

Mosaic Rooms: A Tribute to Adonis Final Media Update March 2012

PRINT

Run

The Guardian Interview with Adonis ran in Review, Saturday

28 January

Time Out Listing for the open evening talk ran in 2

February issue

The Independent 'A visit from Syria's master-poet' – Boyd Tonkin

wrote a piece on A Tribute to Adonis in 'The

Week in Books', Friday 3 February

The Guardian Literary event listing ran in Review, 4 February

Metro Included the exhibition in 'Free London', 7

February

The Guardian Two online pieces ran following Richard Lea's

interview with Adonis about his artwork for

Guardian.co.uk

News story, 9 February:

http://www.guardian.co.uk/books/2012/feb/09

<u>/syrian-authors-condemn-homs-bombardment?newsfeed=true</u>

Gallery, 9 February:

http://www.guardian.co.uk/books/gallery/201

<u>2/feb/09/syria-poet-adonis-artworks?newsfeed=true</u>

The National Two pieces ran following Ben East's interview

with Adonis and Khaled on Friday 3 February

event. Both pieces appeared in print and online:

Interview with Adonis, 9 February http://www.thenational.ae/arts-

culture/books/adonis-offers-his-poetic-view

Interview with Khaled Mattawa, 9 February

http://www.thenational.ae/arts-

culture/books/adoniss-translator-shares-details-

of-his-own-nuanced-art

Profil Magazine (Austria) Interview with Adonis published on Monday 13

February

Daily Telegraph Interview with Adonis for 'A Page in the Life'

published Saturday 18 February

http://www.telegraph.co.uk/culture/books/bo

okreviews/9086902/A-Page-in-the-Life-

Adonis.html

Financial Times 'The End of the Sky' by Adonis ran as The Poem

in Arts & Books pages on Saturday 25 February

The New Internationalist Interview with Giedre Steikunaite took place

on Monday 6 February. Published in April

edition

Literary Review Eric Ormsby's interview with Adonis published in

the 2 March issue including images from the

exhibition

Paris Review Lana Asfour interviewed for profile piece,

publication date TBC – magazine is published

each season

Under discussion

Wasafiri Interested in writing up event on 8 February for

future issue of the magazine

BROADCAST

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Front Row, BBC R4 Interview with Mark Lawson broadcast on

Friday 3 February

BBC World Service Vincent Dowd's interview with Adonis was

broadcast several times on Friday 3 and

Saturday 4 February

BBC French Service Interview with Adonis was broadcast first as a

bulletin on Wednesday 7 February. The full interview will be broadcast as 'Interview of the Week' over the weekend of 11/12 February

The Verb, BBC R3 Interview with Khaled Mattawa and Yang Lian

and Ian McMillan to run Friday 10 February

BBC Arabic Service Anwar Hamed's interview with Adonis was

used for:

a report for the news channel and BBCExtra,

Monday 5 February

radio interviews broadcast on Monday 5

February

an online piece, published on Monday 5

February

as part of a weekly editorial highlight on BBC

Arabic, Persian, Turkish

Interview with Adonis and Khaled Mattawa broadcast on cultural programme, Afaq, on

Wednesday 8 February

BBC World Service TV Ran an English package based on Anwar

Hamed's interview

BBC 4 used an English package based on

Anwar Hamed's interview

BBC Persian TV BBC Persian TV ran a package based on

Anwar Hamed's interview

ONLINE

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Time Out Listing for exhibition has been included online

http://www.timeout.com/london/around-town/event/250364/a-tribute-to-adonis

Culture 24 Included listing for exhibition online

http://www.culture24.org.uk/am360302

TLS Online Ran listing for events (no link available)

The Arab British Centre Included listing for exhibition online, 20

December

http://tinyurl.com/7uvh2l8

BookBrunch Listing for exhibition, 22 December

http://tinyurl.com/758jpmu

Arab Literature blog Listing feature (exhibition and talks), 25

December

http://tinyurl.com/77vrvcy

Art CalendR Listing for exhibition, 10 January

http://tinyurl.com/7taq4a8

FrostMagazine.com Listing feature (exhibition and talks) and

biography, 13 January http://tinyurl.com/6wngfcs

The Arab-British Centre Also shared this link on their Facebook page,

15 January

http://tinyurl.com/74c2ctz

Meet Up Have listed exhibition and arranged a meet-up

for the exhibition (currently 9 attending), 15

January

http://tinyurl.com/7rlhhah

Visit London Listing for exhibition, 20 January

http://tinyurl.com/6soap4j

The Arab-British Centre Included exhibition in newsletter, 27 January

2012 (no link available)

