



Natural Sciences Stream

Including all disciplines that are part of MPLS (Mathematical, Physical, and Life Sciences Division at the University of Oxford)

Fri 16 Mar (half-day from 12:30 pm) and Sat 17 March (all day) 2018

Lecture Room 4, New College, Holywell Street, Oxford

Senior convener: [Ard Louis](#) (Theoretical Physics)

Student co-conveners: [Abigail Motley](#) (Plant Sciences, St Hilda's College) and [Olufemi Awe](#) (Engineering, Lady Margaret Hall)

How can postgraduates, postdocs, and academics at the University of Oxford approach the natural sciences as Christians? What does it mean to respond to a Christian vocation and to honour God in university life?

The Natural Sciences Stream is one of five disciplinary streams that make up Seeking Wisdom, the spring conference of Developing a Christian Mind. Past attendees are encouraged to come, listen to new talks, and take part in discussion with new attendees.

Friday 16th March

12:30 p.m. Registration begins at New College in the North Undercroft

1:00 p.m. Lunch in the Hall

2:00 pm [Ard Louis](#) (Theoretical Physics), **Christianity and biological evolution**

3:30 pm **Coffee & tea**

4:00 pm **Panel of Christian scientists**

Including [David Howey](#) (Engineering, St Hilda's College), [Andy Gosler](#) (Zoology, Mansfield College), [Samuel Cohen](#) (Mathematics, New College), and [Stephen Blundell](#) (Physics, Mansfield College)

The following events are joint with all streams at New College.

5:30 pm **Prayer in the Chapel**

6:00 pm **Drinks at the Bar**

6:45 pm **Dinner in the Hall**

Saturday 17th March

Joint with the [Medical Sciences Stream](#)

9:00 am **Registration begins at New College**

4:30 pm **Closing**

Author: Ard Louis and colleagues

Date: March 16-17, 2018

Event organizer: Ard Louis, Developing a Christian Mind, University of Oxford

Event topic: Developing a Christian Mind: Seeking Wisdom

Location: Oxford

Country: UK

Participants: University of Oxford and Oxford Brookes postgraduates, postdocs, and academic staff

Language: English