

The Open Ambient Assisted Living project invites you to a five day online "mashup" event bringing together care professionals, academics and technology providers to prototype new solutions to support the care sector from the 10th - 14th May.

### **How can I get involved?**

Send one or more representatives from your organisation to participate in a team. They'll get a chance to collaborate with up to three other organisations as part of a cross disciplinary product development sprint and showcase their work to our community.

Participants will be provided with coaching and mentoring by Product Forge and the OpenAAL project, and will be able to access real robotics hardware via a set of "remote hands" at the National Robotarium laboratory at Heriot-Watt. Participants on the CPD track can obtain a digital certificate on completion validated by the CPD Standards Office.

### **My company provides a technology product, how can we get involved?**

We can set up a profile page on our community hub to showcase your offering. Ideally you can provide us with sample hardware, API access or data that our participants can "mashup" into new product concepts.

### **I work in a care organisation but I'm not a techie, is that ok?**

Yes! We need representatives from the care sector to supply their expertise and knowledge of the problems that need to be addressed - in fact, most of our participants will be non-technical. This is a chance to partner with a technologist to see your ideas developed into a real prototype.

### **Can my research team participate?**

Absolutely - pre-arranged teams are welcome to participate (limit of 4 participants per team) and all we ask is that you work on a new challenge for the week of the event. We'd encourage you to collaborate with someone from outside your group - especially from a care organisation or technology provider.

### **Okay I'm sold! What's the next step?**

Join our community hub below and introduce yourself to the community in the networking area!

<https://vi.to/hubs/robotics-care-mashup>