

The Nature of Knowledge Lecture

A prestigious University of Edinburgh Philosophy lecture series

Hume, Kant, and the Passion for Reason by Professor Paul Guyer

Date & Time 14 December 2011 at 5.30pm

Venue F21, Psychology Building, 7 George Square, The University of Edinburgh

Tickets Free but ticketed.

Book online at <http://edinburgh-university.eventbrite.com/>

Hume Art Exhibition

The University's Talbot Rice Gallery will explore the concept of beauty in relation to the works of David Hume.

Beauty and the Beholder § Morality and Virtue

Date & Time 11 November 2011–18 February 2012. Open Tuesday–Saturday, 10am–5pm

Venue Talbot Rice Gallery, Old College, South Bridge, The University of Edinburgh

Tickets Free

Related Events

THE EDINBURGH LECTURE

Edinburgh – then and now: A modern Athens? by Nicholas Phillipson

Date & Time 1 February 2011 at 6pm

Venue Playfair Library Hall, Old College, South Bridge, The University of Edinburgh

Tickets Please book online at www.usherhall.co.uk (transaction fees apply)

www.edinburghlectures.wordpress.com

THE INTERNATIONAL HUME SOCIETY CONFERENCE

Hume After 300 Years

Date 18–23 July 2011

Details www.hume2011.org

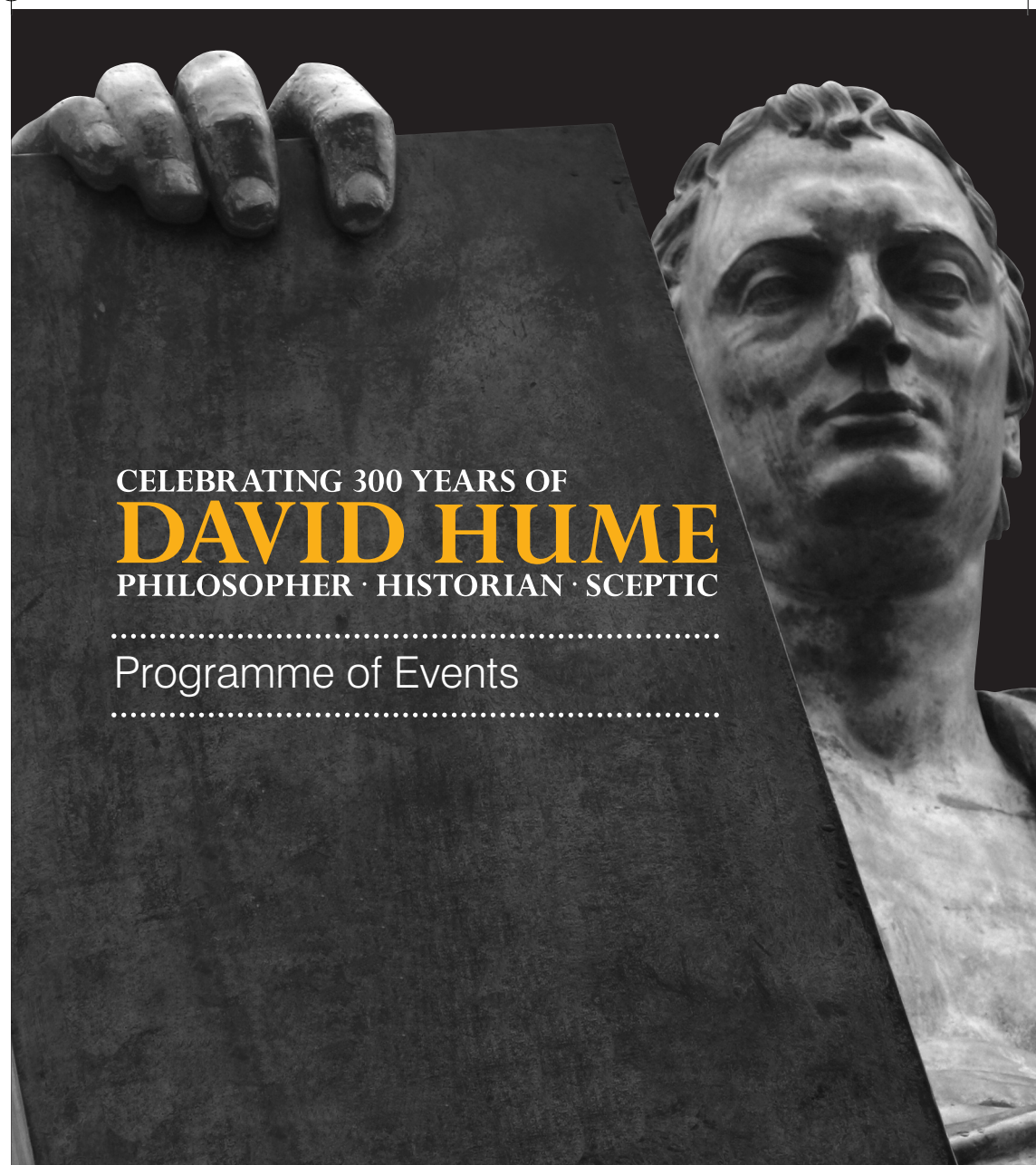
EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY AESTHETICS WORKSHOP

