Vancouver Institute Fall 1999 Program

* Free Public Lectures *

Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

General Information

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Lecture Times

Saturday evenings, 8:15 p.m. Doors open 7:30 p.m.

The Fall 1999 season comprises ten lectures, from 25 September to 4 December.

Fall 1999 Lecture Schedule

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Lecture Schedules

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How to join: If you have a Vancouver Institute brochure, you can fill out the contained form and mail it with a cheque to the indicated address; otherwise you can simply come to a lecture, well ahead of the lecture time (there may be a lineup) with the membership fee.

How to get there.

About The Vancouver Institute. Complete list of lecture titles, from 1916 to the present.


The lectures are in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia. When necessary, neighbouring overflow halls in the Centre, with closed-circuit TV, are used, and the speaker visits each hall during the question period.

Seats in the front half of the main hall are reserved for members until fifteen minutes before the starting time, and a few seats are reserved for specific people. Seating is otherwise first-come, first-served.
Mr. Sam McKinney Lecture

Mr. Sam McKinney
Maritime Museum
Vancouver

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on September 25 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

Our West Coast Heritage: Captains Cook, Vancouver, and Bligh

Formerly coordinator of the Columbia River Heritage Program in Portland, Oregon, Mr. McKinney earned his credentials as a maritime historian the hard way, "by first-hand, wet and cold voyages that retrace the routes of various explorations." Twice, by small boat, he traced George Vancouver's 1792 circumnavigation around Vancouver Island, and completed a 5,200 mile boat voyage across North America that traced the Lewis and Clark homeward bound trek of 1806. His publications include Bligh, A True Account of the Mutiny Aboard HMS Bounty and Reach of Tide, Ring of History, a narrative history of the Columbia River. Mr. McKinney's lecture coincides with the visit of a replica of Captain Cook's ship HMS Endeavour to Vancouver this fall.

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Professor John Lampe Lecture

Professor John Lampe
Department of History
University of Maryland

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on October 2 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

Crisis and Challenge in Southeast Europe: After the War in Kosovo

An expert on Eastern Europe and the Balkans, Professor Lampe appears regularly on National Public Radio and on American and Canadian television. He has chaired the Russian Area Studies Program at the University of Maryland and has been Director of the East European Studies program of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars in Washington since 1987. He was adjunct chair of Balkan Area Studies at the Foreign Service Institute of the Department of State from 1980 to 1988 and editor of the comparative studies segment of Southeastern Europe from 1976 to 1980. This lecture is co-sponsored by the Institute for European Studies and St. John's College at UBC as well as Simon Fraser University's Research Institute on Southeastern Europe.

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Professor Geoff Eley Lecture

Professor Geoff Eley
Department of History
University of Michigan (Ann Arbor)

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on October 16 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

CECIL AND IDA GREEN LECTURE

History and Cinema: Imagining Britain's Past

Educated at Sussex and Oxford University, Professor Eley taught at Cambridge before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1979. He is one of the most prominent, influential and controversial specialists on the history of modern Germany, having authored 11 books and over 200 scholarly articles and reviews on this subject and related historical issues. Professor Eley has recently broadened his scope of research and intellectual inquiry to focus on the nature of social and cultural history and the role of the media, including film, in shaping and perpetuating knowledge and images of the past.

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Dean Daniel Muzyka Lecture

Dean Daniel Muzyka
Faculty of Commerce
University of British Columbia

will be addressing the [Vancouver Institute](http://vaninst.ca/VbMuzyka.html) on **October 23** at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the [Woodward Instructional Resources Centre](http://vaninst.ca/VbMuzyka.html), University of British Columbia.

**Building the Adaptive Corporation**

UBC's new Dean of Commerce, Dr. Daniel Muzyka, was educated at Wharton and the Harvard Business School. A passionate believer in a strong and mutually productive dialogue between academics and business people, he has roots in both communities, having worked for G.E. and more recently as associate dean of the MBA program at INSEAD, one of Europe's most prestigious business schools. Dr. Muzyka has devoted his research to the study of entrepreneurship - the prime moving force behind all economic activity. Dr. Muzyka's research has focused on how companies can maintain the entrepreneurial spirit throughout their evolution and how to help the corporation adapt better in the modern, dynamic and highly competitive global environment.

