

# Community Lecture Series

## Winnipeg 150!

This Community Lecture Series celebrates Winnipeg - past, present, and future - and the people that make this City so unique.

Fall 2024 Season



Andrew Frey | Physics

### Winnipeg's Nobel Laureate (Physics 2019)

October 17th  
6:00-7:00 p.m.

Half of the 2019 Nobel Prize in Physics was awarded to Jim Peebles of Princeton University – who was born and raised in Winnipeg. We will look at his life story, the scientific importance of his work, and why this was a special Nobel Prize.

Melissa Funke | Classics

### The Lux Project: Bringing Ancient Artefacts to Winnipeg and Beyond

November 14th  
6:00-7:00 p.m.

Since 2018, student volunteers at the University of Winnipeg have been researching a collection of Egyptian antiquities known as the Hetherington Collection. This talk will recount the fascinating history of these objects and efforts to share their story with Winnipeg. Replica objects will be available to handle and learn from in this talk

Emma Alexander | History

### Winnipeg Histories with a South Asian Lens: 60 years of Building Community and Sharing Culture

November 27th  
12:00-1:00 p.m.

An increasing number of Winnipeggers are of South Asian descent. This talk is an overview of their struggles and successes and the ways in which Winnipeg has changed them, and they have changed Winnipeg.



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All events held at **The Cornish Library** (20 West Gate) and are free to be enjoyed by the public.