

Names Not Numbers: Part Three Registration Form

2nd March 2017

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Names Not Numbers Programme

PART THREE: THEATRES OF NOW

11.20 - 11.50

NNN LECTURE: "Defending Knowledge - libraries and the crisis of trust"

British Library CEO Roly Keating

Once scarce and expensive, information has in less than a generation become hyper-abundant and overwhelmingly free. **Roly Keating** explores how the resulting glut has created new problems of reliability, partisanship, authority and trust, and why the values of strong, independent knowledge institutions are more vital than ever.

11.50-12.00

PERSPECTIVES

Short provocations from dynamic speakers giving you a perspective on their world, relating to NNN's 2017 theme of 'The Near Distance'. Now art historian and Titian expert **Sheila Hale: What the Old Masters tell us from this distance about their art**

12.00 - 12.40

PANEL: THE THEATRE OF POLITICS (AND THE POLITICS OF THEATRE)

Chair: Angie Hobbs, Professor of the Public Understanding of Philosophy, University of Sheffield

Panel: Annabel Arden, Director

Bonnie Greer, Trustee of British Museum and Serpentine Gallery

John Lahr, Writer and critic

We know that life imitates art. But in politics, it has become more theatre than the real thing. We have assembled a distinguished panel of playwrights, directors, critics, and under the direction of one of our greatest modern philosophers ask whether recent geopolitical trends mean we don't need to go to the theatre anymore (we just have to switch on the news).

12.40-13.05

INDIVIDUAL IN A MASS AGE: THE INTERVIEW

Maggi Hambling in Conversation with Peter York

Join one of our greatest living contemporary artists, whose new show Walls of Water is running in London, in conversation with one of her collectors, the art know-all and cultural commentator.