Enlightenment Aesthetics and Beyond

Date 15–16 December 2011

Details Please contact Emily Brady, Emily.Brady@ed.ac.uk, +44 (0)131 650 9137

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Programme of Events

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CELEBRATING CONNECTIONS

In 2011, the University of Edinburgh is marking the tercentenary of the birth of David Hume, one of its most distinguished alumni, with a series of events dedicated to the philosopher.

Throughout the year, distinguished speakers will celebrate and explore the impact of Hume, who was one of the great figures of the Scottish Enlightenment and perhaps the most important philosopher to write in English, as well as a renowned essayist and historian.

Hume's first major work *A Treatise of Human Nature*, completed in 1740, remains widely influential. In the 21st century, Hume is regarded as a precursor of contemporary cognitive science and one of the most thoroughgoing exponents of philosophical naturalism.

This series of events is coordinated by the University's Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities (IASH).

Celebrating Hume's Birthday

A panel discussion with Dr Peter Millican, Professor Richard Holloway, Professor Susan Manning, Dr Nicholas Phillipson and chaired by Sheena McDonald

Date & Time 26 April 2011 at 6pm
Venue George Square Theatre, George Square, University of Edinburgh
Tickets Free but ticketed. Book online at <http://edinburgh-university.eventbrite.com/>

IASH/RSE Lecture

The Significance of David Hume: Scepticism, Science, and Superstition by Dr Peter Millican, Hertford College, Oxford

Date & Time 23 May 2011 at 6 pm
Venue Royal Society of Edinburgh, 22-26 George Street
Tickets Free. Contact iash@ed.ac.uk for details.

The University of Edinburgh's Enlightenment Lecture

The University's Enlightenment Lectures examine aspects of the Enlightenment's legacy in relation to the concerns of our times. In 2011 it will be given by Nobel Laureate, Professor Amartya Sen, Professor of Economics and Philosophy at Harvard University.

Date & Time 18 July 2011 at 6pm
Venue Assembly Hall, New College, The Mound, Edinburgh,
Tickets Free but ticketed. Book online at <http://edinburgh-university.eventbrite.com/>

Dialogues with Hume

Presented by the Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities (IASH)

- 25 January** **Conversation: And the Reception of David Hume** by Emeritus Professor Peter Jones
- 1 March** **Gathering Uncertainties** by Linda McLean and Professor Susan Manning
- 5 April** **Hume and Searle: The 'Is/Ought' Gap vs Speech Act Theory** by Professor Daniel Schulthess
- 3 May** **Hume's Intellectual Development: An Overview** by Dr James Harris
- 17 June** **Reason, Induction, and Causation in Hume's Philosophy** by Professor Don Garrett and Dr Peter Millican
- Time* 4–6pm for all lectures
Venue IASH, 2 Hope Park Square, Edinburgh
Tickets Free but please register at iash@ed.ac.uk

Hume Today

Lunchtime lectures at The University of Edinburgh

- 30 September** **Hume as Religious Sceptic** by Professor David Fergusson
- 7 October** **The Illusion of Conscious Will: On Wegner's use of Hume's Associationism** by Dr Tillman Vierkant
- 14 October** **Hume and Physics: Between Newton and Einstein** by Dr Alasdair Richmond
- 21 October** **The Relevance of Hume for Modern Economics** by Emeritus Professor Sheila Dow
- 28 October** **Hume, The Circumstances of Justice, and Paternalism** by Professor Mike Ridge
- 4 November** **Hume: Philosophy, History and the Science of Man** by Dr Nicholas Phillipson
- Time* 1–2pm for all lectures
Venue Conference Room, David Hume Tower, The University of Edinburgh
Tickets Free. Book online at <http://edinburgh-university.eventbrite.com/>

Gifford Lecture

The Gifford Lectureships represent over 100 years of renowned lectures on Natural Theology.

Hume's Naturalism and the consequent accounts of the Nature of Ethical and Political Relations by Lord Sutherland of Houndwood

Date 25 October 2011
Details Please see www.hss.ed.ac.uk/giffordexemp/ or call 0131 651 3168.