SIXTH INTERNATIONAL HUGUENOT CONFERENCE

“Huguenot Networks in Europe, 1550 - 1800: the impact of a minority”

9 - 11 September 2015

at

Europe House, Smith Square, Westminster, London SW1P 3EU: 10 - 11 September

Preceded by a visit to Boughton House, Kettering, Northamptonshire: 9 September

On 10 September participants will meet at Europe House, Westminster, the UK base of the European Parliament Information Office and European Commission Representation. The two-day discussions will cover the European Huguenot networks that developed between the Reformation and the French Revolution. Speakers from France, Germany, the Netherlands, Ireland, Great Britain, Israel, South Africa, the United States, Canada, New Zealand and Japan will examine, amongst other topics, the importance of correspondence, diplomacy, and the influence of Huguenot ministers. Keynote papers have been offered by

Professor Mark Greengrass: Correspondence and the virtual networks of the Huguenot international (1520s-1620s).  
Dr Robin Gwynn: A unique network. French ministers in London after the Glorious Revolution.  
Professor Ruth Whelan: West coast connections. The correspondence network of Elie Bouhéreau of La Rochelle.

On 9 September, delegates have the opportunity to visit the 2015 Huguenot Exhibition at Boughton House, home of the Duke of Buccleuch & Queensberry. Paul Boucher, the exhibition curator, will describe the history of the Montagu collections, and Dr Tessa Murdoch, Deputy Keeper at the Victoria & Albert Museum, London, will give a talk on the work of Daniel Marot; architect, furniture designer and engraver. Lunch and guided tours of Boughton’s fine interior have been arranged, as well as return coach transport from London for those who require it.

For further details and booking form, e-mail: conference@huguenotsociety.org.uk