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Alan Saunders Memorial Lecture



Alan Saunders 1954 - 2012

Alan Saunders was a prince among broadcasters.

'Of all the journalists I've ever met, he had the deepest love of, and also understanding of, philosophy, and his passion

for ideas made doing a program with him a highlight of one's year - even long distance by phone, and even more in person in the studio. What he brought to public discussion was priceless.'

Martha Nussbaum, University of Chicago

In recognition of his enduring work, the Australian Broadcasting Corporation, in association with the Australasian Association of Philosophy presents an annual Alan Saunders Memorial Lecture. The lecture aims to spread the joy of philosophy and make it accessible to the wider public.

2023 **Krushil Watene** Ngāti Manu, Te Hikutu, Ngāti Whātua Ōrākei, Tonga, University of Auckland
Waipapa Taumata Rau

2022 **Bryan Mukandi** University of Queensland
Normal and the White Fantastic

2021 **Stephen Gardiner** University of Washington
Climate Crisis & Institutional Denialism

2019 **Alison Wylie** University of British Columbia
Witnessing and Translating: The Indigenous/Science Project

2018 **Serene Khader** Brooklyn College,
CUNY Graduate Centre
What is Global Women's Empowerment?

2017 **Nancy Sherman** Georgetown University
Afterwar: Contemporary and Ancient Lessons on
Moral Injury and Healing

2016 **Susan Wolf** The University of North Carolina
The Ethics of Being a Foodi

2015 **Cordelia Fine** University of Melbourne
The Gender Galaxy Beyond Mars & Venus:
Insights for Science and Society

2014 **Philip Pettit** Princeton University
A Brief History of Liberty: And its Lessons

2013 **Simon Blackburn** University of Cambridge
Is Science All We Need To Understand Human Nature?



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