

Cultural Exchange: Russia and the West (Bristol, 11 Apr 11)

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Registration deadline: Apr 4, 2011

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Cultural Exchange: Russia and the West Conference

<http://www.bris.ac.uk/arts/gradschool/community/conferences/cultural-exchange.html>

Booking is now open for the University of Bristol's postgraduate conference 'Cultural Exchange: Russia and the West'.

With a diverse range of speakers and topics and free registration we encourage all postgraduate students to attend.

This one-day conference aims to explore the nature of cultural exchanges between Russia and the West. This unique conference is an opportunity to re-examine artistic creativity during the twentieth century, a time of revolutionary and ideological change, and to look at cultural connections between Russia, Europe and the United States.

Three panel sessions:

- Cultural Connections: Russia and the European avant-garde
- Art, Patronage and Display: Cultural exchange between Russia and the United States
- Stalin and the West: Interpretation and Representation of the Soviet Union

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS

Keynote: Dr Mike O'Mahony (University of Bristol)

Natalia Murray, Courtauld Institute of Art

Nikolay Punin- The Man who died for Cézanne

Cynthia Willaman Baltaxe, University of Cambridge

A Russian Welcome in Paris: Sonia and Robert Delaunay's Artistic Exchange with Russian Artists in the Parisian, German and American Avant-Garde, 1909-1914

Louise Hardiman, University of Cambridge

Gossamer Wings or Feet of Clay?: British Portraits of Pavlova and Nijinsky

Annie Blood, Courtauld Institute of Art
Moscow/New York: Russo-American Cultural Exchange in the 1920s

Theodora Clarke, University of Bristol
Katherine Dreier and Kandinsky: American Patronage of Russian Art

Julia Bailey, UCL
The Art of Peaceful Existence: The Display of Socialist Realism in America during Khrushchev's Thaw

Samantha Sherry, University of Edinburgh
Instrumentalism and anxiety: censorship of western literature in the Soviet Union

Maria Starkova, Courtauld Institute of Art
Imagining the Foreign and the New Soviet citizens: Illustrations of Internationalism in Children's Periodicals of the First Two Decades of the USSR (1922-1941)

Ariane Galy, University of Edinburgh
The Soviet Union, Stalin and the West: creating the Western historiography of Stalin and Stalinism

For further information

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