

Tutorial: Forums

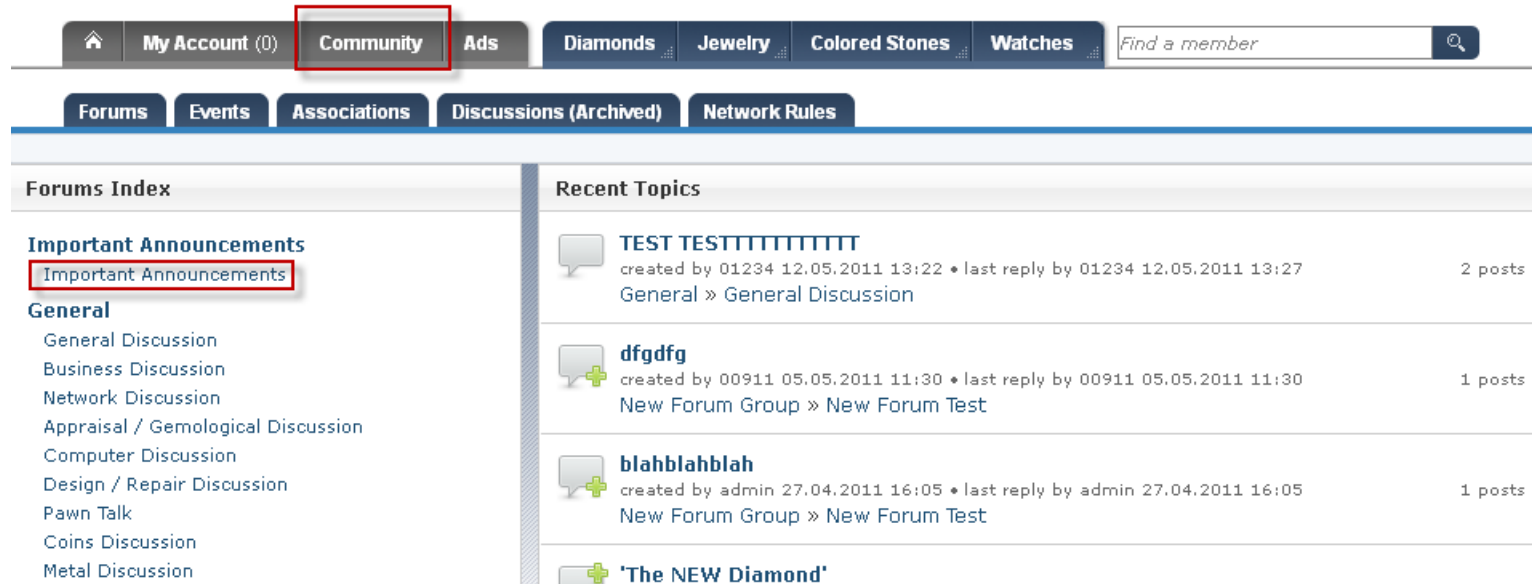
OVERVIEW

Description:	<p>In this section, you can:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. View Important Announcements from Polygon 2. View discussions 3. Reply to a current topic 4. Report a post as abuse 5. Bury a post you do not want to see 6. Like a post 7. Start a new topic in any discussion category 8. Use the forum index 9. View your topics 10. View live discussion on all forums 11. Search for a specific forum or topic
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1- HOW TO

