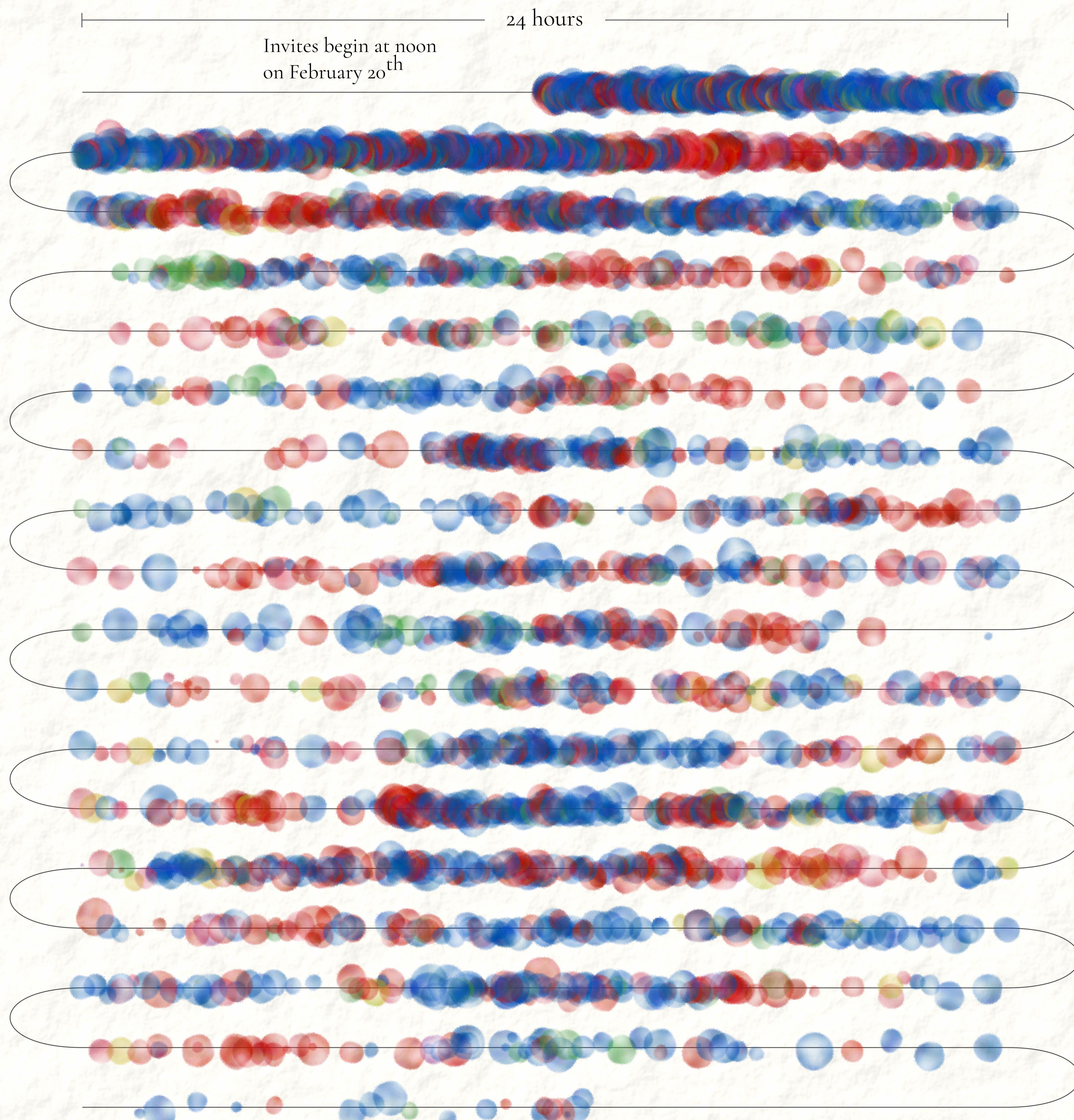


# The Data Visualization Society

## Membership Timeline



### How to read it

The Data Visualization Society Membership Timeline displays the first 3,516 members in their order of joining. Begin at the top left corner, and follow the snaking path. Each horizontal line represents one day, and each point a member. The points are colored according to each member's region, and scaled by area according to their self-assessed visualization skill. The vertical jitter of each point represents that member's balance of data skills to society skills, where points that lie above the horizontal line represent people with greater data skills than society skills, and vice versa for those below the horizontal.

### Region

Europe	South America
Asia	North America
Oceania	Africa

### Visualization



### Design

This piece was built by blending code with manual work and it purposely rides the line between art and visualization. This design reflects the varied experience of our members, and data visualization itself, a field combining data science, art, engineering, design, and storytelling.