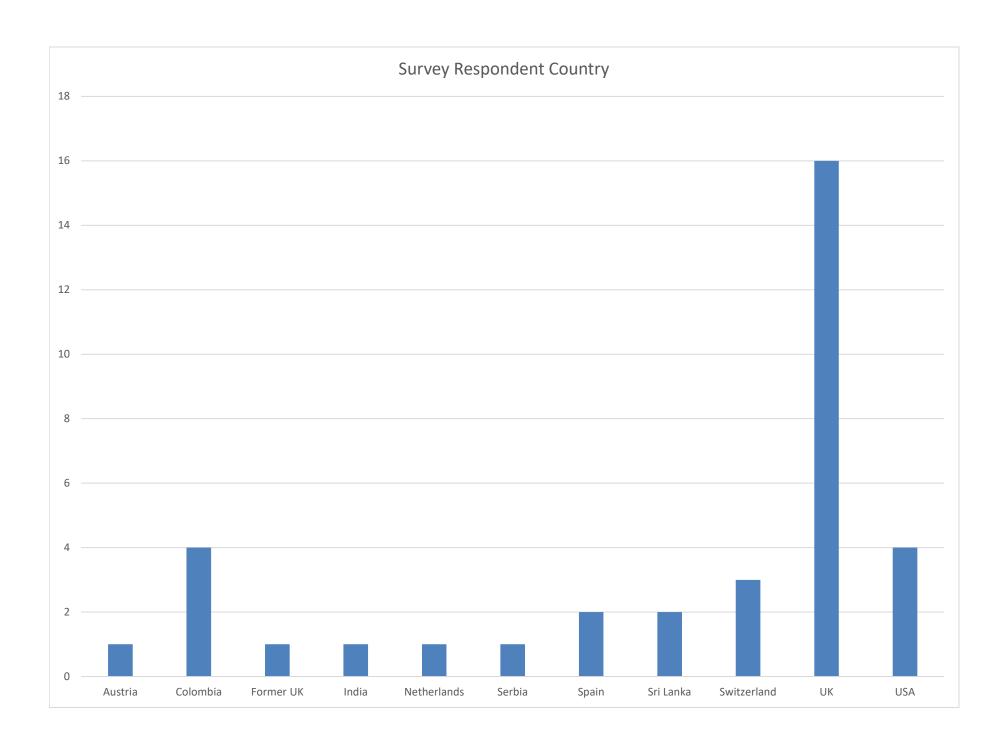


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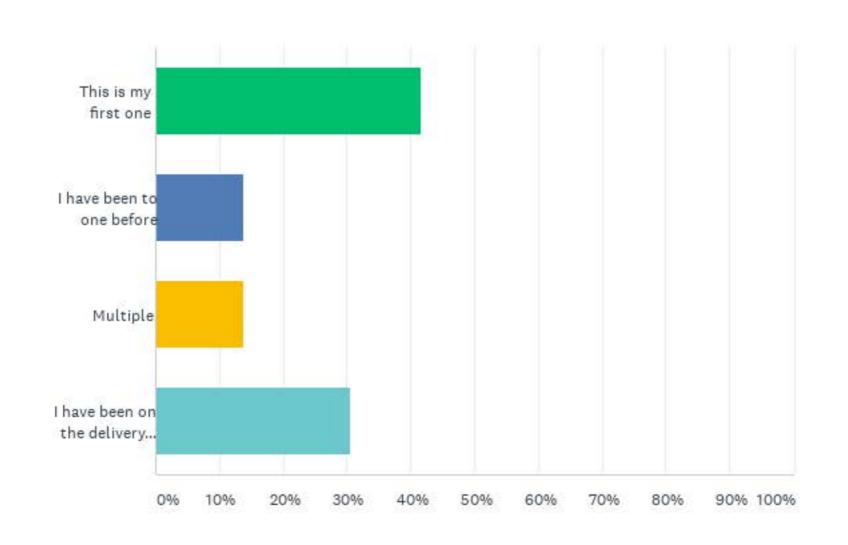