1. View Important Announcements from Polygon

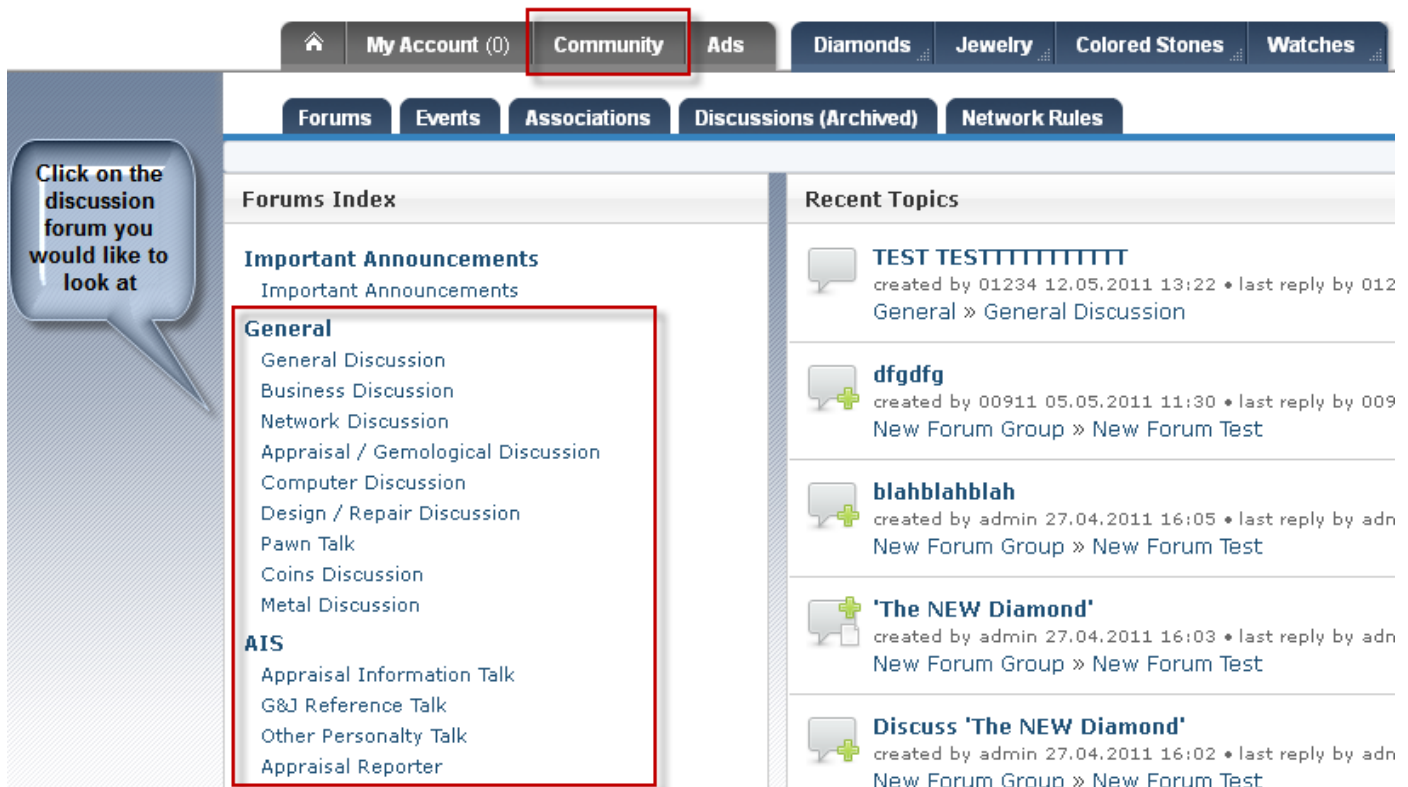
- Go To "Community"
- Go To "Important Announcements"



The screenshot shows the Polygon website's forum interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs: Home, My Account (0), **Community** (highlighted with a red box), Ads, Diamonds, Jewelry, Colored Stones, and Watches. To the right of these tabs is a search bar labeled "Find a member" with a magnifying glass icon. Below the navigation bar, there is a sub-navigation bar with tabs: Forums, Events, Associations, Discussions (Archived), and Network Rules. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column is titled "Forums Index" and contains a list of forum categories: Important Announcements (highlighted with a red box), General, General Discussion, Business Discussion, Network Discussion, Appraisal / Gemological Discussion, Computer Discussion, Design / Repair Discussion, Pawn Talk, Coins Discussion, and Metal Discussion. The right column is titled "Recent Topics" and lists three topics: "TEST TESTTTTTTTTTT" (created by 01234 12.05.2011 13:22, last reply by 01234 12.05.2011 13:27, 2 posts), "dfgdfg" (created by 00911 05.05.2011 11:30, last reply by 00911 05.05.2011 11:30, 1 posts), and "blahblahblah" (created by admin 27.04.2011 16:05, last reply by admin 27.04.2011 16:05, 1 posts). Each topic has a small icon to its left and a link to the topic.

