

The Arts Society Cambridge
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Special Interest Day - Thursday, 21 March 2019

Looking at Me, Looking at You: The Representation of Women in Western Art

We are delighted to welcome back Linda Smith MA who is an art historian with a particular knowledge of British Art and the art of the 20thC. Linda is an accredited Arts Society Lecturer and an experienced Lecturer and Gallery Guide at both Tate Britain and Tate Modern, where she has worked for the past 12 years.

This new study day consists of three lectures which will examine how women have been represented in Western art since ancient times and will present a wide range of images of women, asking what the functions of such pictures were in their own times, and how we might read them today. In the process, many nuances and meanings are revealed, and changing attitudes to women, beauty and morality, are addressed. The theme of visual representation runs alongside a parallel theme which looks at the long history of how women have struggled for political representation and what that has meant for their roles as subjects, and makers, of art.

As usual we shall begin promptly at 10.00 in the Bevin Room, so please arrive by 9.55. Coffee and tea will be served between 11.00 and 11.30; we shall stop for lunch (not included in the price but which can be taken in the dining room) at 12.30 and we shall resume again at 1.30. We shall finish around 2.45.

Timetable:

Session One: Looking Back - From Antiquity to Renaissance

Session Two: Looking the Part - Some Women in British Art c.1550 - c.1900

Session Three: Who are You Looking At? - Twentieth Century Art and Feminism

I would like places at the Special Interest Day on Thursday 21 March, 2019 at £33 per person and enclose a cheque payable to The Arts Society Cambridge for £.....
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