

Monthly Meeting

On September 24th, the IDEA Lab team held their monthly meeting where everyone was updated on the projects and future steps. We love getting the opportunity to see patient partners, family partners and staff in person again! We had a wonderful lunch and enjoyed seeing everyone's smiling faces!



Fourth International Workshop on Socio-Gerontechnology

On September 8th and 9th, Dr. Lillian Hung and Lily Ren attended the Fourth International Workshop on Socio-Gerontechnology, which focused on the co-constitution of aging and technologies during COVID-19 and beyond. Our team discussed the benefits of implementing technology into LTC settings, using findings from our Telerobot Study.

To recap, there are many benefits to using telerobots in long-term care including:

- Enabling virtual connections
- Creating a sense of presence
- Creating a safe environment for people living with dementia to participate in research
- Enabling active involvement in research despite visiting restrictions during the pandemic

On the second day of the workshop, our focus was on highlighting our values and accomplishments as a lab. Our team had so much fun visiting the University of Bristol and appreciate the opportunity to share what we're working on!



Click [here](#) to view our Day 1 presentation!
Click [here](#) to view our Day 2 presentation!

