

## York Graduate Research School March 2020 newsletter

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### Coronavirus (COVID-19): Guidance for research students

If you're concerned about coronavirus (COVID-19) and want to know more about the University's response, visit the website. At the moment, events listed in this newsletter are going ahead as usual. We're monitoring developments and updating the coronavirus (COVID-19) pages regularly.

- [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)

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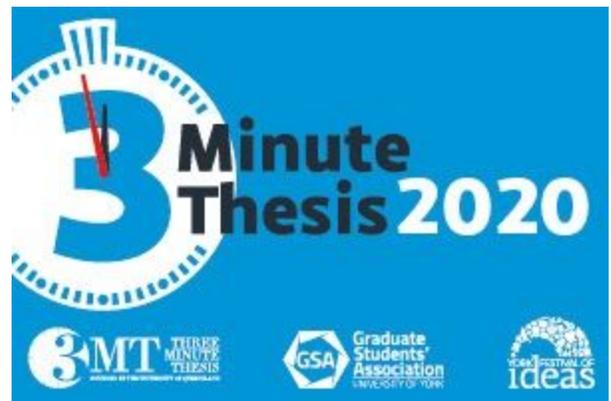
### Public engagement: Enter Three Minute Thesis & How to steal the limelight

Three Minute Thesis (3MT) challenges you to explain your research to a non-specialist audience in three minutes or less. It's a great way to sharpen your presentation and research communication skills. The selected finalists will receive presentation training and there will be prizes for the winners! Application deadline: Wednesday 1 April

- [Could you explain your research in just three minutes?](#)

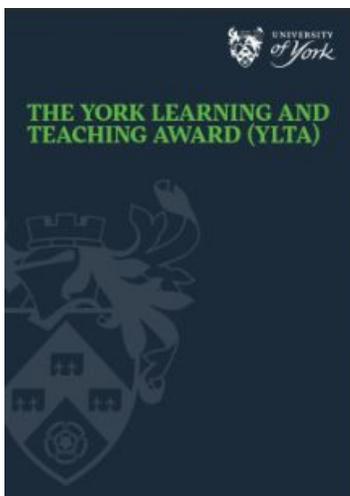
Find out how to add extra dazzle to your public speaking and presentation skills in the 'How to steal the limelight' event on Monday 30 March. Speakers include previous 3MT winners who will share tips on their success.

- ['How to steal the limelight' event](#)



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### York Learning and Teaching Award (YLTA) and current teaching opportunities



Admissions are now open to apply to the York Learning and Teaching Award (YLTA) for 2020/21 entry. YLTA is a 20-credit, nine-month part-time postgraduate taught course for Graduate Teaching Assistants who would like to develop their teaching and secure professional recognition as an Associate Fellow of the HEA. Attend an application support event on Wednesday 15 April. Application deadline: Thursday 30 April.

- [Develop your teaching and secure professional recognition with YLTA](#)

See all current teaching opportunities:

- [Current teaching opportunities with TFTI](#)

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## Paid internship in international engagement

Global Partnerships are seeking a postgraduate research student to assist with research and general support in a range of areas relating to the University of York's international engagement. This is a part-time role (10 hrs per week), initially for the months of April – June with the possibility for extension.

Application deadline: Friday 20 March 2020

- [Employment opportunity within Global Partnerships](#)



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## Shape your research for policy makers



Home Office Analysis and Insight is a Directorate within the Home Office that provides the best possible evidence to underpin policy-making. They are inviting doctoral students in the later stages of their PhD working in relevant areas to present their research.

The deadline for expressions of interest is Friday 27 March 2020.

- [Present your research findings at the Home Office](#)

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## Progress writing projects with support

Wentworth College is hosting the first Writing Retreat session of 2020 on Friday 20 March. The aim of a structured writing retreat is to use dedicated writing time to progress writing projects in a supportive, non-surveillance environment.

- [Wentworth Writing Retreat](#)

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## On campus over Easter?

Services may operate different hours from Monday 16 March until Monday 13 April.

- [Campus over Easter](#)

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## Other opportunities

Check out the Research Student Community blog for all other news, events and funding opportunities, including:

- [Cumberland Lodge Scholarship 2020-22](#)
- [Launch of the White Rose Gender Equality College](#)

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All these news items and more can be found on the [Research Student Community blog](#)

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