

# THE NSW SCIENCE & RESEARCH BREAKFAST SEMINAR SERIES

The 2024 NSW Science & Research Breakfast Seminar Series showcases the work of some of our best and brightest minds, highlighting the state's incredible strength across research, innovation and entrepreneurship.

Hosted by the Office of the NSW Chief Scientist & Engineer, each seminar attracts up to 350 leaders from government, business and industry, academia and the R&D community in NSW – educating and inspiring them about the innovative R&D projects happening in our own backyard.

## 2024 SPEAKERS



2023 NSW Scientist of the Year

Wednesday, 6 March

*What the Ocean tells us  
about Climate Change*

**Professor Trevor McDougall**  
UNSW Sydney



Wednesday, 1 May

*A New Approach to Industrial  
Production of Green Hydrogen: Bubble-  
Free Capillary Water Electrolysis*

**Professor Gerry Swiegers**  
Chief Technical Officer, Hysata Pty Ltd  
and the University of Wollongong



Wednesday, 19 June

*Big Data and Artificial Intelligence:  
Driving the Personalised Medicine  
of the Future*

**Associate Professor Fatemeh Vafae**  
UNSW Sydney



Wednesday, 14 August

*Biodiversity, Bilbies and  
Battling Extinction*

**Dr Carolyn Hogg**  
The University of Sydney



Wednesday, 6 November

*Optimising Brain Health for  
Dementia Prevention*

**Professor Sharon Naismith**  
The University of Sydney



Wednesday, 4 December

*The Transformative Nature of mRNA  
and how it is Revolutionising Medicine  
beyond Vaccines*

**Dr Daniel Getts**  
CEO, Myeloid Pty Ltd



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The 2024 NSW Science & Research Breakfast Seminar Series is being held at The Strangers' Function Room at Parliament of New South Wales. Entry is via Macquarie Street, Sydney. Guests entering Parliament of NSW are required to undergo routine security screening.

Breakfast, tea and coffee is served from 7.30am. Seminars commence at 8am sharp and conclude by 9am. For more information, please contact (02) 9228 5762.

To register to attend the seminars, click on [chiefscientist.nsw.gov.au/breakfast](https://chiefscientist.nsw.gov.au/breakfast) and follow the links.