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THE INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CENTRE FOR CALLIGRAPHY PRESENTS

**Writing 2013 International Calligraphy Symposium**

13th to 18th July 2013

At St. Aidan's College, Durham University



**Tutors included:**

**Prof. Ewan Clayton**

The scripts of the Lindisfarne Gospels

**Ann Hechle**

An introduction to the philosophy of  
Number and Sacred Geometry

**Susan Moor**

The Descriptive Line



*All photography of Durham Cathedral by Robert Cooper  
Brochure designed by Manny Ling*



## WRITING 2013 SYMPOSIUM

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Durham University, UK

### From the Symposium Team:

Our next Symposium, July 13th-18th 2013, will be held in Durham, marking the visit of the Lindisfarne Gospels to the city that summer. Our format will follow that of a calligraphy retreat, meaning we will have plenty of space and time for refreshment and recreation. Classes will be mornings only and in the afternoon participants can continue to work on their own in the calligraphy studio or join one of the optional trips that are planned to Sunderland and to Lindisfarne. An evening calligraphy event is planned in the Cathedral during our stay.

*Dr Manny Ling & Prof. Ewan Clayton*



## WORKSHOPS

*Ewan*  
CLAYTON



### Ewan Clayton: The scripts of the Lindisfarne Gospels

The half uncial script of the Gospel book, and its headings, form one of the most original gifts to calligraphy from seventh century Britain. We take time to study and write under their inspiration.



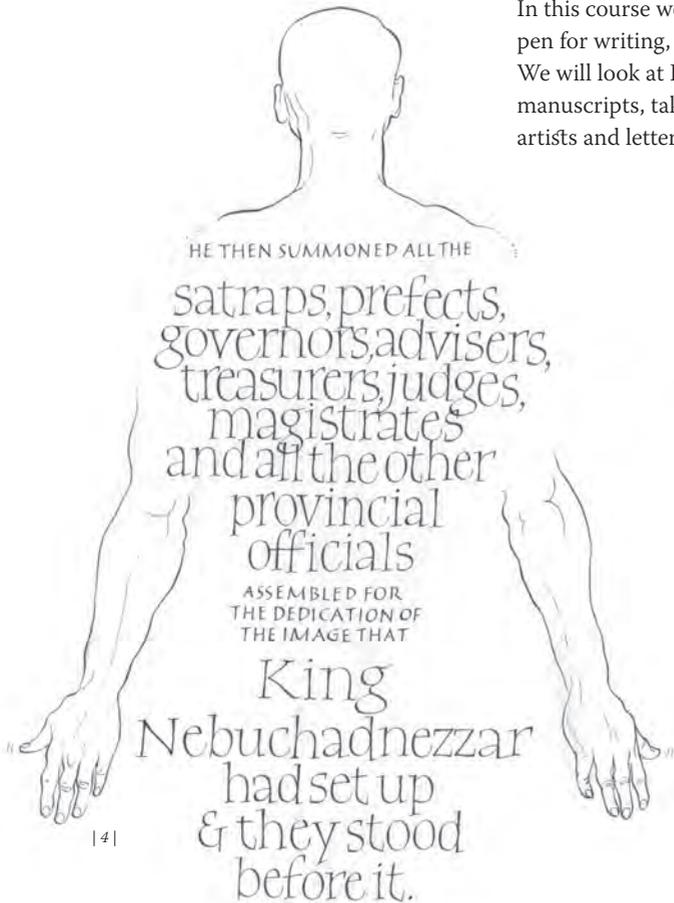
## WORKSHOPS

Susan  
MOOR



### Susan Moor: The Descriptive Line

In this course we will explore using a pen for writing, lettering and drawing. We will look at Durham's Anglo Saxon manuscripts, taking them and other later artists and letterers as a starting point.



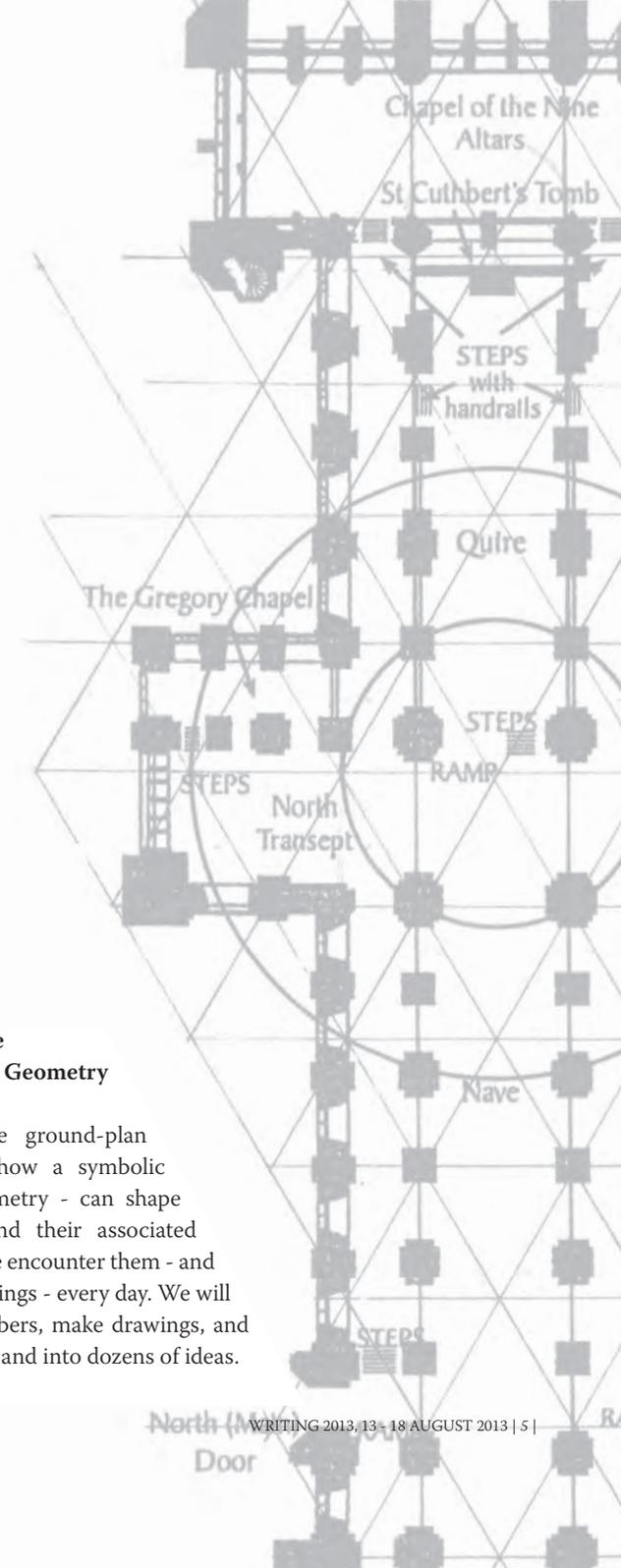
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Ann  
HECHLE



