



The IIMS hosted its 2025 *T1 to T4 in 3 (Minutes) Challenge* on October 3<sup>rd</sup>. This cross-collaborative event between the IIMS Community Health Advisory Board (CHAB), Community Engagement, and the Office of Research Education & Mentoring (OREM) gives community members and IIMS trainees a venue to present their research in 3 minutes to a live audience of community members, faculty, staff and students. Presenters use language and concepts that are easy to understand with 1 slide.



**Congratulations  
to our 2025  
Winners!**

Pictured from left to right.

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Ciera Price, MS - Translational Science PhD Program - *Smart Socket Improves Prosthesis Fit during Simulated Combat*
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: Anjali Sivaramakrishnan, PhD - K12 Scholar - *Exercise & Virtual Reality Games Can Improve Balance in Parkinson's*
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: W. Michael Brode, MD - K12 Scholar - *Building Trustworthy AI for Complex Illness*
- Community Award: Brittany Serna, BS, CHW - *Supercharging Community-Engaged Research with Authentic CHW Power*

Fourteen presenters (3 community and 11 students/trainee/junior investigators) shared their research findings with 82 online participants. Winners included: Ciera Price, Anjali Sivaramakrishnan, Michael Brode and Brittany Serna. Judges included Destiny Mujica, PhD – IIMS Community Health Advisory Board, Junda Woo, MD – Metro Health, and Camerino Salazar, PhD – Health Research in Action.



**Judges**

- Destiny Mujica, PhD – IIMS Community Health Advisory Board Member
- Junda Woo, MD – San Antonio Metropolitan Health District – Medical Director
- Camerino Salazar, PhD – Health Research in Action

The IIMS appreciates the support of the attendees, judges, and presenters. Thank you all for a great event!