

# THE GALLERY MAY JUNE 2019



## Contact

**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

**Thursday 2 May, 6.30pm**

### **A future for the shared heritage of Scotland & Bengal** ICOMOS-UK

Kolkata is one of the world's great heritage cities. Growing pressure for development is being opposed by a small but energetic band of campaigners for conservation. The Danes have led the way in their former settlement at Serampore. Given that almost half of the British in the city were Scots, the Asia Scotland Trust is attempting to follow the Danish example. Should the British, like the Danes, assume some responsibility for it?

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

**Tuesday 7 May, 6.00pm**

### **Young Urbanist water series: resilient cities** Young Urbanists

An evening of discussion and workshop on building water resilient cities. Speakers include landscape architects Rhys Jones and Sue Illman, and civil engineers Eleanor Earl and Mairi Dean.

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

**Thursday 9 May, 6.30pm**

### **The pressures on London's parks** The London Society

With cuts in public spending impacting on London's parks, how do we continue to fund and maintain these essential green spaces in the capital? Local authorities struggle to pay for their upkeep and encourage events, festivals and other money-raising activities. Tony Leach (Chief Executive, Parks for London) and Tom Jarvis (Director of Parks, The Royal Parks) explore how parks can accommodate private events as well as public access. *Book at [www.londonsociety.org.uk](http://www.londonsociety.org.uk).*

**Monday 13 May, 6.45pm**

### **Trade treaties and their global impact: who makes these rules, and who benefits?** Café Diplo

John Hilary will discuss the issue of trading deals in the context of Brexit and beyond. His guide to TTIP was translated into 12 languages. He recently served as Head of Trade Policy for the Labour Party. *[www.mondediplofriends.org.uk](http://www.mondediplofriends.org.uk)*

**Tuesday 14 May, 6.30pm**

### **University Buildings of James Stirling and James Gowan** ASCHB

With Thomas Pearson, Senior Designer & Conservationist at Arup. *Go to [www.aschb.org.uk](http://www.aschb.org.uk)*

**Wednesday 15 May, 6.30pm**

### **Trinity Buoy Wharf and the proposed historic ships collection for London**

Greater London Industrial Archaeology Society  
With Richard Albanese, Maritime Heritage Project Manager at Trinity Buoy Wharf. *For more information go to [www.glias.org.uk](http://www.glias.org.uk)*

**Thursday 16 May, 6.30pm**

### **Considerate and modular construction**

The London Forum

With speakers Tony Pidgley of Berkeley Group, Jonathan Wade of RBKC and Lucian Smithers, Director of Pocket Homes. *[www.londonforum.org.uk](http://www.londonforum.org.uk)*

**Monday 20 May, 7.00pm**

### **Buildings archaeology at the edge of the Empire** Chartered Institute for Archaeologists

Eva Forster-Garbutt, Winston Churchill Trust Memorial Fellow 2019 & Senior Heritage Advisor for Wellington City Council, talks about the investigation and recording of heritage buildings in Aotearoa/New Zealand. *Enquiries to [admin@archaeologists.net](mailto:admin@archaeologists.net)*

**Tuesday 21 May, 7.00pm**

### **Breaking the mould** Docomomo

Robin Nicholson on James Stirling's remarkable Olivetti Haslemere building. *[www.docomomo.uk](http://www.docomomo.uk)*

**Tuesday 21 May, 7.00pm**

### **Members' miscellany** Ocean Liner Society Gallery 2

A privileged look at images from the world of passenger shipping provided by the Society's members. *[www.ocean-liner-society.com](http://www.ocean-liner-society.com)*

**Wednesday 22 May, 6.00pm**

### **Transport for new homes: fit for the future?**

Transport for New Homes

Car-dependent housing impacts on our health and our climate. Speakers: Ellie Davies from the Committee on Climate Change and Dr Adrian Davis, transport and health expert. For more information email [info@transportfornewhomes.org.uk](mailto:info@transportfornewhomes.org.uk)

**Thursday 23 May, 6.00pm**

### **Your right to the city – do we need an urban right to roam?**

CPRE London

As London becomes more dense, pressure on green and open spaces and the wider public realm will grow. How can we increase and improve public access in London? Discuss the issues with experts and campaigners including Antonia Layard, Anna Minton, Marion Shoard, Kate Ashbrook, Daniel Raven-Ellison and Crispin Truman. Contact: Neil Sinden at [neil@cprelondon.org.uk](mailto:neil@cprelondon.org.uk)

**Wednesday 29 May, 6.30pm**

### **The remarkable sugar houses of Georgian London**

Friends of the Georgian Society of Jamaica

Except for churches, the sugar refineries of Georgian London were the capital's tallest buildings, but they virtually vanished overnight in the 1870s. They are little known and yet played a huge role for so many. With architectural historian Andrew Byrne. Go to [www.fgsj.org.uk](http://www.fgsj.org.uk).

