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Wyndham Lewis: Painter and Writer


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Abstract

Equally talented as a writer and painter, Wyndham Lewis (1882â1933) was one of the most important artistic figures of twentieth-century Britain, renowned as the driving force behind the Bloomsbury Group that flourished in London before the First World War. This bookâthe first to explore the philosophical dimensions of Lewisâs worksâis also the first to show how Lewisâs work as a painter was an early pioneer of abstraction, and as a war artist he captured the struggle of the Western Front. For the rest of his career he moved between the worlds of imaginative works, incisive life drawings, quasi-metaphysical historical novels (e.g. *Men of 1914*, *Ezra Pound*, *James Joyce*, and *T. S. Eliot*). As a writer of stories, and of theological fantasiesâas well as powerful cultural criticismâaccessible commentary Paul Edwards traces a coherent pattern in Lewisâs work, from the centrality to a full understanding of Modernism. He also discusses Lewisâs dissociation from Fascism after 1937, his self-imposed exile in Canada, and his reevaluation of his life and intellectual commitments in his final years.

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A Rejected Preface for Wyndham Lewis's *Blasting and Bombardiering*. Preliminary Aside to the Reader; Regarding Gossip, and its Pitfalls, comparing the two formulas, we come to the following conclusion: newtonmeter transformerait property accent.