

# Asia House Young Leaders' Calendar

All the following events are complimentary for Young Leaders and a guest unless otherwise stated.

Please RSVP to: [Patrons@asiahouse.co.uk](mailto:Patrons@asiahouse.co.uk) or call 020 7307 5454

## Reminder of the upcoming: Confessions of an *Otaku*

Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> February 2012, 18.45

Interested in popular culture? Please join us for an informal evening with David Blandy (winner of The Times/South Bank Breakthrough Award 2010) for a conversation and discussions over wine on Japanese and Chinese popular culture. The evening will include a screening of short films: *Anjin 1600* (2012), a Japanese Anime Space Opera and *Child of the Atom* (2012) and a dialogue between Blandy and Inko, the *Manga* artist that has animated his films. RSVP now!

<http://www.davidblandy.co.uk/>

<http://inko-redible.blogspot.com/>



## Exclusive VIP Preview and Reception to launch the Asia House 2012 Pan-Asia Film Festival, and the Festival of Asian Literature

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2012 18.45

Asia House would like to invite you to join us for an exclusive preview of the Pan-Asia Film Festival (9-18 March 2012) and the Festival of Asian Literature (15-31 May 2012). This will be the fourth year that Asia House will be hosting the **Pan-Asia Film Festival** with films covering work from India, Kazakhstan, Japan, China, Singapore, Tibet, Iran, Taiwan and South Korea. The **Festival of Asian Literature** is back for the sixth year showcasing new writing from established and emerging authors. Special guests for the evening include Hardeep Singh Koli. Please RSVP if you haven't already done so!



## Young Leaders' Film Festival Drinks Event

(pre-World Premier of *One More* with Director's Q&A at Prince Charles Cinema)

Tickets for film available online at <http://princecharlescinema.com/>

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2012 Drinks 18.45- 20.30, Film 20.30

This evening will be an informal reception to mark the screening of the first film of the Pan-Asian Film Festival. The multi-award-winning Director, Shivajee Chandrabhushan and Producer, Triparna Banerjee of "One Man" will be attending. We will reserve a private area in a bar near Leicester Square (location to be confirmed). Please confirm attendance by 29 February.

Tickets for the world premier screening of "One More" (Hindi/Ladakhi, with English subtitles) at 20.30 at Prince Charles Cinema will be £8 for Young Leaders. Tickets will be available to book online at <http://princecharlescinema.com/> from next week. Please book early.

*One More* follows the trials and tribulations of an ice hockey team, played out on the highest playgrounds of the world under the deep blue Himalayan skies of north-eastern India.

## Exclusive pre-talk Reception prior to talk 'Nuclear Weapons in Asia'

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2012 18.00 drinks, 18.45 talk

Exclusive reception to showcase a new book of plays which form the Tricycle Theatre's nuclear season. This collection of plays from leading contemporary dramatists charts the political history of the Nuclear Bomb and its proliferation from 1940 to the present day. This is a unique opportunity to meet the playwrights of the UK's leading political theatre. Young Leaders are invited to attend the drinks reception, followed by a public talk on this very pertinent topic with a panel discussion focusing on activities in this sector in China, Pakistan, North Korea, India and Iran. RSVP before 5 March 2012

## THE BOMB: A Partial History at The Tricycle Theatre

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April 14.30

First Blast – Proliferation: (5 short plays)

Second Blast – Present Dangers (5 short plays)

We are organising a viewing of the last performance of First Blast on Sunday 1 April at 14.30 at the Tricycle Theatre (Kilburn High Street) – in conjunction with discussions and drinks with some of the artistic team.

Please e-mail [patrons@asiahouse.co.uk](mailto:patrons@asiahouse.co.uk) to register interest.

Ticket Price: to be confirmed

**Just a reminder that Young Leaders have access to all Asia House cultural and corporate events advertised in the Patrons Events leaflet and Asia House Brochure. If you would like another copy, please inform us.**

