



# My 2 Minute Project

THIRD EDITION

We present the **Terms and Conditions** of the activity entitled “**My 2 Minute Project - Third Edition**” It is promoted by Jóvenes Biofísicos - The Young Initiative on Biophysics (ORGANIZER). The intention of the proposal is to get to know what fellows and students in the area of biophysics are doing. We see this activity as an opportunity to build bridges across the young biophysical community worldwide. For this purpose, the participants have to send us a short video (2 minutes or less) presenting what their current or future project is about, in non-specific language, and we will upload it to our YouTube channel for everyone to see it. The video must not contain any results achieved so far (for reference watch: [https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLlw3sO69Ej1kcpvpKR-IRiR\\_6xn\\_nVHBr](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLlw3sO69Ej1kcpvpKR-IRiR_6xn_nVHBr))

Participants: All those who are carrying out research work for a bachelor's, master's, doctorate or post-doctorate in the area of biophysics or similar, and are part of a research group may participate in the "My 2 Minute Project - Third Edition" activity.

1) Registration to the activity:

To participate, one must complete the Registration Form: click [here](#).

After registration and until May 17th, the participant must send a **2 minutes MAXIMUM** video in order to be part of "My 2 Minute Project - Third Edition". Any extra seconds/minutes will be cropped from the video by the ORGANIZER.

2) About the video:

Every participant will have 2 minutes to provide a general explanation of their current or future project, in non-academic language. The focus of the video should be made on communication of science.

The video must contain the participant's full name, workplace, and contact details. Creativity is encouraged when making the video. The video file must be in **.mp4** format, other formats are **not** accepted. Participants sending the video in other formats will be asked to change it, no matter how close to the deadline the delivery is.

The language of the slides should preferably be English (not exclusive) to capture an international audience. The participant may speak in English, Spanish, or Portuguese. Every video received can then be used for publicity purposes by the ORGANIZER.

3) Certificates of the activity:

To obtain the certificate, the participants must have completed the registration for the activity, and sent their video in due time and form under the conditions specified here. The certificate is endorsed by the Argentinian Biophysical Society (SAB); the organization logo will be included.

4) Deadlines and important dates:

Videos will be received until **May 17th, 2021**. The ORGANIZER is not responsible for inconveniences in sending the video or for the delay or non-reception of registrations for the activity, caused by external factors. The video should be sent to the following address: [redes.yib@gmail.com](mailto:redes.yib@gmail.com).

The publication of the videos will be on **May 31th, 2021** in the organizing group's YouTube channel (@YoungBiophysics).

5) Prizes and review criteria and process:

The best presentation will be awarded with an invitation to give a presentation in the Young Biophysicists symposium in the virtual 2021 Annual Reunion of the Argentinian Biophysical Society (SAB).

The ORGANIZER will be in charge of choosing the best presentation based on the following parameters:

- Originality of the presentation.
- Quality of the explanation in non-specific language.
- Creativity in the video display.
- Fluidity of the explanation.
- Organization of the video.
- Rules compliances.
- Popularity of the video will be also taken into account but will not be determinant when choosing the winner of the contest.

Each video will be graded by three reviewers who will provide an overall score (sum of each category). The final score of the presentation will correspond to the average of the three overall scores provided by the reviewers. In the case of a draw, the videos will be evaluated by two extra reviewers who will add their score to the final average.

The winner and 2 runners-up will be announced in our social media by June 9th, 2021. An email will be sent to the winner and 2 runners-up about the decision on June 8th , 2021.

Both, the winner and runners-up, will receive an extra certificate.

6) Disclaimer:

By participating in the *"My 2 Minute Project - Third Edition"* activity, the participant agrees that the material sent can be published in our social media as a public video, as well as, he/she/they accepts that in the future it will be used as a promotion at the convenience of the ORGANIZER. The decisions of the ORGANIZER on each and every aspect of the promotion of the *"My 2*

*minute project*" will be final. The ORGANIZER will not be held responsible for inconveniences that may arise from the public dissemination of new or unpublished results.

Participation in this activity implies knowledge and full and unconditional acceptance of the Terms and Conditions established herein.

