

# UCL LUNCH HOUR LECTURES SPRING 2013

## **JANUARY**

Tuesday 8 January

From Bletchley Park to modern computing – the value of Twitter

Dr Sue Black (UCL Computer Science)

Tuesday 15 January

Gower Street to Euston Square: A local history of the Underground

**Professor Richard Dennis** (UCL Geography)

Thursday 17 January

Obama's America: the significance of the 2012 elections

Professor Iwan Morgan (UCL Institute of the Americas)

Tuesday 22 January

Science for everyone by everyone – the re-emergence of citizen science

Professor Muki Haklay (UCL Civil, Environmental & Geomatic Engineering)

Thursday 24 January

**Xtreme Everest 2** Research Expedition

Dr Ned Gilbert (UCL Centre for Altitude Space & Extreme Environmental Medicine)

Tuesday 29 January

Where to give birth, at home or in a hospital? Does it matter?

Professor Peter Brocklehurst (UCL Institute of Women's Health)

Thursday 31 January

Framing the digital: materialising new media

**Professor Susan Collins** (UCL Slade School of Fine Art)

### **FEBRUARY**

Tuesday 5 February

Gravity and continuum

Dr Christian Boehmer (UCL MAPS)

Thursday 7 February

The influence of Islam on science

Dr William MacLehose (UCL Science & Technology Studies)

Tuesday 19 February

Can the Eurozone crisis be solved?

Professor Wendy Carlin (UCL Economics)

Thursday 21 February

A diet to treat aging

Dr Matt Piper (UCL Institute of Healthy Aging)

Tuesday 26 February

By the donzerly light: When our ears play tricks on us

**Professor Andrew Nevins** (UCL Division of Psychology & Language Sciences)

Thursday 28 February

Genomics and healthcare

Professor Aroon Hingorani (UCL Institute of Cardiovascular Science)

#### **MARCH**

Tuesday 5 March

Civil Engineers against the double negative

Professor Chris Wise (UCL Civil, Environmental & Geomatic Enineering)

Thursday 7 March

Scandinavian crime fiction and the end of the welfare state

Dr Jakob Stougaard-Nielsen (UCL Scandinavian Studies)

Tuesday 12 March

Stuff matters

Professor Mark Miodownik (UCL Mechanical Engineering)

Thursday 14 March

Cigarettes: the most successful product ever

Professor Allan Hackshaw (UCL Cancer Institute)









### **VISITOR INFORMATION**

1.15–1.55pm Tuesdays and Thursdays Darwin Lecture Theatre Free and open to all with no need to book. Places are on a first-come, first-served basis.

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