

A Work of Art or Nature?



The Evening of the Deluge

J M W Turner

Darwin's visual intelligence was integral to his discoveries about natural selection and he was interested in visual culture and its contributions to science. In turn, his revolutionary theories can be traced in 19th century artistic production, such as Landseer's charismatic animal paintings, Monet's landscapes and Degas' sculptures. This short course will look at natural history illustrations that inspired Darwin, satire that ridiculed him and art that was influenced by his ideas. We will account for diverse connections between science and art in the 19th century. This includes discussing how theories of evolution appear in visual culture and influenced aesthetics.

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A Work of Art or Nature? – Visual Culture in the Age of Darwin.



Cattleya Orchid and Three Hummingbirds: Martin Johnson Heade

A Short Course with Kajsa Berg.

Saturdays 14th and 21st November 2020
Fee £10 per household.

On Zoom, 10.00 – 12.30.

Booking Form

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If anyone has not used Zoom before, and would welcome guidance on how to install the software, please tell us.

The charge for this course is **per household**. Purely for our own interest, we would be grateful if you would inform us how many people will be enjoying the course with you.

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Programme

9.30 am The site will open.

10.00 am Session 1

11.00 am Coffee Break

11.30 am – 12.30pm Session 2

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**Details of events and group courses can be found on:
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