

2018 Canada Gairdner Global Health Lecture Series

Planetary health through food and microbes

Friday May 4, 2018

Western University, Arts & Humanities Building, Room 1R40

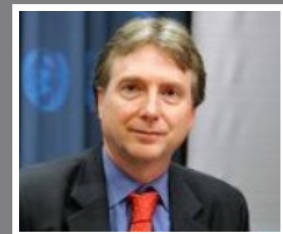
Please note that the room is limited to the first 300 attendees.

- 12:45 p.m.** **Welcome** from David Hill, Lawson Health Research Institute and Michael Strong, Western University.
- 12:55 p.m.** **Setting the scene.**
Gregor Reid, Western University and Lawson Health Research Institute.
- 1:00 p.m.** **Reality check from a conflict zone. A Doctor without Borders.**
Bing Gan, Lawson Health Research Institute.
- 1:30 p.m.** **New ways to manage infectious diseases.**
Charu Kaushic, McMaster University.
- 2:00 p.m.** **Microbes and nutrition for infant development and cognitive function.**
Kristin Connor, University of Toronto.
- 2:30 p.m.** **Saving the planet with microbes for people, bees, soil, and processing waste.** *Greg Gloor, Western University.*
- 3:00 p.m.** Break
- 3:30 p.m.** **Probiotic fermented food for 250,000 people in Africa.**
Remco Kort, Yoba-for-life, Netherlands.
- 4:00 p.m.** **The business case for empowering the poor.**
Nicole Haggerty, Western University.

4:30 p.m. **Gairdner Global Health Lecture:**

Introduction: *Janet Rossant, President, Gairdner Foundation.*

Food for 9.7 billion people. *Rob Vos, Director Markets, Trade and Institutions, International Food Policy Research Institute, Washington D.C.*



- 5:30 p.m.** **Open Forum**
- 5:45 p.m.** **Reception featuring local fermented foods.**
- 6:30 p.m.** **Meeting adjourns.**

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