



Cutting edge research. In three minutes.

PRELIMINARY ROUND B

Tuesday, February 20, 2018 | 2:00 pm – 4:30 pm
Gonda (Goldschmied) Neuroscience and Genetics Research Center, Room 1357

HOST

Joseph Watson - Associate Dean, UCLA Graduate Division

JUDGES

Clinton Bench - Director of Fleet & Transit, Transportation

Tama Hasson - Assistant Vice Provost, Integrative Biology & Physiology / Undergrad Research Center - Sciences

Daniel Low - Committee Volunteer South Bay Regional Committee

Alyssa Penner - Associate Director, Partnership UCLA/Alumni Career Programs, Alumni Affairs

Annelie Rugg - Executive Director, Center for Digital Humanities

Karen Wilson - Graduate Career Officer, UCLA Department of History

PRESENTERS

Marissa Stevens, Near Eastern Languages and Cultures - *Social Identity from Ancient Egypt to Modern Times*

Timothy Hogue, Near Eastern Languages & Cultures - *Engaging Monuments, Then and Now*

Saman Abdullah, Civil Engineering - *New Design Approach for Walled Buildings*

Jayanth, Computer Science & Digital Humanities - *Linked Open Data for Sumerian Corpora*

Madeline Cowen, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology - *Why we need to understand territoriality between species to predict the impacts of climate change*

Harrison Cheng, Bioengineering - *Modernizing Research for Biophotonics Image-Guided Surgery*

Fatima Anwar, Electrical & Computer Engineering - *Lip Sync: Achieving perfect synchrony in audio and video*

Peter Chesney, History - *In Memoriam: The Car Culture*

Isaac Bryan, Public Policy - *The Price of Freedom*

Adewunmi Adelaja, Molecular Biology - *How Big Eaters make decisions*

Marianna Nespoli, Italian - *#TIMESUP Monstrous Woman?*

Cristina Echeverria, Civil & Environmental Engineering - *Exploring Antibiotic Resistance in the Environment*

Natalie Chen, Molecular Biology - *Nuclear Membrane Ruptures*

Adé Jackson, Law - *Mobilization of Equal Protection Principles from the Fourteenth Amendment: Does the Principle of Respect exist in CA K-12 education?*

Joey Lao, Engineering - *Hospital Acquired Infection: The Unknown Killer*

Ryan Assaf, Epidemiology - *Increasing Knowledge and Acceptance of PrEP in Doctors*

Teniope Adewumi-Gunn, Environmental Health Sciences - *Skin Deep: Safety in the Salon*

Parinaz Abiri, Bioengineering & Medicine - *Wireless Batteryless Miniature Cardiac Pacemaker*