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Professor Rod Preece Lecture

Professor Rod Preece
Department of Political Science
Wilfred Laurier University

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on October 30 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

Life in Harmony With Animals and Nature: Contemporary Cultural Myths

Professor Preece holds a doctoral degree from the University of Leicester and has taught at the universities of Surrey and Leicester, Mannheim and Waterloo. In addition to his position at Wilfred Laurier University, he is Maurice Young Invited Research Scholar in the Centre for Applied Ethics at UBC. Professor Preece is the author, co-author and editor of books on German politics, European socialization, animal welfare, and political theory. His most recent book: Animals and Nature: Cultural Myths, Cultural Realities, just published by UBC Press is the product of six years of intensive research into comparative religion, literature, philosophy, anthropology, mythology, ethology, and animal welfare science.

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Professor Daniel Pauly Lecture

Professor Daniel Pauly
Fisheries Centre
University of British Columbia

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on November 6 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

Global Fisheries and Marine Conservation: Is Co-existence Possible?

Daniel Pauly is a French citizen who grew up in the French-speaking part of Switzerland, but completed high school and university studies in the Federal Republic of Germany, where he acquired a Diplom in 1974 and a Doctorate in Fisheries Biology in 1979 at the University of Kiel. In 1979, he joined the International Center for Living Aquatic Resources Management (ICLARM), in Manila, Philippines, as a Postdoctoral Fellow, and gradually took responsibilities as Associate, and Senior Scientist, then Program and Division Director. In 1985 he obtained the Habilitation, again at Kiel University. In 1994, he became a professor at the Fisheries Centre, UBC. His scientific output, covering fish biology, fisheries management and ecosystem modeling, comprises over 350 items.

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- http://fisheries.com/members/pauly.html His web site at the UBC Fisheries Centre.
Dr. Ian McDonald Lecture

Dr. Ian McDonald
Royal College of Physicians
London, England

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on November 13 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

Multiple Sclerosis

Considered one of the world's leading experts on multiple sclerosis, Dr. McDonald was born and educated in New Zealand. He currently holds positions at the Royal College in London; University College, London; University of Dusseldorf and Yale University. He is President-Elect of the World Congress of Neurology, and holds honorary memberships in the neurological associations of the United Kingdom, United States, Russia, Australia, Canada, Germany, Switzerland and the Czech Republic. Dr. McDonald has received numerous international awards in recognition of his outstanding contributions to medicine, and he has edited nine books and authored over 250 research articles, reviews and book chapters.

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Dr. Sam Ting Lecture

Dr. Sam Ting
Nobel Laureate in Physics
Department of Physics
Massachusetts Institute of Technology

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on November 20 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

The Search For Antimatter in Space

One of the most exciting physicists active today, Dr. Ting was raised in mainland China and Taiwan and, at the age of 20, emigrated to the U.S. He received his doctorate from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Dr. Ting won the Nobel prize for the discovery of the charmed quark, one of Nature's basic building blocks. He is the leader of the largest experiment -- involving an international team of about 500 physicists -- at CERN, the European laboratory for particle physics in Geneva, Switzerland. He is also the leader of a novel experiment which placed a large magnet in orbit around the earth. This experiment has just produced its first results in the search for anti-matter and other particles beyond the earth's atmosphere.

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Dr. Mieke Bal Lecture

Dr. Mieke Bal
Professor of Theory of Literature
University of Amsterdam

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on November 27 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

CECIL AND IDA GREEN LECTURE

Performing Art: Images As Cultural Interventions

An extraordinary interdisciplinary scholar of international stature, Professor Bal currently holds three positions: Chair of Theory of Literature at the University of Amsterdam, Founding Director of the Amsterdam School for Cultural Analysis, and Adjunct Visiting Professor of Visual and Cultural Studies at the University of Rochester, New York. Her work covers a broad spectrum of advanced theoretical research, encompassing narrative theory and semiotics, the Old Testament, and visual art and cultural analysis. Her books have been translated into many languages, including German, Spanish, and Chinese. Dr. Bal's lecture style has been described as "electrifying."

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Dr. Doris Kavanagh-Gray Lecture

Dr. Doris Kavanagh-Gray
Former Head, Department of Cardiology
St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver

will be addressing the Vancouver Institute on December 4 at 8:15 p.m. in Lecture Hall No. 2 in the Woodward Instructional Resources Centre, University of British Columbia.

Coronary Heart Disease: Does Gender Make a Difference?

Dr. Kavanagh-Gray received her M.D. from Ottawa University and became founder and head of St. Paul's Hospital Division of Cardiology in 1963. She was a Clinical Professor in UBC's Department of Medicine from 1981-1997. Dr. Kavanagh-Gray has received numerous honours in recognition of her outstanding achievements, and has on three separate occasions been nominated for the Vancouver YWCA "Women of Distinction" award. She has been invited to lecture in Shanghai and Beijing, and has been part of a Canadian medical advisory delegation to Poland.

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