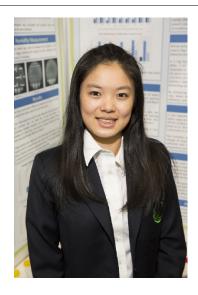




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Yoyo Ding

Inmeshtigation: comparison of water vapour collection of 3 mesh sizes

Challenge: Resources Category: Senior

Region: Greater Vancouver
City: Vancouver, BC
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Abstract: Fog harvesting is a technique that collects water with large mesh structures

in an environment with persistent fog. To investigate the relationship between mesh size and optimal water collection, this study tested three mesh sizes in a closed system that simulated a foggy environment. Surprisingly, the middle size was the most efficient, suggesting there is an

ideal mesh size to optimize water collection.

Biography

My name is Yoyo Ding, and I am currently a grade 11 student at Crofton House School in Vancouver. I am not only a figure skater, a pianist, an artist, and a mathematician, but also a student of science. My project focuses on fog harvesting system, a topic that I found through natural phenomenon of water condensation and landed on because of its potential real-world application. Despite the lots of fascinating knowledge I have learnt through this project, going forward, I want to dig deeper in the topics related to water resource management and extend my research beyond a specific technique. Creativity is a main component of my project, and it is definitely the most valuable in terms of extending my vision beyond the boundary. If students are considering doing science projects in the future, creativity should also be taken into consideration.

Awards	Value
Canadian Stockholm Junior Water Prize - Senior	\$2 000
Sponsor: Canadian WEF Member Associations, the Canadian Water and	
Wastewater Association, and Jacobs	
Excellence Award - Senior - Bronze Medal	
Sponsor: Youth Science Canada	
University of Ottawa Entrance Scholarship	\$1 000
Senior Bronze Medallist - \$1000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: University of Ottawa	
Western University Scholarship	\$1 000
Bronze Medallist - \$1000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: Western University	
Total	\$4 000





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