2. View Discussions

- Go to “Community”
- Click on the discussion you would like to view, choose from:
 - General Discussion
 - Business Discussion
 - Network Discussion
 - Appraisal/Gemological Discussion
 - Computer Discussion
 - Design/Repair Discussion
 - Pawn Talk
 - Coins Discussion
 - Metal Discussion



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Click on the discussion forum you would like to look at

Forums Index

Important Announcements
Important Announcements

General

- General Discussion
- Business Discussion
- Network Discussion
- Appraisal / Gemological Discussion
- Computer Discussion
- Design / Repair Discussion
- Pawn Talk
- Coins Discussion
- Metal Discussion

AIS

- Appraisal Information Talk
- G&J Reference Talk
- Other Personality Talk
- Appraisal Reporter

Recent Topics

TEST TESTTTTTTTTTTT
created by 01234 12.05.2011 13:22 • last reply by 012
General » General Discussion

dfgdfg
created by 00911 05.05.2011 11:30 • last reply by 009
New Forum Group » New Forum Test

blahblahblah
created by admin 27.04.2011 16:05 • last reply by adn
New Forum Group » New Forum Test

'The NEW Diamond'
created by admin 27.04.2011 16:03 • last reply by adn
New Forum Group » New Forum Test

Discuss 'The NEW Diamond'
created by admin 27.04.2011 16:02 • last reply by adn
New Forum Group » New Forum Test


- Click on the topic subject to view all posts in the thread

[Home](#)
[My Account \(0\)](#)
[Community](#)
[Ads](#)
[Diamonds](#)
[Jewelry](#)
[Colored Stones](#)
[Watches](#)

[Forums](#)
[Events](#)
[Associations](#)
[Discussions \(Archived\)](#)
[Network Rules](#)

Forums ▸ General

Metal Discussion
New Topic



Check out the National Jeweler Newsletter

created by JasonOuellet 13.12.2010 07:53 • last reply by 05456 27.04.2011 11:58

Interesting article on blood diamonds in there too.


8 posts

Forums ▸ General ▸ Metal Discussion

Check Out The National Jeweler Newsletter

[New Topic](#) [Post Reply](#)


JasonOuellet • Member • 7 posts

[Quote](#) • [Report](#) • [Bury](#) • 13.12.2010 07:53 • 3 people like this • 

Interesting article on blood diamonds in there too.


<http://links.mkt1479.com/servlet/MailView?ms=MzYwNzIxNTQ5S1&r=NDY0MTg2NzE5NwS2&j=ODk1NzU4ODUS1&mt=1&rt=0>

JasonOuellet2 • Member • 14 posts

[Quote](#) • [Report](#) • [Bury](#) • 13.12.2010 07:56 • 1 people like this • 

Nice, thanks for the link.

JasonOuellet • Member • 7 posts

[Quote](#) • [Report](#) • [Bury](#) • 13.12.2010 07:58 • 0 people like this • 

Nice, thanks for the link.

