



# Henry VII & his Court

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Prof Gunn's research interests are in the political, social, cultural and military history of England and its continental neighbours from the mid-fifteenth to the later sixteenth century.

<b>Event type:</b>	Lecture
<b>Date:</b>	20th January 2018
<b>Time:</b>	2:30pm
<b>Venue:</b>	Bournemouth Natural Science Society, 39 Christchurch Road BH1 3NS (free parking available, buses: P1, P4, R1, R2, X37, X3, m2 to Derby Road)
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Prof Gunn is one of the country's leading authorities on the early Tudor period and he is the author of numerous publications, mostly recently 'Henry VII's New Men and the Making of Tudor England' (OUP 20156). One reviewer of the book commented that 'Gunn's erudition and research is immense backed up, as it is, 'by the accumulation of evidence and documentation on an astonishing and exhaustive scale' In his lecture Dr Gunn will argue that 'In most accounts the court of King Henry VII has been overshadowed by those of his Tudor descendants. However if we pay attention to the right kinds of evidence we can see that it was in fact a vital centre of government, politics, and culture, as indeed we should expect in the reign of a king set on intensely personal control of England'