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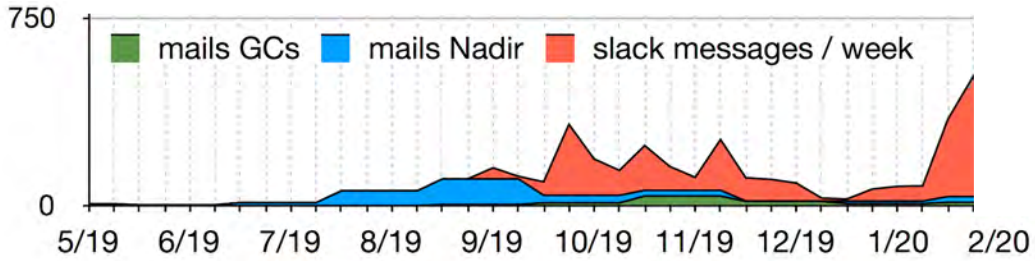
Preparing for UbiComp/ISWC in Cancun...

May'19. We started early, with lots of ambitions:

- Conference venue and hotels set, budget planned
- Plans for more accessible websites and on-site facilities
- 12 Workshops accepted and open for papers
- Deadlines for ISWC papers, posters, demos, DC, etc. ahead



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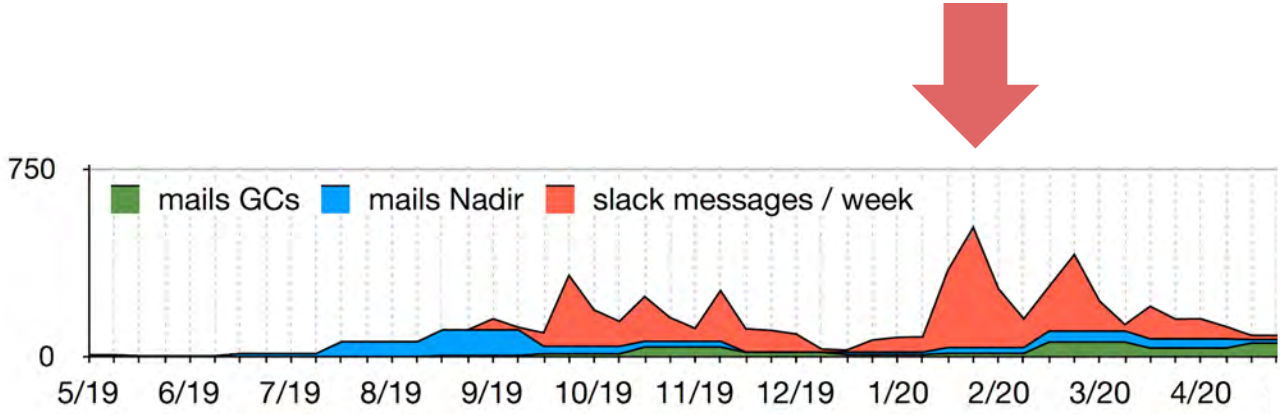

