



PALEVO SEMINAR SERIES

Hilary Term 2026

Wednesdays 4–5 pm, Pauling Centre, 58a Banbury Rd

A weekly seminar on all aspects of human evolution – all welcome!

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JAN**

Karen Swan (Natural History Museum)

Interspecific comparison of human and chimpanzee life history and cortical bone structural development

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JAN**

David Witelson (Oxford)

Hunter-gatherer rock art and cognitive archaeology in South Africa

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FEB**

Quentin Atkinson (Auckland)

What can language phylogenies tell us about the last major transition in human evolution?

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FEB**

Cyril C. Grueter (Oxford)

Primate behavioural adaptations to high-elevation environments: evidence from colobines and apes

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FEB**

Fiona Jordan (Bristol)

Polynesian cultural diversity through a phylogenetic lens

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FEB**

Jimbob Blinkhorn (Liverpool)

Recent research on the Middle Stone Age of West Africa

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MAR**

Rick Schulting (Oxford)

To every thing there is a season: seasonality in Mesolithic Europe through sequential stable isotope analysis of dentine

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MAR**

Alessandro Urcioli (Zurich)

Hominin semi-circular canal evolution

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