

To: All Faculty and Staff

Colleagues,

I am pleased to bring to your attention two events in the Provost's Lecture Series that are scheduled for next week.

On Thursday, February 10th, Daniel C. Dennett will speak on "Freedom Evolves" beginning at 7 pm in the Wang Center Theatre. Dennett is University Professor of Philosophy and Director of the Center for Cognitive Studies at Tufts University. He is the author of "Freedom Evolves" and "Darwin's Dangerous Ideas." This lecture is co-sponsored by the Department of Ecology & Evolution.

"We Lucky Musicians" is the title of the lecture that will be given on Friday, February 11th, by Anner Bylsma. One of the leading cellists in the world and winner of the Pablo Casals Competition in 1959 at the age of sixteen, Dutch cellist Bylsma is also the author of "Bach, the Fencing Master: Reading Aloud from the First Three Cello Suites." The presentation, which is co-sponsored by the Department of Music, will be held in the Staller Recital Hall beginning at 4 pm.

Please pass along this information and an invitation to attend these lectures to any students or community members you feel may be interested.

- Robert McGrath, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs