

## Congratulations to the 2013 Competition Winners!

Winner—Francophone Will represent Concordia at l'Acfas Congres	<u><b>Idir Guermah</b></u> <i>PhD, Humanities</i> <i>Langue et intégration : le cas des immigrants d'origine algérienne à Montréal</i> <i>Contacts de langues, contacts de peuples</i>
Winner— Doctoral	<u><b>Navid Sharifi</b></u> <i>PhD, Mechanical Engineering</i> <i>Producing Superhydrophobic Coatings using Thermal Spray Processes</i> <i>How Lotus leaf will save us from the next ice age!</i>
Runner-Up—Doctoral Tie	<u><b>Nassim Tabri</b></u> , <i>PhD, Psychology</i> <i>University students' attachment to their social class background promotes their expectations of upward social mobility</i> <i>Don't forget your roots</i>
Runner-Up—Doctoral Tie	<u><b>Kiran Vadaga</b></u> , <i>PhD, Psychology</i> <i>Age-related differences in the time course of Backward Inhibition</i> <i>Who is better at paying attention to this 3MT presentation? You or your grandmother?</i>
Winner—Master	<u><b>Josine Lafontaine</b></u> <i>Master, Biology</i> <i>Assessing the importance of laterally acquired functional traits in the ecological diversification of aquatic bacteria</i> <i>How are bacteria evolving? Why should we care?</i>
Runner-Up—Master	<u><b>Pierre Chuard</b></u> <i>PhD, Biology</i> <i>The effects of operational sex-ratio and predation risk on the mating competition of the Trinidadian guppy, Poecilia reticulata</i> <i>Le Guppy, fier partenaire de la lutte pour la Biodiversité</i>
People's Choice—Final	<u><b>Dalia Challita</b></u> , <i>M.A., Teaching of Mathematics</i> <i>Providing Calculus Students with Opportunities to Engage in Theoretical Thinking</i> <i>Engaging Students in Theoretical Thinking</i>
People's Choice-Heat 1	<u><b>Maniya Agshasibeig</b></u> <i>PhD, Mechanical Engineering</i> <i>Synthesis of nanostructured platinum free electro-catalysts for the hydrogen evolution reaction using atmospheric and suspension plasma spraying methods.</i> <i>Green your house!</i>
People's Choice-Heat 2	<u><b>Kiran Vadaga</b></u> , <i>PhD, Psychology</i> <i>Age-related differences in the time course of Backward Inhibition</i> <i>Who is better at paying attention to this 3MT presentation? You or your grandmother?</i>