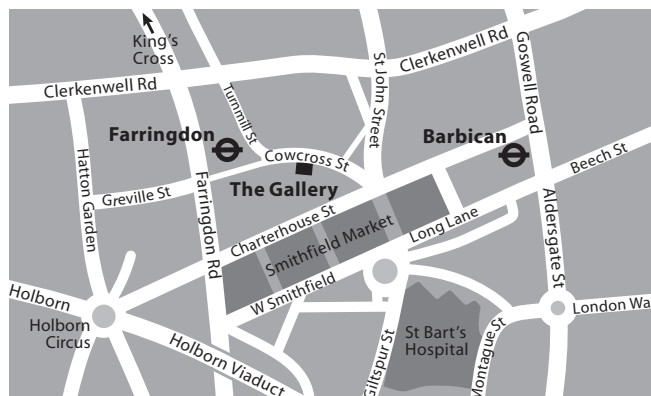


# THE GALLERY APRIL MAY 2018



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**The Gallery, 77 Cowcross Street London EC1M 6EL.**

For further information on individual events, including any charges for admission, please contact the organisers direct. This programme is also published on our website, [www.alanbaxter.co.uk](http://www.alanbaxter.co.uk)

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*The entrance to The Gallery is at the end of the courtyard at 77 Cowcross Street.*

## Lectures & Seminars

**Wednesday 4 April, 6.30pm**

### **Women artists and the modern church in Britain**

Twentieth Century Society and Art and Christianity Enquiry

From the turn of the 20th century to the present, women have produced diverse and complex works of art for the Church. Dr Ayla Lepine explores the work of artists including Winifred Knights, Elizabeth Frink, Enid Chadwick and Tracey Emin in ways that encouraged the Church to include women and express theology in ways that continue to inspire and challenge.

*Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)*

**Tuesday 10 April, 6.30pm**

### **How building conservation has changed over 50 years**

ASCHB

With Graham King, Westminster City Council  
*For more information go to [www.aschb.org.uk](http://www.aschb.org.uk)*

**Wednesday 11 April, 6.15pm**

### **The new draft NPPF - consultation meeting**

Urban Design Group

Hear about the proposals in the draft NPPF.  
[www.udg.org.uk](http://www.udg.org.uk)

**Thursday 12 April, 6.30pm**

### **Lost warriors - Seagrim and Pagani of Burma - The last great untold story of WWII**

Philip Davies

Philip Davies will be telling the gripping story of his sensational best-selling book with signed copies for sale.

*For more information contact [phd51@btinternet.com](mailto:phd51@btinternet.com)*

**Monday 16 April, 6.45pm**

### **The fate of women in Iraq**

Café Diplo

In a country ravaged by a war that has still not drawn to a close, the erosion of women's rights has received little international publicity. In 1959 the law in Iraq was considered to be the most protective of women's rights in the Arab countries, but now a new bill, if enacted, will have disastrous consequences. Haifa Zangana, an Iraqi novelist, author, and political activist, will discuss the issues.

*[www.mondediplofriends.org.uk](http://www.mondediplofriends.org.uk)*

**Tuesday 17 April, 7.00pm**

### **Clyde steamers**

Ocean Liner Society Gallery 2

Ian Quinn, a collector and commentator on the great era of Clyde steamers, will introduce unique films made by enthusiasts between 1947 and 1977.

*Go to [www.ocean-liner-society.com](http://www.ocean-liner-society.com)*

**Wednesday 18 April, 6.30pm**

### **London's Underground Edwardian tile patterns**

Greater London Industrial Archaeology Society

With Douglas Rose.

*More information at [www.glias.org.uk](http://www.glias.org.uk)*

**Thursday 19 April, 6.30pm**

### **Trees and greening in London**

The London Forum

A look at tree planting in streets, parks and open spaces and the greening of London.

*For more information go to [www.londonforum.org.uk](http://www.londonforum.org.uk)*

Monday 23 April, 6.30pm

### **The lettercarving of Ralph Beyer**

Twentieth Century Society and Art and Christianity Enquiry

Ralph Beyer (1921-2008) was an inscriptional carver best known for his huge 'Tablets of the Word' in Basil Spence's Coventry Cathedral, which provoked admiration and criticism in equal measure when they were carved in 1961. John Neilson will look at some of Beyer's work in churches and cathedrals, and examine what made him work the way he did. *Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)*

Tuesday 24 April, 6.30pm

### **Synagogue architecture after the Holocaust in Germany**

Twentieth Century Society

Dr Ulrich Knufinke discusses the synagogue at Wiesbaden, one of many built in West Germany to replace those destroyed in the Holocaust. The designers included the non-Jewish sculptor and poet Egon Altdorf, working alongside a Jewish and a non-Jewish architect. *Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)*

Wednesday 25 April, 7.00pm

### **Tight fit - short life? Conservation of mid-20th century light, thin-skinned building construction**

Docomomo

Elyse Howell-Price, Grimshaw Architects, and Thomas Pearson, Ove Arup & Partners, on the challenges of repairing GRP cladding and renewing James Stirling's glazing, while Robyn Pender discusses Historic England's new areas of research.

