

Overview guidance

Axe-con gets its name and inspiration from Axe-core. Axe-core is an open-source project consisting of automated accessibility testing rules that have been downloaded billions of times and used around the world. Like Axe-core, Axe-con is community-driven, rooted in digital accessibility, and a massive force for good. Also like Axe-core, Axe-con is free and easily accessible around the world.

Axe-con presentations should represent and further the digital accessibility and disability community. They should be targeted and relevant to the designated tracks: Development, Design, Organizational Success, and Wildcard.

✅ In addition, presentations are more likely to be selected when they contain:

- Practical guidance
- Real examples
- Strategic insights
- Guidance that can be applied at various stages of maturity
- Unique viewpoints

⚠️ Less likely to be accepted:

- Repeated subjects
- Presentations from people who presented at the previous Axe-con
- Talks that highlight accessibility testing tools not based on Axe-Core

❌ Here is what to avoid:

- Blatant acts of self-promotion
- Subjects that violate the Code of Conduct
- Subject not directly tied to digital accessibility and digital accessibility testing