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Brief History

Literary Review was founded in Edinburgh in 1979 by Dr Anne Smith, head of the English Department at Edinburgh University. She wanted to create a lively, intelligent literary magazine for people who love reading but shudder at academic and intellectual jargon.

From the start, Literary Review plugged in to the best and most exciting current writing. The reviewers are usually authors themselves, not just critics. In the 1980s, Auberon Waugh became editor. For fourteen years Waugh led the magazine and gave it the high profile it has today, including bringing on board

Willie Rushton as cover illustrator. Nancy Sladek has edited the magazine for the last fifteen years and in 2015 was awarded the prestigious Benson Medal for outstanding services to English literature.

The iconic covers have been illustrated since 1997 by Chris Riddell, who was made Children's Laureate in 2015.

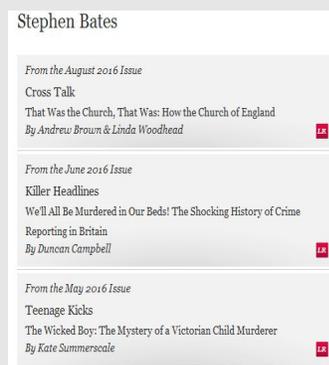
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The main theme of this review is English Literature. It covers all the latest books each month, ranging from history and biography to memoir and fiction. Each issue contains sixty-four pages of reviews from some of the leading authors, journalists, academics and thinkers in Britain in a variety of fields. It aims to reach a wide audience of readers who enjoy intelligent and accessible writing.

Literary Review offers institutional subscriptions for libraries, universities, places of learning and governmental departments. Subscribers to Literary Review receive eleven 64-page issues per year, including a bumper double issue for December and January.

Kind of Information

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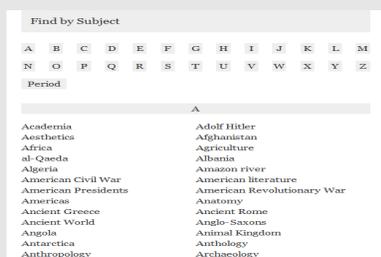
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Find by subject and find by contributor or by author names are arranged alphabetically (a-z) and then period wise and you can search in title search by any keyword.



Remarks

Literary Review is extremely informative, well-written and altogether enjoyable and a helpful tool for the researcher of English Literature.

Comparable Tools

- The Review of English studies (http://www.oxfordjournals.org/our_journals/revesj/about.html)
- Contemporary Literary Review India (<http://literaryjournal.in/index.php/clri>)

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