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News: Families Of Fallen First World War Opponents Unite At Army Museum



Two descendants of soldiers who died on opposing sides during the First World War were at the National Army Museum on Armistice Day, November 11 2005.

Exhibitions: David Remfry's Dancers Fill The Ferens Art Gallery In Hull



On show in Hull from November 12 David Remfry's paintings depict the energy and vibrancy of dancing as it transcends class-divides and allows people to discard inhibitions.

Trails: England Expects - On The Trail Of Admiral Lord Nelson



As well as the events being staged for Trafalgar 200, there are many museums and locations across the UK where Nelson's deeds are remembered.

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- [Digital Great War Roll Of Honour Launched On November 11](#)
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Milestones Museum at Night
Milestones - Hampshire's Living History Museum

Stop the Rot at Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery
Birmingham Museum & Art Gallery

Historic Guildford
Guildford House Gallery

Saturday gallery tours at Kendal Museum
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Childrens Zone at the National Army Museum
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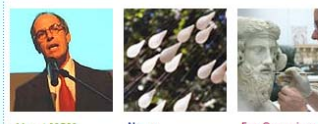
Museums and Galleries Month is the UK-wide celebratory galleries which takes place in May. Planning is already underway. Check here for regular updates in the [Organisers' section](#) press in the [media section](#).



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The Bicentenary of the Abolition of the Slave Trade

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Gunnersbury Park Museum

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National Football Museum, Preston

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MGM kicks off with a 'Welcome Weekend' to coincide with the May Bank Holiday weekend, May 4-7 2007. Hundreds of

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MUSLIM HISTORIES IN LONDON DURING JUNE AND JULY

As the Festival of Muslim cultures continues, and big exhibitions start at the British Museum and the V&A, we look at a few places where you can explore aspects of the Islamic world in London this summer.



Compressed Homes From Central Europe At The Spitz Gallery

A new exhibition of photography from Central Europe centres around people living in small, temporary spaces for widely different reasons - Polish men in a homeless



Turkish Cypriot Histories In London

This growing section archives material from current and past exhibitions - so that it can continue to be accessed by the public online. A recent exhibition about Turkish



Russian Winter Palace recreated At Somerset House.

The 'collection' at the Hermitage Rooms in Somerset House is the architecture itself. A reproduction of the Winter Palace in St Petersburg, it hosts rotating



Get High At The Chinese Pagoda In Kew Gardens

The Chinese pagoda at Kew Gardens is reopening to the public from May - September for the first time in recent memory. The 50ft structure gives views as far as the Wembley Arch and Canary

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Before The Wild West Show: Native Americans In Europe From The 15th Century



photo shows Dr Johnsons

Samuel Johnson's House in London is hosting a talk about the experiences of Native Americans in Europe - first feted by kings, then relegated to fairgrounds. Like the handful of enterprising Polynesians who travelled to London in the 17th century, many died of European diseases to which they had no immunity.

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A series of drawings of people from the remote region of Kamchatka, made during Cook's last voyage, have been purchased by the the Captain Cook Memorial Museum.

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Exhibitions: 100 Years Of The TT Races Celebrated At Manx Museum



The world-famous TT motorcycle races on the Isle of Man are celebrating their 100th year and the Manx Museum's exhibition tells the tale of the people behind them.

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A new project organised by the Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority is recording smaller items of rural and farming archaeology for future study.

Exhibitions: From Britney To Blair - Dawn Mellor's Portraits At SpaceX

From Britney Spears and Margaret Thatcher to Tony Blair and Nicole Kidman Dawn Mellor takes celebrity portraiture to new and grotesque places at SpaceX, Exeter.

Trails: A Trail Around UK Standing Stones And Burial Chambers

Mysterious and monumental as ever in winter weather, get to grips with some megalithic heritage with the help of this trail, stretching from Cornwall to Orkney.

