

Do you identify as hard of hearing or as someone with hearing loss?

Do you use captioning when viewing videos or television?

If you answer **YES** to these questions, then you are invited to participate in a research study from the Rochester Institute of Technology and Gallaudet University.

Individuals who participate in this 1.5-hour focus-group session will receive \$150 cash. Participants must be age 18 or older.

Participants will make an appointment to participate in a focus group interview session, which will be video-recorded. The topic of the focus-group discussion is your experience watching videos or TV with captions, what aspects of captions are important to you, and your preferences for how the captions should appear.

We are currently planning for a focus-group event to occur at 6pm on the evening of Thursday, February 27th, 2020, at the Rochester Institute of Technology campus. If you are interested in participating, please contact the person listed below to make an appointment. If you are unavailable on February 27th but are interested in participating in a future event, please feel free to contact us as well, and we can let you know of future events.

For more information or to make an appointment, please contact:

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