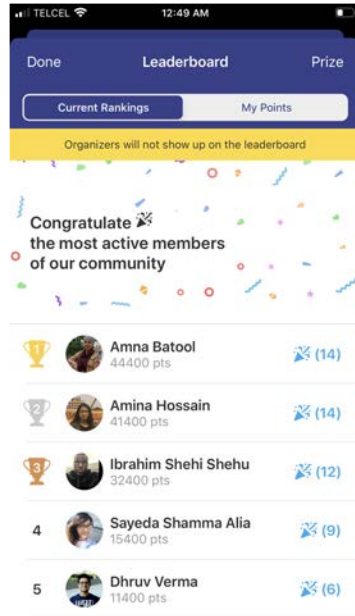
# Industry gatherings

Lively discussion, looping content, exhibitors and gatherings from networks and industry members

# Poster & Demos



# Gamification in *Uthova*



Leaderboard  
Activity

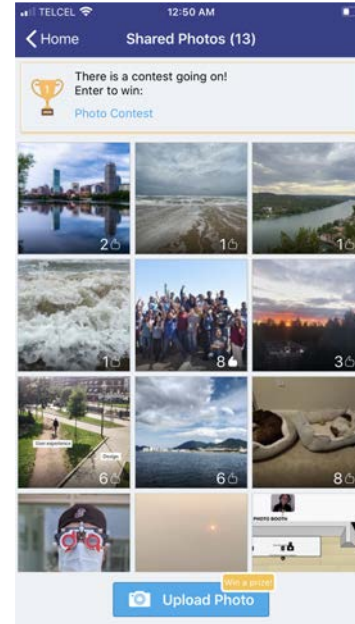


Photo contest



# Social challenges in **Gather**



## Rabbit

Collect rabbits who are hoping around



## Place out of the Bag

Talk to 5 towners to collect a place



## Mystery Chair

Who, where and what is inside the Egg?



## Paparazzi

Take a photo with someone you don't know



## Scavenger Hunt

Solve challenging questions



## Escape of the Island

Where, how, and what vehicle SVs need to use?

**Mystery objects hidden in secrets room in gather!**

# Social Challenges Workflow



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Subscribe and  
review the schedule

Review  
description and  
download support  
content

2



3

Collect  
participants  
through video-  
calls

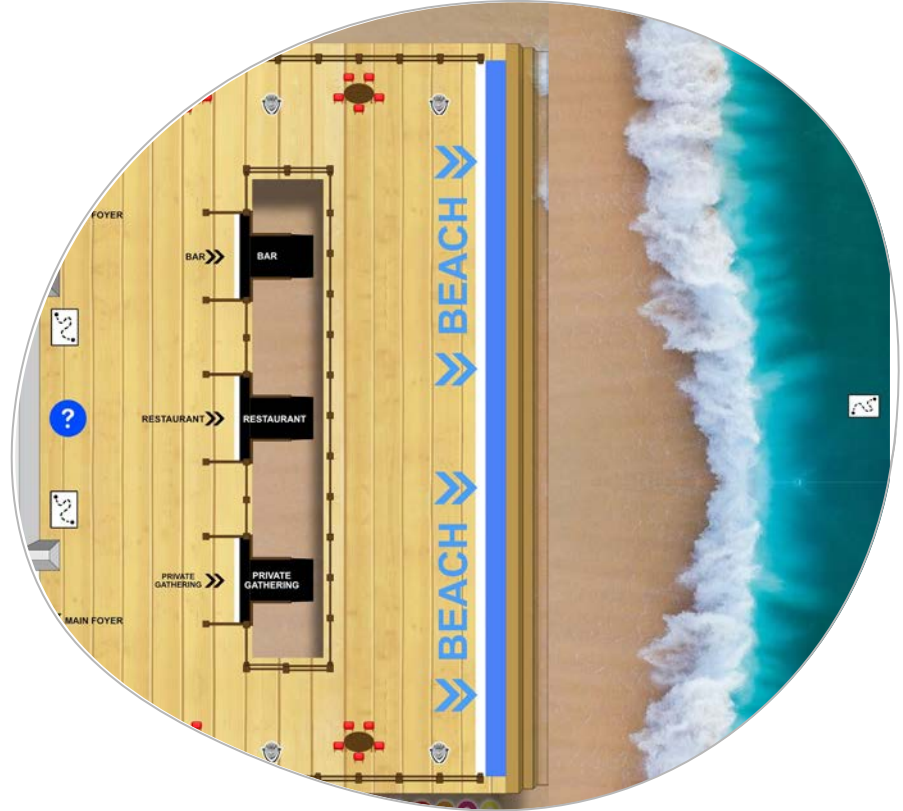
Submit your  
responses in the  
challenges form

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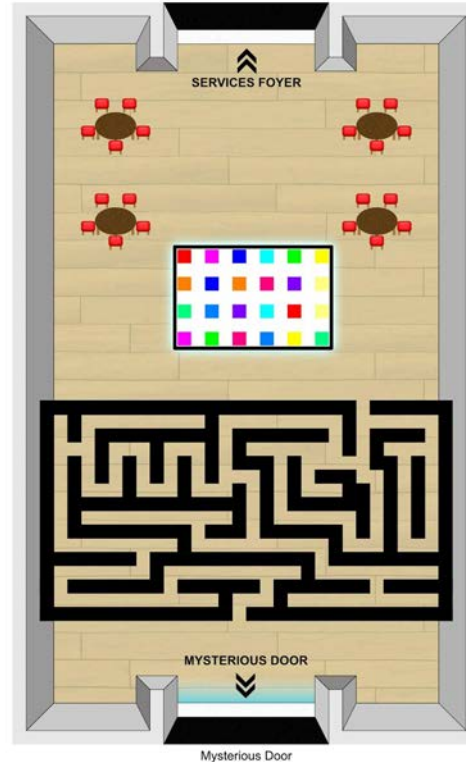


# Social terrace

A restaurant, a bar, and private  
gatherings for Tacos, Copitas y Aguas  
Fresquecitas



# Ubicomp is Family and CHI friendly





# Ubicomp in Gather.Town

A virtual space to bring back the  
serendipity of running into friends  
and meeting strangers

<https://ubicomp.town>

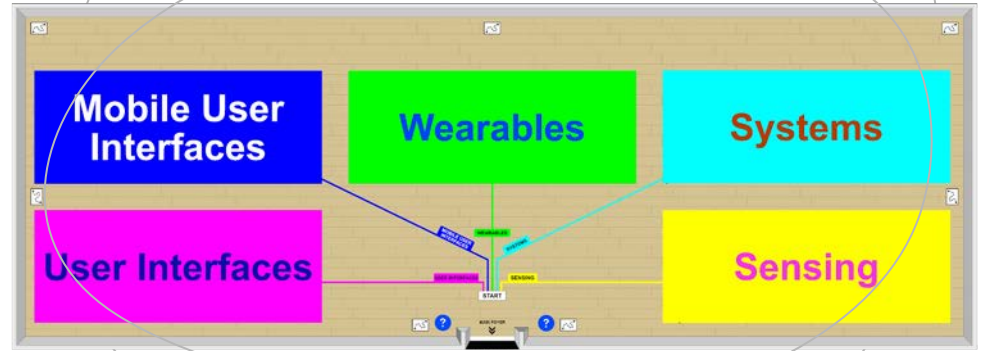




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