



# PRIMARY SOURCES READING GROUP

## On Early Modern Women Philosophers and Authors

### PROGRAMME 2019:

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May: **Tony La Vopa** (North Carolina State University/Lichtenberg-Kolleg)

Introduction to: *François Poullain de la Barre* (1647–1723)

Text: extracts from “On the Education of Ladies”  
(1674)

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May: **Joanna Wharton** (Lichtenberg-Kolleg)

Introduction to: *Maria Edgeworth* (1767–1849)

Text: extracts from “On the Education of the Poor” (c.  
1800)

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June: **Joanna Raisbeck** (University of Oxford)

Introduction to: *Caroline Auguste Fischer* (1764–1842)

Text: short story “William the Negro” (1817)

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June: **Enrico Galvagni** (Lichtenberg-Kolleg)

Introduction to: *Mary Shepherd* (1777–1847)

Text: extracts from her *Philosophical Writings*  
(1824–27)

**All meetings will take place at 5 pm in the library of the Lichtenberg-Kolleg.** If you are planning to attend or have further questions about the reading club please email [enrico.galvagni@gmail.com](mailto:enrico.galvagni@gmail.com).



Maria Edgeworth by John Downman (1807)