

Supporting teaching and learning across the curriculum

Back from the Dead: penicillin and the crisis of AMR Study day for KS5

Friday 25th November 2016 and similar on Thursday 16th March 2017

An enrichment study day for sixth form students linked with the new special exhibition *Back from the Dead* about the extraordinary story of the development of penicillin in wartime Oxford, the rise of antimicrobial resistance in modern medicine, and the challenge to scientific research. Students will have the opportunity to have a guided tour of the exhibition and meet university researchers.

Programme

Welcome and introduction
Penicillins remain the most important antibiotics
Professor Chris Schofield, Head of Organic Chemistry, University of Oxford
Why is antibiotic resistance such a big challenge?
Professor Angela Brueggemann, Nuffield Department of Medicine
Break – refreshments provided
From Lab to Marketplace: An Industry Perspective
Dr Czaplewski, Chemical Biology Ventures Ltd
Q&A session
Students will be invited to put their own questions to members of the panel
Lunch (please bring a pack lunch) and exhibition tours
Practical activities
Students will rotate between activities facilitated by university researchers

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