YW:)

3. Reply to a current topic


- Click “Post Reply” on the right hand side

[Home](#)
[My Account \(0\)](#)
[Community](#)
[Ads](#)
[Diamonds](#)
[Jewelry](#)
[Colored Stones](#)
[Watches](#)

[Forums](#)
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- My Account (0)

Community

Ads

Diamonds

Jewelry

Colored Stones

Watches

Find a member

Forums

Events

Associations

Discussions (Archived)

Network Rules

Forums > General > Metal Discussion

Post Reply:

B I U ABC [list icons] Styles Paragraph Font size [color icon] [text color icon]

[undo] [redo] [link] [unlink] [image] [video] [HTML] [source] [clock] [help]

[table] [x₁] [x₂]

Edit Text

Write your message here

Path: p

Attachments:

Browse...

Attach one more file

Change Signature

Submit Cancel

Attach a picture if you like

Add a signature

- Next to the post you wish to report click on “Report”

Forums

Events

Associations

Discussions (Archived)

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Forums ▸ General ▸ Metal Discussion

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- Write a report reason and click “submit” this will be sent to Polygon HQ


Forums ▸ General ▸ Metal Discussion

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Nice, thanks for the link.

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Report reason:

Submit

Cancel

5. Bury a post you do not want to see


- Click “Bury” next to the post you wish to hide

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Nice, thanks for the link.

6. Like a post

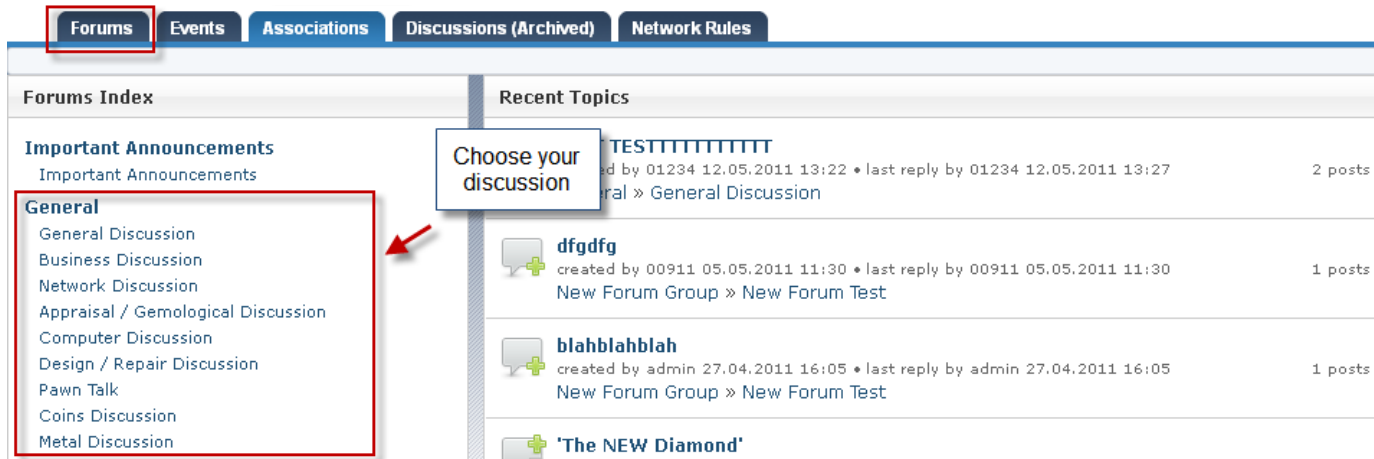
- To “Like” a post click on the thumbs up icon

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Nice, thanks for the link.