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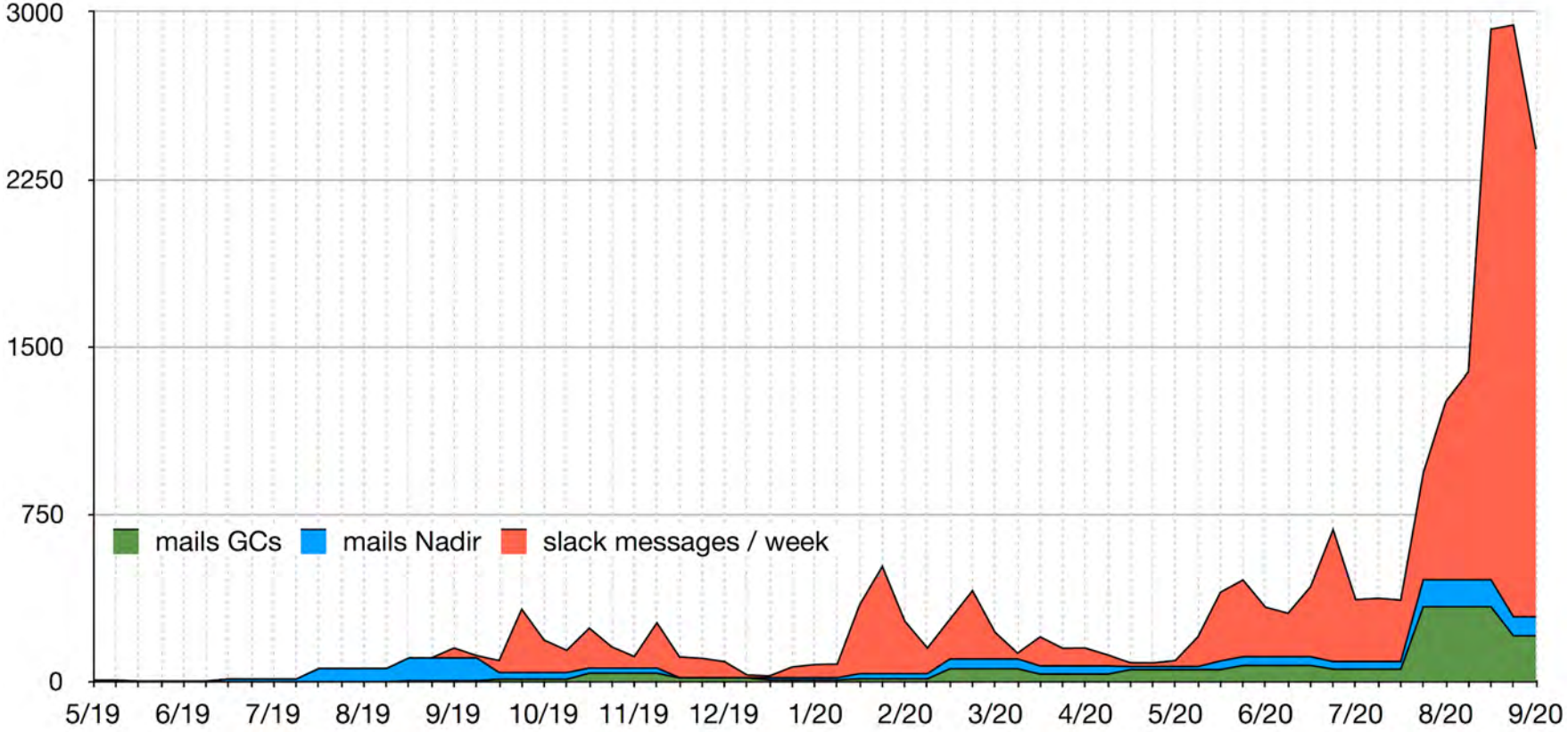

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- All-time low registrations
- Students fee $25

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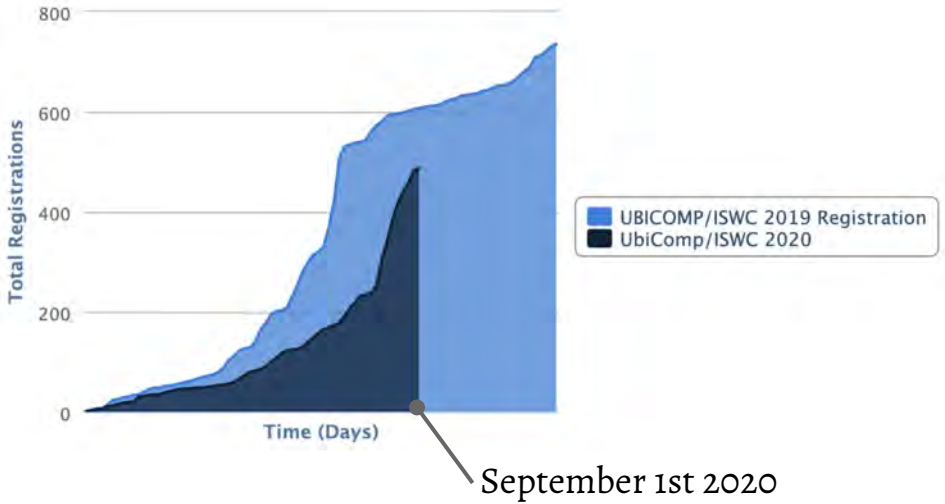

