



# ZOOM BOMBING

## How to Stop It When It's Happening



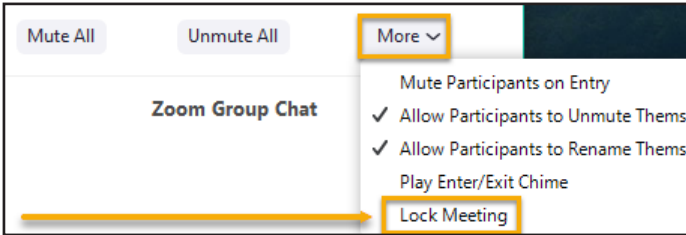
Is your meeting being zoombombed right now? You can regain control! Here's what to do! (In this order)

### 1. Lock your meeting (so no one new can enter).

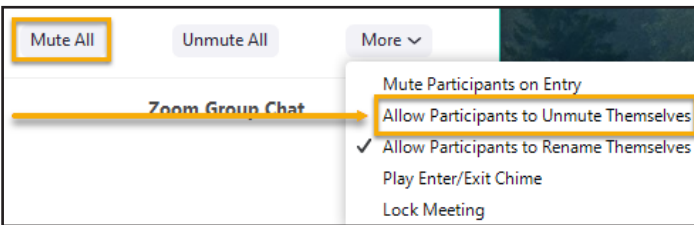
#### a. Click on **Manage Participants**



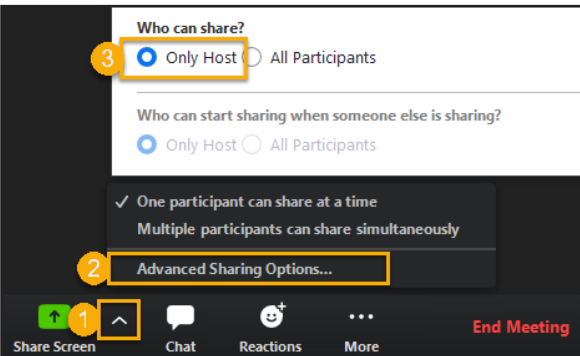
#### b. Click on **More** and choose **Lock Meeting**



### 2. Mute all participants (and make sure you **UN-CHECK** the option to allow them to unmute).

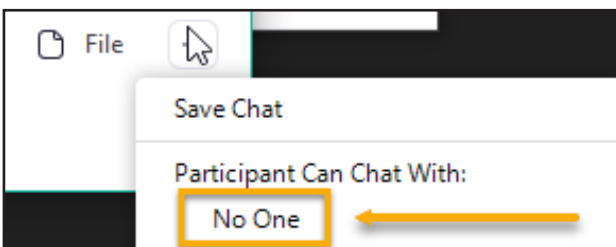


### 3. Restrict screen-sharing to the host (you).



### 4. Disable chat.

#### a. Click the **three dots** to the right of the File button above the Chat text box and choose **No One**.

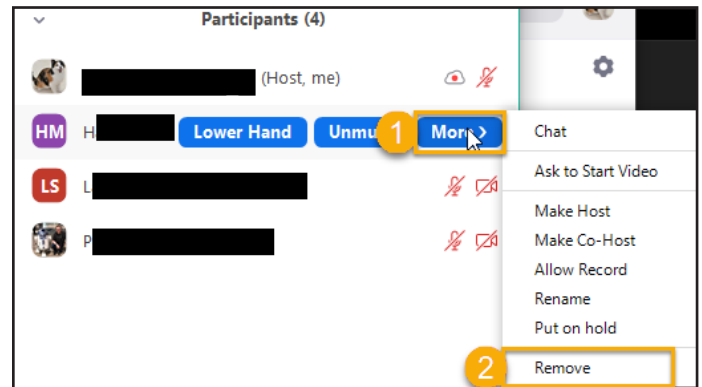


*You have now regained significant control over your meeting; no one but you can communicate in any way except what they can show over their webcam, without audio.*

### 5. Verbally tell your participants:

- a. that your meeting has been zoombombed and that they should be patient for a few minutes while you handle the situation
- b. they **should not leave the meeting** as they will not be able to re-enter when you resume.

### 6. Remove disruptive participants from your meeting one by one.



*Once you think you have removed all disruptive participants, take the following steps, as appropriate, to continue your meeting,*

### 7. Enable chat.

### 8. Allow participants to un-mute themselves.

### 9. Allow participants to share their screens.

**\* DO NOT unlock your meeting** as your meeting location has been compromised.

After your meeting has ended,

### 10. Take precautions now to prevent zoom bombing in your next meeting.

- a. Visit <https://pi.tt/zoom-start> and read over our page about **Zoom Security** and how to prevent future zoom bombings.