eSyn2030 Pre-event Survey

Report of the Survey
December 2020 to January 2021



### Q2 Experience with Syntegration



#### Q3 Prior attendance at Metaphorum events.

**Answer Choices** 

Metaphorum Conferences in the last 3 years

Metaphorum Webinars in 2020

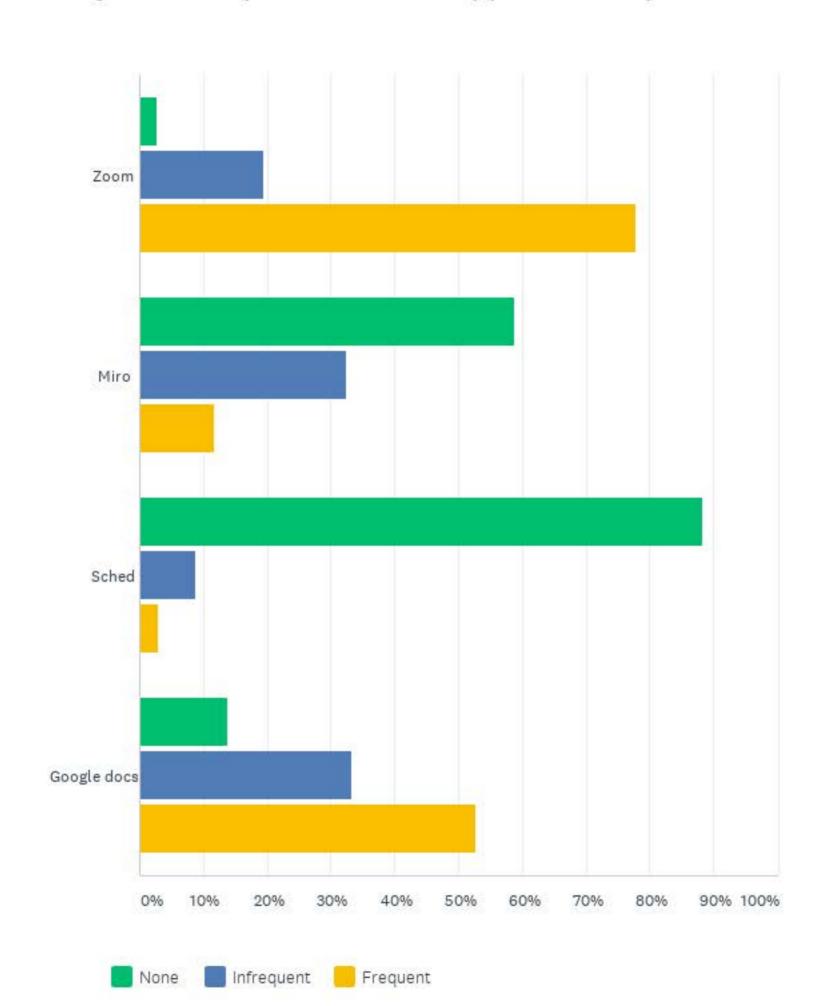
#### Metaphorum Conferences in the last 3 years Respondents 1 2019 conference 2 Düsseldorf, Huizen 3 Duesseldorf 4 All 5 2020 Huizen 6 Netherlands 7 -8 n.a. 9 Manchester, but I don't remember the year. Maybe > 3 years 11 The conference in Germany 12 Hull 13 1 or 2 14 2016 15 Metaphorum 2019 16 None 17 Holland, Germany, Liverpool, Leeds 18 1 19 0 20 2019 21 none 22 23 None 24 Barcelonga 25 All three 26 Liverpool 27 none 28 Duesseldorf, 2018 29 0 30 All 31 yes 32 no 33 0 34 2

