

**Wednesday 10th December at 3 pm
in Camden Town**

Courtesy of Laura Harris

Vienna- City of Light, City of Darkness.



Following the great success of the tea visit with Dr James Fox in July, we are following this up with a further tea event at the home of Laura Harris, our Chairman. The speaker will be Dr Diane Silverthorne, the art historian, whose special subjects are the art and culture of Vienna around 1900, as well as European art and design in the long Nineteenth and twentieth centuries. She will be speaking to us about this fascinating period when Vienna was a hotbed of progressive ideas in art, architecture, music and design and produced artists including Gustav Klimt and Egon Schiele. She was recently a guest on Melvyn Bragg's *In Our Time* discussing the Vienna Secession.

Diane has previously held posts at Birkbeck, University of London and Central St Martins. She has given lecture series and published widely on the art, design and music of the period, most recently for the V & A Academy and The Course. Her recent publications include a contribution to *Schoenberg in Context* for Cambridge University Press and on the sculptor, Anna Mahler, daughter of Gustav Mahler. She also writes on art, music and modernism, including her edited volume *Music, Art and Performance from Liszt to Riot Grrrl* (Bloomsbury)

The cost will be £30 to include tea and cakes afterwards. Maximum numbers will be 30 so respond in good time to avoid disappointment.

The venue is 5 minutes from Camden Town underground station, full address details will be provided to those booking.. As parking is restricted, please use public transport unless you have mobility issues, when residents' parking may be used. Laura will need your registration number in advance to book you in. If you want to a place booked, please inform Laura on tashhchair@gmail.com in good time, giving your car registration number. Parking places are restricted and not guaranteed so only apply if you have mobility problems.

For further information please contact our Visits Organiser, Tamara Rabin, at visitstashh@gmail.com or on 07791 211524

The cost for this visit is **£30.00 per person** (non-refundable). If you can, please pay by making a bank transfer to the TASHH bank account, Sort Code: **20-36-16**, Account number: **40475416**, giving as reference Vienna and telling either Tamara or our treasurer Celia on treasurerTASHH@gmail.com