

The Rossiter News

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Stuart Rossiter Memorial Lecture

The **2013** lecture will be held at 5.00pm on Friday 8th November, 2013, at the Royal Philatelic Society London, 41 Devonshire Place, London, W1G 6JY

The speaker will be Adrian Steel, Director, The British Postal Museum & Archive and the subject will be "The Future of the BPMA". Free admission is only by non-transferable ticket on application to the Corresponding Trustee: Rex Dixon FRPSL at rexdixon@btinternet.com

See the Flyer attached to this sending.

Awards - Congratulations

Douglas Muir Curator, Philately at the BPMA, and a Trustee of the Stuart Rossiter Trust becomes an RDP and will sign the Roll on 28th June.

Richard Wheatley, also a Trustee was awarded a Large Vermeil for his 'Netherlands Indies Mail 1789 -1877' at Melbourne.

Robin Gwynn was awarded a Gold for his 'Rail Disaster Mail' exhibit at Melbourne. Robin co-authored a book of the same title, published by the trust in 2010.

Forthcoming Philatelic events

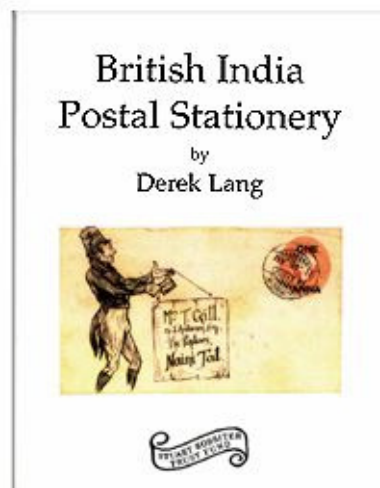
Midpex 6th July, at the Warwickshire Exhibition Centre www.midpex.co.uk the SRT will be there with recent books.

The SRT will also be at the **York Stamp Fair** 19th and 20th July www.stampshows.net

The pre-order a book for Midpex or York please contact the Trust nhrossitertrust@hotmail.co.uk

2012 Lecture: Hugh Feldman's presentation slides are available to view on our website, www.rossitertrust.com and his paper is there as a pdf file to download.

Book of the Month



British India Postal Stationery by Derek Lang

This is an illustrated history and listing of postal stationery issued in India up to Independence in 1947.

It is the seminal work with chapters covering postcards, envelopes, newspaper wrappers, Victorian letter sheets, air letter sheets, airgraphs, telegraph forms and a chapter on post-Independence. A final chapter covers collecting extensions including specimens, dies, punches, essays and proofs, bands, labels and parcel wrappers used abroad and by the states. The book is profusely illustrated and cross-indexed with the Higgins & Gage and Jain reference numbers.

222 pages

B/W illustrations

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