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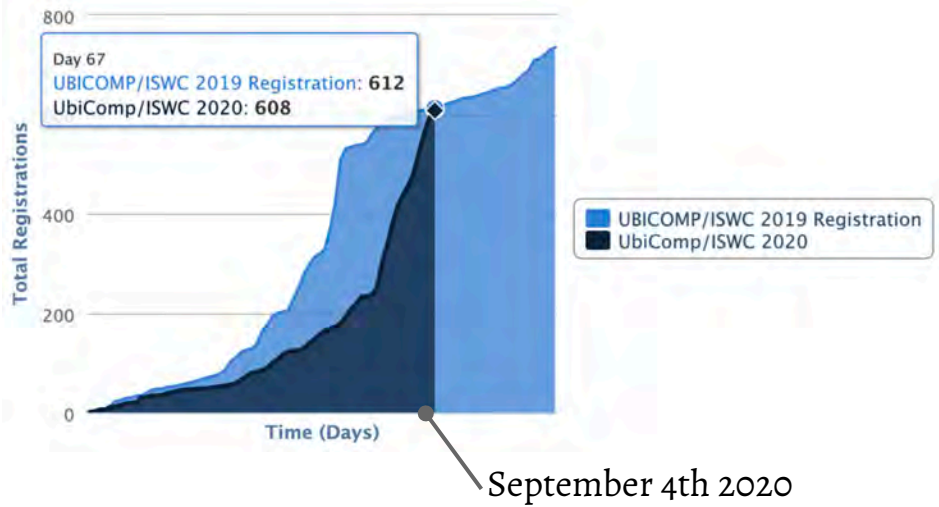

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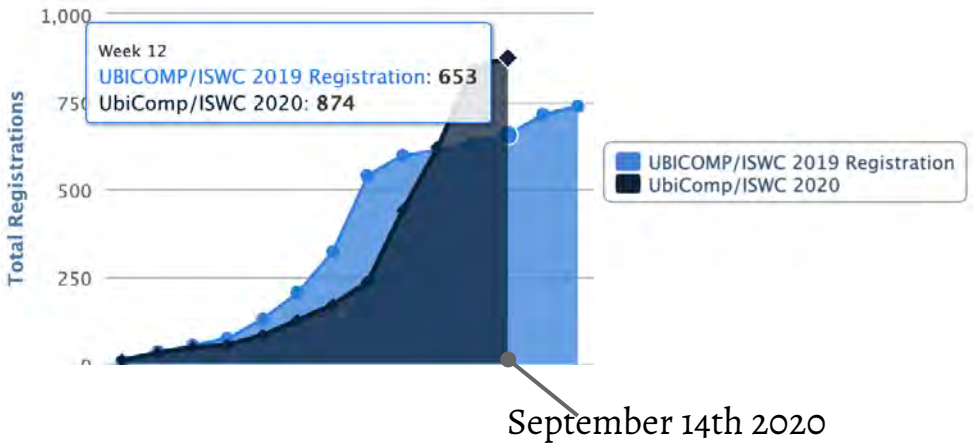

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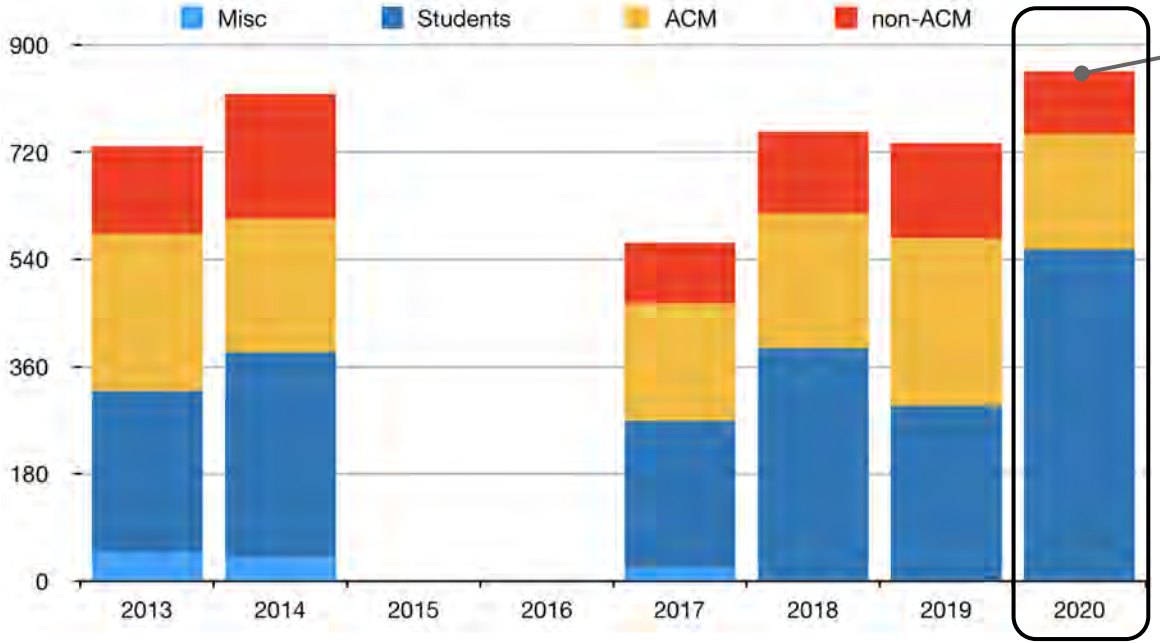

