

Wednesday 9th November

J Sheehan MA, BA

Writing Nightmares: An Exploration of modern Dystopian Fiction

The lecture will explore the real-world events that inspired some of the great dystopian literature of the 20th and 21st centuries and what inspired the writers to tell their grim tales. Further, we can explore what dystopian fiction could look like in 2022 and how students can write their own dystopian fiction.

Wednesday 23rd November

Joshua Currie MSci Chemistry in Metamorphic Rocks

What happens to a certain rare element when a piece of ocean crust is sunk into the earth, and re-emerges millions of years later?

Wednesday 30th November

David Stefanyszyn

Exploring our Universe: from subatomic particles to supermassive black holes

In this talk I will take you on a journey covering what we know about our Universe on sizes larger than galaxies to sizes smaller than atoms. The talk will cover how we believe the Universe began, what we know about some of its most fascinating objects such as supermassive black holes, and how we learn about what is happening on the smallest imaginable distances by building huge experiments that smash particles together at tremendous speeds.

Wednesday 7th December

Joanna Coates

Former CEO UK Athletics

Former CEO England Netball

This lecture will explore what it takes to make it as a female CEO in a male dominated sector. It will explore the inner workings of running professional sport from working with the athletes to dealing with the board. Joanna will talk students through her career journey from the very bottom to the very top!