

How to Configure and Use Skype for Business in Windows

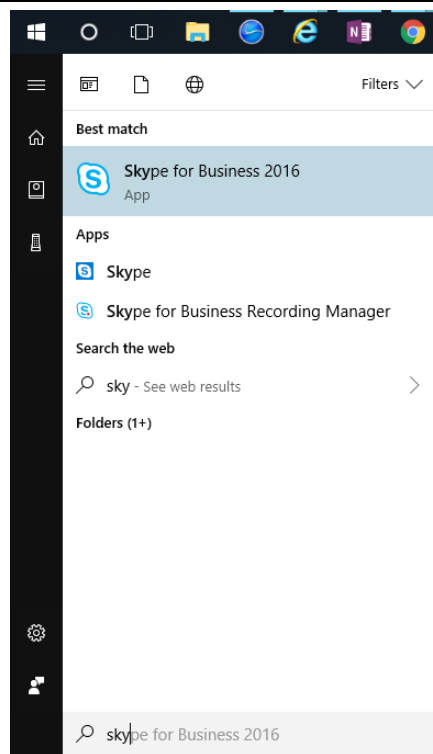
PURPOSE: Set up and use Skype for Business in Windows

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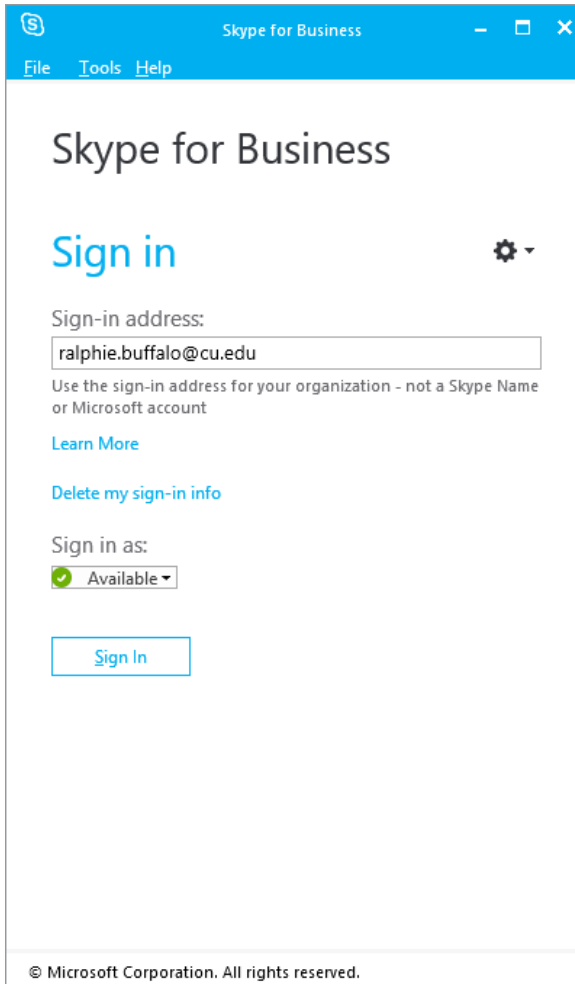
HOW TO CONFIGURE AND USE SKYPE FOR BUSINESS IN WINDOWS:

1. How to log in to Skype

The following instructions reference the Windows 10 operating system. Begin by pressing the Windows icon on the keyboard or in the corner of the taskbar, and then type “Skype”. The Skype for Business application should appear. Click on it to open.



The Sign in window should appear, and pre-populate with your Outlook credentials. If not, use your email address as the sign-in address, and click SIGN IN.



