

SPEAKERS TO DATE

The following is a list of some of the speakers who have addressed The Canadian Club of London in the recent past:

- Mr. Frank Stronach, Founder & Chairman of Magna International Inc.
- Dr. David Suzuki, author, broadcaster and environmentalist
- Mr. Peter Godsoe, former Chairman of the Board and C.E.O. of Scotiabank
- The Honourable Beverly McLachlin, Chief Justice of Canada
- The Right Honourable John Turner, former Prime Minister of Canada
- Ms. Marnie McBean, Olympic rower
- Mr. John Tory, former President of Rogers Cable and former leader of the Ontario P.C. Party
- The Honourable R. Roy McMurtry, former Chief Justice of Ontario
- The Honourable Bob Rae, former Premier of Ontario and now Member of Parliament
- Mr. Josh Mendelsohn, then Senior Vice-President and Chief Economist of The Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce
- Mr. Edward Greenspan, Q.C., noted criminal lawyer
- Mr. Raymond McFeetors, President and C.E.O. of Great-West Life and London Life
- Dr. Lloyd Atkinson, noted economist
- Mr. Hugh Segal, political columnist, TV. personality and author and now a member of the Canadian Senate
- Mr. Phil Fontaine, former and current National Chief of the Assembly of First Nations
- The Late Mr. Richard Monette, Former Artistic Director of the Stratford Festival
- The Right Honourable John Crosbie, former Conservative Cabinet Minister
- Mr. Jeffrey Simpson, National Affairs Columnist of The Globe & Mail
- Mr. Clive Beddoe, President, Chairman and CEO of WestJet
- Ms. Kate Taylor, Arts Columnist of The Globe & Mail
- Mr. Antoni Cimolino, Director General of the Stratford Shakespeare Festival
- Dean Carol Stephenson, Dean Ivey School of Business
- The Honourable Mr. Justice W. Ian C. Binnie, a Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada
- Mr. William Etherington, Chairman of the Board of CIBC
- Mr. Alex Mustakas, Artistic Director for Drayton Entertainment
- Mr. Matthew Teitelbaum, Director of the Art Gallery of Ontario
- Mr. Patrick Watson, Author and Producer
- Professor Richard McLaren, Author and Arbitrator for Olympic Games
- Mr. David Orchard, Author and Politician
- Mr. Gordon Naylor, Educator
- Robotic Surgeons from London Health Sciences Centre
- Mr. John McNair, former Head of Special Department of the BiH Prosecutor's Office in Bosnia
- Mr. Edward Greenspan, Editor-in-Chief of the Globe & Mail
- The Honourable Martin Cauchon, Former Minister of Justice for Canada
- Dean Carol Herbert, Dean of the Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry at the University of Western Ontario
- Mr. Rodney Dale, Lawyer and Climber of Mount Kilimanjaro
- The late Mr. Christopher Doty, Historian, Filmmaker and Playwright
- Mr. Preston Manning, Former Leader of two Political Parties, Leader of the Opposition and Currently President and C.E.O. Manning Centre for Building Democracy
- Mr. David Tennant and Mr. Glenn Pearson, Social Activists
- Ms. Shiela Fraser, Auditor General of Canada
- Ms. Jennifer Mossop, Former Media Personality and Former MPP for Stoney Creek
- Mr. Lorne Rubenstein, Globe and Mail Golf Columnist
- Ms. Sherry Cooper, Chief Economist of BMO Nesbitt Burns
- Dr. Richard Pound, Member International Olympic Committee and Chairman of the World Anti-Doping Agency
- Mr. Thomas Homer-Dixon, winner of Governor General's Literary Award for Non-Fiction for his book "The Ingenuity Gap"
- Mr. Paul Berton, Editor-in-Chief of the London Free Press
- Mr. Eddie Goldenberg, Lawyer, Author, Long Time Chief of Staff for Former Prime Minister Jean Chrétien
- Mr. Bassanio So, Director of The Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office (Toronto)
- The Hon. Frank Iacobucci, Former Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada
- Lieutenant-Colonel K.P.J. Doyle, CD
- The Hon. Frank McKenna, Former Premier of New Brunswick and Former Canadian Ambassador to the United States
- Mr. Harley Hotchkiss, O.C., Philanthropist, Geologist, 27 years as Calgary Flames Owner and 12 years as National Hockey League Chairman
- Stéphane Dion, Leader of the Opposition
- Lieutenant-General A.B. Leslie, Chief of the Land Staff of the Canadian Army
- Ms. Elizabeth May, Leader of the Green Party of Canada
- The Hon. James Flaherty, Minister of Finance for Canada
- Mr. Timothy Vernon, Artistic Director of Orchestra London
- Dr. Cecil Rorabeck, Orthopaedic Surgeon – Operation Walk
- The Hon. Warren K. Winkler, Chief Justice of Ontario

