



The Open
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Shakespeare's Globe

21 New Globe Walk, London SE1 9DT



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**Presented by the Open University in London
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An excellent opportunity to explore aspects of history, drama, music and literature from the age of Shakespeare at Shakespeare's Globe.

Open University advisers will be available throughout the day to answer your queries and provide advice about choosing Open University

courses. (Advice on all subjects, not simply those related to the day, will be available).

We are pleased to offer you a £2 reduction on the cost of entry to the Shakespeare's Globe Exhibition (normal entry £9) which also includes a guided tour of the theatre.

Programme

10.00am onwards **Registration**

10.30am **The National Poet: Shakespeare's Rise to Fame**
What were the strange processes by which Shakespeare came to be regarded as the greatest English writer of all time?
Dr Sue Asbee Senior Lecturer in Literature at the Open University

10.30am **Playing Shakespeare's Globe**
An introduction to the Globe Theatre and the relationship that the architecture of the building nurtures between actors and audiences.
Globe Education Practitioner

11.30am **Shakespeare Around the Globe**
How have Shakespeare's plays been appropriated and adapted in differing cultural situations? This lecture discusses the challenges and issues.
Dr David Johnson Lecturer in Literature at The Open University

11.30am **Music in the Time of Shakespeare**
A Globe Theatre Company Musician will explore the music requirements of the Globe Stage using examples of period music from the time.
Globe Musician

Shakespeare Short Course Taster Session

Join in this workshop to find out more about our introductory Shakespeare short course which provides an ideal introduction to Shakespeare's drama. No need to book - sessions will be run throughout the day.

Present this flyer at the reception desk and you will be directed to the Open University Desk where you can register for talks and receive your voucher for reduced price admission to the Shakespeare's Globe Exhibition.

Pre-booking is not essential but places at the talks will be allocated on a first come first serve basis. However, we expect the day to be popular and if you would like to pre-book your place please return the reply slip. Bookings will be acknowledged.

Please reserve the following places for me:

10.30am **The National Poet** ☐
Playing Shakespeare's Globe ☐
11.30am **Shakespeare Around the Globe** ☐
Music in the Time of Shakespeare ☐

2.00pm

Shakespeare on Film

James Cagney as Bottom? Young Judi Dench playing a near-naked Titania? This illustrated talk will look at some of the rarer film adaptations, and focus on four versions of Romeo and Juliet.

Dr Maurice Hindle Senior Faculty Manager in Arts, The Open University in London

2.00pm

Shakespeare: Speak the Speech

An actor led practical exploration of selected scenes on the Globe stage
Globe Education Practitioner

3.00pm

Staging Shakespeare – Then and Now

Times change and so do staging conventions and practices, reflecting the cultural assumptions of a period. This illustrated talk will explore staging styles from Elizabethan to modern times.

Ms Suzi Turner Associate Lecturer at The Open University & Academic Tutor at The Conservatoire for Acting & Musical Theatre, Guildford

3.00pm

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10.30am to 5.00pm

Shakespeare's Globe Exhibition

Your chance to visit the largest exhibition of its kind in the world dedicated to Shakespeare, as well as to take part in a tour of the theatre. You will receive a £2 discount voucher on the entrance fee on production of the voucher obtainable on the day. (Limited spaces available.)

Name Address

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