Events



October

Dafydd Jones on Kader Attia *Tour* Thurs 2 Oct, 7pm. (Free)

A British Sign Language tour of the commission for deaf visitors.

Alexander Kluge and Richard Sennett Film and Discussion Season:
City - Religion - Capitalism:
Turning Points of Civilisation
Thurs 2-Sun 5 Oct (Priced individually weekend pass £30/£25 conc.)
German author and film-maker
Alexander Kluge and Professor
Richard Sennett introduce their new project over a whole weekend, including discussions, three new feature-length essay films and an

In association with the LSE Cities project Theatrum Mundi and Development Company for Television Program. With thanks to Alexander Kluge.

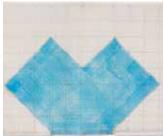
eight hour epic.

The Emergence of Civilisation from Paradise and Terror, and the Principle of the City Film Thurs 2 Oct, 6.30–9.45pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

The peaceful cohabitation of strangers in a confined space is considered the starting point of civilisation: 26 short films sketch the idea of the city, from the megacities of Babylon to the city in us'. With discussion led by Professor Richard Sennett.

Grapes of Truth: Financial Crisis, Adam Smith, Keynes, Marx and Ourselves. What Can We Rely On? Film Fri 3 Oct, 6.30–9.45pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

It isn't traded on the stock market, but it's a prerequisite for capitalism in any form. A screening of 21 short film sequences about trust, with discussion on 'the Principle of Capitalism' led by sociologist Saskia Sassen.



When the Heavens Still Spoke to Each Other: The Struggle of the Religions in Late Antiquity Film Sat 4 Oct, 6.30–9.45pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)
In late antiquity, Christianity, Judaism and Islam coexisted with mutual tolerance. How did the formative phases of the religions affect our modern consciousness? Discussion led by Craig Calhoun, Director, London School of Economics.

News from the Ideological Antiquity: Marx / Eisenstein / the Capital (2008) Film Sun 5 Oct, 11am-8.30pm (£12.50 / £10.50 conc.)

Alexander Kluge introduces his most ambitious film showing here in a shorter edit from its original 9 hour cut - a monumental avant-garde essay about the present status of the political; a complex, total work of art.

Whitechapel Walks *Tour* Sun 5 Oct, 2 Nov, 7 Dec, 3pm (Free) Join a walking tour exploring the

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Caroline Bergvall: Writer in Residence
The Norwegian-French writer
Caroline Bergvall investigates how
writing, reading and listening can
be understood within the context of
visual art, through a series of events
and online interventions exploring
language and performance.

Drift: Collective Reading & Forensics Performance

Thurs 9 Oct, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.) In this first event, **Caroline Bergvall** launches her book *Drift*, with an evening of collective readings and conversations with invited poets. Supported by the Royal Norwegian

Embassy in London.

Richard Tuttle: In Conversation Talk
Thurs 16 Oct, 6.30 pm
(£8.50/£6.50 conc.)
From materiality to spirituality,
the artist discusses the eclectic
influences and inspirations that
inform his work. He is joined by
Whitechapel Gallery curator-at
-large, Magnus af Petersens.

Richard Tuttle: Wordsmiths Talk
Fri 17 Oct, 3pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)
Inviting professionals from science to law to cookery, Tuttle joins them as they read from their own texts. From drawing up a legal brief to creating a recipe or noting an experiment, the materiality and creative potential of the written word is revealed.

Big Ideas: Sheila Hicks Talk Thurs 23 Oct, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

Whether drawing with thread or sculpting with fibre, American artist Sheila Hicks discusses her pioneering textile works. Influenced by studies at Yale University with Josef Albers and travels across South America, Hicks' work ranges from the small, delicate 'Minimes' series to large-scale public commissions.

Supported by Stanley Picker Trust.

Fibre, Thread and Textile Workshop
Sat 25 (Whitechapel Gallery) and
Sun 26 Oct (Tate Modern, Level 6
East Room), 1–5pm (both days)
(£110/£80 conc.). Includes
refreshments and materials.
Inspired by the work of Richard Tuttle,
explore the possibilities of structure,
texture, form and colour in textiles,
through discussion and practical
activities in this workshop led by
artist Shelly Goldsmith.
No experience needed.
In collaboration with Tate Modern.

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Mimeographica Alphabetica:
Reimagining the Alphabet Workshop
Thurs 30 Oct, 4–6pm
(£12.50/£10.50 conc.)
Graphic designer Fraser Muggeridge,
renowned for his catalogue designs,
leads a workshop investigating
typography and its relevance to
design history. Taking inspiration
from pre-digital methods, he

reimagines the alphabet

through print.