### Metaphorum Webinars in 2020

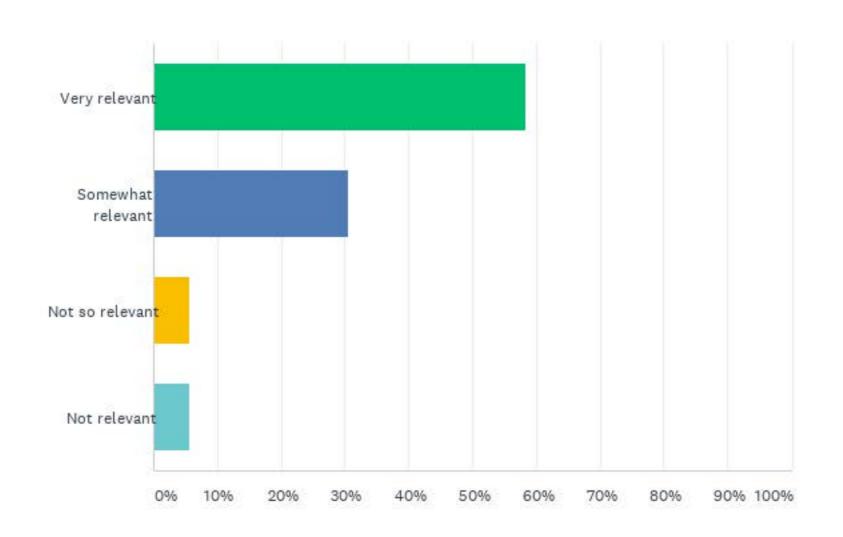
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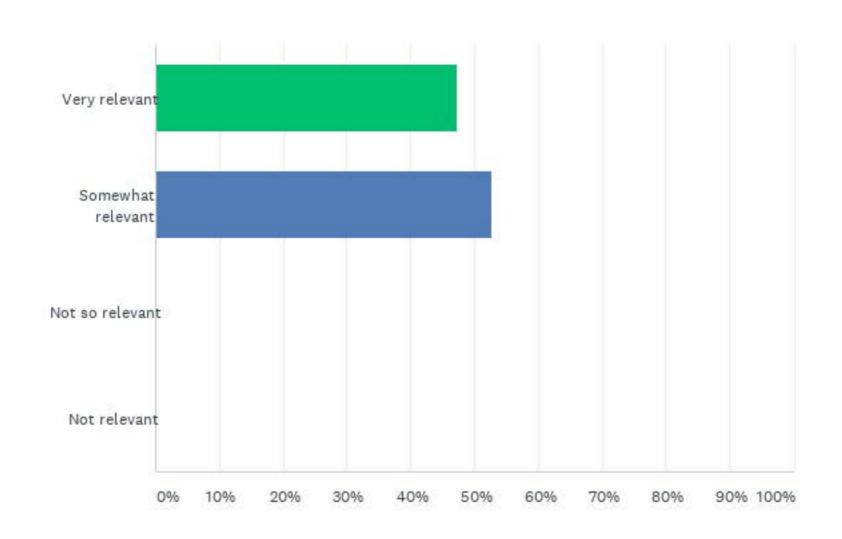
# Q4 Prior experience with support online platforms



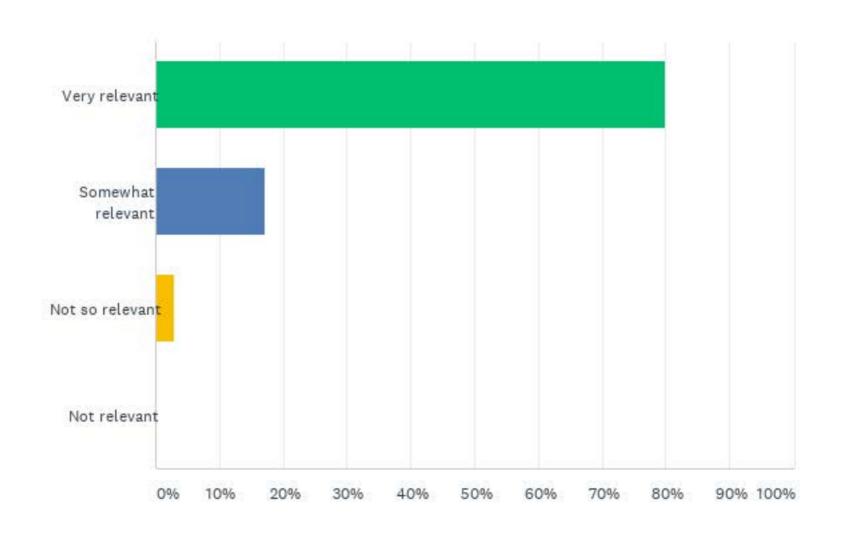
### Q5 What is the relevance of the opening question to your professional work in 2021?



### Q6 What is the relevance of the opening question to your personal life in 2021?



Q7 How relevant do you feel the answer to this opening question will be for Metaphorum in 2021?



