Bacon and the Rosicrucians

A series of four talks for the Francis Bacon Society, FBRT Friends and guests welcome.

Speaker: Peter Dawkins

Talks 1 & 2:
The Founding of the Historical Rosicrucians and Establishing of the Rosicrucian Work

Friday 18 October 2019
1:30 pm–4:45 pm

The College of Psychic Studies, 16 Queensberry Pl, Kensington, London SW7 2EB

This series is about the historical Rosicrucians – i.e. those who were first known as the Society of the Golden and Rosy Cross, using the age-old symbol of the Rose and Cross, who existed in the 16th and 17th centuries. This is the society that gave birth to many other societies and organisations, some of which adopted and used publicly the same symbol in their name, and who are thereby known collectively as Rosicrucians. This collective name is also used nowadays to refer to those societies and individuals of earlier times who were privy to the symbolism of the Rose and Cross and sought to practice what it means. But this series of talks is about the historical 16th/17th-century Rosicrucians who brought the European Renaissance to a climax by creating the English Renaissance and laying the foundations for modern science and society, in which Francis Bacon played a key role.

The four talks are entitled:

1. Founding of the Historical Rosicrucians;
2. Establishing of the Rosicrucian Work;
3. Development of the Rosicrucian Work and Birth of Shakespeare;
4. Revelation of the Rosicrucian Work and Outreach to Europe.

Details
Doors open 1:15 pm. Meeting ends promptly at 5:00 pm.
1st talk 1:30 pm – 2:45 pm, refreshment break 2:45 – 3:30 pm, 2nd talk 3:30 pm – 4:45 pm.
Francis Bacon Society (FBS) members and Francis Bacon Research Trust (FBRT) Friends, plus guests, are welcome. These talks are not open to the general public.

All seats must be pre-booked. Spaces are limited.
The talks will be video-recorded for public display on the internet. If you do not wish to be included, let us know when you book. Questions, answers and discussions will not be recorded.
No charge is made for the talks, but a donation of £5–£10 would be appreciated to help alleviate costs.

Booking
If you would like to attend, please email the Webmaster: francis.bacon.society@gmail.com by 11 October 2019.
Please state whether you are a FBS member or FBRT Friend.
If you would like to bring guests, please include their names in your email.
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