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**9.00M Official Welcome**

**9:10am                 ROUND ONE COMMENCES**

Introduction by MC - SemiFinalist 1

**Name** Keely Kidner

Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Victoria University of Wellington, New Zealand

*3MT Title: Environmental Discourses of Appropriation and Resistance*

**9:14am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 2

**Name** Joanne Griggs

[College Of Health And Biomedicine](http://www.vu.edu.au/about-us/academic-colleges/health-biomedicine)

Victoria University

*3MT Title: Prader-Willi  syndrome appetite behavior may be cactus, due*

*to a natural suppressant*

**9:18am**               Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 3

**Name** Halley Durrant

School of Zoology

University of Tasmania

*3MT Title: Population connectivity of habitat forming macroalgae with respect to marine park design*

**9:22am**               Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 4

**Name** Melinda Waterman

School of Science, Medicine and Health

University of Wollongong

*3MT Title:* BryoFight Club: Mosses vs UV

**9:26am**Introduction by MC - Semi - Finalist 5

**Name** Ryan McMullan

School of Social Sciences and Psychology

University of Western Sydney

*3MT Title:* *The Good, the Bad, and the Body*

**9:30am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 6

**Name** Motahareh Nobakht

Faculty of Science, Health, Education and Engineering

University of the Sunshine Coast

*3MT Title: Eucalyptus and other drugs*

**9:34am**Introduction by MC - Semi - Finalist 7

**Name** Brett Hagelstein

Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology

University of Technology, Sydney

*3MT Title: Mutual Benefits of Cooperative WiFi*

**9:38am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 8

**Name** Xiao (Demi) Gao

Institute for Telecommunications Research

University of South Australia

*3MT Title: Building a better bionic ear*

**9:42am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 9

**Name** Daniel Wee Ming Kho

Department of Philosophy

Humanities Division

University of Otago, New Zealand

*3MT Title: Talking to oneself: Is it still a language if only one person understands it?*

**9:46am**               Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 10

**Name** Sharon Savage

School of Medical Sciences

University of New South Wales

*3MT Title: Giving words new life in dementia*

**9:50am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 11

**Name** FrancesZewe

School of Environmental and Rural Science

University of New England

*3MT Title: Taking Aim at Feral Cats*

**9:54am**                 MC to announce that the judging panel will take a 10 minute break to deliberate scores for guests if you are taking a break you need to be back seated by 10.10am.

**10:10am** Doors closed

**10:14am               ROUND TWO COMMENCES**

Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 1

**Name** Adrian Dusting

Institute for Applied Ecology

University of Canberra

*3MT Title: Attack of the clones: the adaptive capacity of an asexual invader*

**10:18am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 2

**Name** Sara Weuffen

School of Education and Arts

University of Ballarat

*3MT Title: The Australian National Curriculum, Aboriginal Perspectives and Teacher*

*Perceptions*

**10:22am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 3

**Name** Kelsey Kennedy

Faculty of Engineering, Computing and Mathematics

The University of Western Australia

*3MT Title: Feeling for cancer: an imaging tool to make breast cancer surgery more effective*

**10:26am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 4

**Name** Ku Marsilla Ku Ishak

Faculty of Science & Engineering

The University of Waikato, New Zealand

*3MT Title: Turning animal’s blood into plastics: A perfect marriage*

**10:30am**             Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 5

**Name** Kate McDonell

School of Civil Engineering

The University of Sydney

*3MT Title: Building the cable for the space elevator: a how to guide*

**10:34am**            Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 6

**Name** Michael Thai

School of Psychology

Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences

The University of Queensland

*3MT Title: Ocker or Oriental? Asian Australians and the Denial of National Identity*

**10:38am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 7

**Name** Kymme Laetsch

School of Humanities and Social Science

The University of Newcastle

*3MT Title: The portrayal and implications of feminine ageing in Latin literature*

**10:42am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 8

**Name** Sally Sherwen

Melbourne School of Land & Environment

The University of Melbourne

*3MT Title: Who’s looking at who in the zoo?*

**10:46am**             Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 9

**Name** Cassini Sai Kwan Chu

Faculty of Social Sciences

The University of Hong Kong

*3MT Title: Compensated Dating*

**10:50am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 10

**Name** Lily Chang

Optometry & Vision Science

Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences

The University of Auckland, New Zealand

*3MT Title- An "eye" on Alzheimer’s disease*

**10:54am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 11

**Name** Kaitlin Harkess

Faculty of Health Sciences

The University of Adelaide

*3MT Title: Does yoga each day keep the doctor away?*

**10:58am** MC to announce that the judging panel will take a break to deliberate scores

MC to announce 25 minute break for morning tea – for participants and their university support staff.