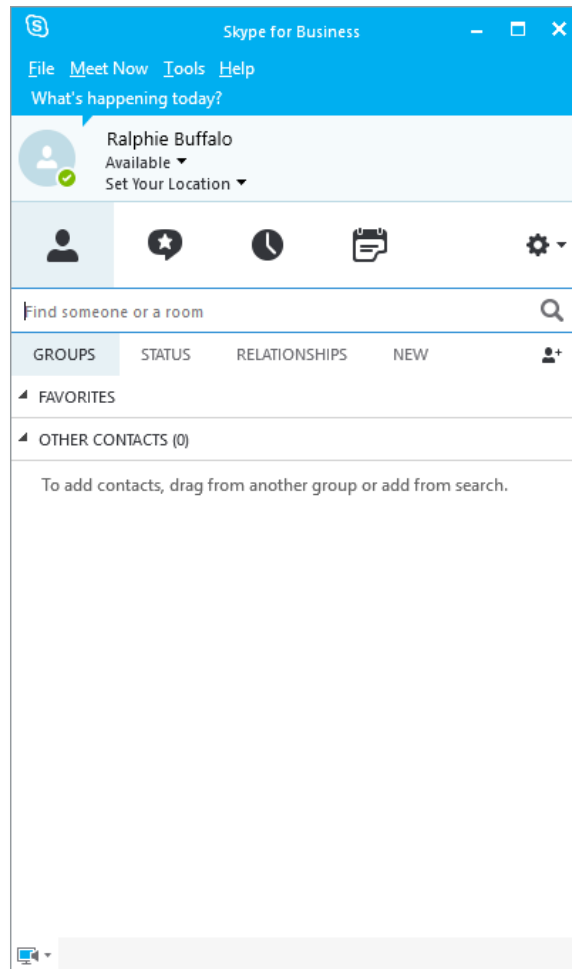
The screenshot shows the 'Skype for Business' application window. The title bar is blue with the Skype logo and the text 'Skype for Business'. Below the title bar is a menu bar with 'File', 'Tools', and 'Help'. The main content area has a white background. At the top, it says 'Skype for Business' in a large font. Below that is 'Sign in' in a blue font. To the right of 'Sign in' is a gear icon with a dropdown arrow. Under 'Sign in' is the text 'Sign-in address:' followed by a text input field containing 'ralphie.buffalo@cu.edu'. Below the input field is the text 'Use the sign-in address for your organization - not a Skype Name or Microsoft account'. There are two links: 'Learn More' and 'Delete my sign-in info'. Below these is the text 'Sign in as:' followed by a dropdown menu showing a green checkmark and the word 'Available'. At the bottom is a blue 'Sign In' button. The footer of the window says '© Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.'



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The main window should appear, showing any Groups or current conversation tabs.



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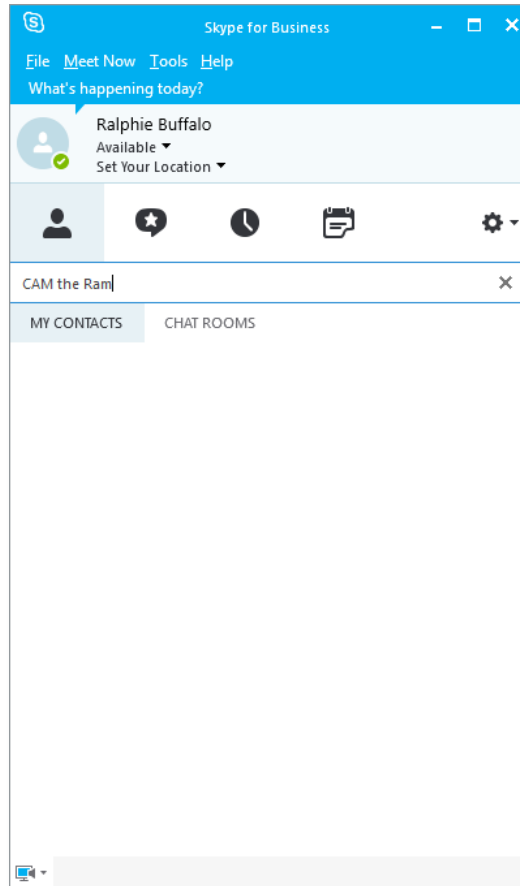
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To initiate a conversation, search for a name or contact by typing their name in the “FIND SOMEONE OR A ROOM” field.



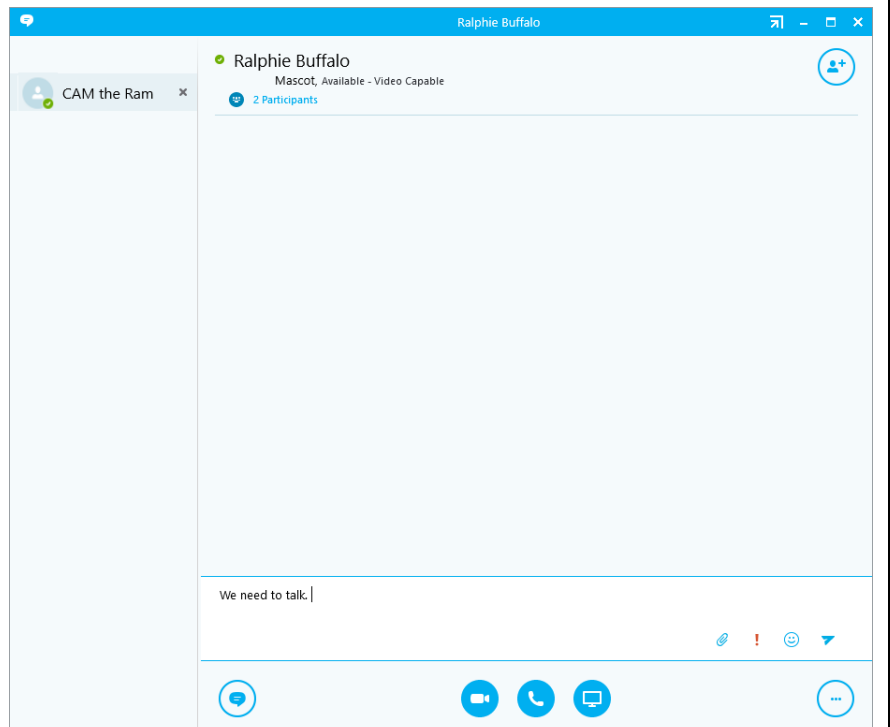
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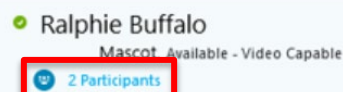
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To begin your conversation, type your message in the main window and click ENTER to send.