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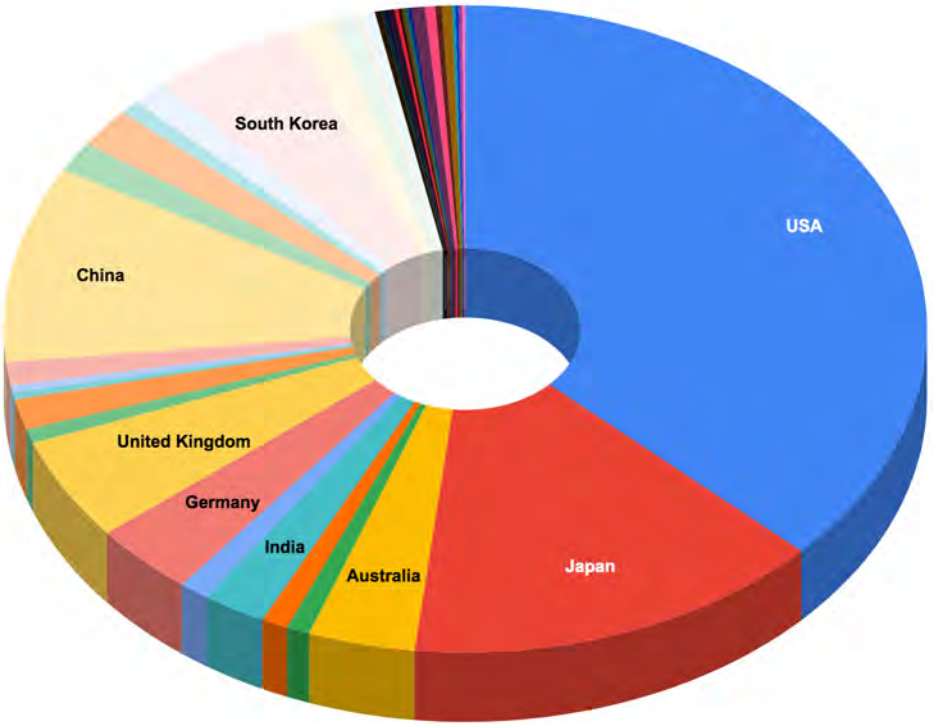
UbiComp/ISWC 2020: From Around the World



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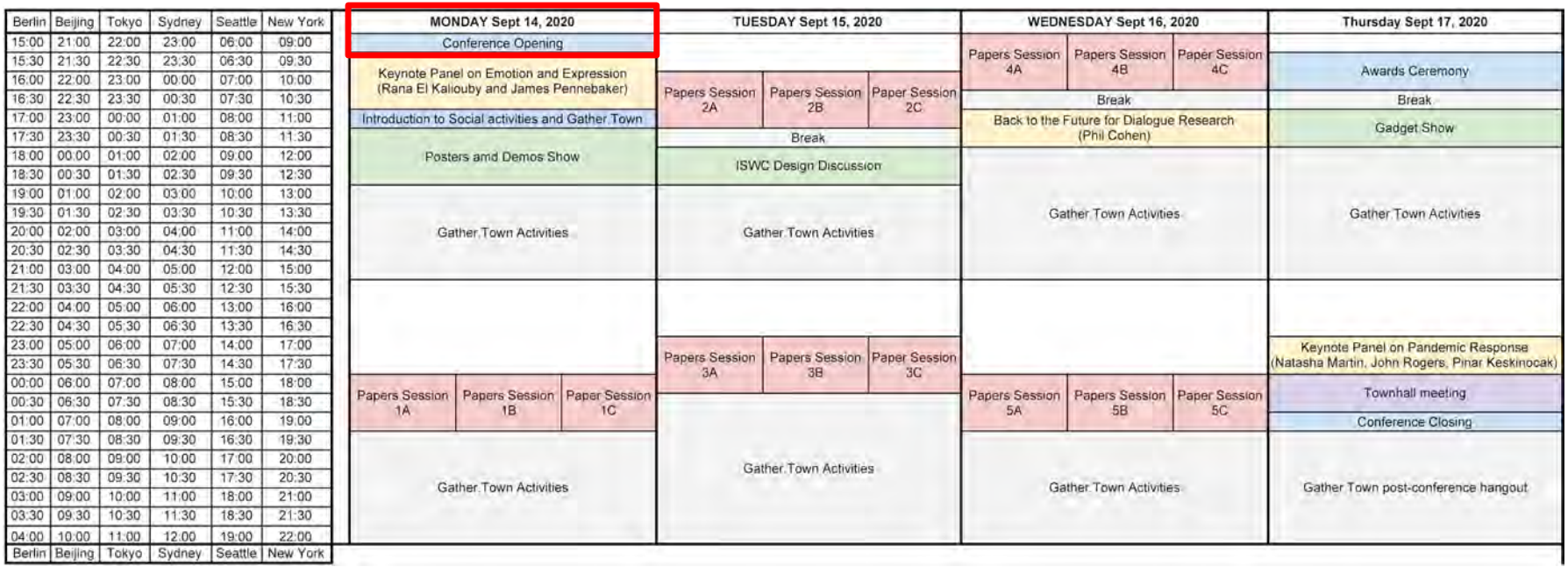
UbiComp/ISWC 2020: Overall Plan



