

How To Use Video with your Instant Messenger

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Summary:

- ✓ Creative webcam enables your instant messenger for video chats or video call or conferencing.
- ✓ In the following, we explain how you can broadcast your video to your friends online via some examples.

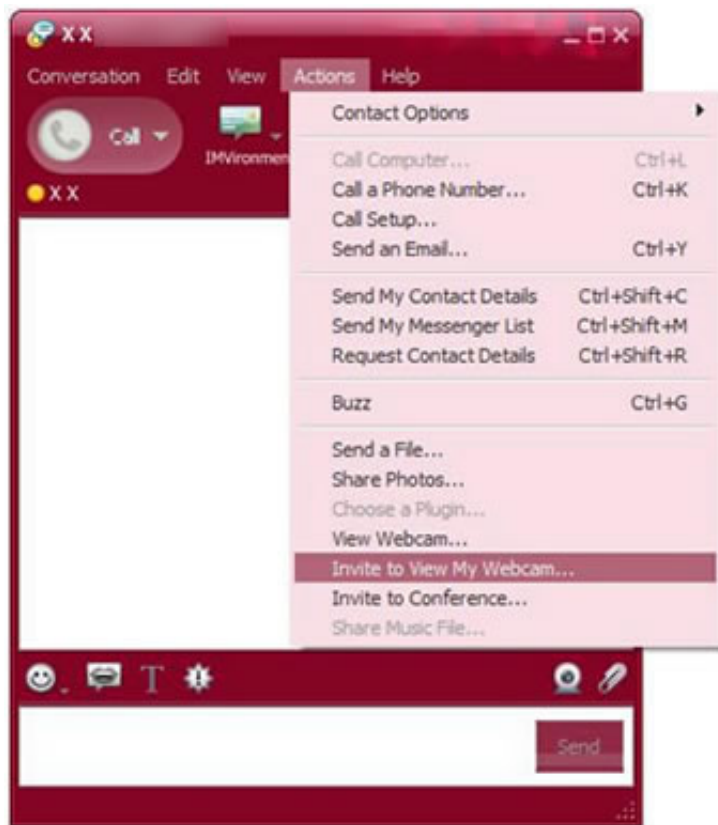
When using 1 chat application, it is important not to open a second chat application, concurrently, as 1 webcam can only access 1 chat application only. Please also close other video recording applications, cam center, live! central etc.

Yahoo!® Messenger with Voice:

1. Sign in to Yahoo! Messenger
2. Select a contact and double click on his/her nickname.



3. From the **Actions** menu, select **Invite to View My Webcam**.



4. Your friend has to accept your request before she can view your webcam. Click on the X button (top right hand corner) to end the broadcast.



Video Conferencing with Skype:

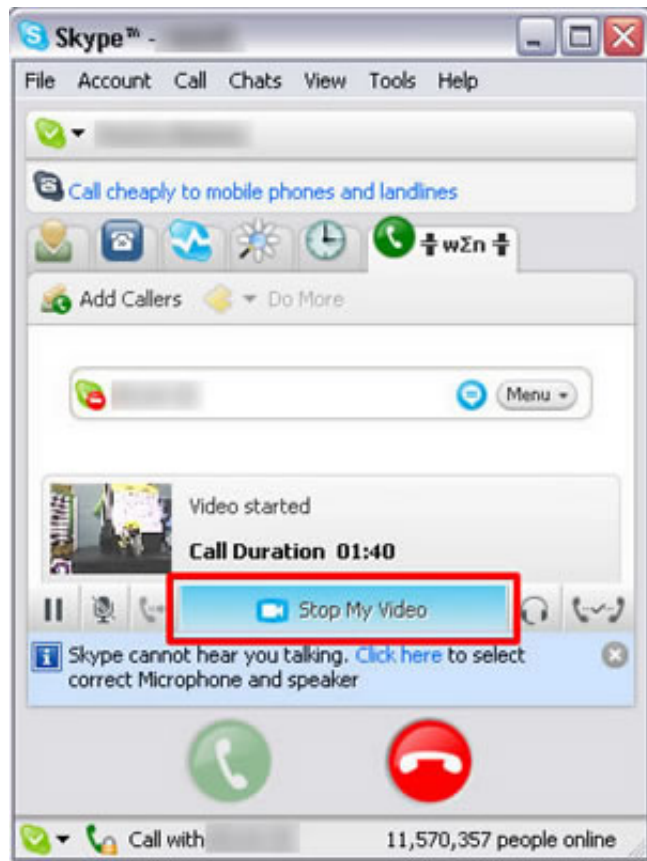
1. Select a contact and click the call icon (green button).



2. Once you are connected, click "Start My Video". Your friend can also do the same on his/her computer.



3. Click "Stop My Video" to end the video chat.



Note: For further assistance on Skype, please refer to <https://support.skype.com>.

Video Conferencing with Gmail Chat:

Video or webcam chatting is currently only supported in Gmail chat. For more details on Gmail Chat, please click [Gmail Voice and Video Chat](#).

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