7. Start a new topic in any discussion category

- Choose the discussion that best fits your topic from the Forum Home



Forums Index Recent Topics

Important Announcements
Important Announcements

General

- General Discussion
- Business Discussion
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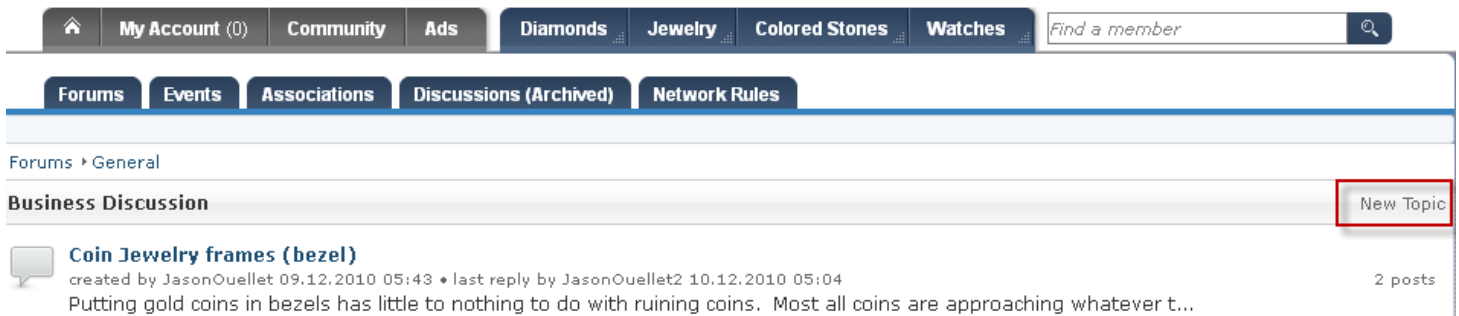
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'The NEW Diamond'

- Click on “New Topic”



Home My Account (0) Community Ads Diamonds Jewelry Colored Stones Watches Find a member

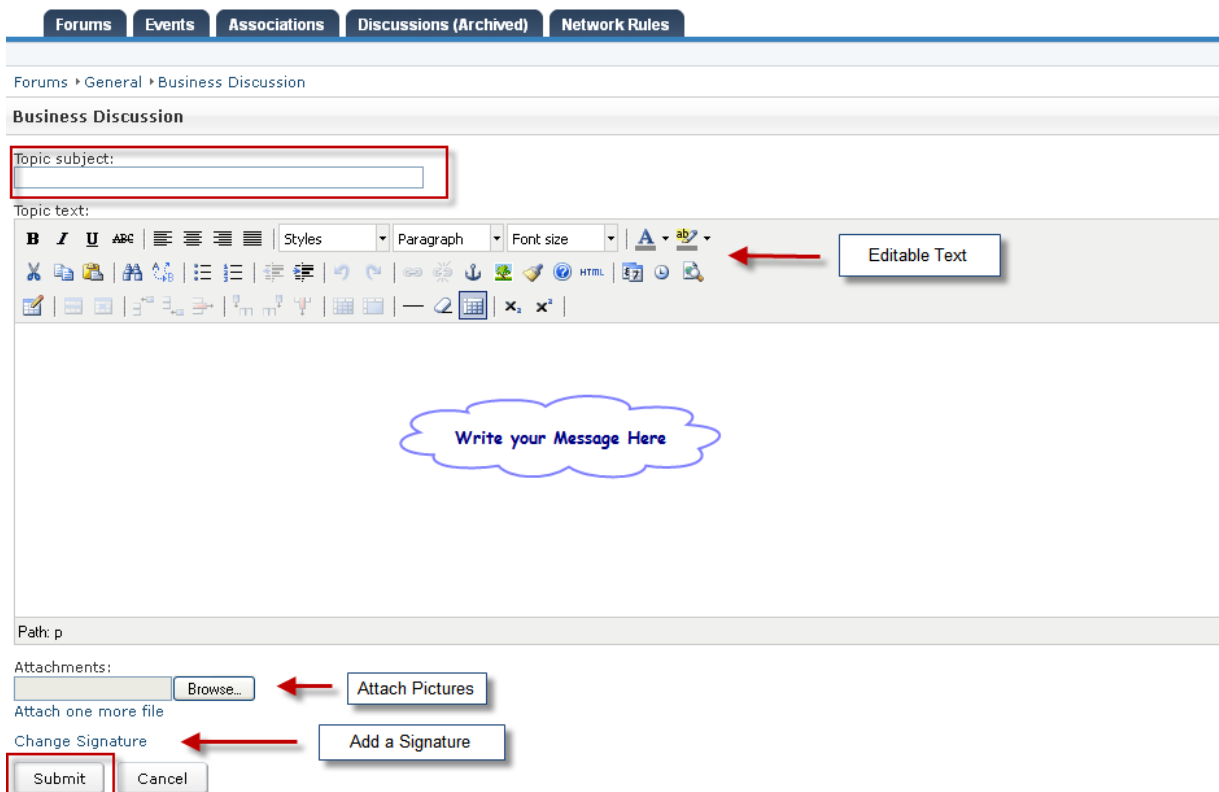
Forums Events Associations Discussions (Archived) Network Rules

