

DAVID BOMFORD, chair of conservation and Audrey Jones Beck Curator in the department of European art at the MFAH, led this effort and will guide us through this striking facility. Before joining the MFAH staff in October 2012, David Bomford was acting director of the J. Paul Getty Museum in Los Angeles, where he had previously been associate director of collections. He was a senior restorer at London's National Gallery for almost 40 years. He has contributed to his field as an author and scholar as well as serving as Secretary General of the International Institute for Conservation. He earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry and a master's in organometallic chemistry from the University of Sussex before entering the field of art conservation. His fine reputation is built on his fundamental understanding of chemistry combined with keen observation and knowledge of art history.



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27–SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2019

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LOVESICK HEROINES: THE LITERATURE OF GABRIEL GARCIA MARQUEZ AND THE OPERA HE INSPIRED

ONE THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, AND THREE TUESDAYS, JANUARY 15, 22, AND 29, 6:30–8:00 P.M.

- \$120 all sessions
- \$55 for opera session and dress rehearsal
- \$35 each literature session

POPE FRANCIS' CATHOLIC CHURCH

THREE MONDAYS, JANUARY 14, 21 AND 28, 6:30–8:00 P.M.

- \$90 all sessions
- \$35 single session

PICK YOUR PUTIN: RUSSIA TODAY IN THE SHADOWS OF THE PAST

FOUR THURSDAYS, JANUARY 31, AND FEBRUARY 7, 21, AND 28, 6:30–8:00 P.M.

- \$125 all sessions
- \$35 single session

BILL BROWDER: KREMLIN ENEMY, HUMAN RIGHTS CAMPAIGNER

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 6:30–8:00 P.M.

- \$25

NORTH KOREA: ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST FOREIGN POLICY CHALLENGES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 6:30–8:00 P.M.

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THE FOUNDING FIVE: WASHINGTON, HENRY, JEFFERSON, MASON, MADISON

THREE WEDNESDAYS, FEBRUARY 13, 20, AND 27, 6:30–8:00 P.M.

- \$90 all sessions
- \$35 single session

PHILIP'S COMPLAINTS—FOUR NOVELS BY PHILIP ROTH

FOUR MONDAYS, MARCH 4, 11, 18, AND 25, 12:00–1:30 P.M.

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- \$35 single session

TRANSFORMING MEMORIAL PARK

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 4:00–6:00 P.M.

- \$35

BEHIND THE SCENES: THE NEW CONSERVATION LAB AT THE MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 10:00–11:30 A.M.

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