Programme

British Council Literature Seminar 2021
We are Wales: disparate voices, landscapes and stories

4 – 6 March 2021

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| **4.3.2021** | **17:30-17:32 GMT****18:30-18:32 CET****17:32-17:40 GMT****18:32-18:40 CET****17:40-18:00 GMT****18:40-19:00 CET** | **Plethu / Weave Film Good Things to Come by Alex Wharton and Krystal Lowe****Welcome and housekeeping****Opening with Greetings by** * Rob Humphreys, Trustee British Council
* Dr Stefanie Stegmann, Literaturhaus Stuttgart
* Deputy Minister for Culture, Sport and Tourism, Welsh Government, Dafydd Elis-Thomas MS
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| **4.3.2021** | **18:00-18:30 GMT****19:00-19:30 CET****18:30-19:00 GMT****19:30-20:00 CET** | **Reading by Niall Griffiths** chaired by Rebecca Gould, Head of Arts, British Council WalesQ + A  |
| **4.3.2021** | **19:00-19:03 GMT****20:00-20:03 CET** | **Writer’s film - Alex Wharton** |
| **4.3.2021** | **19:03-19:15 GMT** **20:03-20:15 CET** | Break (12 minutes) |
| **4.3.2021** | **19:15-19:45 GMT****20:15-20:45 CET****19:45-20:15 GMT****20:45-21:15 CET** | **Reading by Francesca Rhydderch**chaired by Elena Schmitz, Head of Programmes Literature WalesQ + A  |
| **4.3.2021** | **20:15-20:18 GMT****21:15-21:18 CET** | FILM (TBC) |
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| **5.3.2021** | **14:00-14:03 GMT****15:00-15:03 CET** | **Writer’s film - Hanan Issa** |
| **5.3.2021** | **14:03-14:46 GMT****15:03-15:46 CET** | **Panel with new writers + Q&A**Alex Wharton, Hanan Issa, Richard Owain RobertsChaired By: Dr Elaine Canning |
| **5.3.2021** | **14:46-14:48 GMT****15:46-15:48 CET** | Plethu / Weave Film - Bli Mae Biladi? by Aisha Naamani and Hanan Issa  |
| **5.3.2021** | **14:48-15:00 GMT****15:48-16:00 CET** | Break (12 minutes) |
| **5.3.2021** | **15:00-15:03 GMT****16:00-16:03 CET** | **Plethu / Weave Film -Aber Bach by Mererid Hopwood and Elena Sgarbi** |
| **5.3.2021** | **15:03-15:33 GMT****16:03-16:33 CET****15:33-16:03 GMT****16:33-17:03 CET** | **Reading by Zoë Brigley**Chaired by Niall GriffithsQ + A  |
| **5.3.2021** | **16:03-16:08 GMT****17:03-17:08 CET** | Writer’s film: Joao Morais  |
| **5.3.2021** | **16:08-16:25 GMT****17:08-17:25 CET** | Break (17 minutes) |
| **5.3.2021** | **16:25-16:28 GMT****17:25-17:28 CET** | Plethu / Weave Film - Ust by Ifor Ap Glyn and Faye Tan |
| **5.3.2021** | **16:28-17:00 GMT****17:28-18:00 CET****17:00-17:30 GMT****18:00-18:30 CET** | **Panel:** Writing IdentitiesIn this session we'll be exploring some of the issues involved in writing from a small country and asking how we might best engage in creative dialogue with the literatures of other peoples and places.Panellists: Charlotte Williams OBE, Manon Steffan Ros and Zoë BrigleyChaired by Francesca RhydderchQ + A |
| **5.3.2021** | **17:30-17:33 GMT****18:30-18:33 CET** | **Writer’s film – Richard Owain Roberts** |
| **5.3.2021** | **17:33-17:45 GMT****18:33-18:45 CET** | Break (12 minutes) |
| **5.3.2021** | **17:45-17:48 GMT****18:45-18:48 CET** | **Plethu / Weave Film - O’r Lludw by Aneurin Karadog and Joe Powell-Main** |
| **5.3.2021** | **17:48-18:15 GMT****18:48-19:15 CET** **18:15-18:45 GMT****19:15-19:45 CET** | **Reading by Manon Steffan Ros**Chaired by Francesca RhydderchQ + A |
| **5.3.2021** | **18:45-18:48 GMT****19:45-19:48 CET** | Writer’s film- Ifan Morgan Jones  |
| **5.3.2021** | **18:48-19:00 GMT****19:48-20:00 CET** | Break (12 minutes) |
| **5.3.2021** | **19:00-19:03 GMT****20:00-20:03 CET** | Plethu / Weave Film -Triptych Part 1 by Marvin Thompson and Ed Myhill |
| **5.3.2021** | **19:03-19:30 GMT****20:03-20:30 CET****19:30-20:00 GMT****20:30-21:00 CET** | **Reading** **by Richard Gwyn**chaired by Niall GriffithsQ + A |
| **5.3.2021** | **20:00-21:30 GMT****21:00-22:30 CET**  | **Friday night Wales extravaganza**: Curated/presented by Gary Raymond, novelist, presenter of The Review Show on BBC Radio Wales, and editor of *Wales Arts Review*. |
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| **6.03.2021** | **12:00-12:45 GMT****13:00-13:45 CET** | Writer’s film – Eluned Gramich **Panel with new writers** Ifan Morgan Jones, Eluned Gramich, Joao Morais Chaired By: TBC |
| **6.03.2021** | **12:45-13:00 GMT****13:45-14:00 CET** | Break (15 minutes) |
| **6.3.2021** | **13:00-14:00 GMT****14:00-15:00 CET** | **Workshop with Richard Gwyn**  | **Workshop with** **Manon Steffan Ros** |
| **6.3.2021** | **13:00-14:00 GMT****14:00-15:00 CET** | **Plethu / Weave Film + Panel discussion**Panellists: Chaired by Paul Kaynes - National Dance Company Wales, TBC |
| **6.3.2021** | **14:00-14:15 GMT****15:00-15:15 CET** | Break (15 minutes) |
| **6.3.2021** | **14:15-15:15 GMT****15:15-16:15 CET** | **Workshop with** **Charlotte Williams OBE** | **Workshop with** **Zoë Brigley** |
| **6.3.2021** | **14:15-15:15 GMT****15:15-16:15 CET** | **Plethu / Weave Film + Panel discussion**Panellists: Chaired by Lleucu Siencyn, CEO Literature Wales |
| **6.3.2021** | **15:15-15:45 GMT****16:15-16:45 CET** | Break (30 minutes) |
| **6.3.2021** | **15:45-16:15 GMT****16:45-17:15 CET****16:15-16:45 GMT****17:15-17:45 CET** | **Reading by Charlotte Williams OBE**chaired by Francesca RhydderchQ + A  |
| **6.3.2021** | **16:45-17:00 GMT****17:45-18:00 CET** | Break (15 minutes) |
| **6.3.2021** | **17:00-17:30 GMT****18:00-18:30 CET****17:30-18:00 GMT****18:30-19:00 CET****18:00-18:15 GMT****19:00-19:15 CET** | **Panel** Wales: What Now?Panellists: Manon Steffan Ros, Zoë Brigley and Richard GwynChaired by Niall GriffithsQ + A Closing WordsLleucu Siencyn, CEO Literature WalesPaul Smith, Country Director, British Council, Germany |