



## U3A Dunedin

### 2020 Zoom Lecture Series

- Title**            **Nobel Prizes 2018 – 2019**
- Dates**           **Tuesday 16 June – 21 July 2020**
- Time**            **2 – 3 pm**
- Venue**           **On the internet as a Zoom meeting**
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- Course Fee**     **Free to any member**

The award of a Nobel Prize is the pinnacle in academic achievement. This lecture series will cover the background and content of six selected 2018 and 2019 awards in chemistry, physics, physiology/medicine, literature, economics and peace. All presenters for this course are from the University of Otago.

If possible, a recording of each Zoom lecture will be made available through the U3A Dunedin website for later viewing.

Please contact the Programme Secretary [courses@u3adunedin.org.nz](mailto:courses@u3adunedin.org.nz), phone 467 2594 with any queries.

## Nobel Prizes 2018 – 2019

- 16 June**      **Introduction to the Nobel Prizes and the 2018 Literature prize fiasco – the prize that didn't get awarded until 2019**  
*-Associate Professor Barrie Peake (Retired)*
- 23 June**      **2018 Chemistry – Taking control of evolution**  
*-Associate Professor Craig Marshall, Department Biochemistry*
- 30 June**      **2019 Economics – An experimental approach to alleviating global poverty**  
*-Professor Stephen Knowles, Department of Economics*
- 7 July**        **2019 Physics – Evolution of the universe**  
*-Professor David Hutchinson, Department of Physics*
- 14 July**      **2019 Physiology / Medicine – How cells sense and adapt to oxygen availability**  
*-Associate Professor Daryl Schwenke, Department of Physiology*
- 21 July**      **2019 Peace – The Ethiopia-Eritrea conflict and the role of cross-border cooperation in achieving peace and security**  
*-Shirley Gabriella Achieng, National Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies*

### How to join one or more of these lectures

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To avoid overcrowding the screen, your audio and video will be turned off during the lecture. You will see and hear the speaker, but the speaker won't see or hear you. Written questions can still be submitted via the Zoom "Chat" function.