

Title: Poster presentation tips from UofM students. How is presenting a poster different to a presentation?

Caption: (Daniel, Michelle and Olivia)

Speaker 1:

This panel way feels a bit more informal, to be honest.

We don't have as much pressure, particularly with the public needing to make sure we've mentioned all the theory; we've mentioned everything.

It's a lot more just getting across, being logistic across.

Caption: (Neil and Matthew)

Speaker 2:

It's a lot less formal, primarily.

It's really a matter of interpreting the audience ...'cause it's much more personal, right?

So, it's a matter of interpreting what the person you're presenting to is interested in and, yeah, adjusting your pitch from there.

Very much so.

Speaker 3:

You have to tailor it specifically to who you're talking to. It's a lot more of a conversation rather than an oral presentation.

Caption: (Yaameen and Andrea)

Speaker 4:

The order of presentation is [inaudible].

We had an oral presentation 2 weeks back and it's very formal and you're talking to a very technical, knowledgeable audience.

But [inaudible] just general then. We have school students, we have parents, we have supporters, we have industry people, so we have to modify our pitches in a couple of ways.

Caption: The University of Melbourne. Find more tips and advice on the Academic Skills website.