Forums » General

Business Discussion **New Topic**

Coin Jewelry frames (bezel)
created by JasonOuellet 09.12.2010 05:43 • last reply by JasonOuellet2 10.12.2010 05:04
2 posts
Putting gold coins in bezels has little to nothing to do with ruining coins. Most all coins are approaching whatever t...

- Create your Subject, Write your message and Attach pictures if needed
- Click “Submit”



Forums Events Associations Discussions (Archived) Network Rules

Forums » General » Business Discussion

Business Discussion

Topic subject:

Topic text:

Editable Text

Write your Message Here

Path: p

Attachments:

Browse... Attach Pictures

Attach one more file

Change Signature Add a Signature

Submit Cancel

8. Use the forum index

- This section allows you to quickly view all of the topics available
- Click on the Forums Tab and choose “Forum Index”



Home My Account (0) Community Ads Diamonds Jewelry Colored Stones Watches Find a member

Forums Events Associations Discussions (Archived) Network Rules

» Forums Home

» Forums Index

» My Topics

» Live

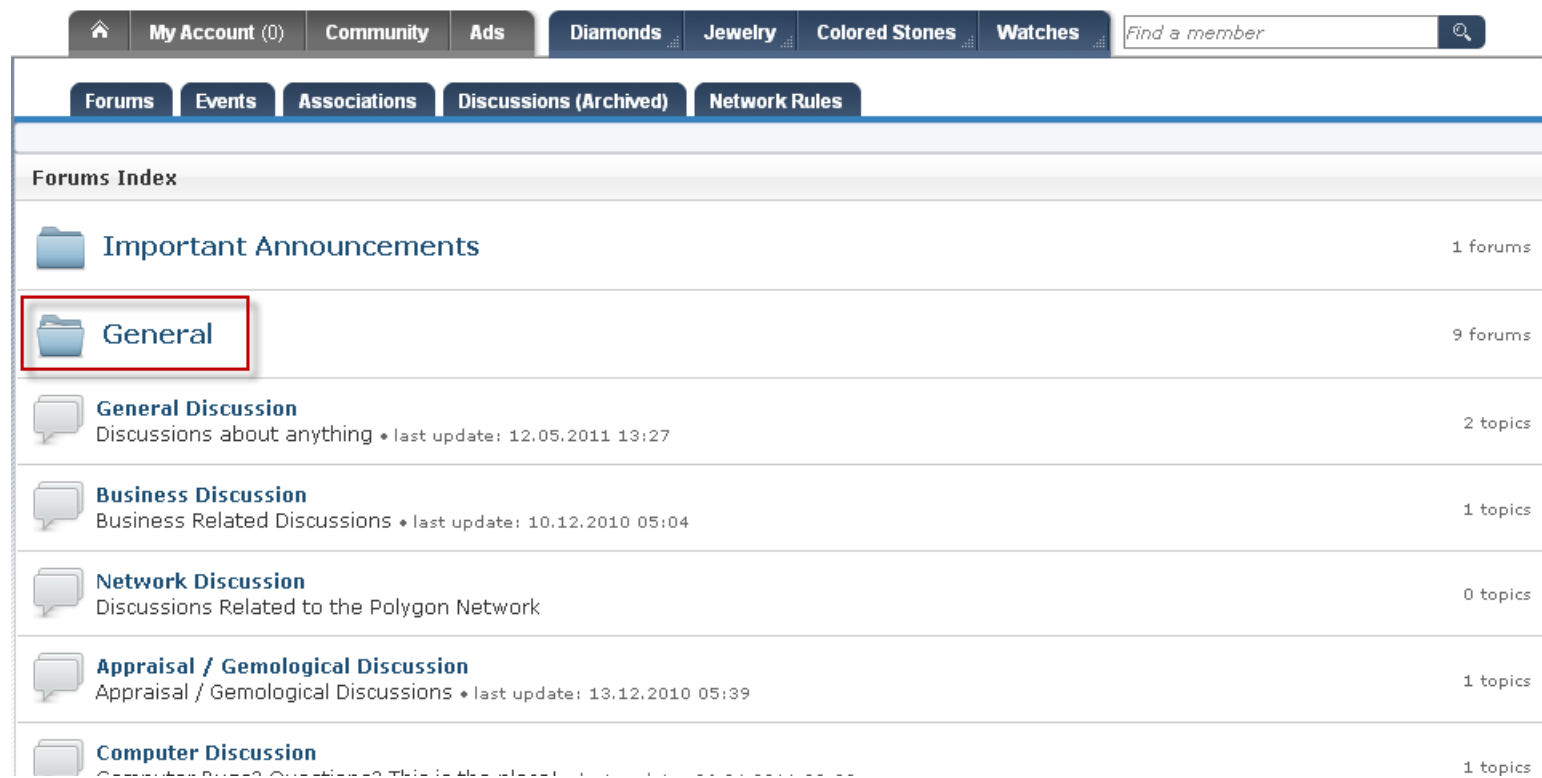
» Search

Recent Topics

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created by 01234 12.05.2011 13:22 • last reply by 01234 12.05.2011 13:27
General » General Discussion 2 posts

dfgdfg
created by 00911 05.05.2011 11:30 • last reply by 00911 05.05.2011 11:30
1 posts

- Click on forum you wish to view
- Choose the Topic you wish to view



Home My Account (0) Community Ads Diamonds Jewelry Colored Stones Watches Find a member

Forums Events Associations Discussions (Archived) Network Rules

Forums Index

Important Announcements 1 forums

General 9 forums

General Discussion 2 topics
Discussions about anything • last update: 12.05.2011 13:27

Business Discussion 1 topics
Business Related Discussions • last update: 10.12.2010 05:04

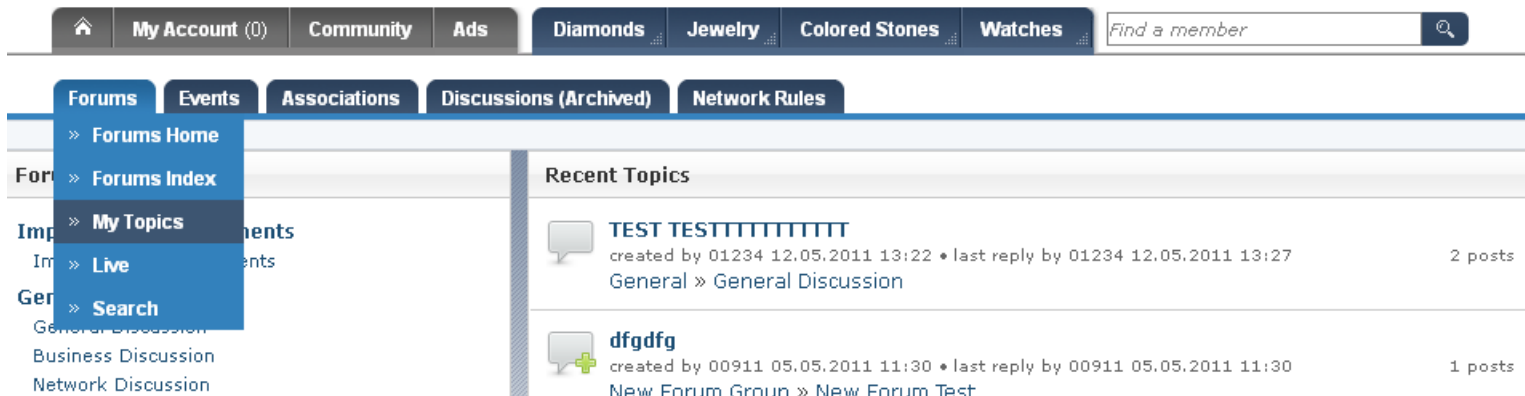
Network Discussion 0 topics
Discussions Related to the Polygon Network

