Budding Ideas: Research Showcase Event
Welcome to Budding Ideas, the University of Wollongong’s premier research showcase for 2014.

Order of Proceedings

5.00pm  Registration. Drinks and Canapés on arrival  |  McKinnon Building (67) foyer

5.30pm  Guests seated  |  67.104
Acknowledgement of Country  |  Master of Ceremonies Professor Aidan Sims
Welcome  |  Deputy-Vice Chancellor (Research) Professor Judy Raper

Budding Ideas talks commence

Why audio is the new black  |  Dr Siobhán McHugh
Paint the town RED  |  Associate Professor Peter Siminski
Powering Next Generation wind turbines  |  Dr Shahriar Hossain
Improving the health of people living with a mental illness  |  Dr Peter Kelly
How skin cells are changing the face of medical research  |  Dr Lezanne Ooi

7.00pm  Q&A moderated by Master of Ceremonies Professor Aidan Sims

7.15pm  Thanks and closing remarks  |  Vice-Chancellor Professor Paul Wellings, CBE
Networking and Drinks  |  67.104

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