

# CWSF 2012 - Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island



## Mikaela Cockney-MacNeil

### Are You Sure?

**Challenge:** Health

**Category:** Intermediate

**Region:** Beaufort-Delta

**City:** Inuvik, NT

**School:** Samuel Hearne Secondary School

**Abstract:** People are susceptible to social informative conformity. I tested to see if males or females were more susceptible to this effect. Participants of both genders between 12-17 were randomly selected to partake in a two-day test. The test results showed all participants did 'second guess' themselves to some degree, in both episodic and semantic memory. It was much greater in males.

### Biography

Hello, my name is Mikaela Cockney-MacNeil, and I was born and raised in Inuvik, Northwest Territories. I like to figure skate and bake in my spare time. I am also very interested in psychology and sociology.

### Awards

### Value

Excellence Award - Intermediate - Bronze Medal Sponsor: Nuclear Waste Management Organization	\$300
Western University Scholarship Bronze Medallist - \$1000 Entrance Scholarship Sponsor: Western University	\$1 000
Total	\$1 300