

The Friends of the National Collections of Ireland

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**Visit to The National Gallery of Ireland, Merrion Square, Dublin
The Lavinia Fontana Exhibition**

Thursday July 13, 2023 at 11 am

€20 per person including refreshments

Meet in the Gallery Café at 11 am for refreshments

Followed by an introductory talk and tour of the Lavinia Fontana Exhibition
By Dr. Aoife Brady, Curator of Italian and Spanish Art at the National Gallery

A ground-breaking artist of her time, late sixteenth - century Bolognese artist Fontana is widely considered to be the first woman to achieve professional success beyond the confines of a court or a convent. She was the first woman to manage her own workshop, and the first woman to paint public altarpieces and female nudes. She maintained an active career, painting for many illustrious patrons, while taking the role of wife and mother. Exploring Fontana's extraordinary life through her paintings and drawings, the exhibition will offer an insight into the cultural climate that enabled her to flourish as a female artist of that period

***As numbers are strictly limited early booking is advised. Closing date for bookings Tuesday July 4.
Please note that we cannot accept late bookings.***

Please reply to: The Friends of the National Collections of Ireland, PO Box 11481, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4
enclosing a cheque for €20 per person payable to FNCCI or Debit / Credit Card details
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*As time is of the essence you may also book directly with Anne either by email / Text / WhatsApp .
Please include your card details. All bookings will be acknowledged.*

Booking form for Visit The Lavinia Fontana Exhibition at the National Gallery of Ireland
Thursday July 13., 2023

I/We enclose cheque (payable to FNCCI) for €.....

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