Southbank Centre Poetry Library Listing for exhibition and talks, 28 January

http://www.poetrylibrary.org.uk/events/readin

gs/?id=7295

Also displaying copies of the exhibition

brochure

IHYA Magazine Online Listing for exhibition on front page, 29 January

http://ihya.tumblr.com/

The Londonist Listing for open evening talk on Book Grocer, 1

February

http://londonist.com/2012/02/book-grocer-1-7-

february.php

Banipal Magazine Listing for the exhibition, 1 February

http://www.banipal.co.uk/news/index.cfm?ne

wsid=79

Yale University Press London Blog featured the exhibition and talks,

1 February

http://yalebooks.wordpress.com/2012/02/01/a -tribute-to-adonis-award-winning-syrian-poetvisits-the-uk-for-exhibition-and-literary-events/

London Calling Listings for the exhibition and talks, 1 February

http://londoncalling.com/events/a-tribute-to-

adonis-literary-programme

Art Rabbit Listing for the exhibition, 1 February

http://www.artrabbit.com/uk/events/event/30 815/adonis in conversation with khaled matt

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Aesthetica Magazine Listing for the exhibition, 1 February

http://www.aestheticamagazine.com/digital/

events.php

First Edition blog, The Bookseller Included the 3 February event in 'In the media

this weekend' roundup, 3 February

No link available

3 Quarks Daily (blog) Comment piece on Adonis, 4 February

http://www.3quarksdaily.com/3quarksdaily/20

12/02/adonis-a-life-in-writing.html

Jonathon Fryer (blog) 'Meeting Adonis', 4 February

http://jonathanfryer.wordpress.com/2012/02/0

4/meeting-adonis/

Art Daily Feature listing for the exhibition and talks, 4

February

http://www.artdaily.org/index.asp?int_sec=11

<u>&int_new=53406</u>

London Resonance (blog) Review of opening evening talk, 3 Feb

http://londonresonance.blogspot.com/2012/0

2/tribute-to-adonis-mosaic-rooms-

02042012.html

Women's Lens (French blog) Listing for the exhibition and talks, 2 Feb

http://womenslens.blogspot.com/

The Seer Listing for open evening, 3 Feb

http://www.theseer.info/whatson/24377.html

Lecture List Listing for the Artist Talk, 4 Feb

http://lecturelist.org/content/view_lecture/107

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Huffington Post UK Ran one of Adonis' poems in their 'Poem for

the Weekend' slot on Friday 3 February, alongside image from the exhibition and

listings for the events

http://www.huffingtonpost.co.uk/2012/02/03/west-and-east-by-adonis n 1252895.html?ref=tw

Inside the Middle East, CNN Ran interview with Adonis on 9 February

http://edition.cnn.com/2012/02/09/world/mea

st/syria-adonis-poet/index.html

Day Press News Picked up Guardian piece on Adonis and

Khaled Khalifa, 9 February

http://www.dp-

news.com/en/detail.aspx?articleid=111210

Sydney Morning Herald Picked up Guardian piece on Adonis and

Khaled Khalifa, 10 February

http://www.smh.com.au/world/leadingauthors-speak-out-on-savage-homsbombardment-20120210-1sm3b.html

3 Quarks Daily (blog) Picked up Guardian gallery, 10 February

http://www.3quarksdaily.com/3quarksdaily/20

12/02/syrian-poet-adonis-introduces-his-

artworks-.html

The London Magazine Review of exhibition and talks, 13 February

http://thelondonmagazine.org/onlineonly/%E2%80%98if-i-want-to-go-in-search-of-

myself-i-must-go-by-way-of-the-

other%E2%80%99-adonis-at-the-mosaic-rooms/

BBC News Online Included footage from Anwar Hamed's

interview Adonis, 14 February

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/entertainment-

arts-17039368

Ibraaz.org Interview took place with Adonis on

Wednesday 8 February

http://www.ibraaz.org/interviews/13

28 February

The following organisations tweeted about the talks and exhibition:

• The British Library

- Yale Books (as part of the Yale University Press)
- The Guardian
- Claire Armitstead, The Guardian
- Lisa Allardice, The Guardian
- Saqi Books

The following organisations promoted the talks through their websites and mailing lists:

- Poet in the City
- CAABU
- Southbank Poetry Centre
- Kings College London Arabic department
- SOAS
- Yale University Press
- Haus Publishing
- The Poetry Foundation
 (http://www.poetryfoundation.org/harriet/2012/02/adonis-on-his-artwork/)