

2021 New Zealand Rutherford Medal Lecture

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The impact of housing research on health and wellbeing policy

Continuing her quest for healthy homes and housing affordability, Distinguished Professor Philippa Howden-Chapman FRSNZ will deliver the prestigious Rutherford Lecture.

Under Professor Howden-Chapman's inspirational leadership, He Kāinga Oranga's research has shown how straightforward housing improvements to cold, damp and unsafe conditions can significantly reduce rates of infectious, respiratory and cardiovascular disease and deaths, particularly for children and older people. This research and its studies have influenced public policy innovation and implementation, and been rated as outstanding examples of housing intervention research internationally.

In this lecture, Professor Howden-Chapman focuses on the priorities for housing at a time of cost-of-living pressure and stretched markets, and recent weather events in Aotearoa New Zealand. Wednesday 12 July 2023 6:30pm – 8:00pm

Victoria University of Wellington, Pipitea Campus 33 Bunny Street Rutherford House Lecture Theatre RHLT1

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