2008-09 Season:

- Julian Fantino, Commissioner of the Ontario Provincial Police
- Geoff Beattie, President of The Woodbridge Company
- Dr. Tim Patterson, Paleoclimatologist in the Department of Earth Sciences at Carlton University
- Jennifer MacDonald, President, Cenabal Gourmet Organics
- Robert Noble, Consul General, Detroit
- Dr. Gordon McBean, Member, Inter-Governmental Panel of Climate Change
- Dr. Sherry Cooper, Executive Vice-President, BMO Financial Group
- Garth Turner, former MP, Member, Privy Council of Canada

2009-10 Season:

- Brian Burke, President and General Manager, Toronto Maple Leafs
- Dr. Christopher M. Schlacta, Medical Director, CSTAR (Canadian Surgical Technologies and Advanced Robotics), London Health Sciences Centre
- Hannah Taylor, Founder, The Ladybug Foundation Inc. and The Ladybug Foundation Education Program Inc.
- General (Ret'd) Rick Hillier, Former Chief of the Defence Staff for Canadian Forces
- Patricia Lovett-Reid, TD Waterhouse
- Richard Ivey, Jr.
- Fred Ketchen, Managing Director, Equity Trading, Scotia McLeod
- Jim Graham, President, TRY Recycling

2010-11 Season:

- Dr. Gillian Kernaghan (with Bonnie Adamson but Bonnie unable to attend)
- Bob Rae
- Brad Duncan
- Amit Chakma and Howard Rundle
- Christine Nesbitt
- Craig Alexander
- David Miller
- Faisal Joseph
- Heather Hiscox
- Joe Lawrence
- Joe Bowen
- Joe Fontana

2011-12 Season:

- Susan Muszak (Breakfast) September 2011
- Cpl. Mark Fuchko (Lunch) September 2011
- Carol Stephenson (Breakfast) October 2011
- Shirish Chotalia (Lunch) November 2011
- Bonnie Brooks (Lunch) November 2011
- Don Crawford (Breakfast) January 2012
- Dr. Sherry Cooper (Lunch) January 2012
- Don Mumford (Breakfast) February 2012
- The Honourable Deb Matthews (Breakfast) March 2012
- Peter Brennan (Lunch) March 2012
- Robert Deluce (Lunch) April 2012
- Jim Caruk (Lunch) May 2012
- His Worship Joe Fontana, Mayor, City of London (Lunch) June 2012

2012-13 Season:

- The Honourable Chris Bentley, MPP (Breakfast) September 2012
- Craig Alexander, Senior Vice-President & Chief Economist, TD Bank Financial Group (Lunch) September 2012
- Tim Fowler, Vice President, Sales Strategy, Planning and Innovation Commercialization, Tropicana Beverages North America (Lunch) October 2012
- Jodi Mitic, Master Cpl. (Lunch) November 2012
- Mandy Shapansky, CEO, Xerox Canada (Lunch) January 2013
- Paul Beeston, President & CEO, Toronto Blue Jays (Lunch) February 2013
- Andrea Horwath, Leader, Ontario NDP (Lunch) March 2013
- Naomi Alboim, Senior Fellow, Maytree Foundation (Breakfast) April 2013
- Lloyd Robertson, Legendary Canadian News Anchor (Lunch) May 2013

