

Lecture Series-

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on Tuesday, 25 Nov 2014

5:00 pm at National Museum Auditorium

All are invited

'Indian art in Bloomsbury: some master-works from the British Museum'



Dr. Richard Blurton

Curator, Department of Asia, British Museum

Richard Blurton is one of the two curators for South Asia at the British Museum which he joined in 1986. He has presented more than fifteen exhibitions, including the anniversary exhibition 'The Enduring Image' which came to Delhi and Mumbai in 1996/97'. More recently he has been involved in the GoI/BM Leadership Training Programme.

His long-term curatorial interests include the painting and textile collections, as well as sculpture from South India. However, over the last decade he has also been increasingly involved in aspects of the material culture of northeastern India, especially Arunachal Pradesh (exhibition in 2010) and Assam (due next year).

He is the author of a number of books, including 'Hindu Art' and 'Bengali Myths'. He is currently working on a book concerned with the culture of neo-Vaisnava Assam.