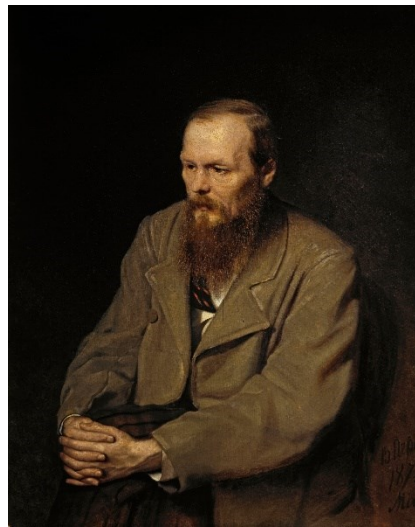


Literature Table **with** **Doctor Jonathan Paine** *Subject: Fyodor Dostoevsky* **Tuesday 16 May 2023**

The Literature Table is designed for members of the Club, particularly those who took degrees in English, to enjoy an evening of dinner-table conversation about literature, but is open to anyone interested in the subject matter.



Dr Paine offers the unusual combination of being both an investment banker and a literary scholar, and his book *Selling the Story* combines these areas of expertise in an analysis of novels by Balzac, Zola and Dostoevsky – particularly *The Brothers Karamazov* – arguing that no book can be properly understood without reference to its point of sale: the author's knowledge of the market, of reader expectations, and of his or her own efforts to define and achieve literary value.

Dr Paine is also a director of the UK branch of the International Dostoevsky Society and a supernumerary fellow of Wolfson College, Oxford.

Ticket price includes a drinks reception and two course supper with wine.

Timing: 7.00pm for 7.15pm Dress: Lounge Suit Tickets: £62 per head

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