



# Writing Brecht

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## Newsletter

We are delighted to announce that the **International Brecht Society** will hold its next conference in Oxford, hosted by the Writing Brecht project. The triennial conference, recently held in Brazil and Hawaii, brings together Brecht scholars from across the world for several days of discussion and debate, alongside a lively cultural programme. The conference will take place from **25-29 June 2016**. Put the date in your diaries now!

### Future Events

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\* On Saturday 19 July, Writing Brecht is joining forces with *Modern Poetry in Translation* and Poetry International for a reading of the love poems of **Brecht and Margarete Steffin**, in new translations by **David Constantine**. The staged reading of the poems, many available for the first time in English translation, will be directed by Di Trevis and set to music by Dominic Muldowney. Tom Kuhn and David Constantine will tell the story of Brecht and Steffin's life together, their flight into exile, and their love.

**Brecht & Steffin: Love in a Time of Exile and War** is part of the Poetry International Festival at the Southbank Centre, and takes place at 2.30pm on 19 July in the Purcell Rooms.

<http://www.southbankcentre.co.uk/whatson/brecht-steffin-love-in-a-ti-83671>



### Publications

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David Barnett's edition of the **Berliner Ensemble Adaptations** is out next month (31 July). The volume collects Brecht's post-1950 adaptations of world dramatic classics for the Berliner Ensemble

<http://bloomsbury.com/uk/berliner-ensemble-adaptations-9781472514387/>

A host of publications are forthcoming this autumn, including Brecht's **Love Poems** and the new **Brecht on Theatre** and **Brecht on Performance**. See our website for more information and for links to pre-order the books: <http://brecht.mml.ox.ac.uk/publications>