UCD ThesisIn3 Competition

Terms and Conditions





UCD Graduate Studies

Terms and Conditions for Presentations:

- 1. All entrants must be currently registered full or part-time stage 2 Doctoral Research students at UCD.
- 2. Presentations are strictly limited to three minutes. Any student whose presentation exceeds three minutes duration will be immediately disqualified.
- 3. Only one slide is permitted. This single slide cannot have any animation, audio/visual, movement or zoom effects. The full slide on-screen at the outset of the presentation must remain static for the duration of the talk.
- 4. No extra audio or visual materials are permitted- images, recordings etc.
- 5. No props are permitted objects, costumes, instruments or equipment.
- 6. Presentations are to be spoken word only no singing, rapping or reciting etc can be included.
- 7. The presentation will be deemed to have started when the student begins speaking or makes an initial gesture.
- 8. There will be three prizes awarded, one winner and two runners up.
- 9. The winner will be put forward as UCD's entry to the Universitas21 Three Minute Thesis Competition (3MT®), requiring the winning presentation to be filmed. By taking part in the UCD competition, all entrants will be deemed to have consented to same.
- 10. The winner of ThesisIn3 will represent UCD in the National Irish Universities Association (IUA) Competition.
- 11. The decision of the adjudicating panel is final.
- 12. The decision of the IUA 3MT adjudicating panel is final.



Terms and Conditions for the Video Recording of Presentations:

- 1. The winner of UCD ThesisIn3 will be put forward as UCD's entry to the Universitas21 Three Minute Thesis Competition (3MT®), requiring the winning presentation to be filmed. By taking part in the UCD competition, all entrants will be deemed to have consented to same.
- 2. All terms and conditions for ThesisIn3 presentations remain in place for the presentation being recorded.
- 3. The video must be three minutes in length.
- 4. The audio must be continuous over the three minutes, no breaks or edits are permitted.
- 5. The video must be filmed from a static position no zoom, cuts or camera movement in any direction is permitted.
- 6. No additional media or audio is permitted in the video -only a recording of the presentation.
- 7. Presentations are deemed to have commenced when the student indicates that they are beginning their presentation, whether through movement or beginning to speak.
- 8. The decision of the Universitas21 adjudicating panel is final.