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5 October 2001  Dr Ian Conrich
Senior Lecturer in Film Studies
University of Surrey, Roehampton
*The World in One Country/One Country on the Edge of the World: Landscape, Spectacle and Space in New Zealand Cinema*

10 May 2002  Professor Robin Carrell FRS
Professor of Haematology, University of Cambridge
*Mad Cows and Englishmen*

4 October 2002  The Rt Hon Russell Marshall CNZM
HE The New Zealand High Commissioner
*Some Thoughts on Issues Confronting Higher Education in New Zealand*

9 May 2003  Professor James Croll
Professor of Civil Engineering, University College London
*High Tech or Mock Tech*

3 October 2003  Dame Judith Mayhew Jonas, DBE
Barrister & Solicitor (New Zealand), Solicitor (England & Wales)
*The City of London, a 21st Century Finance Centre: Europe, a New Zealander’s View*

30 April 2004  Professor Malcolm Grant CBE
Provost & President, University College London
*GM crops: handling science and public opinion in the UK and New Zealand*

8 October 2004  Dr F.B.Gibberd FRCP
*Chlorophyll – New Zealand’s Greatest Natural Asset*

13 May 2005  Delia Cato
DNA Development Manager for the Metropolitan Police
*DNA in Forensic Science*

7 October 2005  The Rt Hon Jonathan Hunt ONZ
HE The New Zealand High Commissioner
*MMP – New Zealand’s solution to representational government*

20 April 2006  Lt Col (Retd) Christopher Pugsley, D Phil
Senior Lecturer in War Studies, Royal Military Academy, Sandhurst
*Where is home? – The New Zealand Wartime Experience Abroad*

6 October 2006  Sir Graeme Davies BEng, PhD, MA, ScD, FREng, FRSE
President and Vice Chancellor, University of London
*Herding Cats – the Challenges of Managing Universities*

27 April 2007  Professor Susan Irvine
University College London
*Tramps in Jandals: How English is our English?*
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Professor of Experimental Philosophy and  
Deputy Director, Institute of Astronomy, University of Cambridge  
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14 March 2008  **Professor Quentin Pankhurst**  
Deputy Director of the London Centre for Nanotechnology and a  
Professor of Physics, University College London  
*Magnetic Healing – Fact or Fiction?*

6 June 2008  **Professor Michael Spiro**  
Emeritus professor of physical chemistry, Imperial College of London  
*Refugees in New Zealand – A Personal Story*

3 October 2008  **Professor Paul Gifford**  
SOAS (School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London  
*The Future of Christianity*

14 March 2009  **Mr Derek Leask**  
New Zealand High Commissioner to the United Kingdom and  
Ambassador to Ireland  
*Am I the Very Model of a Modern High Commissioner?*

5 June 2009  **Dr Nigel Harris**  
Violin Maker  
*From earthquakes to music: A life on the fiddle*

2 October 2009  **Professor David Miller**  
Institute of Neurology, UCL  
*Multiple sclerosis and a tale of two countries*

12 March 2010  **Murray Pickering QC**  
Reminiscences of a kiwi Commercial lawyer - New Zealand and UK.  
Similarities and differences between the life of a commercial lawyer in New Zealand and in England.

4 June 2010  **Geoff Sewell**  
Qualified chartered accountant, entrepreneur, CEO of Incognito Artists, trained professional tenor, owner of record label Sewell Music.  
*Pursue your passion and have it all*

1 October 2010  **Dr Cathy Ross**  
Director of Training and Senior Lecturer in Mission and World Christianity at London School of Theology  
*Separate Spheres or Shared Dominions?*

11 March 2011  **Felicity Lusk**  
Head, Abingdon Boys School  
*A Kiwi Abroad: life, education and hope*

10 June 2011  **Dr Gill Greer**  
Director-General IPPF  
*How would Katherine Mansfield's life have been different if International Planned Parenthood Federation had existed?*
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Professor of Health Policy and Director, Policy Research Unit in Policy Innovation Research
Joint Editor, *Journal of Health Services Research & Policy*
London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
*Reorienting the New Zealand health care system to meet the challenge of long-term conditions in a fiscally constrained environment*

8 July 2016  **Professor James Croll**
FREng, FICE, FIstructE
*From pavements to Pluto: explaining the forces that have shaped ours and other planets*

7 October 2016  **Bruce Simpson**
*You had me at Kia Ora*

3 March 2017  **Lady Alexandra Smith**
*London Life*

9 June 2017  **David Evans**
New Zealand Deputy High Commissioner to the UK
*China: trends/directions*

6 October 2017  **Prof Jeremy Farrar OBE, FRCP, FRS, FMedSci**
Director of the Wellcome Trust
*Wellcome and other projects*

9 March 2018  **The Venerable Jo Kelly-Moore**
Archdeacon of Canterbury
*From New Zealand to UK*

8 June 2018  **Andrew Roy**
Foreign Editor, BBC News
*The BBC, fake news, and the future of news*

5 October 2018  **Christina Barton**
Director of the Adam Art Gallery Te Pātaka Toi
*New World/Old World - Producing Art History in Aotearoa New Zealand*

8 March 2019  **Fritha Bevin-McCrimmon**
BEng (Civil) (Hons)
*Engineering world-wide: from New Zealand UC post-earthquake Student Army to English floods*

14 June 2019  **Dr Holly Mathieson**
PhD
*Stringing a violin with No. 8 wire*

4 October 2019  **Sarwat Tasneem**
FIntLM, MNLP, BA (Hons)
*A Sense of Belonging*

27 March 2020  **The Rt Hon Sir Jerry Mateparae**
GNZM, QSO, KSJ
*Impressions gathered as the UK Brexits the EU*