



**University of Twente, Enschede
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Plenary Lecture – Nobel Prize in Physics 2019 - Exoplanets

Speaker: Didier Queloz (University of Cambridge and University of Geneva)

Abstract:

The 2019 Nobel Prize in Physics is awarded “for contributions to our understanding of the evolution of the universe and Earth’s place in the cosmos”, with one half to James Peebles “for theoretical discoveries in physical cosmology” and the other half jointly to Michel Mayor and Didier Queloz “for the discovery of an exoplanet orbiting a solar-type star.”

Didier Queloz (University of Cambridge, UK and University of Geneva) will give a lecture on the discovery of this exoplanet.