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invites you to a lecture by:

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**"Images de soi et projets épistolaires:  
*Les Liaisons Dangereuses*"**



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Professor Siess earned his Ph.D from the University of Bielefeld with a dissertation on *Le "je" et la féminité chez Diderot, Restif et Tencin* which was published in 1994, and a secondary thesis on Lorca. He taught French, Spanish and Comparative literature at the Free University of Berlin, and the Universities of Amiens, Bielefeld, Dusseldorf, Caen and Tel Aviv. He has widely published on Diderot, Marivaux, the French 18<sup>th</sup> century epistolary novel and women writers, drama theory, and Samuel Beckett, and also on modern German literature and philosophy (Benjamin, Heidegger). He has translated poetic works by Robert Desnos and José Hierro into German.

