

Peer Review Colloquium #6

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Lunch Lecture

November 4, 2010

The Human Body as a Metaphor for Buildings ***Form, Function and Space as Ordering Devices***

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William Hunter was one of the greatest surgeons in the latter half of the 18th century. This lecture will trace the development of Hunter's museums in the early 19th century and will analyse them and the development of Hunter's ideas about knowledge, classification and space. An attempt will be made to draw analogies between his understanding of the human body and one possible analytic method for understanding the meaning of buildings.

Thursday November 4, 2010
13.00 hrs
Lecture Room C

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