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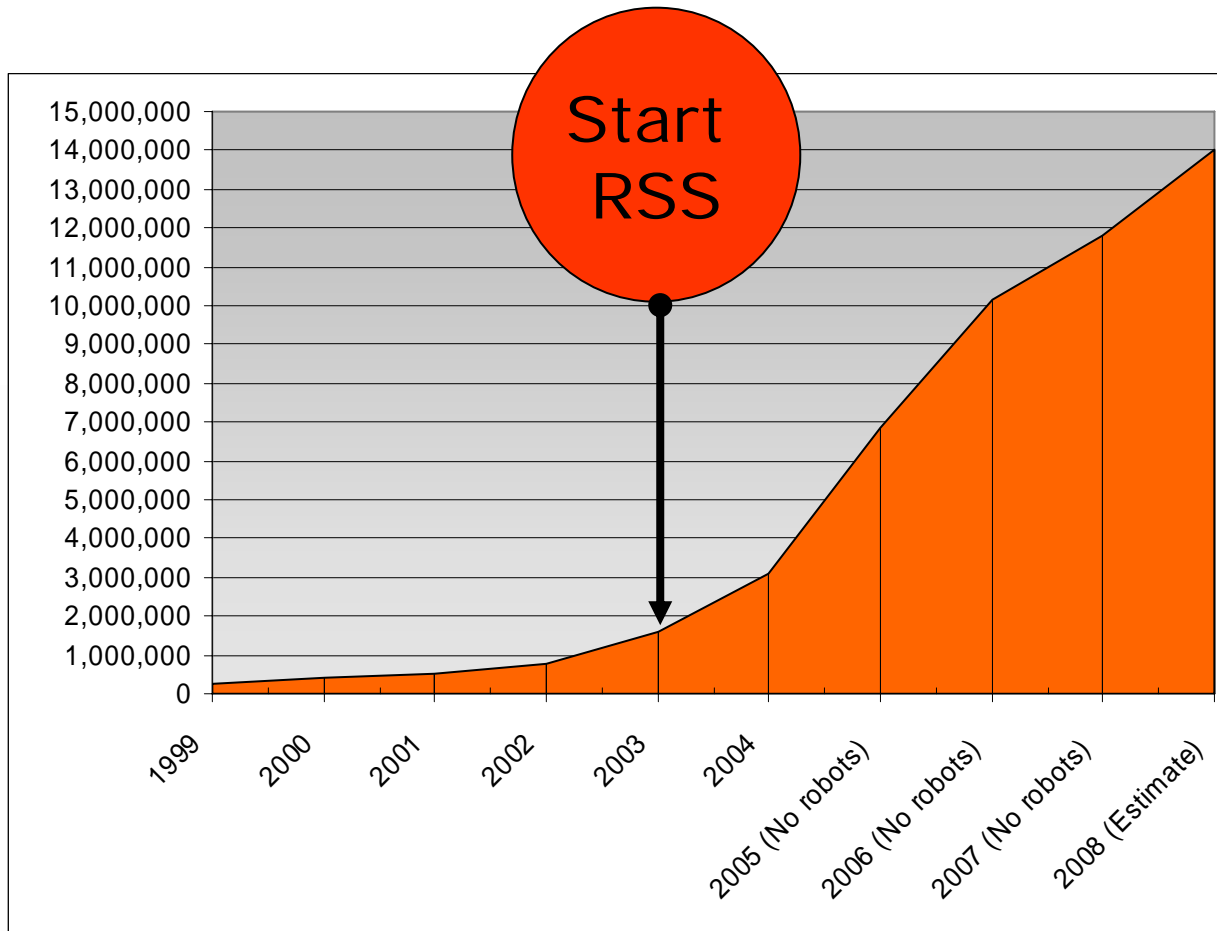
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 **GULBENKIAN MUSEUM PRIZE 2007 - 24 HOUR MUSEUM PEOPLE'S POLL CLOSES**
24 Hour Museum, UK - 23 May 2007
Don't forget - our vote won't influence the official **Museum Prize** judging - that's judged by a panel of invited curators, experts and cultural commentators. ...
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24 Hour Museum, UK - 24 May 2007
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Times Online, UK - 21 May 2007
The winner of Britain's biggest arts **prize** - the **Gulbenkian** - is announced on Thursday evening. Worth £100000, it is awarded to the country's best **museum** or ...
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Guardian Unlimited, UK - 18 May 2007
The biggest cash **prize** in the arts, the £100000 **Gulbenkian prize** for museums and galleries, is to be taken over next year by the Art Fund charity. ...
['The brains come out through the nose'](#)
Guardian Unlimited, UK - 21 May 2007
Weston Park is one of four museums shortlisted for the prestigious **Gulbenkian prize**. All on the shortlist must have demonstrated a track record of

