

NADFAS Scotland and NI Area Event:  
Pathfoot Building, University of Stirling FK9 4LA  
Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2015 from 10.30am - 4pm



## Study Day

*Picture Hanging and Interior Design from 1660 to today*

Stephen Taylor, professional artist and lecturer at the Inchbald School of Design, will give us a couple of illustrated talks in the morning (from 11 am) - covering changing fashions in picture hanging and architectural trompe l'oeil over the centuries in galleries, classical interiors and private homes, mainly in Italy and England. He will end with practical tips for us to use in our own homes...

After lunch in Oscar's restaurant on site, with its panoramic views of Stirling Castle and the Wallace Monument, we shall have a guided tour of the University's extensive art collection (recently awarded museum status), built up since its founding in 1967. In the first phase of building 1% of the cost of each new building was earmarked for art to decorate it, some of it site-specific commissions. Most of the artworks on display are concentrated in the Pathfoot Building with its light airy courtyards and multi-level concourse, but sculpture is also spread throughout the scenic campus. In addition to paintings by Patrick Heron, Joan Eardley and Sir Robin Philipson, and sculptures by Paolozzi and Barbara Hepworth, 14 major works by J D Fergusson were gifted to the University in 1968 by his long term partner Margaret Morris. Current acquisitions major in contemporary Scottish art and at the time of our Study Day there will be a temporary exhibition by Kate Downie, who is also represented in the permanent collection. Curators Jane Cameron and Sarah Bromage will show us around.

**Cost of the day £48, to include coffee and shortbread on arrival and a two course lunch followed by tea/coffee.**

Full details of how to get to the University, which is easily accessible from the A9 and by public transport from Stirling, will be given to you on booking. It will also be possible for you to bring a guest – and maybe make a weekend of it! There are plenty of hotels and B & Bs in Bridge of Allan.

Numbers will be limited to 45, so please return your application form **before 30th September 2015** to:

**Hilary Gunkel, Orchardlea House, Callander FK17 8BG**

Tel: 01877 330798 / mail@hilarygunkel.co.uk Please mark your envelope 'NADFAS Area event'

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