


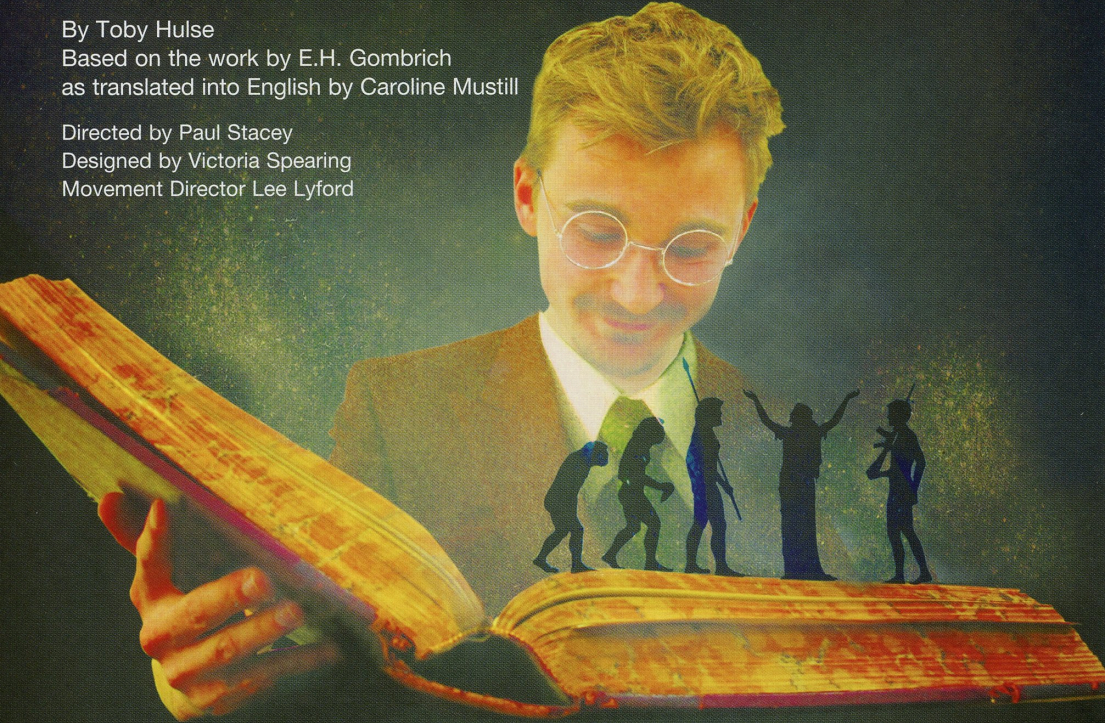
# A LITTLE HISTORY OF THE WORLD

THE WATERMILL  
West Berkshire Playhouse  
*on tour*

 Reading Rep

By Toby Hulse  
Based on the work by E.H. Gombrich  
as translated into English by Caroline Mustill

Directed by Paul Stacey  
Designed by Victoria Spearing  
Movement Director Lee Lyford



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**Concessions £10, Adults £12, Under 16s £5.**  
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**'Not just a story, but our  
story, the story that we  
call the history of the  
world. Shall we begin?'**

**E. H. GOMBRICH**

This world premiere adaptation based on the international bestseller takes us on a light-hearted, whistle-stop tour through the centuries from the big bang to the present day. Meet colourful, historical figures, take to the great battlefields, marvel at fabulous works of art and ground-breaking scientific discoveries. Join us on a fun-filled trip through time and discover the extraordinary achievements of mankind and its frailties.

At 26, Ernst Gombrich, a brilliant but unemployed academic, is invited to write an entire history of the world. In just six weeks! The book he writes is an instant success, becomes an international bestseller and is published in 25 languages. Join him, Ilse and Walter as they lead you with infectious enthusiasm through the fascinating, entertaining and heart-warming history of the world.

## 2015 Spring Tour

Wed 24 June  
**Sheepdrove Organic Farm**  
Box Office: 01488 674737  
[www.sheepdrove.com](http://www.sheepdrove.com)

Thu 25 June  
**Brill Memorial Hall**  
Box Office: 01844 237237

Fri 26 June  
**The Croft Hall, Hungerford**  
[www.hadcaf.co.uk](http://www.hadcaf.co.uk)  
Enquiries: 07590 555877

Sat 27 June  
**Pangbourne Village Hall**  
Box Office: 01635 46044  
[www.watermill.org.uk](http://www.watermill.org.uk)

Mon 29 June  
**Hampstead Norreys Village Hall**  
[www.hampsteadnorreys.org.uk](http://www.hampsteadnorreys.org.uk)  
Email: [hnwatermill@btinternet.com](mailto:hnwatermill@btinternet.com)

Tue 30 June  
**Uffington Memorial Hall**  
Box Office: 01367 820385

Wed 1 July  
**Basildon Village Hall**  
Box Office: 0118 984 3441

Thu 2 July  
**ACE Space, Newbury**  
Box Office: 07891 176940  
[www.acespace.org.uk](http://www.acespace.org.uk)

## Professional theatre on your doorstep

Fri 3 July  
**Bampton Village Hall**  
Box Office: 01993 851963

Sat 4 July  
**Highclere Village Hall**  
Box Office: 01635 254264 or  
01635 253264  
Email: [marymcquillen@icloud.com](mailto:marymcquillen@icloud.com)  
or [averilbreakspear@btinternet.com](mailto:averilbreakspear@btinternet.com)

Mon 6 July  
**Bradfield Village Hall**  
Box Office: 0118 9744920

Tue 7 July  
**Aldbourne Memorial Hall**  
Box Office: 01672 540043

Wed 8 July  
**Broad Hinton Village Hall**  
Box Office: 01793 731050

Thu 9 July  
**The Beacon, Wantage**  
Box Office: 01235 763456  
[www.beaconwantage.co.uk](http://www.beaconwantage.co.uk)

Fri 10 July  
**Monks' Barn, Hurley**  
Box Office: 01628 823501

Sat 11 July  
**Chilbolton Village Hall**  
Box Office: 01264 720464 or  
01264 354425

**Tue 14 July to Sat 25 July at  
The Watermill Theatre**  
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online at [www.watermill.org.uk](http://www.watermill.org.uk)