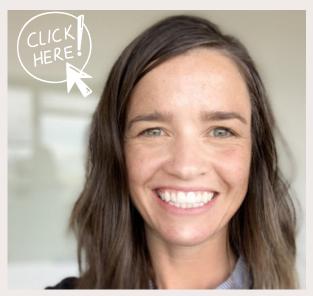
# RESEARCHER SPOTLIGHT RECORDINGS





#### Rob Desjardins & François Pageau

Learn about one of the most unusual, most beautiful—and most sinister—items held in the University of Alberta's Bruce Peel Special Collections, a velvet-clad, wood-bound volume dating from the middle of the fifteenth century. This manuscript reveals how ideas of witchcraft were used to marginalize groups and how they resonate today amid rampant misinformation.

October 30, 2024

### Anna Taylor

A worrisome cycle exists between chronic pain, prescription opioids and the troubling rise of opioid-related issues. Learn about ongoing work to find new ways to treat chronic pain from Anna Taylor, Canada Research Chair in Pain and Addiction and associate professor of pharmacology.

November 27, 2024



## Special Presentation: President's Speaker Series

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January 29, 2025



#### John Basarab

Have you ever wondered how much methane a single cow can burp out in its lifetime? No? This topic keeps John Basarab, an associate professor of livestock genetics at the University of Alberta, very busy! Don't miss this opportunity to learn how research at the U of A is helping the beef industry become more sustainable and environmentally friendly.

March 13, 2025