## Astrophysics Lecture Series

Frank Dawson Adams Auditorium, McGill University

## Black Holes, New Worlds and the

## Black Holes Sing

November 12th 2009, **5:45pm** 

October 19th 2009, 6pm



Professor
Sean Carroll

California Institute of Technology

The Origin of the Universe and the Arrow of Time



## Professor Janna Levin

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Black holes may be heard but not seen. As the death state of a star, black holes emit no light. They are dark against the dark sky. But like mallets on a drum, black holes can ring out a song on space itself. Monumental Earth and space-based missions aim to record the songs from space for the first time thereby turning up the volume on the soundtrack to the Universe.





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