

Why are overheard mobile chats so annoying?

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It's often the prelude to a loud, mundane and frankly irritating half-conversation that commuters within earshot have to witness.

Whether it's the minutiae of the person's oh-so-interesting day, blow-by-blow details of some argument being rehashed with dramatic effect or just other inane waffle, it's the kind of anti-social annoyance that can turn a pleasant journey into an endurance test.

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