

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**

Join us for a thought-provoking session with Dr. Amit Kumar, PhD, PEng and Canada Research Chair in Assessment of Energy Systems, as he breaks down the concept of energy transition — why it's essential and how we can chart a path forward.

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

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Stephanie Chamberlain

Loneliness and social isolation among older adults are growing concerns that often go unnoticed. Stephanie Chamberlain, Assistant Professor in the Faculty of Nursing explores the health impacts of isolation, barriers to support, and the experiences of 'unbefriended' seniors in long-term care.

April 16, 2025



Margie Davenport

Whether you're a healthcare professional or a new mom, this session is packed with practical, science-backed advice to help you navigate postpartum wellness. Don't miss out on this chance to hear from one of the world's top experts in maternal health!

May 22, 2025