

## LIVE STREAM VIEWING PARTY OVERVIEW

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**View the Live Stream at:**

<https://livestream.com/tedx/tedxindianapoliswomen>

### What is TEDx?

TEDx is a locally licensed event of TED Talks. The mission of TED is to share ideas worth spreading around the globe. TEDx events are organized by curious individuals who seek to discover ideas and spark conversations in their own community.

TEDxIndianapolis originated in 2012 and has been held annually, once each year, since then. This is the inaugural year for TEDxIndianapolisWomen, with the hope to continue the event in future years and on a broader scale.

### What is a Live Stream?

A Live Stream is a live transmission of an event over the Internet.

### Why should my organization host a Live Stream TEDx Viewing Party?

Viewing parties are an excellent way to invite the broader community, who won't be able to attend the TEDxIndianapolisWomen live event, to watch it live at your designated venue using the TEDxIndianapolis webcast. Share the minute-by-minute excitement of the TED conference with people around the world. See below for *Tips for hosting a TED Live party\**.

### How do I get access to Live Stream?

- Use any computer or device that has internet access.
- Go to <https://livestream.com/tedx/TEDxIndianapolisWomen> and setup an account.
  - The live stream of TEDxIndianapolisWomen event is available on November 29, 2018, with the following exceptions:
    - Viewing parties cannot hold more than 100 attendees
    - Must be free of charge to guests

### Technical Requirements

- Windows: Windows 7 or higher
- MacOS: 10.6 or higher with supported browsers: Chrome, Firefox, Microsoft Edge
- Mobile browsers: Chrome, Firefox, Safari (iOS), Android native browser (Samsung devices only)
- AppleTV 4 with TED app

### Live Stream Schedule (schedule is subject to change)

9:30 am | Session 1 - "The Power of X"

- Introductions
- Speaker – Molly Ford
- Speaker – Tapati Dutta
- Performance – Mariah Ivey
- Pre-recorded Video – James Vietech
- Speaker – Melissa Spitz

### 11:30am | Lunch

- Suggested Activities for Live Stream Parties

### 12:45pm | Session 2

- Performance – Jhanak Dance Group
- Speaker – Claudia Angeli
- Performance – Kate Lamont
- Speaker – Tamika Catchings

### 2:00pm | Live Stream Closing

### Suggested Activities: Before, During and After the Event

- **Before the Event: *The Great Thanksgiving Listen***

We are partnering with StoryCorps (a previous TED Prize winner) to do *The Great Thanksgiving Listen*. It is a time for us to sit down and interview senior citizens and the elders in our midst while we have access to them at Thanksgiving. We are also utilizing StoryCorps to interview women who have shown up for our conference attendees and our livestream audience. Here is how you can participate:

- **What to know about the app:** <https://storycorps.org/participate/storyCorps-app/>
- **The Getting Started guide (pdf):** <https://storycorpsorg-staging.s3.amazonaws.com/uploads/Getting-Started.pdf>
- **The Conversation Tips doc (pdf):** <https://storycorpsorg-staging.s3.amazonaws.com/uploads/Interview-Tips.pdf>
- **The Sound Quality doc (pdf):** <https://storycorpsorg-staging.s3.amazonaws.com/uploads/Improve-Sound-Quality.pdf>

- **During the Event**

Watch the conference with others around the globe live!

- **During the Live Stream Break/Lunch**

See below for *Tips for hosting a TED Live party\**.

- **Post Event**

Have notecards, envelopes and stamps ready for attendees to write letters of

gratefulness to women who have shown up for them.

### Tips for hosting a TED Live party\*

Ideas are best when shared in good company. Enjoy the TEDxIndianapolisWomen 2018 conference via [TED Live](#), our high-definition web stream that beams the TED Conference. You can do this either in real time or afterwards: in your living room, office or classroom.

- If you are bringing together people who might not know each other, **make name badges for your guests**. Help break the ice by including a section that reads: “Talk to me about ...’ having each person share three things they love to discuss — whether it’s funk music, ancient Greece, or varieties of dark chocolate.
  - Give your guests notepads when they arrive. During the talks, **encourage them to express a speaker’s ideas via doodles**. Stick figures are highly encouraged. Perhaps a prize for the most moving sketch?
  - Talks aren’t just for the speakers we’ve chosen for the stage. **Ask a few of your guests ahead of time if they’d like to give a short talk** on an idea they’re passionate about. Or, assign a topic and have them give an improv talk.
  - Before the event, **write these prompts on a dry erase board**: “What does SHOWING UP mean to you?”, “How will you SHOW UP for others?”, “Why did you SHOW UP today?”, “How did you SHOW UP this past year?” Then, have attendees write answers on the board. Take a photo of the board at the end, and post it to social media using our hashtag #ShowingUp and #TEDxIndianapolisWomen.
  - You and your guests can **join the conversation on social media using the hashtags: #TEDxIndianapolisWomen and #ShowingUp**. Share favorite pictures of your TEDx Viewing Party, quotes, ideas and reactions with other viewers and attendees. Or, read out great things others are sharing.
1. Talks spark curiosity. So, go around in a circle after a few sessions and **ask each person to pose a question to the group** about a talk they found intriguing. If your event is large, break up into smaller circles. Encourage folks to strike out on their own instead of clumping with friends. The more varied the expertise of the people talking, the cooler the conversation will be.

### Follow us on social media

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- <https://www.instagram.com/tedxindianapolis/>

### Questions?

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