**How to create an anonymity protected Zoom profile**
You do not need to have a Zoom account to join an online AA meeting, but if you want to set up an account that doesn't show your last name, you can follow these instructions.
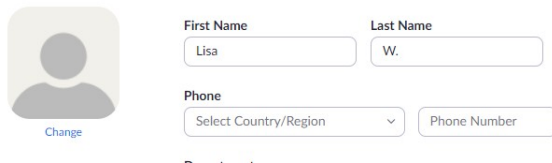
1. Request a free account at https://www.zoom.us/signup. Use the email address you will be using for attending meetings.

2. Log in to your new account and choose "Profile"
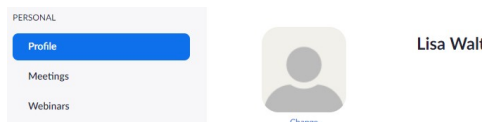
3. Choose "Edit" on the far right side of your name.
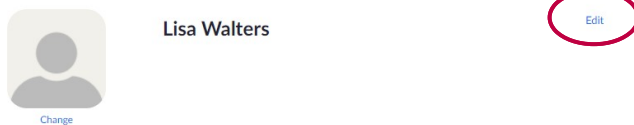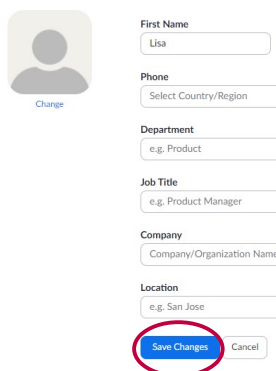

4. Change your name to show your first name and last initial.
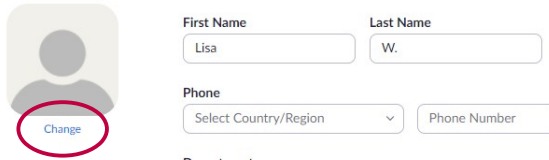
5. Click on "Save Changes" on the bottom right.
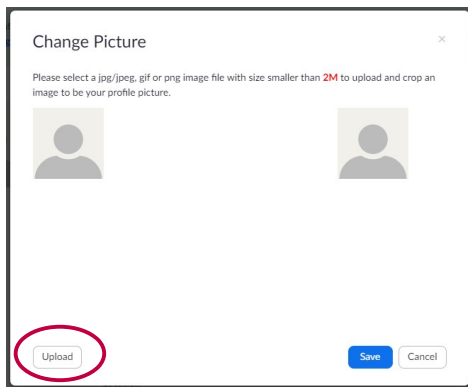
To change your profile picture:

*Make sure you have a picture saved on your computer. (File must be smaller than 2 MB)
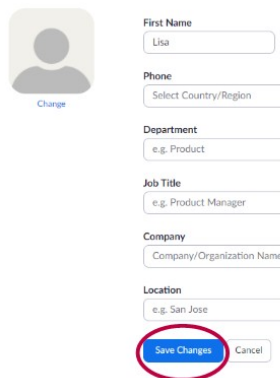
1. Click on "Change" next to the profile picture.

2. Click "Upload" and choose the file from your computer. You will be able to crop it to fit the profile picture area.

3. Click on "Save"

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