The Shakespearean Authorship Trust in collaboration with Brunel University present
The 2009 November Gathering for all Authorship Hunter Gatherers:

CHALLENGING AUTHORITY

Mark Rylance & friends, Vanessa Redgrave*, Fiona Shaw*, and Derek Jacobi*

recite a selection of Shakespeare’s words on Challenging Authority with presentations and discussion of the lives and writings of some of the authors around Shakespeare who also challenge authority:

Sir Francis Bacon
Lady Jane Lumley
Mary Sidney

Christopher Marlowe
Edward de Vere, 17th Earl of Oxford

and an introduction to William Hastings

*Subject to availability on the day.

Hosted by
Mark Rylance & Dr. William Leahy with Guest Speakers:

Mrs. Frieda Barker
Mrs. Frieda Barker discusses Marlowe’s anti-authoritarian writing and the history of the case for Marlowe as the secret writer of Shakespeare.

Charles Beauclerk & Mark Rylance
SAT Trustees Mark Rylance and Charles Beauclerk deliver two brief talks on the challenge of authority in the lives of Sir Francis Bacon and Edward De Vere, 17th Earl of Oxford.

Robert Nield & Joan Robinson
Robert Nield and Joan Robinson introduce their case for William Hastings.

Claire van Kampen
Claire van Kampen discusses her research into the first English translation of Euripides’ play Iphigenia by the teenage Lady Jane Lumley in the 1550s.

Robin Williams
Ms. Robin Williams discusses Mary Sidney’s situation as a patron of writers and indeed a woman writer herself, during the reign of Queen Elizabeth and King James.

"To punish me for my contempt for authority, fate made me an authority myself."
- Albert Einstein

Sunday 15 November
11:00 am – 6:00 pm
(Coffee from 10:30 am)
Shakespeare’s Globe,
Bankside, London SE1

Tickets £35
Tea & Coffee included
Globe Theatre Box Office
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Booking opens 12 October

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