*For more information go to [www.docomomo.uk](http://www.docomomo.uk)*

Thursday 26 April, 6.30pm

### **Planning for the unknown - London in 2050**

The London Society

Decisions that are made now will shape the London of 2050 - but with so many 'unknown unknowns' how can we plan for 30 years' time? This panel discussion will include Jeremy Skinner of the GLA, Neil Bennett of Farrell's and the discussion will be chaired by Jonn Elledge of CityMetric.

*[www.londonsociety.org.uk](http://www.londonsociety.org.uk)*

Monday 30 April, 6.45pm

### **North Korea: Dangerous, isolated and ready for war? The reality behind the caricature**

Café Diplo

North Korea is portrayed as a dangerous and irrational military power. Professor Hazel Smith discusses the complex realities.

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Wednesday 2 May, 6.30pm

### **Sokari Douglas Camp: My public sculpture protests & indomitable battle bus! PMSA**

Sokari Douglas Camp's talk will be followed by a discussion with panel members David A. Bailey, International Curators Forum (ICF), Gerard Houghton, October Gallery, Dr. Michael McMillan, artist-curator and scholar of Caribbean heritage, and Jane Trowell, Platform commissioners of Battle Bus. *Tel: 020 7490 5001*

Thursday 10 May, 6.30pm

### **Repairing the Kinsol Trestle: the timber railway viaduct in the Rockies**

Icomos-UK

Charley Brentnall, managing director at Carpenter Oak and Woodland,

talks about the repairs to the Kinsol Trestle viaduct in Canada.

*[www.icomos-uk.org](http://www.icomos-uk.org)*

Monday 14 May, 6.45pm

### **The global food system – urgent problems: possible solutions**

Café Diplo

Our global food system accounts for a third of greenhouse gas emissions, is the main cause of deforestation, and causes soil and water pollution. There are enough resources to feed the population, yet over 800 million people do not have enough food. Tara Garnett examines the issues. *[www.mondediplofriends.org.uk](http://www.mondediplofriends.org.uk)*

Tuesday 15 May, 6.00pm

### **Forum: What key project or occurrence to a historic place really made a difference?**

ASCHB

Details of speakers and panel to be announced. Chaired by Ian Bristow. *For more information go to [www.aschb.org.uk](http://www.aschb.org.uk)*

Tuesday 15 May, 7.00pm

### **School, University & Worker's Cruise Ships**

Ocean Liner Society Gallery 2

David Hornsby presents an overview of 'educational' cruises from the 1880s to the present. *Go to [www.ocean-liner-society.com](http://www.ocean-liner-society.com)*

Wednesday 16 May, 6.30pm

### **The Post Office Museum and railway**

Greater London Industrial Archaeology Society

With Chris Taft, Head of Collections at the recently opened Postal Museum at Mount Pleasant. *More information at [www.glias.org.uk](http://www.glias.org.uk)*

Thursday 17 May, 6.30pm

### **Enclosing the civilised world in a ring - frontiers of the Roman Frontier**

Icomos-UK

Encircling the Mediterranean Sea, the Roman Frontier is the single largest monument surviving from the Roman world. Dr Marinus Rien Polak, Radboud University Nijmegen (NL), will present an enlightening new Thematic Study supporting the whole of the Frontiers of the Roman Empire as a major transnational series of World Heritage Sites.

*[www.icomos-uk.org](http://www.icomos-uk.org)*

Friday 18 May, 6.00pm

### **Granite PMSA**

A mini symposium with Dr. Ruth Siddall (UCL), Dr. Philip Ward-Jackson, and the sculptor, Peter Randall-Page RA, who will be speaking about his work in granite.

*Email: [office@pmsa.org.uk](mailto:office@pmsa.org.uk), tel: 020 7490 5001*

Monday 21 May, 6.30pm

### **Lecture The London Forum**

Subject to be advised.

*For more information go to [www.londonforum.org.uk](http://www.londonforum.org.uk)*

Tuesday 22 May, 7.00pm

### **Aldo van Eyck: centenary re-evaluation**

Docomomo

Aldo van Eyck was born in Holland in 1918, but grew up in Somerset, after which he completed his formal education in Holland and Switzerland. After the war, he joined CIAM and went on to co-found Team 10, arguing for a more responsive and humane Modernism while proposing inventive but tightly mechanistic forms. In this centenary re-evaluation, Francis Strauven, professor emeritus at Ghent University, will be in discussion with others about van Eyck's achievement and legacy.

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Wednesday 23 May, 6.15pm

### **London's public realm**

Urban Design Group and London Living Streets

An event celebrating the progress in improving London's public realm. Speakers include Peter Murray, New London Architecture.

*[www.udg.org.uk](http://www.udg.org.uk)*

Thursday 24th May 6.00pm

### **Tranquil London: improving London's green and public spaces for health and wellbeing**

CPRE London

The CPRE London AGM is followed by a talk by the GLA's Deputy Mayor for the Environment and Energy, Shirley Rodrigues, and a panel discussion with representatives from Transport for London, the City of London Corporation, the health sector and others.

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