

3rd International Population Health Research Institute
Lecture in Population Health Sciences

Professor George Davey Smith
University of Bristol



Professor Davey Smith is a clinical epidemiologist whose research has pioneered (1) understanding of the causes and alleviation of health inequalities; (2) lifecourse epidemiology (3) systematic reviewing of evidence of effectiveness of health care and health policy interventions (4) population health contributions of the new genetics.

His work has covered the demonstration of the influence of childhood socio-economic deprivation on cause-specific morbidity and mortality patterns in adult life; methodological developments in meta-analysis, elucidation of factors underlying socio-economic differences in morbidity and mortality in the UK, US, Norway and India and the development and application of Mendelian randomisation approaches, interrogating the causal role of behavioural factors (such as alcohol consumption) and intermediate phenotypes (such as fibrinogen and C-reactive protein) on different health outcomes.

He is Director of the MRC Centre for Causal Analyses in Translational Epidemiology (to become the MRC Integrative Epidemiology Unit in June 2013) and the Avon Longitudinal Study of Parents and Children (ALSPAC)

TUESDAY, MAY 7TH, 2013

**3rd INTERNATIONAL LECTURE IN
POPULATION HEALTH SCIENCES**

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

**DBCVSRI Auditorium (Reception to follow)
20 Copeland Ave. Hamilton**

***“The Limits of Personalised Medicine:
Epidemiological Reflections”***

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8th, 2013

8:00 am – 9:00 am

Location:

**Rounds
DBCVSRI Auditorium (20 Copeland Ave.)**

***“Mendelian randomization in cardiovascular disease:
what does the future hold?”***



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