



U3A Dunedin

2020 Series 3 Course B

Title	Passionate Pursuits of the University of Otago Sesquicentennial Distinguished Chairs
Date	Tuesdays 13 October – 27 October 2020 (Note: 3 weeks only)
Time	2.15 – 4.15 pm
Venue	Otago Golf Club, 125 Balmacewen Road, Dunedin
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Course fee	\$25
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As part of its 150 year celebrations, the University of Otago has recently appointed each of a number of its most internationally-acclaimed scholars to a four year role of Sesquicentennial Distinguished Chair. In this course, each of these scholars will talk about their passions in teaching, research, service and outreach to the community.

All applications must be received by **Thursday 17 September 2020**. You will receive a response to your application by **Monday 28 September 2020**.

Please contact the Programme Secretary courses@u3adunedin.org.nz, phone 467 2594 with any queries.

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13 October

Covid-19 and the emerging global order

-Professor Robert Patman, Department of Politics

Māori law: the continuing relevance of Aotearoa New Zealand's first laws

-Professor Jacinta Ruru, Faculty of Law

20 October

The cousin marriage controversy: inbreeding, eugenics and genetics

-Professor Hamish Spencer, Department of Zoology

Future fuels

-Professor Sally Brooker, Department of Chemistry

27 October

Life in the antimicrobial resistance and Covid-19 pandemics: is it all gloom and doom?

-Professor Greg Cook, Department of Microbiology and Immunology

Melding reproductive and genomic science for pest eradication and control

-Professor Neil Gemmell, Department of Anatomy