

TIPS FOR SPEAKERS

Here's how you can help create the best experience for your audience with spf.io.

What is spf.io?

Spf.io (pronounced spiffy-oh) is software that utilizes automatic captioning and translation technology to provide multilingual accessibility for events. Whether you are live and in-person or remote using Zoom, spf.io helps your audience be engaged. Here are a few tips for speakers to ensure you have a great event.

Breathe!

Take it easy, your audience wants to hear what you have to say. **Pause between sentences.** It will help your audience understand and the captions and translations will be clearer. If it helps, try using a clicker and practice clicking each time you finish a thought or utterance. The physical action will help you pause at just the right times.

Prepare.

Upload your slides, notes, manuscripts, any content you have to spf.io in advance. It will make captions and translations more accurate and **give your audience a smoother, richer experience.**

Slow down...

Try practicing a few minutes of your talk with spf.io. Through experience, you'll learn what parts of your talk are easy to caption and what parts are challenging. **You'll learn how your enunciation and pace make a difference.** Speaking clearly helps ensure good captions and translation.