



TALK & MUSICAL RECITAL

Swedenborg Birthday Meeting 2018

DAVID BODANIS ON ISSAC NEWTON

“Like Einstein, he [Bodanis] finds fun in physics and understands how to communicate its mystery”
(The Times)

**FREE
ADMISSION**



**SATURDAY 20 JANUARY 2018 | 4.00-6.30 pm |
FREE ADMISSION | Refreshments | music recital |**

Drawing on research from his forthcoming book, acclaimed academic and author David Bodanis will speak on Isaac Newton, offering special insight into the great man’s polymathic genius and the effect he had on eighteenth-century science and philosophy. A seminal influence on Emanuel Swedenborg, and almost all intellectuals of the eighteenth century, Newton’s *Philosophice Naturalis Principia Mathematica* is now considered one of the defining works of the modern era.

DAVID BODANIS

David is an academic and author whose books include *The Secret House* (1986); the bestselling *E=mc²* (2001); *Electric Universe* (2006) which was the Royal Society Science Book of the Year Prize winner; *Passionate Minds* (2007); and the recently published international bestseller *Einstein’s Greatest Mistake* (2016). He has also published articles in the *Financial Times*, the *Guardian*, and the *New York Times*, and has appeared on the BBC’s *Newsnight*.

THE SWEDENBORG BIRTHDAY MEETING

The Swedenborg Birthday Meeting is the Swedenborg Society’s inaugural lecture—an occasion that ties the Society’s informal and welcoming hospitality to the grandeur of celebrating Swedenborg’s vast cultural legacy. This year’s Birthday Meeting will open with refreshments and a musical recital by the Casiba Duo of pieces from the Eighteenth-century.

- TIME: 4.00-6.30 pm
- DATE: 20/01/2018
- ADMISSION: Free
(please book in advance)
- FREE REFRESHMENTS
- VENUE:
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20/21 Bloomsbury Way
London WC1A 2TH
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