

## OA Week at SUNY Albany

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### Library Events --

**What:** Webcast event featuring world-class researchers speaking about Open Access issues and the need for barrier-free access to scholarship. Bring your lunch.

**When:** Monday October 18, 12:00 noon to 1:00pm

**Where:** Standish Room, 3rd floor, Science Library

Nobel Prize-winning scientist and Director of the U.S. National Cancer Institute, Dr. Harold Varmus, will offer welcoming remarks. Dr. Varmus, a long-time champion, has been an unparalleled leader in promoting Open Access. He will be joined by Dr. Cameron Neylon, a Senior Scientist at the UK Science and Technology Facilities Council, biochemist, and author of the widely read "Science in the Open" blog. Dr. Neylon will highlight the kinds of scientific advances Open Access can facilitate, and discuss current examples along with future opportunities. A host of leading researchers from around the globe will also add their voices to the event, and other videos will feature Nick Shockey, Director Student Advocacy for the Scholarly Publishing and Academic Resources Coalition, and Creative Commons.

**What:** "Open Access: The World of Research Within Reach," faculty open access "champions" Rachel Dressler, Tim Stephen and Gerry Zahavi talk about their ventures in the open access world.

**When:** Thursday October 21, 4:00 -5:30

**Where:** University Library basement: Cobb Room



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