

Philip Leverhulme Prize Winners 2014

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Professor Michael Brockhurst

Department of Biology, University of York
Evolutionary biology and experimental evolution

Dr Elizabeth Murchison

Department of Veterinary Medicine, University of Cambridge
Cancer genetics

Professor Ewa Paluch

MRC Laboratory for Molecular Cell Biology, University College London
Cell biophysics

Dr Thomas Richards

School of Biosciences, University of Exeter
Evolutionary genomics of eukaryotic cellular complexity and microbial diversity

Dr Nikolay Zenkin

Institute for Cell and Molecular Biosciences, Newcastle University
Biochemistry and molecular biology of gene expression

HISTORY

Dr Manuel Barcia Paz

School of Languages, Cultures and Societies, University of Leeds
Atlantic slavery and slave trade history; Brazil and Cuba (19th century)

Dr Aaron Moore,

School of Arts, Languages and Cultures, University of Manchester
Comparative history of East Asia

Dr Renaud Morieux

Faculty of History, University of Cambridge
Anglo-French relations in the 18th century in Europe and empires

Dr Hannah Skoda

Faculty of History, University of Oxford
Medieval socio-cultural history, particularly violence and reactions to change

Dr David Trippett

Department of Music, University of Bristol
Music history, 19th-C intellectual history, aesthetics and media theory

MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

Dr Alexandros Beskos

Department of Statistical Science, University College London
Computational statistics and Monte-Carlo methods

Dr Daniel Kral

Mathematics Institute and Department of Computer Science, University of Warwick
Graph theory, extremal combinatorics and theoretical computer science

Dr David Loeffler

Mathematics Institute, University of Warwick
and

Dr Sarah Zerbes

Department of Mathematics University College London
Number theory

Professor Richard Samworth

Department of Pure Mathematics and Mathematical Statistics, University of Cambridge
Nonparametric and high-dimensional statistics

Dr Corinna Ulcigrai

School of Mathematics, University of Bristol
Dynamical systems and ergodic theory

PHILOSOPHY AND THEOLOGY

Dr Jonathan Birch

Department of Philosophy, Logic and Scientific Method, London School of Economics and Political Science
Philosophy of the biological and behavioural sciences

Dr Tim Button

Faculty of Philosophy, University of Cambridge
Metaphysics, philosophies of logic, language, and mathematics

Professor Ofra Magidor

Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford
Philosophy of logic and language, metaphysics, epistemology and philosophy of mathematics

Dr Anna Mahtani

Department of Philosophy, Logic and Scientific Method, London School of Economics and Political Science
Philosophy of probability and philosophy of logic and language

Dr Holger Michael Zellentin

Department of Theology and Religious Studies, University of Nottingham
Qur'anic Studies and Jewish Studies.

LAW

Professor Alan Bogg

Faculty of Law, University of Oxford
International, European and Comparative Labour Law

Dr Prabha Kotiswaran

Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London

Feminist legal theory, criminal law, rape, trafficking, sex work, sexual violence, and the sociology of law

Dr Sarah Nouwen

Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge
International criminal law, the intersections of law and politics and peace processes

Professor Erika Rackley

Birmingham Law School, University of Birmingham
Gender and diversity in the judiciary and legal profession

Dr Michael Waibel

Lauterpacht Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge
International (economic) law, international dispute settlement, law and economics

SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL POLICY

Dr Lucie Cluver

Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford
Preventing HIV-infection and reducing social disadvantage for AIDS affected children

Dr Hazem Kandil

Sociology Department, University of Cambridge
Revolution and war in the modern Middle East, France and the US

Dr Victoria Redclift

Department of Sociology, University of Surrey
The sociology of migration and political exclusion

Dr Katherine Smith

School of Social and Political Science, University of Edinburgh
Public health and inequalities

Dr Imogen Tyler

Sociology Department, University of Lancaster
The sociology of inequality; social and cultural theory