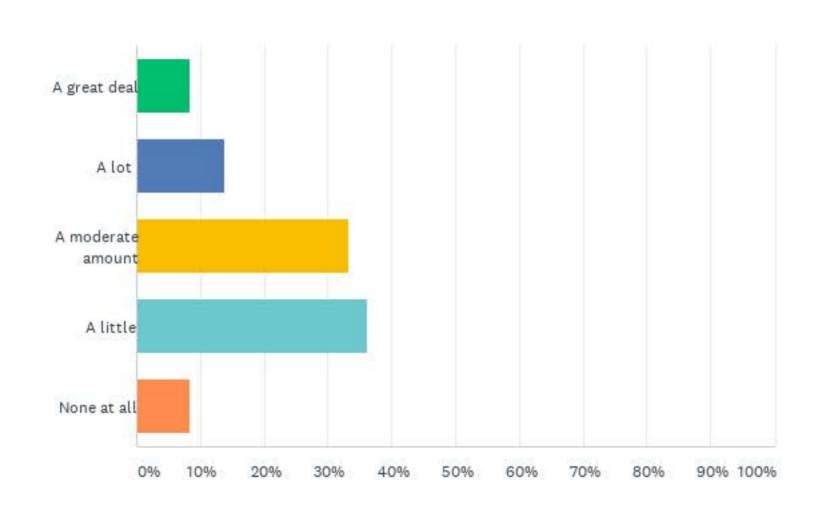
#### How many participants do you know?

Answere 36

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Responses
10+
Maybe 25%?
20
10-15
maybe 15
5
7
8
1
a handful
10
Not sure who's participating
Maybe 3 or 4 in terms of names and some exchanges
7
20
4
2
I haven't checked.
5
2
4
1
I have met perhaps 10 - 12.
as far as I know so far, two
7 out of the 27 currently visible at https://esyn2030.sched.com/directory/attendees (but I know more of
Not sure - half? Two thirds?
maybe 5
6
By reputation, many. Personally, a handful.
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## Q9 How connected do you feel to other participants?



### Q10 What are you most curious about as you enter this event?

Answered: 34 Skipped: 2

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	How it will work online. What we will learn out of it.	1/6/2021 12:12 PM
2	Is there a way to fast forward multiply the impact of Syntegration across the world in order to reach Global Goals (SGDs) by 2030?	1/6/2021 11:32 AM
3	Will it work ?	1/6/2021 11:19 AM
4	Overall delivery of process integrity	1/6/2021 10:48 AM
5	Whether we can achieve the objective and run syntegration online	1/6/2021 10:46 AM
6	how the colaborative cognition format of syntegration can be developed for more generalized application in asyncronic dialogical interactions	1/5/2021 9:11 PM
7	How well will the remote technology and experience work.	1/5/2021 11:09 AM
8	The organization of it and the effect of "E" on the quality of the Syntegration	1/5/2021 11:02 AM
9	About whether or not the opening question will prove to be relevant	1/5/2021 9:14 AM
10	how syntegration will work online, particularly the 'later in the bar' style conversations	1/5/2021 5:28 AM
11	It's ability to resolve disputes	1/5/2021 5:21 AM
12	See how it goes	1/4/2021 6:53 PM
13	How the experience speaks to my understandings and appreciations; whether personal and vocational contacts arise.	1/4/2021 5:21 PM
14	How to conduct a syntegration, and whether or not it will work online	1/4/2021 4:10 PM
15	Experiencing the processhow it feels.	1/4/2021 3:46 PM
16	To test the use of virtual platforms for collaboration	1/4/2021 2:29 PM
17	The virtual logistic	1/4/2021 11:02 AM
18	how to articulate different thoughts	1/4/2021 11:02 AM
19	Whether the magic will work online. But overwhelmingly - as in all these other events - just very curious about what will happen.	1/4/2021 8:57 AM
20	How it works and how intense the interaction will be	1/4/2021 7:04 AM
21	seeking a response to my priority which is finding out how people outside the mainstream (Western educated, analytic-rational) are responding to the opening question (i.e., how they view the current crisis)	1/4/2021 1:36 AM
22	whether we can make an online syntegration work	1/4/2021 12:14 AM
23	I am curious about the difference it is going to make in my work life and personal life.	1/3/2021 11:42 PM
24	how the logistics work for video-based Syntegration HOw to market Syntegration	1/3/2021 11:35 PM
25	How well it can create coherence out of our collective intelligence.	1/3/2021 11:23 AM
26	Will an online syntegration provide a useful and deeply engaging structure for remote collaboration?	1/3/2021 11:08 AM
27	I am curious about how Stafford Beer's visionary ideas can be moved on with the technology we now have - the current 'crisis' has created near-perfect conditions/impetus for this experiment. I am curious to be part of the experience and learning with a group of like-minded people. I am curious to see how the experiment plays out in terms of my experience of it and whether the reverberation effect is indeed palpable. I am particularly curious to see how the learning from this experiment may be taken forward as a learning exercise, influencing others, directing research programmes and be applied in practice for the social good. I am curious about the interface between this exercise and other ones being undertaken, motivated by the global pandemic situation.	1/3/2021 9:24 AM
28	(1) To find out how effectively it might work, and (2) to get a sense of whether an open version (free of licence fees) of this process might might be released eventually for use by small, not-	1/3/2021 7:31 AM

for-profit organizations and collaborations.