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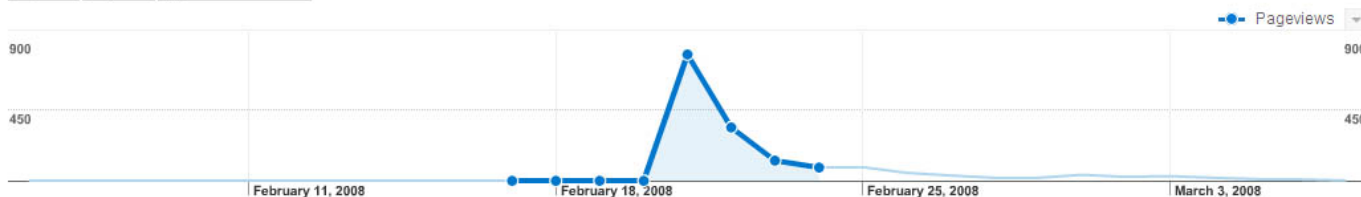
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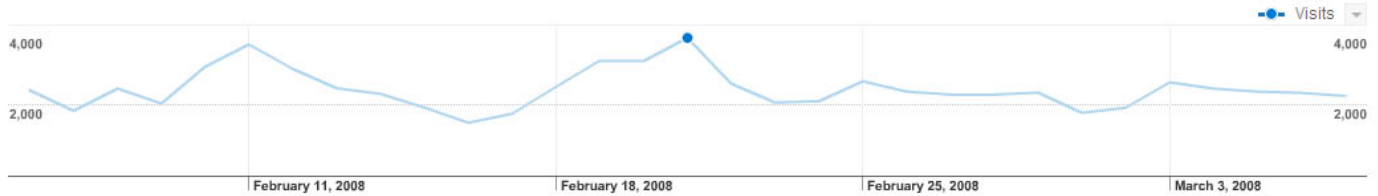
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wn7ian wrote:

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The first thread was borderline funny, the second thread based on the same joke is pushing it into 😄 territory...

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I thought it was funny! Loved the ITK stinger missiles!

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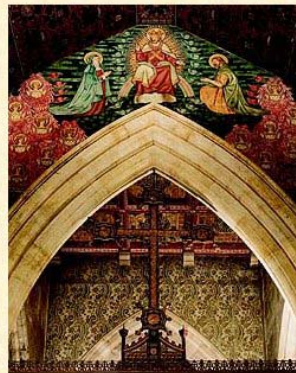
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The Cambridge Museum Of Obsolete Technology

Went off to Cambridge for the weekend to hang out with TISSP! and see the Palimpsest Festival and other assorted spacerock japes. (Read: drink so much tequila you can't see straight.)

TISSP! lives in a beautiful house in a weird gated community just off the River Cam. I noticed a gigantic Victorian chimneystack in his back garden, like something out of Lord of the Rings. "What's that?" I ask. "It's the Cambridge Museum Of Obsolete Technology" he replies, which sounds like the best thing ever.

Anyway, yes, we went to the folk festival. I felt a bit left out as I did not have a beard and resolved to grow one as quickly as possible. First off, the venue... All Saints Church. The most incredibly beautiful and psychedelic full-on Arts and Crafts Masterpiece I've ever seen.



Mary's research blog

Politics, museums and cultural diversity in France

« Congratulations Dr Stevens! The Guardian 'goes mad' for the Quai Branly »

Whose heritage? New developments in the UK culture sector



Kenwood House, North London

More than a decade since Edward Said highlighted the hidden links between Austen's Mansfield Park and the slave trade in *Culture and Imperialism* [English Heritage](#) has launched a project to explore the links between its properties and slavery and its abolition. According to the [24-hour museum](#):

All English Heritage properties from the relevant era, 1600 to 1840, will be investigated for their links to the slave trade in a research programme that could take almost two years.

Maria Adebawale, the English Heritage commissioner in charge of the project had the following to say:

"The definition of heritage has rightly widened over the years but there has never been a better time to look at whose history still needs to be better represented by the heritage sector."

This again seems to pick up on work of Stuart Hall who, in 'Whose Heritage? Un-settling 'The Heritage', Re-imagining the Post-nation' (which, on reflection, could equally be my thesis title) (*Third Text*

The Picture of Dorian Gray



by Stella Vine. Incredible, isn't it? What a stunner he is. But why youthful, handsome Dorian, I wonder, and not his distasteful, ageing mask? I've got a crush on Stella. Were I to live in Oxford, I'd be hotfooting it to this exhibition.

In other news, everything about this story fascinates me. I want to make a telemovie of it.

The Guardian, Wednesday July 4, 2007
by Helen Pidd

He was the eccentric German aristocrat with a penchant for fishnet stockings and lederhosen whose debauched parties had twice ended in death.

The first time was at Oxford University in 1989, when the daughter of a Conservative minister overdosed in his bed. The second was last year, when a man plunged 60ft to the ground from the roof terrace of the 44-year-old count's luxury apartment in Chelsea, west London.

This week, a third and final tragedy struck Gottfried Alexander von Bismarck - his body was discovered by paramedics at his flat.