**Thursday 30 May, 6.30pm**

### **London's planning battles: The Heron Tower**

The London Society

Backers of the Heron Tower in the City argued that the City's dynamism was threatened by the heritage lobby, while opponents feared for the changes to London's skyline and the preservation of the City's heritage. Speakers from both sides, including Peter Rees, formerly Chief Planner, reflect on being involved in such a high profile decision. Book at [www.londonsociety.org.uk](http://www.londonsociety.org.uk).

**Monday 3 June, 6.45pm**

### **Racism and capitalism – two sides of the same coin?**

Café Diplo

Professor Gargi Bhattacharyya will argue that we can only address the urgent challenges of social injustice by tracking the inextricable link between racism and capitalism. [www.monedediplofriends.org.uk](http://www.monedediplofriends.org.uk)

**Tuesday 4 June, 6.00pm**

### **Zone in, zone out, should boundaries be celebrated?**

Academy of Urbanism

A lively debate curated by the Young Urbanist Network, in the context of the London Festival of Architecture 2019 whose theme this year is "boundaries". [www.academyofurbanism.org.uk](http://www.academyofurbanism.org.uk)

**Wednesday 5 June, 6.15pm**

### **A Manual for Towns and Cities?**

Urban Design Group

What should the next "Manual for Streets" look like? Should it be like the current version, or is it time to address issues such as health and wellbeing, climate change adaptation, urban flooding, and so forth? Hear leading authorities on the subject. [www.udg.org.uk](http://www.udg.org.uk)

**Thursday 6 June, 6.30pm**

### **Architecture on film**

Twentieth Century Society

The first of four documentaries by Scottish filmmaker Murray Grigor which aim to encourage conversations about the role of filmmaking in popularising aspects of C20 design. Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)

**Monday 10 June, 7.00pm**

### **Cedric Price** Docomomo

With Samantha Hardingham. [www.docomomo.uk](http://www.docomomo.uk)

**Tuesday 11 June, 9.30am**

### **Sustainability of Traditional Buildings**

The 2019 STBA-SPAB Conference

The sustainability of old buildings depends on their ongoing use and reuse. The Sustainable Traditional Buildings Alliance (STBA) and Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings (SPAB) Conference & Expo looks at the latest research, current regulations and initiatives, and the skills training that enables our built environment to include a wealth of healthy buildings with heritage and aesthetic value. To book go to [www.spab.org.uk/whats-on/courses](http://www.spab.org.uk/whats-on/courses)

**Tuesday 11 June, 6.30pm**

### **Pitzhanger Manor** ASCHB

With Julian Harrap and Christina Kominski, of Julian Harrap Architects. Go to [www.aschb.org.uk](http://www.aschb.org.uk)

**Thursday 13 June, 6.30pm**

### **Architecture on film** Twentieth Century Society

The second of four documentaries by Scottish filmmaker Murray Grigor which aim to encourage conversations about the role of filmmaking in popularising and evaluating aspects of C20 design. Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)

**Monday 17 June, 5.30pm**

### **Parks and people - stronger together** CPRE London

This is a fantastic opportunity to learn what other groups are doing on a range of key issues like organising projects and fundraising, working with greenspace managers and/or the council, promotions and social media, and much more. There will also be time for informal networking. Book with Eventbrite.

**Tuesday 18 June, 7.00pm**

### **Down the Burma Road** Ocean Liner Society Gallery 2

A look behind the scenes at the logistics of a modern ship, taking the audience from one end of a ship to the other, along the main crew working alleyway (which is called "The Burma Road on Cunard ships). With Alastair Greener. [www.ocean-liner-society.com](http://www.ocean-liner-society.com)

**Wednesday 19 June, 6.30pm**

### **Improving the public realm** The London Forum

With speakers including Cllr Danny Beales of Camden Council. Go to [www.londonforum.org.uk](http://www.londonforum.org.uk)

**Thursday 20 June, 6.30pm**

### **Architecture on film** Twentieth Century Society

The third of four documentaries by Scottish filmmaker Murray Grigor which aim to encourage conversations about the role of filmmaking in popularising and evaluating aspects of C20 design. Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)

**Thursday 27 June, 6.30pm**

### **Architecture on film** Twentieth Century Society

The fourth of four documentaries by Scottish filmmaker Murray Grigor which aim to encourage conversations about the role of filmmaking in popularising and evaluating aspects of C20 design. Followed by a discussion and Q&A session with a panel of speakers, including Murray Grigor. Book at [www.c20society.org.uk](http://www.c20society.org.uk)

## **Exhibition**

**Monday 24 June - Friday 5 July**

### **"SAVE": An exhibition of paintings by Gerard Stamp** SAVE Britain's Heritage

To coincide with the launch of SAVE Britain's Heritage's 2019 Buildings at Risk Catalogue and featuring some of this country's most beautiful endangered buildings - an exhibition of watercolours by one of the country's finest contemporary watercolourists, all of which will be available for sale in support of SAVE'S work.

Opening Event and Buildings at Risk Catalogue launch Tuesday 25 June 6.30- 8.30pm. Other viewing by appointment. Enquiries to [administrator@savebritainsheritage.org](mailto:administrator@savebritainsheritage.org), tel. 020 7253 3500