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The Annual Research Lectureship

Selection of a faculty scholar to deliver the Annual Research Lecture is one of the highest honors the University of New Mexico bestows on its colleagues. The purpose of the lectureship is to encourage research and creative work on the University campus.

1954 Professor Leslie Spier, Anthropology, "Some Aspects of the Nature of Culture"

1955 Professor Henry Welhofen, Law, "Crime, Law and Psychiatry"

1956 Professor Edward F. Castetter, Biology, "The Vegetation of New Mexico"

1957 Professor France V. Scholes, History, "The Spanish Conqueror as a Business Man: A Chapter in the Life of Hernando Cortez"

1958 Professor Lincoln LaPaz, Astronomy, "Some Aspects of Meteoritics"

1959 Professor William J. Parish, Business Administration, "The German Jew and the Commercial Revolution in Territorial New Mexico"

1960 Professor Victor H. Regener, Physics, "Science in Space"

1961 Professor Stuart A. Northrop, Geology, "New Mexico’s Fossil Record"

1962 Professor Thomas M. Pearce, English, "The Lure of Names"

1963 Professor Ralph D. Norman, Psychology, "Intelligence Tests and the Personal World"

1964 Professor Milton Kahn, Chemistry, "Radioisotopes in the Study of Unweighable Amounts of Matter"

1965 Professor Edwin Lieuwen, History, "Men on Horseback: The Latin-American Military Elites"
1966  Professor Richard C. Dove, Mechanical Engineering, "Advances in Man's Ability to Measure His Environment"

1967  Professor Stanley S. Newman, Anthropology, "Relativism in Language and Culture"

1968  Professor Archie J. Bahm, Philosophy, "Philosophy-1968"

1970  Professor Gerald Nash, History, "The American West in the 20th Century"

1971  Professor James Yao, Civil Engineering, "Earthquake Engineering and Structural Safety"

1973  Professor Hugh M. Miller, Music, "Humor in Music"

1974  Professor Frank A. Logan, Psychology, "Learning Theory and Higher Education"

1975  Professor Ralph C. Williams, Jr., M.D., Medicine, "Suppressor T-cells: Their Possible Relationship to Autoimmunity and Cancer"

1976  Professor Clinton Adams, Art, "Mind, Eye, Hand and Stone"
       Professor Garo Z. Antreasian, Art, "Some Aspects of Process and History in My Work"

1977  Professor Martin C. Needler, Political Science and Sociology, "The Logic of Conspiracy: The Latin American Military Coup as a Problem in the Social Sciences"

1978  Professor Henry C. Ellis, Psychology, "Strategies and Flexibility in Human Memory"

1979  Professor R. Philip Eaton, M.D., Medicine, "Problems in Human Biology: The Necessity for Collaborative Research"

1980  Professor Raymond R. MacCurdy, Modern and Classical Languages, "Don Francisco de Rojas Zorrilla, Seventeenth Century Spanish Dramatist and Feminist"

1981  Professor Klaus Keil, Geology and the Institute of Meteoritics, "Meteorites: The Asteroid Connection"

1982  Professor Hamlin Hill, English and American Studies, "Huckleberry Finn's Humor Today"

1983  Professor Beaumont Newhall, Art History and Photography, "The Unreality of Photography"

1984  Professor Lewis R. Binford, Anthropology, Acting Director of the Maxwell Museum of Anthropology, "Changing Views of the Human Past"
1985  Professor Howard C. Bryant, Physics and Astronomy, "A Physicist's Journal: From the Glory to the Two-Electron Ion"

1986  Professor Randy Thornhill, Biology, "Sexual Selection: The Nature of the Traits it Favors and What Controls its Operation"

1987  Professor Marlan O. Scully, Physics and the Center for Advanced Studies, "From Laser Physics to the Life Sciences: The Ramblings of a Quantum Cowboy"

1988  Professor Ellen H. Goldberg, Microbiology, "Genetic Basis of Sexual Expression"

1989  Professor Rudolfo A. Anaya, English, "Aztlan: A Homeland Without Boundaries"

1990  Professor Jonathan M. Samet, M.D., Medicine, "The Hazards of Breathing: Cigarette Smoking, Radon, and Public Policy"

1991  Professor Richard W. Etulain, History, "Reimagining the American West: Toward a Postregional Culture"

1992  Professor William R. Miller, Psychology and Psychiatry, "The Value of Being Wrong: Two Decades of Unexpected Findings in Treating Alcohol Problems"


1994  Professor Albert E. Utton, Director, U.S.-Mexico Transboundary Resource Center, "Water in the Arid Southwest: An International Region Under Stress"

1995  Professor Robert T. Paine, Chemistry, "Exercises in Molecular Assembly: Some Designs and Accidents"

1996  Professor Kathryn G. Vogel, Biology, "The Extracellular Matrix of Connective Tissue: Studying the Sticky Stuff"

1997  Professor Louise Lamphere, Anthropology, "From Mill Town to Multinational: Gender, Family and Policy in Working Class Communities"

1998  Professor Vera John-Steiner, Language, Literacy and Socio-cultural Studies, "Creativity and Collaboration: A Socio-cultural Approach"

1999  Professor James Brown, Biology, "The Scale of Life: Of All Creatures Great and Small"

2000  Professor Linda Biesele Hall, History, "The Virgin Mary, Coatlicue, and Pachamama: Thoughts on the Sacred Feminine in Latin America"

2001  Professor Mohamed S. El-Genk, Chemical and Nuclear Engineering, "Space Exploration: A Journey into the Future"

2002  Regents' Professor Everett M. Rogers, Communication and Journalism, "Applications of the Diffusion Model: Spread and Consequences of the Internet"
2003  Distinguished Professor Jane E. Buiksta, Anthropology, "Dialogues with the Dead: Mummies, Monuments, and Mallquis"

2004  Professor Joan Bybee, Linguistics,"Say It Again: How Usage Shapes Language"

2005  Professor Nitant Kenkre, Physics and Astronomy,"Movers and Shakers in Physics and Biology"

2006  Professor Jean-Claude Diels, Physics and Astronomy and Electrical and Computer Engineering, "Laser Light: Sensing nano changes with the lightest touch, and creating power threads in light tunnels—a Prometheus’ destiny"

2007  Professor Clifford Dahm, Biology, “Reflections Upon the Science of Water in the New Mexico Year of Water”

2008  Professor Larry Sklar, Pathology and Pharmacy, "Team Science: Partnerships for Innovation, Discovery, and Translation"


2010  Regents’ Professor Christopher Shultis, Music, “The Dialectics of Experimentalism ”

2011  Professor Philip May, Sociology and the Center on Alcoholism, Substance Abuse, and Addictions, "Adventures in Public Health Research: Four Decades of Shoe-Leather Epidemiology and Prevention"