

# GAUGUIN

From the National Gallery, London

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This special cinema event opens with a brand-new 60-minute documentary about the life and work of **Paul Gauguin** narrated by actor **Dominic West**. This will be followed by a 30-minute private view filmed exclusively for cinemas of the forthcoming National Gallery exhibition ***The Credit Suisse Exhibition: Gauguin Portraits***, just after it opens in London.

Filmed on location in Tahiti, France, the Marquesas Islands and the UK, the documentary explores Gauguin's extraordinary – and often problematic – artistic achievement, with commentary from his descendants, contemporary artists and world experts. The film examines Gauguin's legacy not only through the lens of art history, but also those of gender and post-colonial politics, reassessing the artist's treatment of young indigenous women and his role in 19<sup>th</sup> century French colonialism.

Filmed exclusively for cinemas in high definition with stunning close-ups, the exhibition private view will give art enthusiasts the opportunity to see this first ever exhibition of Gauguin's portraits on the big screen just after it opens at the National Gallery in London.

Hosted by art historian and broadcaster **Kate Bryan** who will welcome the cinema audience,

the engaging and insightful guided tour is led by the exhibition co-curator **Christopher Riopelle**, with illuminating commentary from expert contributors including painter and sculptor **Maggi Hambling**, artist and writer **Billy Childish**, art historian **Tamar Garb** and **Mette Gauguin**, the artist's great-granddaughter.

## CREDITS

Producer/Director  
**Patricia Wheatley**

Associate Producer  
**James Norton**

Film Editors  
**Gerard Evans** and **Catherine Arend**

Composer  
**Tom Smail**

Executive Producers  
**Martin Rosenbaum** and **Adam Low**

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## The Credit Suisse Exhibition: Gauguin Portraits

***The Credit Suisse Exhibition: Gauguin Portraits*** (7 October 2019 – 26 January 2020) at the National Gallery will be the first-ever exhibition devoted to the portraits of Paul Gauguin (1848–1903). This landmark exhibition of major loans from museums and private collections throughout the world will show how Gauguin revolutionised the portrait through an extraordinary range of media from sculptures in ceramics and wood to paintings and drawings. Together with his use of intense colour and his interest in non-Western subject matter, it will show how his approach had a far-reaching influence on artists throughout the late 19th and 20th centuries including Henri Matisse and Pablo Picasso. For more information and to book tickets visit [nationalgallery.org.uk](https://nationalgallery.org.uk)

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