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Saturday 8th June 2019
At 10.30am in the Reardon Smith Lecture Theatre
National Museum Wales, Cardiff

William Burges – Gothic Revival Genius
An Illustrated Talk by Matthew Williams

Matthew Williams is best known as the expert curator of Cardiff Castle. He became the Curator in 1998 after firstly being appointed as Keeper of Collections of Cardiff Castle. He trained as an Art and Architectural historian. He has since become a recognised expert on the work of the Gothic revival architect William Burges and lectures widely on the subject of Victorian design.

Matthew has written books on the history of Cardiff Castle, and its association with the Marquesses of Bute; guide books to Cardiff Castle; a Pitkin Guide on William Burges and a guide to Insole Court. His published articles include contributions to The Decorative Arts Society Journal, articles in 'Country Life', and 'Architectural History'.

He is an experienced lecturer and has lectured in the USA and Canada as well as at the Universities of Nottingham, Swansea, Cardiff and Southampton, for the Art Fund, The National Trust, The Furniture History Society and The Tate Gallery. He has been an accredited lecturer for The National Association of Decorative and Fine Arts Societies since 2001.

The admission charge for the talk, which includes coffee in the Oriel Suite is £8 for tickets for Friends only ordered in advance or £10 at the door. To take advantage of the concessionary rate please complete the form below by Wednesday 5th June with a cheque made out to the Friends of National Museum of Wales. No acknowledgement will be sent.

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