2013-14 Season:

- Jim Treliving, Boston Pizza (Lunch) September 2013
- Dr. Joseph Rotman (Lunch) October 2013
- Scott Taylor, Esprit de Corps (Lunch) November 2013
- Minister Julian Fantino, MP (Lunch) December 2013
- Richard Peddie, Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment (Lunch) January, 2014
- Douglas Porter, Chief Economist, BMO (Breakfast) February, 2014
- Andrew Coyne, Columnist, National Post (Lunch) March, 2014
- Steve Paikin, Author - Paikin and the Premiers and host of The Agenda (Breakfast) April, 2014
- Terry Fallis, Author - The Best Laid Plans (Lunch) May, 2014
- Peter Devlin, President, Fanshawe College (Lunch) June, 2014

2014-15 Season:

- Bruce Sellery, Author (Lunch) October, 2014
- Col. Brock Millman (Lunch) November, 2014
- Christine Elliott, MPP (Lunch) December 2014
- Andy Spriet - (Breakfast) January, 2015
- Gary Huang, President, Rotary International (Lunch) March, 2015
- Matt Brown, Mayor, City of London (Lunch) April, 2015
- Mike Schlater, CEO, Domino's Pizza Canada (Lunch) May, 2015
- Dini Petty (Lunch) June, 2015

2015-16 Season:

- W. Geoff Beattie, President & CEO, Generation Capital (Lunch) September, 2015
- Dr. Paula Foster (Breast Cancer Researcher) (Lunch) October, 2015
- LCol. Sean Batte, Commanding Officer, RMCS Prevost (Lunch) November, 2015
- Mo Hagan, Goodlife Fitness (Lunch) December, 2015
- Dr. Jane Rylett, Alzheimer's Research, (Lunch) January, 2016
- Kate Young, MP (Breakfast), March, 2016
- Susan Ferley, The Grand Theatre (Lunch), April 2016
- Brian O'Hoski, Cadillac Fairview (Lunch) June, 2016

2016-17 Season:

- Michael Lynk, (Lunch), September 2016
- Rick Blickstead, Canadian Diabetes (Lunch), October, 2016
- LCol. David Fearon (Lunch), November, 2016
- Karl Pfister, Lunch, December, 2016
- Douglas Porter, BMO Chief Economist (Lunch) January, 2017
- Antoni Cimolino, Artistic Director, Stratford (Lunch) February, 2017
- Dr. Barry Craig (Breakfast), March, 2017
- Steve Paikin (Breakfast), March, 2017
- Canadian War Museum Speaker - Vimy Ridge (Lunch), April, 2017
- Will Heeman (Lunch), May, 2017
- Allison Graham (Lunch), June, 2017

2017-18 Season:

- Kapil Lakhota, LEDC (Lunch), September 2017
- Dave Levac, Speaker of the House (Lunch), October, 2017
- General Lawson (Lunch) November, 2017
- Andrew Cowan (Lunch), December, 2017
- Mark Wafer (Lunch), January, 2018
- Dan Mathieson (Lunch), February, 2018
- Dave Reed (Lunch), March, 2018
- Donald Welsh (Lunch), April, 2018
- Kathy Mueller (Lunch), May, 2018
- Richard McLaren (Lunch), June 2018

2018-19 Season:

- Chris Campbell, Tourism London (Lunch), September, 2018
- Chris Potter, Actor (Heartland), (Lunch), October, 2018
- Bardash Chagger (Breakfast) November, 2018
- Ted Bariss, Author, (Lunch), November, 2018
- Deloitte's Fast 50 (Lunch) December, 2018
- Mike Rencheck, Bruce Power (Lunch), January, 2019
- Helen Georgallidis (Counter Logic), (Lunch) February, 2019
- Peter Edwards, Author, (Lunch) March, 2019
- Shyra & Rye Barberstock, Okwaho Equal Source (Lunch), April, 2019
- Alex Kopacz, Olympian (Lunch), May, 2019