The University of Miami’s 1st Three Minute Thesis (3MT®) Competition

Presented by The Graduate School in partnership with The Graduate Student Association
Monday, April 3rd 2017

5:30 p.m.  Event Registration

5:40 p.m.  Welcome and Opening Remarks by Dean Prado and GSA

5:45 p.m.  3MT® Competition Begins

6:45 p.m.  Networking Reception Begins

7:00 p.m.  Closing Remarks by Dean Prado
            Winners Announced

7:30 p.m.  Networking Reception Concludes
Competitors

Galen Treuer
Time to Adapt: Risk Perception in South Florida's Response to Sea Level Rise
Mentor: Kenneth Broad

Yang Zhang
Writing with Invisible Inks: Photoactivatable BODP for Bioimaging Applications
Mentor: Francisco Raymo

Diego Lugo Vivas
Land Grabbing and Accumulation: Behind War or Peace?
Mentor: Elvira Restrepo

Marc Weintraub
Reactivity to Positive and Negative Social Situations in Individuals at High-Risk for Schizophrenia
Mentor: Amy Weisman de Mamani

Andrew Carter
How Do We Create Environmental Policies about Environmental Mercury? And How Should We?
Mentor: Kenneth Broad

Matthew Phillips
Effects of the Environmental Pollutant, PCBs, on the Gut
Mentor: Maria Abreu
Competitors

Chante Washington-Oates
Protecting Youth and Families
Mentor: Victoria Mitrani

Karla Rivera Caceres
Conversation Rules in Duetting Birds
Mentor: William Searcy

Seyedmorteza Khatibmasjedi
SEACON: Concrete without Chloride Limit
Mentor: Antonio Nanni

Adam Hauptfeld
Attention and Perceptual Knowledge
Mentor: Elijah Chudnoff

William Bazley
In the Red: The Effects of Color on Investor Behavior
Mentor: George Korniotis

Daniel Sheridan
Sexual Orientation Disclosure and Concealment: A Model-Driven Meta-Analysis
Mentor: Debbiesiu Lee
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Judges

Dr. John Bixby is Vice Provost for Research and Professor of Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology and Neurological Surgery at the University of Miami.

Dr. Susan Morgan is Associate Dean for Research and Professor in the Communication Studies Department in the School of Communication.

Dr. Tim Watson is Associate Professor in the English Department and Director of the Graduate Opportunities at Work or UGrow initiative.

3MT® Partners

Esther Lamarre
Assistant Director, Graduate Student & Alumni Career Programs

University of Miami’s Digital Media Lab

Dr. Joanna Johnson
Director of Writing, College of Arts & Sciences and Senior Lecturer
Three Minute Thesis (3MT®) celebrates the exciting research conducted by PhD students around the world. Developed by The University of Queensland (UQ), the competition cultivates students’ academic, presentation, and research communication skills. Presenting in a 3MT competition increases their capacity to effectively explain their research in three minutes, in a language appropriate to a non-specialist audience. Competitors are allowed one PowerPoint slide, but no other resources or props.