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NEW FELLOWS' AND MEDALISTS' SYMPOSIUM

The newly elected Victorian Fellows of the Australian Academy of Science together with this year's medal winners will hold a symposium at which they will give brief presentations about their work. This symposium, of special interest to students and scientists of all ages and all fields, is free and open to the public.

Thursday 9th July 2009

6.00 pm – 7.30 pm

Theatre GM 15, Law School

The University of Melbourne

(City end of University Square, South of Grattan Street)

- **Professor Bruce McKellar**, School of Physics, The University of Melbourne
Awarded The Matthew Flinders Medal which recognises scientific research of the highest standing in the physical sciences.
"THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING ALMOST SYMMETRIC"
- **Professor Frank Caruso**, Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, The University of Melbourne
New Fellow, Australian Academy of Science 2009.
"NANOENGINEERED MATERIALS FOR BIOMEDICINE APPLICATIONS"
- **Professor Andy Choo**, Murdoch Childrens Research Institute and Dept. of Paediatrics The University of Melbourne
New Fellow, Australian Academy of Science 2009.
"DISTRIBUTION OF GENETIC WEALTH"
- **Professor Paul Mulvaney**, School of Chemistry, The University of Melbourne
New Fellow, Australian Academy of Science 2009.
"NOT ALL THAT'S GOLD DOES GLITTER"
- **Dr Melanie Bahlo**, Bioinformatics Division, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute
Awarded the Moran Medal for outstanding research in statistics.
"HUNTING FOR GENES INVOLVED IN DISEASE"
- **Dr Marnie Blewitt**, Post-doctoral fellow, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute
Awarded the Ruth Stephens Gani Medal which recognises research in human genetics.
"DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE SEXES: MORE THAN JUST GENETICS"
- **Associate Professor Jeffrey Walker**, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, The University of Melbourne
Awarded the inaugural Anton Hales Medal for Research in the Earth Sciences.
"REMOTE SENSING OF SOIL MOISTURE"
- **Associate Professor Stuart Wythe**, School of Physics, The University of Melbourne
Awarded The Pawsey Medal for outstanding research in the physical sciences.
"THE FIRST GALAXIES"

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