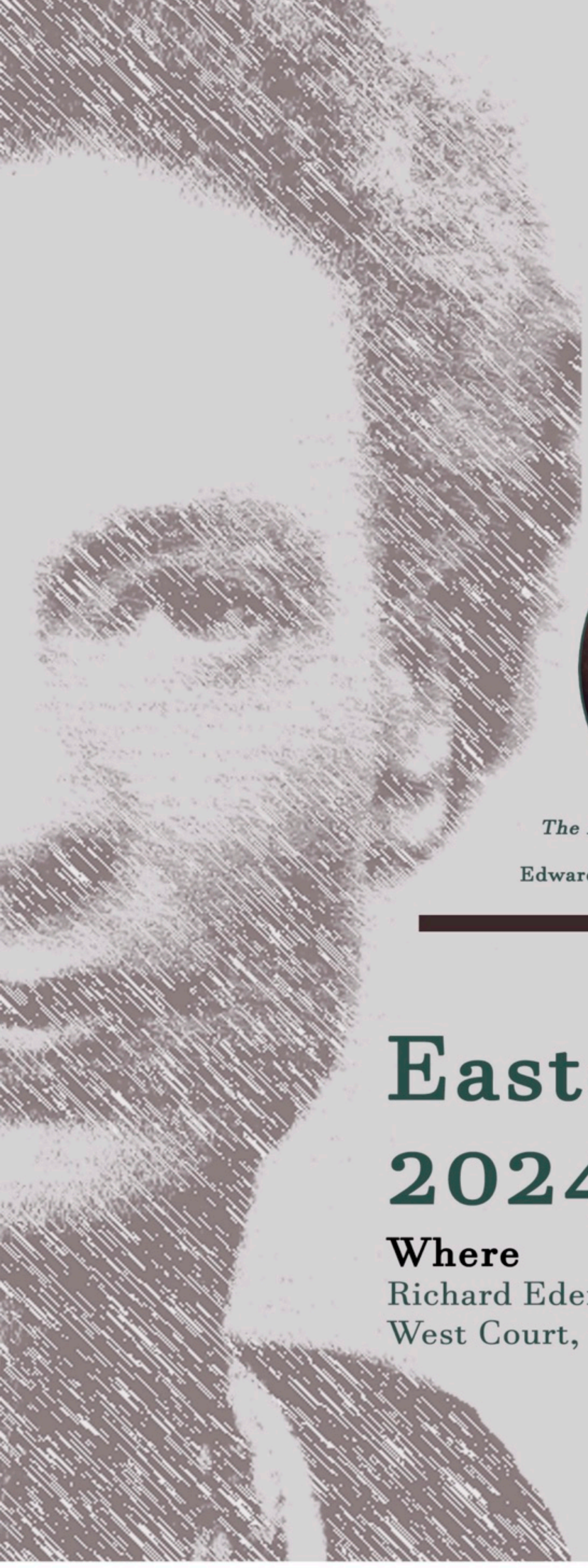
The Betty Behrens Seminar
on Classics of Historiography



The seminar offers a unique opportunity for students and scholars to reflect on great historical works and engage in discussion with renowned experts.

It will endeavour to underline the importance of the classics of historiography for their relevant intellectual function in creating critical political thought.

Classics

The History of the Rebellion
(1702-1704)
Edward Hyde, Earl of Clarendon

The Jewish War
(ca. 75)
Flavius Josephus

Documents (Shū)
(ca. 221 BC)
Fu Sheng

A History of Histories
(2007)
John Burrow

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Where
Richard Eden Suite, Clare Hall,
West Court, Cambridge

Speakers

PAUL SEAWARD
Former Director of the History of Parliament Trust, London

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