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Freshen up your science

Plankton poo and global climate change, snakes, bees, trigger plants and microwaving wood. Get a quick dose of current research – in an understandable way - from several early-career researchers around Melbourne. Dr Andi from Triple R's Einstein-a-go-go science program will chair the session and field questions.

All have been participants in the Fresh Science program, a national competition held each year during National Science Week. Each year sixteen early-career scientists are flown to Melbourne for a day of media training and assistance with writing a press release. They learn how to present their work in ten minutes, five minutes and a 30-second radio grab; how to talk to the media, school students, university students and the general public down at the pub.

Science is accessible and understandable. Watch how it's done and freshen up your science at the same time. And yes – they will be timed!

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