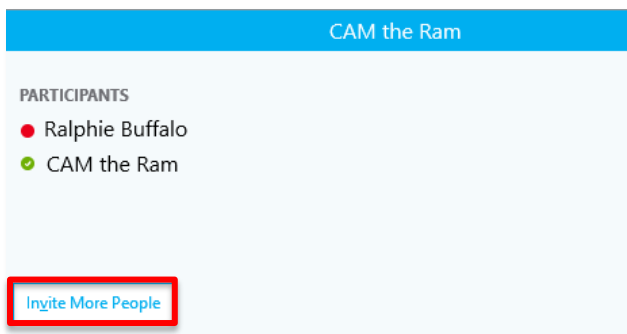


2. Creating Groups in Skype for Business (Windows)

To create a group, click on the blue text below your name, which displays the number of participants in the current conversation.



Then click Invite More People.



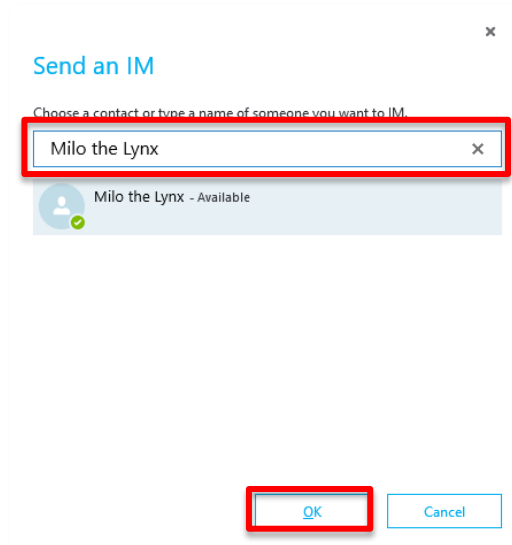
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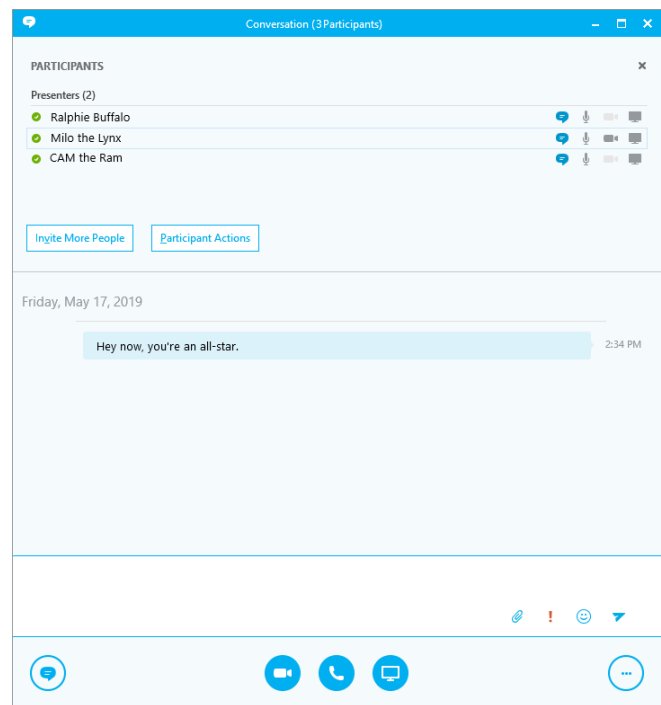
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Type the name of the person in the next window, and select them to add them to the group. Press OK.



A new window will appear with the group participants. To begin a conversation, Type your message in the blank area, then click ENTER to send.