### Ann Hechle: An introduction to the philosophy of Number and Sacred Geometry

We will start by examining the ground-plan of Durham Cathedral, and see how a symbolic Number - unfolded through geometry - can shape an entire building. Numbers, and their associated meanings are still alive and well; we encounter them - and subconsciously their deeper meanings - every day. We will explore then just the first 6 numbers, make drawings, and see how they flow into geometry, and into dozens of ideas.



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## HOW TO BOOK

It is now possible to pay online for the Symposium via debit/credit card or paypal and we hope that all participants will find this simpler and quicker. To do so, please go to:

<http://onlinestore.sunderland.ac.uk>

You will then need to select the workshop of your choice from the list available, please locate on the page:

Product catalogue > Conferences and events > Conference > Writing 2013.

If every place in the workshop has been taken, the button will show "OUT OF STOCK". Please select the next workshop of your choice.

After you have made your payment a message will automatically be sent to Symposium Administrator Lynda Jordan. She will contact you by email or telephone to confirm that your booking has been received.

You can book your place by making a first online payment of a £100 deposit. You will need to make the final payment before May 1st, 2013. Further information and the conference pack will be forwarded once the final payment has been received.

If you have any problems with the online store, please refer to the University's Revenue Administrators Marikka Ring or Kelly Burns, Email: [onlinestore@sunderland.ac.uk](mailto:onlinestore@sunderland.ac.uk) or Telephone (+44) 0191 515 2455.

If for any reason payment online is not possible for you, please contact the Revenue Administrator for advice.

For any other advice regarding the symposium please contact:

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### TRAVEL DIRECTIONS

#### By road

Durham city centre is only two miles from the A1(M). Leave the motorway at Junction 62 on the A690 Durham - Sunderland road and follow signs to Durham City Centre.

Durham is 264 miles from London, 187 miles from Birmingham, 125 miles from Edinburgh and 67 miles from York.

There are several express coach services daily from most major cities. Durham is well served by both regional express services and the local bus network. From the city bus station - a short walk from the railway station - a bus service runs every 15 minutes past the Colleges on South Road.

#### By rail

60 InterCity trains from most major centres in the country call at Durham daily including 14 trains from London. The National Express high speed service takes under 3 hours from London King's Cross on the main East Coast line. First Transpennine Express offers frequent links to Manchester, Sheffield and Leeds, while Cross Country links Durham directly with Scotland, the Midlands, and the South West.

Durham is just over 3 hours from Birmingham, 2½ hours from Manchester, 1½ hours from Edinburgh and 45 minutes from York.

A taxi will take you from the station to any College within 5 minutes and you can walk to the city centre in 10 minutes.

#### By air

Durham is 30 minutes' drive from Newcastle Airport and about 40 minutes from Durham Tees Valley. Both have regular domestic and international flights. Durham is linked to Newcastle Airport by rail and metro. Travellers into Durham Tees Valley can take advantage of the free Sky Express bus service that links the airport to Darlington railway station, with regular connections to Durham.

#### By sea

Scheduled ferry services link the River Tyne to The Netherlands

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	FEES
<b>Residential</b> Five nights' stay, including masterclasses, meals and accommodation:	
Ensuite accommodation	£559.00
Standard single accommodation	£499.00
<b>Non Residential</b> Masterclasses and meals only	£350.00
<b>Partner package,</b> Five nights' stay, including: meals and Ensuite accommodation	£370.00
With Standard accommodation	£310.00
<b>Double ensuite rooms</b> We have five double ensuite rooms for delegates with partners only and it will be booked under first come first served basis. The cost includes five night's stay and all meals for the delegate and their partner plus masterclasses for the delegate.	£869.00

### Additional Trips

Trips to Holy Island and Sunderland will be organised and these will be charged accordingly depending on the demand.