Stencilled Texts: A History of Self-Made Messages Talk
Thurs 30 Oct, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)
Eric Kindel, designer, writer and editor, presents a history of stencilled texts, documenting their forms and meanings across six centuries, followed by a conversation with Fraser Muggeridge.

November

Introducing E-textiles:
Audio Description Tour
Weds 5 Nov, 11.30–12.45pm (Free)
E-Textiles are conductive fabrics and materials with embedded electronic components. Led by artist Emilie Giles and Janet van der Linden,
Senior Lecturer in the Department of Computing and Communications at the Open University, this is a hands-on introduction to the subject. For blind and partially sighted visitors.

Jake Chapman: Gerrard O'Carroll Memorial Lecture Talk
Thurs 6 Nov, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)
Artist Jake Chapman discusses
the Chapman Brothers' often
controversial work and their
approach to the themes of sex,

This series is named in honour of Gerrard

death and religion.



O'Carroll, architect, writer, curator, and senior tutor in the School of architecture and design at the Royal College of Art, London.

Duchamp & Sons on Richard Tuttle Tour Thurs 6 Nov, 7pm (Free)
Members of the Gallery's Youth
Forum lead a tour exploring ideas
key to their experience of the artist's
work and offering fresh perspectives
on the relation between objects
and space.

Magnus af Petersens on Richard Tuttle Tour
Tues 11 Nov, 12pm (Free)
An introduction to the exhibition and its themes, considering the importance of textiles in Tuttle's extensive and varied work.

Open Screenings Film
Thurs 13 Nov, 5pm (Free)
Meet six emerging and established artist filmmakers as they present their short film work and discuss it with peers and Adjunct Film Curator Gareth Evans. To take part in future: film@whitechapelgallery.org

Taskafa: Stories of the Street Film
Thurs 13 Nov, 7pm
(£8.50 / £6.50 conc.)
Structured around readings by art
critic John Berger, Andrea Luka
Zimmerman's essay film centres
on urban gentrification, memory
and belonging following Istanbul's
street dogs and their relationship to

The Real World: Crafting
Practices Talk Thurs 13 Nov, 7pm
(£6.50/£4.50 conc.)
What is the relationship between
craft and fine art? Join this
discussion to hear how artists are
negotiating these increasingly
blurred boundaries.

Supported by Artquest.

humans. Followed by artist's Q&A.



The Politics of Fibre Talk
Tues, 18 Nov 7pm (£8.50/6.50 conc.)
The current revival of interest in
textiles is seeing artists work on
ambitious large-scale projects.
This discussion looks at how
historic collections and exhibitions
of textiles can help us to read
contemporary art. Led by Curator
Grant Watson.

Corin Sworn Talk Thurs 20 Nov, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

The winner of the 2014 Max Mara Art Prize for Women leads an evening of conversation and performance inspired by her residency in Italy and research into the Commedia dell'Arte travelling theatre troupes. Joined by Canadian poet Lisa Robertson, they explore the poetics of written and narrated histories. Supported by Max Mara.

Caroline Bergvall: String of Words Performance Thurs 27 Nov, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

The writer in residence invites a relay of artists and writers to present the art work or text that has most radically influenced their own work.

Sculpture and the Archive Tour
Sat 29 Nov, 12pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)
Inspired by the current archive
exhibition, co-curators Lisa Le Feuvre
and Jon Wood lead a tour starting
at the Gallery, visiting sites from
the Strand to Whitehall of
sculptural projects in the display.

Image credits left to right. Alexander Kluge Nodio (film still). Richard Tuttle Proceived Obstacle N. 72 (OIP Pointing #1), 1991, oil and graphite on unstretched canwas, 34, 9. x 9.78 cm, photograph by Kerry Pyan McFace, courteey Pace Gallery, wimage 9 Richard Tuttle, courteey Stuart Shave/Modern Art, London and Pace Gallery, New York. Caroline Berguall DRIFT UMEÄ, 2014, Helena Wikström. Richard Tuttle in 23, 1998, acrylic, canwas, wood, 33, x 31, 8 x 51 cm, photograph by Joerg Lohse, courteey Stuart Shave/Modern Art, London and Pace Gallery, New York. Jake Chapman image courtees y Glake and Dinos Chapman studio. Corin Sworn photo Alan Dimmids.