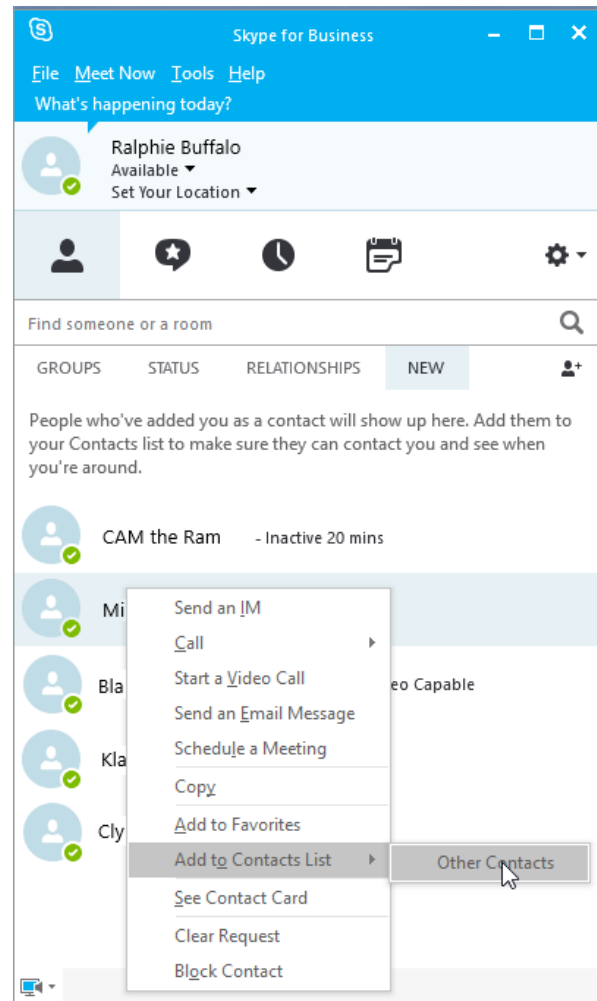


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3. Adding Contacts in Skype for Business (Windows)

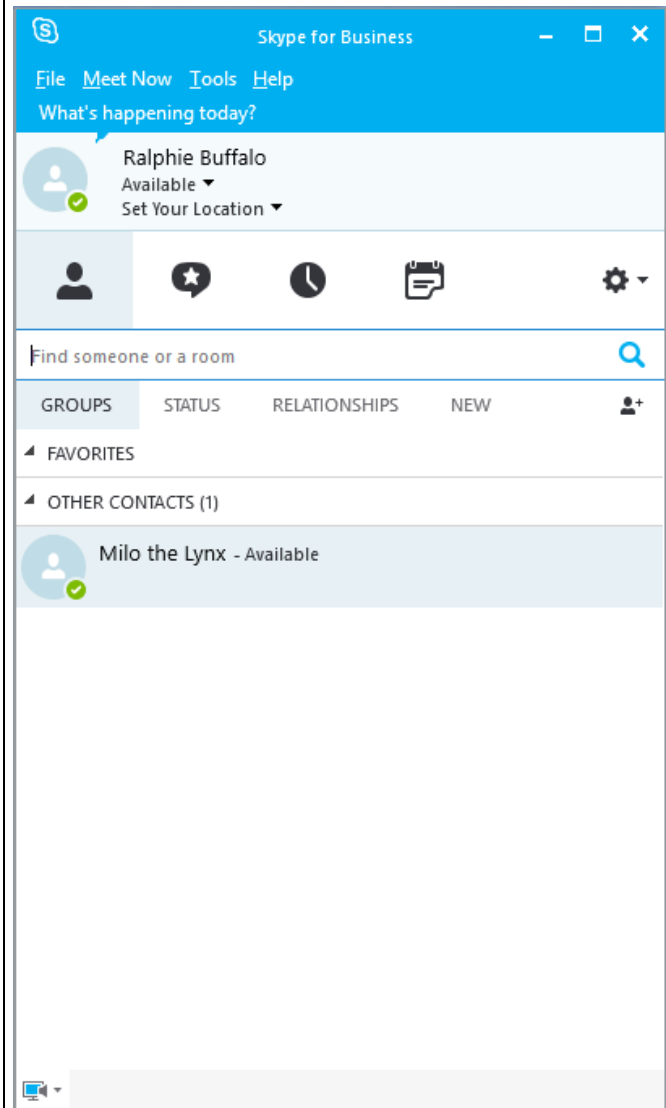
To add an individual to a contacts list, right click on their name from the main application window. Then, select Add to Contacts, then Other Contacts or select the name of the custom Contacts list.



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The added contact will then appear in the main window, under OTHER CONTACTS, or under any custom contact lists.



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