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News and Events

News

Bach's autograph manuscript of the **Prelude, Fugue and Allegro in Eb** has been auctioned at Christie's in London for \$3.3 million.

The six books produced by **FIMTE** (International Festival of Spanish Keyboard Music) are now available via <https://www.fimte.org/shop>.

Bach Network has announced a new multimedia publication called *Discussing Bach*, <https://bachnetwork.org/discussing-bach>.

Geert Karman's essays on harpsichord building are now available at <http://www.piparte.com/essays>.

Obituaries

Organist and conductor **Arthur Wills** (19 September 1926-30 October 2020), who served at Ely Cathedral from 1949-1990, has died at the age of 94.

Harpsichordist **David Cates** (29 August 1958-30 November 2020) has died at the age of 62.

Organist **Catherine Ennis** (20 January 1955-24 December 2020), former President of the Royal College of Organists, has died at the age of 65.

Scholar **Eva Badura-Skoda** (15 January 1929-8 January 2021) has died at the age of 91.

Conferences

The **American Musical Instrument Society**'s annual meeting will take place online on 4-6 June 2021, website <https://www.amis.org/2021-meeting>.

The 49th **Medieval and Renaissance International Music Conference** will take place on 5-9 July 2021 at the Universidade NOVA de Lisboa, Portugal, and online, website <https://medren2021lisbon.hcommons.org>.

The **Birmingham Biennial Baroque** conference will take place online on 14-18 July 2021, contact address BirminghamBaroque2020@bcu.ac.uk.

The 57th **Annual Conference of the Royal Musical Association** will take place at Newcastle University on 14-16 September 2021, website <https://conferences.ncl.ac.uk/rma2021>.

The **Handel Institute Conference**, 'Handel: Interactions and Influences', will take place at the Foundling Museum, London, on 20-21 November 2021, website <http://handelinstitute.org/conference2021>.

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