Berlin	Beijing	Tokyo	Sydney	Seattle	New York	MONDAY Sept 14, 2020	TUESDAY Sept 15, 2020	WEDNESDAY Sept 16, 2020	Thursday Sept 17, 2020
15:00	21:00	22:00	23:00	06:00	09:00	Conference Opening		Papers Session 4A / Papers Session 4B / Paper Session 4C	
15:30	21:30	22:30	23:30	06:30	09:30	Keynote Panel on Emotion and Expression (Rana El Kaliouby and James Pennebaker)	Papers Session 2A / Papers Session 2B / Paper Session 2C		Awards Ceremony
16:00	22:00	23:00	00:00	07:00	10:00			Break	Break
16:30	22:30	23:30	00:30	07:30	10:30	Introduction to Social activities and Gather.Town		Back to the Future for Dialogue Research (Phil Cohen)	Gadget Show
17:00	23:00	00:00	01:00	08:00	11:00		Break		
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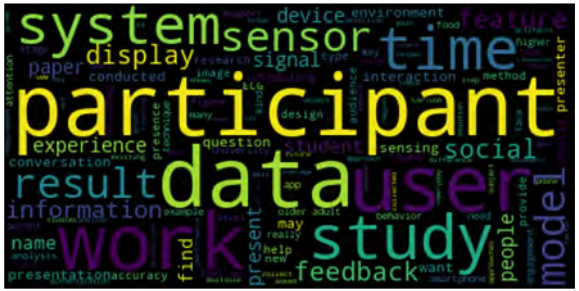
6 Workshops, Doctoral Colloquium, **6** keynotes, **120** IMWUT talks, **21** ISWC Notes & Briefs, **49** Posters & Demos, ISWC Design Discussion, Gadget Show & much more

IMWUT/ISWC Program In 3 Clouds*



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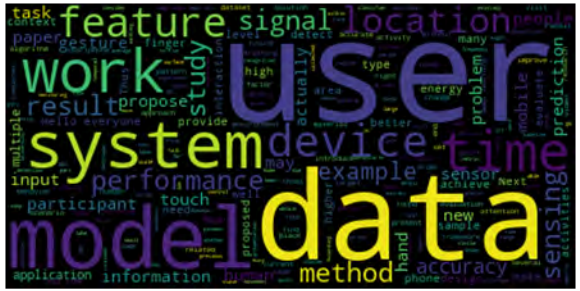

Tuesday (Session 2+3)

Wednesday (Session 4+5)

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UbiComp/ISWC Presentations and Format

Flora Salim and Gregory Abowd

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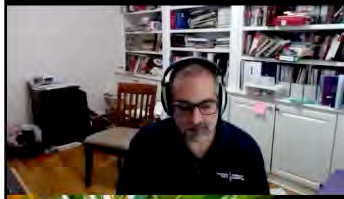

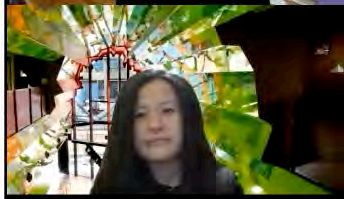

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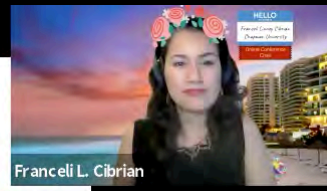

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