**11:25am** University staff toinvite guests and delegates to return to their seats

**11:28am** Doors closed

**11:30am               ROUND THREE COMMENCES**

Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 1

**Name** Elise Hampton

Research School of Astronomy & Astrophysics

College of Physical and Mathematical Sciences

Australian National University

*3MT Title:* Merging Galaxies: Love Stories Written in the Sky

**11:34am** Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 2

**Name** Fatemeh Mekanik

Faculty of Engineering and Industrial Sciences

Swinburne University of Technology

*3MT Title: Long-term rainfall forecasting*

**11:38am** Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 3

**Name** Nellie Buckley

School of Health and Human Sciences

Southern Cross University

*3MT Title: Lifting capacity in pregnant women*

**11:42am**             Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 4

**Name** Daniel Oldfield

School of Applied Science

College of Science, Engineering and Health (SEH)

RMIT University

*3MT Title: The Pencil: Fifty Shades of Graphene.*

**11:46am**             Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 5

**Name** Megan Pozzi

Faculty of Education

Queensland University of Technology

*3MT Title:* All the World Wide Web’s A Stage: Teenage Girls’ Self-Presentation and Identities Formation through Status Updates

**11:50am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 6

**Name** Ruari Jack Hughes

School of Arts

Murdoch University

*3MT Title: What do we remember? The crucial role of memory in the process of writing adaptations*

**11:54am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 7

**Name** Kanvar Nayer

Faculty of Art Design & Architecture

Monash University

*3MT Title: Age Mate*

**11:58am**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 8

**Name** Thomas Finn

New Zealand Institute for Advanced Study

Massey University, New Zealand

*3MT Title: Oxygen: a double-edged sword for life-forms*

**12:02pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 9

**Name** Shu Hui Yau

Faculty of Human Sciences

Macquarie University

*3MT Title: Beeps, Burps and Brains : Auditory Processing in Autism*

**12.06pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 10

**Name** Swapna Varghese

School of Molecular Sciences

Faculty of Science, Technology and Engineering

La Trobe University

*3MT Title: Don’t Move*

**12:10pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 11

**Name** Stewart Macdonald

Faculty of Science and Engineering

James Cook University

*3MT Title: Revealing diversity in rainforest fragments*

**12:14pm** MC to announce panel will take a 10 break to deliberate scores

For guests can you please be back seated by 12.25am for the next round.

**12:25pm** Doors closed

**12:30pm               ROUND FOUR COMMENCES**

Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 1

**Name** Nathaniel Mitchell

School of Languages and Applied Linguistics

Griffith University

*3MT Title: Choosing rude: variability in evaluations of impoliteness*

**12:34pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 2

**Name** Ksenia Gnevsheva

Department of Linguistics

University of Canterbury

*3MT: Title Non-Native English accents: How malleable are they?*

**12:38pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 3

**Name** Sian Teague

School of Communications and Arts

Edith Cowan University

*3MT Title: Writing myself well*

**12:42pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 4

**Name** Rebecca Lindberg

School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences

Deakin University Australia

*3MT Title: Food insecurity in Australia*

**12:44pm**             Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 5

**Name** Casiana Blanca Villarino

School of Public Health

Curtin University

*3MT Title: Designing High-Fibre, High-Protein Bread Using Lupin: A “Double-Edged Sword”*

**12:48pm**             Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 6

**Name** Lindy Cavanagh

Faculty of Education

Charles Sturt University

*3MT Title: Mental illness in rural areas: You’re not “bonkers” if you search for a brolly!*

**12:52pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 7

**Name** Peter Novak

Faculty of Engineering, Health, Science and the Environment

Charles Darwin University

*3MT Title: Ecology and management of Cherabin (Macrobrachium spinipes) in Northern Australia*

**12:56pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 8

**Name** Oladayo Folasire

Faculty of Health Sciences and Medicine

Bond University

*3MT Title: Solving the puzzle of incontinence*

**1:00pm** Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 9

**Name** Jule Kunkel

School of Sport and Recreation

AUT University, Auckland, New Zealand

*3MT Title - Youth taking ownership of a healthier future*

**1:04pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 10

**Name** Kimberly Mercuri

Faculty of Psychology

Australian Catholic University

*3MT Title: Seeing into tomorrow…today*

**1:08pm**Introduction by MC - Semi Finalist 11

**Name** Gemma Sharp

School of Psychology

Flinders University

*3MT Title: Paying for Lip Service*

**Approximately 1.27pm semi finalists will be announced and then there will be a break for lunch.**

**Final will be streamed 3pm to 5pm.**