December

Audio Description Tour
Weds 3 Dec, 11.30am–12.45pm
(Free) Explore the Richard Tuttle
exhibition with a combination of
detailed audio description and
tactile images. For blind and
partially sighted visitors.

Networks Talk Thurs 4 Dec, 7pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

Curator and writer Lars Bang Larsen and artist Suzanne Treister discuss the way digital networks and connectivity are shaping how art is made.

This event launches *Networks*: Documents of Contemporary Art, published by the Whitechapel Gallery and MIT Press.

Film London Jarman Award 2014
Sat 6 & Sun 7 Dec, 11.15am-5.45pm
both days. (£5 each day)
A weekend of events profiling
the 10 artists shortlisted for this
year's award: John Akomfrah,
Laura Buckley, Sebastian Buerkner,
Marvin Gaye Chetwynd, Steven
Claydon, Redmond Entwistle,
lain Forsyth & Jane Pollard,
Ursula Mayer, Rachel Reupke and
Stephen Sutcliffe.

Andrew Kotting and Iain Sinclair present: By Our Selves Film Thurs 11 Dec, 7–9pm (£8.50/£6.50 conc.)

The latest documentary from the filmmakers tracks visionary poet John Clare in the 150th year since his death. Enjoy a multi sensory evening discovering Clare's life and work, featuring sound artist Jem Finer and photographer Anonymous Bosch.

Families

The Weave of Textile Language Family Day Sat 1 Nov, 12–4pm (Free) Get inspired by Richard Tuttle's playful use of humble everyday materials. Join artists Monica Rivas Velasquez and Freya Gabie to make and exhibit your own collaborative drawings in wire, cotton, string, rope, plywood and paper. Explore the exhibition with a new Family Trail by artists Simon & Tom Bloor.



Children's Workshop Sat 1 November, 1–3pm (£15) Work with artist Joanna Brinton to create your own printed publication exploring poetry and typography. For children aged 5-12 years.

Crib Notes: Richard Tuttle Tour
Tues 4 Nov, 10am–12pm
(£5, includes refreshments)
Join Assistant Curator Poppy Bowers
on a tour of the exhibition with your
baby or toddler in tow. Enjoy
refreshments and a chat afterwards.
For parents and carers with infants
under 5.

Saturday Drawing Workshops Sat 27 Sept, Sats in Oct & Nov Clore Creative Studio & Galleries (£150 per term) Popular artist-led weekend drawing sessions for young

In association with The Prince's Drawing School.

Schools and Teachers

people aged 10-15.

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Teachers' Preview: Richard Tuttle Thurs 23 Oct, 5–7pm (Free)
Teachers are invited to a tour of the exhibition, to meet the education team and hear more about the upcoming season and opportunities to participate in the programme.

Teachers' Workshops Thurs 6 Nov, 4.30–6.30 pm (Free)
Led by artists Ania Bas and Ellie Green, this session gives teachers space to develop their ideas, skills and creativity through art making and discussion.

Project: Warp-Weft
Working with the fold, the weave
and the weft of fabric, pupils from
a local school collaborate with
artist Joanna Brinton on a
week-long project.

Supported by Stavros Niarchos Foundation.

School Workshops

Throughout Nov (Free)
These lively hands-on workshops
for primary schools use the Richard
Tuttle exhibition as a starting point
for practical activity, art making

and discussion.

Gallery Visits

Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays Book a free visit to explore the exhibitions with your pupils, including an introduction to the Gallery and use of the Clore Creative Studio.

School resources downloadable at whitechapelgallery.org/education.

Youth and Community

Youth Forum Open Evening
Weds 24 Sept, 5pm
Ages 15–20, (Free)
Are you under 20? Keen to meet
artists and see the inner workings
of a gallery? The Gallery's youth
forum Duchamp & Sons meet
regularly to work on projects
with artists and curators.
Come along to find out more.
To book your place email:
duchampandsons@whitechapelgallery.org

Imagining the East End Workshop Sat 18 Oct, 12–3pm Ages 15–20 only (Free) How are cultural identities documented and shaped by photography? Work with photographers Heather McDonugh and Rod Morris, learning practical tips for taking great street portraits.

Coinciding with Photomonth, the East London Photography Festival and Black History Month.

Introducing E-textiles Audio
Description Workshop
Sat 8 Nov, 6pm. Ages 15–25, (Free)
eTextiles are fabrics with inbuilt
electronics like sensors and LED
lights. Led by artist Emilie Giles and
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