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29	Whether it will succeed to build and transform connection between participants as well as generating new thinking, insights and wisdom.	1/3/2021 6:43 AM
30	Efficacy as online event, Outcome resolve	1/3/2021 6:21 AM
31	Heard its a very valuable experience and interested to see for myself	1/3/2021 5:15 AM
32	I'm curious about the results of the exercise but mostly of the methodology	1/2/2021 9:59 PM
33	How it works in practice	1/2/2021 6:03 PM
34	In my case I am curious about the methodology. How a team can achieve common understanding around an initial question	1/2/2021 4:50 PM

### Q11 What would make this event a big success for you?

Answered: 33 Skipped: 3

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	A successful eSyn that can be used wrldwide.	1/6/2021 12:12 PM
2	If there is energy set free to move the lab situation to upscale within 6 months. My vision was always since VW, that VW as hughe Org could step up and offer the hub to move the world (it's a 600tsd people org and they have their own Syn delivery teams in the meantime they could convince other large global players to engage and together reach critical mass for global transformation; it's about emergent properties of the system at hand and VW is one significant element and the CEO even goes public with his success story. I know this is far reaching, if you come from an anti capitalism and anti business thinking world, but it's the world I come from and I have seen and I respect the "result ability" and creativity of the business community. On the other hand I have seen endless examples of the exact opporsite outside business (there is no well functioning cybernetics outside business org, because it's corrupted by lack of a customer who can decide to buy or not buy in many cases; algedonic signals are not heard or down played)	1/6/2021 11:32 AM
3	It worked! Lots of enthusiams to do more of the same, develop the protocol.	1/6/2021 11:19 AM
4	The community is inspired to further develop this and other metaphorum related practices in a true open source / commons fashion.	1/6/2021 10:48 AM
5	participant engagement and jumping in to help, tolerance of learning together	1/6/2021 10:46 AM
6	development of a basis for potentializing dialogical results for diversified future use and further development - facilitation of a temporal continuity basis for continuing asyncronic collaborations into the future and continuing to develop understanding of the lead question and its successors, through the effective use of the dialogical complexity that the format offers; identification of ways to extend the assertions of requisite variety afforded by the geometric formalization of dialogical interfaces into the informatic haze of the Anthropocene and the establishment of an accompanying formal code of ethics for same said extensions, which expressly identifies and prohibits modalities of application inconsistent with the self-determination of sentient beings and the compassionate treatment of all life	1/5/2021 9:11 PM
7	A larger circle of friends committed to making social system tools widely available in formats that non-specialists can use them	1/5/2021 11:09 AM
8	Same or as good Reverberation quality as in F2F protocol. Reliable and simple to use IT support/platform	1/5/2021 11:02 AM
9	If it were to lead to practical group action	1/5/2021 9:14 AM
10	Staffords goal of a process to create a fully shared and owned set of outcomes to a complex issue.	1/5/2021 5:28 AM
11	Seeing it create a cohesive and coherent answer embarrassing a wide perspective of views	1/5/2021 5:21 AM
12	If it worked	1/4/2021 6:53 PM
13	Additional connections with my learning and appreciations; contribution towards opportunities; fuel for thought; quality encounters.	1/4/2021 5:21 PM
14	If the process goes smoothly and there is real engagement	1/4/2021 4:10 PM
15	The amount of new learning I acquire and new people I learn with.	1/4/2021 3:46 PM
16	To grasp the nuts and bolts of managing a collaborative virtual scenario	1/4/2021 2:29 PM
17	That work networks could be formed to articulate them to the strategies of my university	1/4/2021 11:02 AM
18	with a set structure and final document with all the ideas	1/4/2021 11:02 AM
19	Being able to contrite to the magic.	1/4/2021 8:57 AM
20	If we find an engaging way and flow to do the integration over the internet.	1/4/2021 7:04 AM
21	Succeeding in ensuring inclusion of marginal peoples and their views in the exercise to synthesize learnings from current crisis	1/4/2021 1:36 AM
22	If the online syntegration is a a success	1/4/2021 12:14 AM

