

# **Coventry University Research Hootenanny: 18 – 22 January 2021**

**Join us for the Research Hootenanny 2021**

It is a vibrant mix of activities to showcase research excellence at Coventry University, to celebrate our researchers' successes and to explore new ways to undertake and to share research – locally, nationally and internationally.

Full programme now available: [\*\*Research Hootenanny Programme\*\*](#)

**This is a completely online event!**

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## **Funding**

[\*\*Alternative Guide to Postgraduate Funding\*\*](#)

**Tuesday 19 January @ 10:00 – 12:00**



It's all about funding from unusual places you probably haven't heard of! As well as explaining the more unusual postgraduate funding options available, it's mainly about alternative grant-making bodies in Britain: principally charities, trusts, and foundations.

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## **Well-being**

[\*\*Dr Who? Let's talk about...Imposter Syndrome\*\*](#)

**Wednesday 20 January @ 13:00 – 14:00**



Doing a research degree is hard work. You need to stay motivated and are often working in isolation. Dr Who? discussion meetings offer you the opportunity to meet with others in a similar situation to help, support, understand and encourage each other.

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## **Doing Research during a Pandemic**

[Making the most of virtual interfaces](#)

**Tuesday 19 January @ 12:00 – 13:00**

Research is rarely an isolated event: We work together with others in a team, we work with samples in a lab, we visit people in their own surroundings, we go to libraries to read sources. So, what to do then, when a pandemic strikes? In this talk I will lay out several ways in which research can continue while working from home, whilst using examples from my own recent research.

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[Data, Policy and Practices](#)

**Friday 22 January @ 10:00 – 12:00**

In this presentation Paul will discuss his experiences of having to revise research project focus and approaches to data collection as a result of the pandemic. Paul will reflect on what he has learned and discuss challenges and opportunities going forward.

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[Organic Plus](#)

**Friday 22 January @ 14:00 – 15:00**

The Organic-PLUS team will share their experiences including COVID-secure field trials, online conferences and the tools and techniques they developed to move a programme of ‘citizen jury’ sessions online.

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[Uncontrollable Behaviour – Examining Perceptions of Neurodiversity in State Provision](#)

**Friday 22 January @ 15:00 – 16:00**

The project breaks methodological ground by combining traditional academic enquiry with the artistic discipline of experimental filmmaking. Unique amongst PhDs the traditional thesis has been circumvented in favour of a blog which is updated periodically over the course of three years, an approach which has been

highly beneficial since the outbreak of Covid-19. By combining these approaches, I explore the personal and political dimensions of the neurodiverse experience.

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## Public Engagement

### [Why should Researchers care about Wikipedia?](#)

Monday 18 January @ 10:00 – 10:30



In this short (20 minutes) presentation, Coventry University's Wikimedian in Residence, Andy Mabbett, will explain how using Wikipedia, the free encyclopaedia that anyone can edit, and the 5th most visited website on the planet can help to improve public engagement with and perception of the subjects PhD candidates study.

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## Celebrate & Support our PGRs!

### [Three Minute Thesis \(3MT\) Competition](#)

Heat 1: Monday 18 Jan 2021 @ 14:00 – 15:30

Heat 2: Tuesday 19 Jan 2021 @ 14:00 – 15:30

**Join us at the 3MT competition heats.** A selection of doctoral researchers applied and have been selected to compete in the 3MT competition heats. They have **3 minutes** each, to talk about their research in front of an interdisciplinary panel of judges. The finalists of each heat will go head to head at the 3MT grand finale. Whether you would like to see how the competition works, enjoy the 3MT presentations or support your PGRs in the competition.... **Join us at the competition heats and see!**

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The PGRs participating in heat 1 are:

Zsófia Hacsek

*Centre for Trust, Peace and Social Relations*

Ratna Yuliani

*Centre for Sport, Exercise and Life Sciences*

Chiwuokem Nwoko

*Centre for Business in Society*

Dalrene James	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>
Andi Prasetyo Wibowo	<i>Centre for Built and Natural Environment</i>
Mahmoud Masud	<i>Faculty of business and law</i>
Rovier Verdi	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>
Han Zhang	<i>Centre for Business in Society</i>
Joseph Esuman Acquaah	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>

### **The PGRs participating in heat 2 are:**

Claire Lyons	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>
Ashem Egila	<i>Centre for Business in the Society</i>
Runda Gao	<i>Centre for Business in Society</i>
Peter Hollings	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>
Eunkyoung Lee	<i>Centre for Financial and Corporate Integrity</i>
Hillary Mununuri Chindodo	<i>Centre for Business in the Society</i>
Leonardo Faedo	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>
Paul Murphy	<i>Centre for Business in the Society</i>
Oluwatobiloba Oyefeso	<i>Faculty of business and law</i>
Ali Parsa	<i>Centre for Agroecology, Water and Resilience</i>

### **Postgraduate Researcher of the Year Competition**

**Thursday 21 Jan 2021 @ 10:30 - 13:00**

One nominee has been put forward by each of the Faculties and University Research Centres and each will make a 10 minute presentation summarising their research. You are invited to be part of the audience during the PGR's presentations.

Come along and support our PGRs!

**See who has been nominated: [PGR of the Year 2021 Nominees](#)**

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## **Hootenanny Celebration Event**

**Thursday 21 Jan 2021 @ 17.00 - 19:00**

You are invited to the Hootenanny celebration event on the evening of the 21st January 2021. This event will include the Three Minute Thesis (3MT) grand finale & announcement of Coventry University's 3MT winner & PGR of the Year winner.

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