

## DEPARTMENT FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION

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### READING LIST

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Course Title: A History of European Furniture and Interiors  
Location: Ewert House, Oxford  
Term Dates: 25 Jan 2024 to 28 Mar 2024  
Tutor: Megan Aldrich

The reading list below was supplied by the course tutor.

If you have enrolled on a course starting in the autumn, you can become a borrowing member of the Rewley House library from 1st September. If you are enrolled on a course starting in other terms, you can become a borrowing member once the previous term has ended. For example, students starting in January can join the Library in early December and those starting in April can join in early March.

If you are planning to purchase any books, please keep in mind that courses with insufficient students enrolled will be cancelled. The Department accepts no responsibility for books bought in anticipation of a course running.

### Preparatory Reading List

*The items on this list are to give you some background to the materials and ideas that we will be covering on the course.*

Author	Title
Adamson, John, ed.	<i>The Princely Courts of Europe, 1500-1750</i>
Bryson, Bill	<i>At Home: a Short History of Private Life</i>
Galinou, Mireille, ed.	<i>City Merchants and the Arts, 1670-1720</i>

### Course Reading List

*The items on this list are to support your learning while you are taking the course.*

Author	Title
Aldrich, Megan	'The Victorian Craces' in <i>The Craces: Royal Decorators, 1768-1899</i>
Aldrich, Megan	'William Beckford's Abbey at Fonthill' in <i>William Beckford, An Eye for the Magnificent, D. Osterg</i>

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Baillie Scott, Hugh Mackay	<i>Houses and Gardens: Arts and Crafts Interiors</i>
Baulez, Christian	<i>'Jean-Henri Riesener: a portrait sketch' in Jean-Henri Riesener, Cabinetmaker to Louis XVI &amp; Mar...</i>
Chippendale, Thomas	<i>The Gentleman and Cabinet-maker's Director (reprint of 3rd edition, 1762)</i>
Collard, Frances	<i>'Furniture' in William Morris, Linda Parry, ed.</i>
Forntini-Brown, Patricia	<i>'The Venetian Casa' in At Home in Renaissance Italy, Marta Ajmar-Wollheim and Flora Dennis, eds.</i>
Honour, Hugh	<i>Cabinet Makers and Furniture Designers</i>