23	lasting the distance with meaningful content	1/3/2021 11:35 PM
24	If I find myself part of a group working to actively build a world organised according to viable systems principles.	1/3/2021 11:23 AM
25	Managing to participate in all the sessions, and having productive conversations.	1/3/2021 11:08 AM
26	I feel honoured to be taking part in this experiment. All will learn from the experience. Success to me is the simple act of paying attention to forms of social learning in order to learn together. Therefore, whatever happens, the fact that it has happened as a result of a commitment by a group of people is a sign of success. My expectations about success are flexible. In the longer-term, managing to make the spirit of the approach appealing and do-able generally would mark a 'big' success for me, as my outlook is guided from my experience of practice (local government), where people are deemed to be too busy to think for themselves, let alone together therefore ambitions to contribute to radical shifts remain a necessary component of success. (We have to keep plugging away at this, however hard that may be)	1/3/2021 9:24 AM
27	Having something of practical use to take away and share.	1/3/2021 7:31 AM
28	The above	1/3/2021 6:43 AM
29	Level of connection compared with face to face events. Visibility of emerging / emerged meet model. Forward path committed to after event.	1/3/2021 6:21 AM
30	Learning new things	1/3/2021 5:15 AM
31	To advance significativly on the digital syntegration methodology for applying it soon	1/2/2021 9:59 PM
32	Real breakthroughs I can operationalise myself	1/2/2021 6:03 PM
33	If in the future some of the contributions given have an impact in the society	1/2/2021 4:50 PM

### Q12 Any other comments or suggestions?

Answered: 22 Skipped: 14

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	-	1/6/2021 12:12 PM
2	Form a sponsor group from a diverse mix of back grounds (NGO; IGO; Business;) and for God sake find a solution to dealing with the Malik Institution (or not deal, if not a risk). Fredmund is not getting it that this is about Global Goals and not his navel.	1/6/2021 11:32 AM
3	This survey is a great initiative	1/6/2021 10:48 AM
4	keep it fun	1/6/2021 10:46 AM
5	not at the moment	1/5/2021 9:11 PM
6	Seriously consider the use of Ward Cunningham's Federated Wiki as a central tool for the carry on collaborative work.	1/5/2021 11:09 AM
7	Very well done so far	1/5/2021 11:02 AM
8	Stay cool	1/5/2021 9:14 AM
9	Nil	1/5/2021 5:21 AM
10	I am looking forward to it!:)	1/4/2021 6:53 PM
11	The email reminders have been helpful.	1/4/2021 5:21 PM
12	None at the moment	1/4/2021 3:46 PM
13	No	1/4/2021 11:02 AM
14	Hope to learn too	1/4/2021 11:02 AM
15	I'm worried about my tech illiteracy. Sorry not to have clocked the Dec 21 pre-event. Hope to attend tomorrow's.	1/4/2021 8:57 AM
16	not really :)	1/4/2021 1:36 AM
17	Getting license to operate Syntegration	1/3/2021 11:35 PM
18	Just to let you know that my broadband connection isn't too great here! It is slow and liable to disappearing completely for a few minutes from time to time. So I may disappear at a moment's notice and will do my best to return asap. I will keep this under review and let you know if it becomes a problem. It was OK during the December event, so fingers are crossed. Just a comment about what a really impressive amount of work has already gone into this in terms of preparation and excellent design. THE OPENING SONG. Also, that when I've looked at the great info kindly provided you re. process/software etc. it's one of those things when I've had to decide - I'll prepare as best I can and work my way through this as it happens, don't panic, you don't need a perfect knowledge to start off with. That's when I abandon the references/software training and listen to the opening song again. That makes me feel good again and reminds me why I want to do this! So that song is just great:)	1/3/2021 9:24 AM
19	It's too late now, but I would have suggested avoiding Miro. This delegates too much processing burden to the browser so works very stodgily if a large number of browser tabs and windows are open.	1/3/2021 7:31 AM
20	I'm very happy to participate of this exercise for I'm very interested in using the methodology afterwards but as I'm not a member of the metaphorum group the opening question sounds a little bit strange for me. I would have changed it for "How can we participants of this Syntegration capture the learning"	1/2/2021 9:59 PM
21	It took me about fifteen minutes of exploring to find the actual question (on the Miro board)	1/2/2021 6:03 PM
22	Go ahead with the experiment!!	1/2/2021 4:50 PM