

**Events at Mishkenot Sha'ananim Cultural Center****Events Throughout the City****TUESDAY 8.5.18**

17:00-18:00

**The Rosie Project in Jerusalem**

Lihl Lapid and Graeme Simsion (Australia) in conversation on Asperger's and autism

**De Botton Auditorium**

18:00-20:00

**The Poetics of Coincidence**

Gon Ben Ari invites festival guests for a personal conversation about a significant coincidence in their lives.

**The Windmill**

19:00-20:00

**The Sellout**

Etgar Keret and Paul Beatty (USA) in conversation with Dr. Yael Sternhell

**De Botton Auditorium**

18:00-19:30

**Authors Talk Art**

A visit with author Dror Burstein to the prehistoric galleries of the Israel Museum

**The Israel Museum**

18:00-20:00

**I Would Prefer Not To: Master Classes in Resistance**  
Ron Dahan, Galit Dahan-Carlibach, Yehonatan Dayan, and Erez Schweitzer will discuss the secret of the charm of "Bartleby, the Scrivener."  
**Tmol Shilshom Café**

20:30-22:00

**Opening Event: The Writers Rebel**

A literary protest featuring Pussy Riot (Russia), Ruth Gilligan (Ireland), Gilad Kahana, DJ Atar Mayner, Shimon Adaf, Sarah Blau, Evgenia Dodina, Asaf Roth, and Shifra Cornfeld

**Yael Garden****WEDNESDAY 9.5.18**

17:00-19:00

**I Would Prefer Not To: Master Classes in Resistance**

Writing workshop with Sarah Blau in the footsteps of rebellious biblical women

**Fostel Hall**

17:30-18:30

**Fever Dream**

Yishaj Sarid and Samanta Schwebelin (Argentina) in conversation with Hila Blum

**Djanogly Hall**

18:00-19:30

**Saving Anne Frank**

Exhibition opening and conversation between author Ari Folman, graphic illustrator David Polonsky, and Deakla Keydar

**Dwek Gallery and de Botton Auditorium**

18:00-20:00

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**The Dubliners**

MK Isaac Herzog and Ruth Gilligan (Ireland) in conversation with Assaf Gavron

**Yael Garden**

19:00-20:00

**"Musical Moment": A Literary Concert Inspired by Yehoshua Kenaz**

Featuring Doron Tavori, Ilai Rowner, Shlomi Frige, the Carmina Singers Ensemble, Taum Karni, and Guy and Alon Ostrun

**The Jerusalem Music Centre**

20:30-22:00

**The Jerusalem Connection**

Haim Be'er and Nir Baram in conversation with Bilha Ben-Eliyahu

**De Botton Auditorium**

20:30-22:00

**The Adventures of Saul Bellow**

Dr. Arik Glasner in conversation with director Asaf Galay and screening of film excerpts

**Jerusalem Cinematheque****Events at Mishkenot Sha'ananim Cultural Center****Events Throughout the City****THURSDAY 10.5.18**

17:00-19:00

**I Would Prefer Not To: Master Classes in Resistance**

Dr. Arik Glasner and Yair Agmon, two authors who were once religious, in an open conversation about writing and becoming secular

**Fostel Hall**

17:00-19:00

**I Would Prefer Not To: Master Classes in Resistance**

Writing workshop with Agi Mishol

**The Little House**

12:00-13:30

**Authors Talk Art**A tour of the *Pravda* exhibition by Zoya Cherkassky and a conversation between the artist and author Alona Kimhi**The Israel Museum**

18:00-20:00

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**The Windmill**

19:00-20:00

**Two Steps Forward**

Graeme Simsion (Australia) in conversation with Rana Werbin

**Djanogly Hall**

19:00-20:30

**Has Television Killed Literature?**

Nathan Hill (USA), Dror Mishani, and Noa Yedlin in conversation with Noa Menhaim

**Jerusalem Cinematheque**

20:30-21:30

**Pussy Riot – Riot Days**

Maria Alyokhina, member of the band Pussy Riot (Russia), in conversation with MK Merav Michaeli

**De Botton Auditorium**

21:00-23:00

**Of Dragons and Men**

A conversation with Paul Beatty (USA) and Shimon Adaf and a film screening

**Jerusalem Cinematheque****FRIDAY 11.5.18**

10:00-11:00

**Two Writers and One Longing**

Eshkol Nevo and Francesca Segal (UK) in conversation with Sarai Shavit. Music: Dana Berger

**Yael Garden**

11:30-13:00

**Early and Late: A Tribute to Aharon Appelfeld**

Featuring: Justice Esther Hayut, Prof. Yigal Schwartz, Gail Hareven, Prof. Miron H. Izakson, Noa Menhaim, and Sara von Schwarze. Music: Nurit Galron and Itamar Gross

**De Botton Auditorium**

11:00-12:30

**Authors Talk Art**

A visit to the Archaeological Wing and the Israeli Art Wing with author and theater director Prof. Michal Govrin

**The Israel Museum**

11:00-12:30

**Tour of Love**

A tour of director Yair Agmon's sources of inspiration

12:00-13:00

**Love Has No Country**

Nir Baram and Nathan Hill (USA) in conversation with Maya Sela

**Djanogly Hall**

13:00-14:30

**Closing Event: Seven Minutes in Heaven**

Featuring Samanta Schwebelin (Argentina), Ruth Gilligan (Ireland), Graeme Simsion (Australia), Francesca Segal (UK), Eshkol Nevo, Dorit Rabinyan, and Prof. Evan Fallenberg. Music: Assaf Amdursky

**Yael Garden**