List of Speakers 1995 - present

13 October 1995  Mr Cameron Rose  
Housemaster, Eton  
_Eton: The New Zealand Connection_

17 May 1996  Dr Christopher de Hamel  
Specialist in Western Manuscripts, Sotheby's  
_Illuminated Medieval Manuscripts_

18 October 1996  Dr Ruth Brown  
Centre for Continuing Education, University of Sussex  
_Does New Zealand need a Conservative Rudder_

9 May 1997  Professor Lewis Wolpert CBE FRS  
Professor of Anatomy and Developmental Biology  
University College London  
_The Unnatural Nature of Science_

17 October 1997  Professor Andrew J Gurr  
Professor of English, University of Reading  
_The New Globe: Archaeology Past and to Come_

8 May 1998  Professor David E Williams  
Professor of Chemistry, University College London  
_Widgets to Measure the Chemical World Around Us_

16 October 1998  Dr Richard Grant  
HE The NZ High Commissioner  
_Lying Abroad for One's Country - Is Foreign Policy Necessary?_

7 May 1999  Professor W.R. (Twink) Allen  
Professor of Equine Reproduction, University of Cambridge  
_Horses, Camels and Elephants. They are all Big and Produce their Offspring in their Own Funny Ways_

15 May 1999  Mrs Jill McIvor CBE QSM  
Honorary Consul for New Zealand in Northern Ireland  
_The Rainmaker - John Balance and the Ulster-NZ Trust_

5 May 2000  The Rt. Hon. Paul Clayton East QC  
HE The New Zealand High Commissioner  
_Political Developments in New Zealand_

6 October 2000  Professor Elizabeth Croll  
School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London  
_The Endangered Daughters of Asia_
11 May 2001  Professor J Barry Dent  
Principal, Royal Agricultural College, Cirencester  
*The Evolving Context for Agriculture in the UK*

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 2001  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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5 October 2007  Professor Gerry Gilmore
Professor of Experimental Philosophy and
Deputy Director, Institute of Astronomy, University of Cambridge
*The Origin of the Universe and the Nature of Reality*

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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7 October 2011  Damian Grant  PhD PE  
Lecturer in Earthquake Engineering, UCL  
*Building Against Earthquakes – Lessons from Christchurch*

9 March 2012  Prof Robin Clark  CNZM FRS  
Sir William Ramsay Professor Emeritus of Chemistry, UCL  
*Science Meets Art*

15 June 2012  Prof Janet Wilson  
Professor English-Post Colonial Studies, University of Northampton  
*From Medieval English to Postcolonial Studies*

5 October 2012  Sir John Buchanan  
Chairman, ARM  
*A View from the Boardroom: Successes and Challenges*

8 March 2013  Dr Gerri Kimber  
University of Northampton, Senior Lecturer (English)  
*Creating the Edinburgh Edition of the Collected Works of Katherine Mansfield*

7 June 2013  Tom Mockridge  
CEO, Virgin Media  
*Tom Mockridge in Penthouse rendezvous!*

4 October 2013  HE the High Commissioner for New Zealand, Rt Hon Sir Lockwood Smith  KNZM, PhD  
High Commissioner of New Zealand to the United Kingdom  
*Initial impressions of new post.*

7 March 2014  Murray Rowlands  
Author  
*Innocents into War*

6 June 2014  Margaret Harvey, MNZM, MW  
Master of Wine  
*New Zealand Wines in the UK*

3 October 2014  Andrew Macdonald, PhD  
Military Historian  
*WW1 New Zealand*

6 March 2015  Bronwen Horton  
Founder, New Zealand Business Women’s Network, New Zealander of the Year (UK), 2013  
*Making It Happen – the Story So Far*

5 June 2015  Brigadier Antony Hayward, ONZM  
BA (Hons), MA  
*100 Years On – A Contemporary View On Anzacs in WW1*
8 April 2016  Professor Nicholas Mays  
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, FInstP  
*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*