

The Royal Society of Tasmania – Northern Branch

2025 LAUNCESTON LECTURE SERIES

LECTURES COMMENCE AT **1.30* PM** – AT QVMAG @ INVERESK

**START TIME VARIES AS SHOWN BELOW*

February 23	Dr Michael Woodward	“Developing Bio-inspired Technologies to Support Southern Ocean Climate Research”
** ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 1.15 pm, March 23rd **		
March 23	Rachelle Hawkins	“From Seahorses to Handfish: a Tasmanian Aquaculture Story”
April 27	Lynette Ross	“The House That William Paterson Built: The Story of Launceston's Government Cottage”
May 25	Robert Anders	“How to Better Manage Aboriginal Cultural Landscapes in Tasmania”
June 22	Professor Richard Eccleston	“Northern Tasmania's Changing Population: Implications for Policy, Planning and the Future of the Region”
July 27	Jonathan Mulford	“Orthopaedic Research in Launceston, Clifford Craig Foundation”
August 24	Bob Cotton and Tom Cotton	“New Perspectives on the Geological Origins of the Tamar Valley and Cataract Gorge”
September 28 <i>Elvin Fist Lecture</i>	Professor Leanne McLean	“Education in Tasmania: Improving Outcomes and the Role of The University of Tasmania”
October 5 <i>Joint meeting with the Geological Society of Australia</i>	Dr Andrew McNeill	“Geological Survey of Tasmania’s History and Role in Understanding the Geology of Tasmania”
October 26	Professor Hamish Maxwell-Stewart, and Dr. Adel Yousif	“Lessons from Lutruwita, Calculating the Impacts of Invasion and Colonisation”
November 23 <i>Annual QVMAG Staff Lecture</i>	Burcu Keane	“An Unsettling Medium: A Curatorial Reflection on the Materiality and Meaning of ‘Hair’ Across Culture(s)”