The great-great-grandson of the Iron Chancellor, who united 19th century Germany, had apparently died of a heroin overdose.

The paramedics had been called in by an estate agent

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Tower Of London - New Building Discovered!

Posted on June 15, 2007.

Extensive archaeological remains of an old guard house dating to the Tudor and Jacobean periods have been uncovered at the Tower of London.

Staff were relaying a cobblestone path across Tower Green to conform with disability regulations when they found evidence of walls, which turned out to be the remains of a substantial building.

Link to complete story:

http://www.24hourmuseum.org.uk/mwh_gfx_en/ART48112.html

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Il movimento preraffaellita e Dante Gabriel Rossetti

Il movimento preraffaellita nasce in Inghilterra a metà dell'ottocento. In questa corrente artistica si esaltavano valori, opere letterarie, modo di disegnare del periodo precedente a Raffaello; ci si ispirava a pittori come Piero della Francesca, Botticelli e così via...Tra i suoi esponenti ricordiamo Sir John Everett Millais...vi ricordate questo quadro?(Ophelia)



Edward Burne Jones, e molti altri. Tra questi troviamo anche Dante Gabriel Rossetti. Quest'ultimo ha nella sua opera oscillato tra temi lascivi, come la prostituta malata di sifilide in *Found*



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London is the Host City, but the 2012 Games belong to – and will benefit – the whole UK. As part of the Cultural Olympiad we are creating a UK-wide festival celebrating the diverse cultures across the UK. It will start over the weekend of 26-28 September 2008 and run right through to the end of the Games.

The Cultural Olympiad values are to:

- welcome the world;
- inspire and involve young people; and

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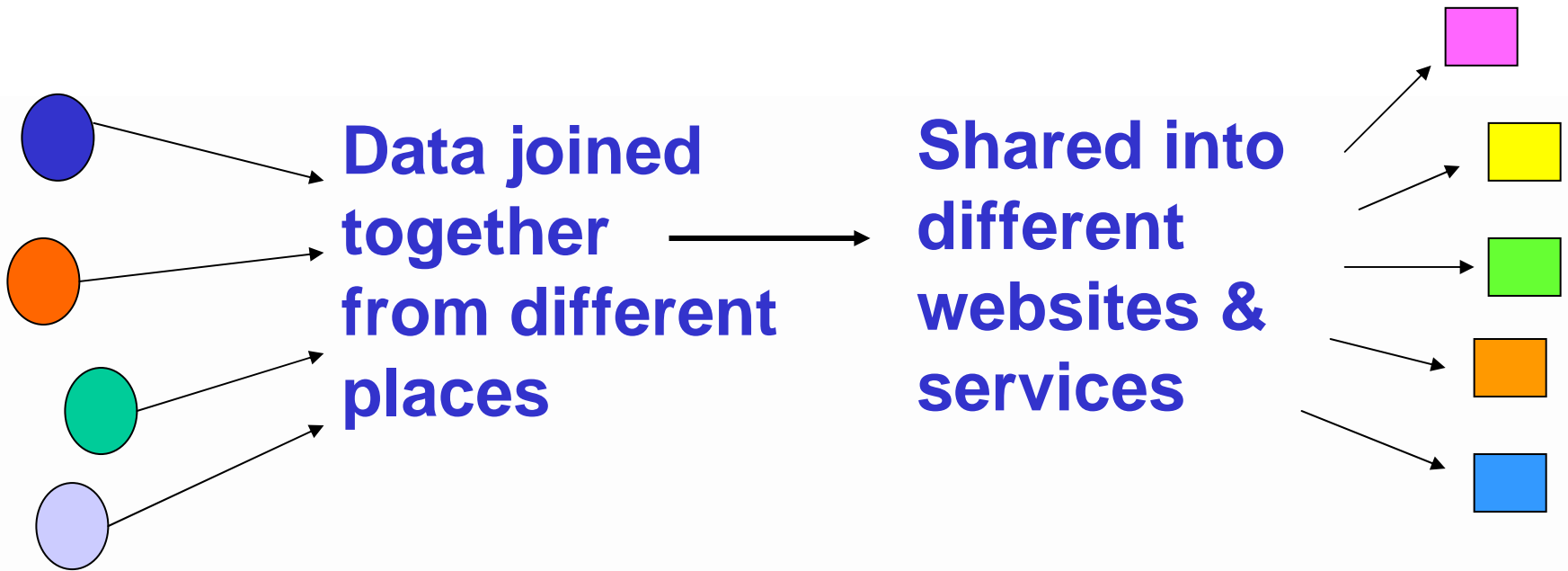
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