

**2023 Families and Technology Focus Group Minutes**  
**Families & Technology Focus Group**  
**Nov 10 (Friday) 11:30am-12:45pm Orlando, FL**

**Attendance** (Random order. Not including last names since it will be posted online):

Keosha F., Ting X, Gabrielle S., Melissa Y, Yan W., Xiaoran S., So Young P., Margo H., David K., Xiaoqi M., Xiping J., Eunyoung P., Becky W., Brendon M., and Joyce C.

## Agenda

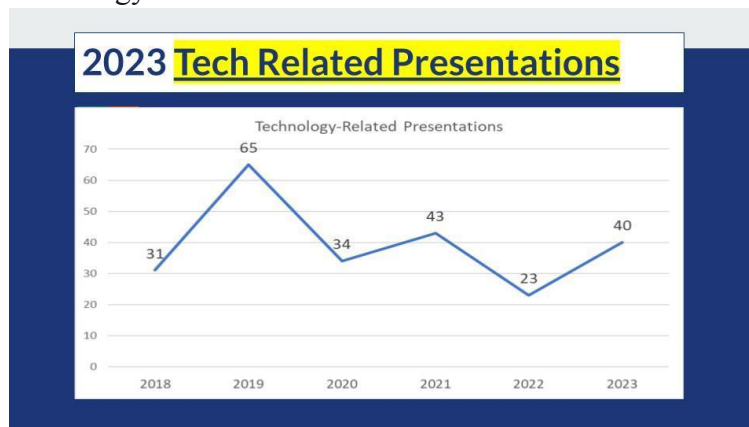
### **I. Welcome and Introduction**

Brandon and Joyce welcome and self-introduction

### **II. 2023 Review**

1. 2023 Tech related presentations at 2023 annual conference  
A list [of tech-related presentations for the 2023 conference was shared via social media and NCFR discussion board.](#)

Members discussed the current and future conference themes and relevancy to technology.



2. Supporting NCFR and members  
We shared resources online and promoted NCFR events. For example, we promoted FR on Instagram.
3. FR: Special Collection Call for Papers - Artificial Intelligence in Everyday Family Life. Brandon explained the AI call for papers, invited submissions to FR, and answered questions from members.

## AI: Call for papers

*Family Relations*

Special Collection Call for Papers - **Artificial Intelligence in Everyday Family Life: Issues, Applications, & Implications**

- Letter of Intent Due Date: December 15, 2023
- Response to Letter of Intent: February 1, 2024
- Manuscript Submission Due Date: June 1, 2024
- Proposed Publication Date: January 2025

### **III. Discussion**

1. Adding student representatives  
Ting (UMN) and Eunyong (UMN) volunteered. They will be in charge of creating social media posts highlighting tech-related scholarship.
2. NCFR positions on 2025 ballot: encouraging members to consider various NCFR positions
3. Virtual Meeting in January
4. Discussed submitting symposiums to NCFR 2024 conference and pulling in colleagues from CHI and other tech fields
5. Discussion on impacts of AI

### **IV. Game/Prize Drawing**

Prize winner: Melissa