Appraisal / Gemological Discussion 1 topics
Appraisal / Gemological Discussions • last update: 13.12.2010 05:39

Computer Discussion 1 topics
Computer Related Questions • This is the place to ask questions about computer related topics

9. View your topics

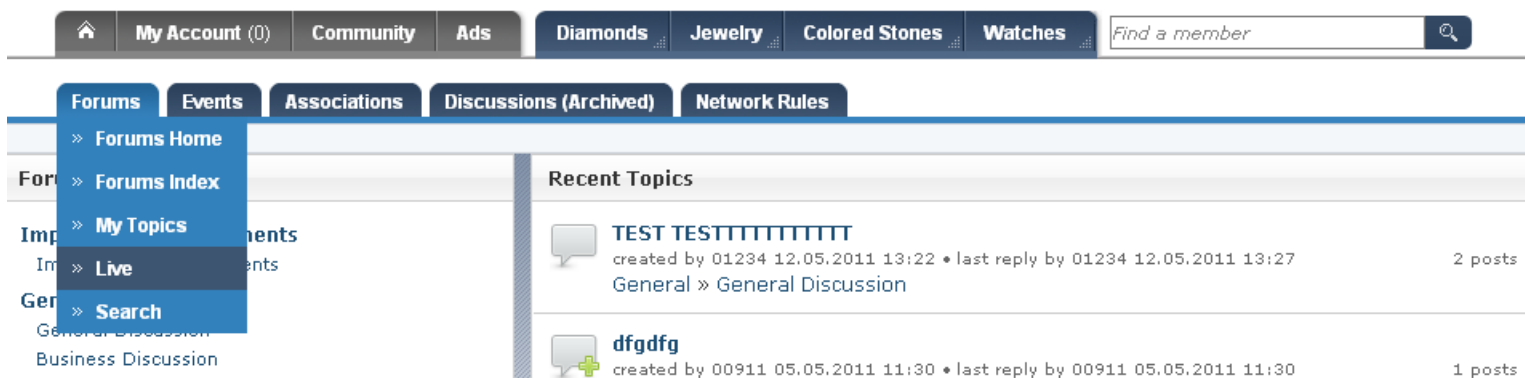
- Click on the “Forums” tab, click on “My Topics”
- Here you will see all the Topics you have posted



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10. View live discussion on all forums

- Click on the “Forums” tab
- Click on Live
- Here you will see all active topics



The screenshot shows the same forum interface as above, but the "Live" option in the "Forums" dropdown menu is highlighted. The "Recent Topics" section remains the same.

11. Search for a specific forum or topic

- Click on the “Forums” tab
- Click on Search



The screenshot shows the same forum interface as above, but the "Search" option in the "Forums" dropdown menu is highlighted. The "Recent Topics" section remains the same.

- Enter in your Search and click “Submit”

Forums **Events** **Associations** **Discussions (Archived)** **Network Rules**

Forums

Search The Forum

Search for:

Where to Search: ☒ Topic Titles ☐ Messages

Forum:

Author:

Display: ☒ Topics ☐ Posts