

PROVERSE SPRING RECEPTION 2018 REPLY FORM

"I / We will be pleased to attend the PROVERSE SPRING RECEPTION on Wednesday, 18 April, Helena May, 35 Garden Road, Central Hong Kong, 7.00pm-9.00pm. Please reserve a place for me / us.

Name(s) _____ Email address: _____

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I would like to bring the following guest (s)

I enclose my cheque, made out to "Proverse Hong Kong", for HKD (HKD190.00 per person) and book purchase(s) as indicated below/over. OR, I have credited the "Proverse Hong Kong" bank account no. 808-459341-292 at The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited, No. 1 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, and attach evidence of payment. *(Please circle and/or delete appropriately.)*

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I note the fee includes complimentary light canapés and that there will be a cash bar. I also note that those attending need to be at least eighteen years old. *(If you have a question about this, please let us know.)*

Signature _____ Date _____ "

Please send the completed form above (with your cheque / evidence of payment) to the following address: "Proverse Hong Kong, P.O. Box 259, Tung Chung Post Office, Tung Chung, Lantau Island, NT, Hong Kong". If you are not paying by Hong Kong dollar cheque drawn on a Hong Kong bank, please send your completed form and evidence of payment, either by mail to the address given or as email attachments in pdf or jpg format to info@proversepublishing.com.

Please reply by 9 April 2018 latest so we can make proper preparations for you.

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We regret reimbursements are not possible; you may send a substitute if you wish (informing us of this arrangement to info@proversepublishing.com before 16 April 2018, subject line, "Substitute for 18 April Proverse event"). If you have no substitute, providing you tell us this by 16 April 2018 latest and also have a Hong Kong mailing address, we will send you while stocks last a copy of Laura Solomon's novel, *Hilary and David*, OR Jan Pearson's novel, *Tiger Autumn*, post free to the Hong Kong address you give above. (You may choose which of these two books you would like.)

Enquiries: <info@proversepublishing.com>

We at Proverse will email/telephone you if there are any last-minute changes. Please check your emails.

Enquiries to email info@proversepublishing.com; Tel 2259-3456 (office hours, until two days before the event).

Proverse Hong Kong reserves the right to change the speaker(s) / venue / sequence of events.

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**WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU!**

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**I am registering for the Proverse Spring Reception on or before 2 April 2018. I would like to order in advance the following books\* at an early-bird discount:**

| AUTHOR / EDITOR(s)                                          | TITLE*                                                                                                                                                                                       | EARLY-BIRD PRICE / PRICE     | NO. OF COPIES | TOTAL COST |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|------------|
| Birgit Bunzel                                               | <i>Bliss of Bewilderment</i> (poetry collection)                                                                                                                                             | HKD <del>98.00</del> 90.00   |               |            |
| Dragoş Ilca                                                 | <i>HK Hollow</i> (novel)                                                                                                                                                                     | HKD <del>120</del> 100.00    |               |            |
| Gillian and Verner Bickley (Editors)                        | <i>Mingled Voices</i> (Proverse Poetry Prize Anthology, 2016)                                                                                                                                | HKD <del>98</del> 90.00      |               |            |
| Gillian and Verner Bickley (Editors)                        | <i>Mingled Voices, 2</i> (Proverse Poetry Prize Anthology, 2017)                                                                                                                             | HKD <del>98</del> 90.00      |               |            |
| Gillian Bickley                                             | <i>Over the Years: Selected Collected Poems, 1972-2015</i>                                                                                                                                   | HKD <del>120</del> 100.00    |               |            |
| Verner Bickley                                              | <i>Steps to Paradise and Beyond</i> (memoirs)                                                                                                                                                | HKD <del>158</del> 140.00    |               |            |
| Richard Collingwood-Selby and Gillian Bickley (editors)     | <i>In Time of War</i> (biographical materials: diaries, talks, photos, sketches)                                                                                                             | HKD <del>180</del> 160.00    |               |            |
| David Diskin                                                | <i>The Village in the Mountains</i> (novel)                                                                                                                                                  | HKD <del>98</del> 80.00      |               |            |
| Brian Finch                                                 | <i>A Faithful Record of the Lisbon Maru Incident</i> (translation from Chinese)                                                                                                              | HKD <del>180.00</del> 160.00 |               |            |
| Lawrence Gray                                               | <i>Odds and Sods</i> (short story collection)                                                                                                                                                | HKD <del>98</del> 80.00      |               |            |
| Peter Gregoire                                              | <i>Mentoring Reversed</i> (Argues with examples that the more experienced can learn creatively from younger people.)                                                                         | HKD120.00                    |               |            |
| Jonathan Locke Hart                                         | <i>The Burning Lake</i> (long poem in several parts)                                                                                                                                         | HKD <del>138</del> 120.00    |               |            |
| George Washington (Farley) Heard. Edited by Gillian Bickley | <i>Through American Eyes The Journals of George Washington (Farley) Heard</i> (Eye-witness accounts of early western diplomacy, military intervention, tourism and trade in China and Japan) | HKD <del>250.00</del> 220.00 |               |            |
| Ivy Ngeow                                                   | <i>Cry of the Flying Rhino</i> (novel set in Malaysia and Borneo)                                                                                                                            | HKD <del>138</del> 120.00    |               |            |
| Jan Pearson                                                 | <i>Tiger Autumn</i> (crime novel set in Hogn Kong)                                                                                                                                           | HKD <del>138</del> 120.00    |               |            |
| Gustav Preller                                              | <i>Curveball</i> (novel set in South Africa)                                                                                                                                                 | HKD <del>138</del> 120.00    |               |            |
| Sanja Särman                                                | <i>Beyond Brightness</i> (short stories)                                                                                                                                                     | HKD <del>98</del> 90.00      |               |            |
|                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>TOTAL</b>                 |               |            |

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\*\*Scheduled to be launched on 18 April 2018.

I note that books ordered cannot be posted or kept for another occasion and that I need to collect the books I have ordered above personally at the 18 April 2018 Proverse event.