The ÅAU Research Day is a day for curiosity, exploration and collaboration, when doctoral students and experienced researchers of all ages join in cross, multi and interdisciplinary presentations and discussions.

Last year we introduced the 3 Minutes Presentations at the ÅAU Research Day – a look into 20 ongoing doctoral projects, representing all parts of the academic field. This year the concept will be repeated, however, certainly not the content, since we have 20 new and sparkling fresh projects to present. From the short presentations, we move on to the short dates – the scientific speed dates, where opposites attract, as well as parities.

Exploration and collaboration are, indeed, the key words for the afternoon. We will tighten the European academic ties, dive deep into the sea and disclose ethics in stories of our time. All this, in just one day – that is the essence of the ÅAU Research Day!

Dear guest and participant, as always, we warmly welcome you to the ÅAU Research Day! We hope that the presentations and encounters will give you answers and raise questions, for present times, as well as for the future!

Welcome!

Ulrika Wolf-Knuts
Chancellor

Niklas Sandler
Vice Rector
Place: ASA, Stora aud.

Host: Dean, Professor Mikael Lindfelt

9.00-9.10 Welcome

9.10-11.00 3 Minutes x 20 Presentations (Doctoral students)

Twenty doctoral students (five from each Faculty, chosen by the Deans of the Faculties) give a “3 Minutes Presentation” each on their ongoing research projects. A panel consisting of Chancellor Ulrika Wolf-Knuts, Dean Mikael Lindfelt, Professor Gunilla Widén and Professor Ronald Österbacka rewards the four most highly qualitative presentations (one from each Faculty) with a travel grant of 1,000 € each. Additionally, one of these four award winners is nominated for the Coimbra Group 3-Minute Thesis Competition (3MT, for more information, see: http://threeminutethesis.org/about-3mt )

11.00-12.00 Scientific Speed Dating – finding mutual agreement or a bone of contention?

12.00-13.00 Lunch for doctoral students (please register!)

13.00-13.20 The Chancellor and the Research (Wolf-Knuts)

13.20-13.50 Doctoral Studies and Coimbra Group Collaboration (Professor Jeremy Bradshaw)

13.50-14.10 The Sea – Living Lab for Marine and Maritime Research (Professor Erik Bonsdorff)

14.10-14.30 Narrating as Act(ion) – Ethical Strategies in the Contemporary Swedish-language Novel (PhD Freja Rudels)

14.30-14.35 A short break for stretching

14.35-14.45 The Moment of Awards: Kristina and Gadd (Wolf-Knuts)

14.45-14.55 The Kristina Award Winner has the Floor

14.55-15.05 The Gadd Award Winner has the Floor

15.05- Wrapping up the Research Day with sparkling wine and some light snacks