WINTERTHUR MUSEUM’S LINDA EATON TO DISCUSS NEWLY RELEASED BOOK “PRINTED TEXTILES: BRITISH AND AMERICAN COTTONS AND LINENS, 1700 - 1850” AT BRUNSCHWIG & FILS, NEW YORK, OCTOBER 15

WINTERTHUR, DELAWARE—Please join Linda Eaton, the John L. & Marjorie P. McGraw Director of Collections and Senior Curator of Textiles at Winterthur for an exciting discussion of her groundbreaking new update of the 1970 design classic “Printed Textiles” by Florence Montgomery, at 3 pm, October 15, at Brunschwig & Fils, 979 Third Avenue, Suite 1202, New York, NY.

Eaton will present “Patterns of Their Time: Design in Printed Textiles,” followed by a book signing and refreshments.

The late 18th and early 19th centuries were the golden age for printed textiles, when the chemistry and technology involved in their creation were at the forefront of the industrial revolution. But design was equally important and was highly valued by manufacturers, merchants, and their clients. Great designs from that period have cycled in and out of fashion for more than two hundred years. They are as relevant today as when they were created, providing contemporary designers with infinite sources of inspiration. Enjoy this discussion of fabulous textile designs that highlight the extensive Winterthur collection and are featured in the newly released “Printed Textiles: British and American Cottons and Linens, 1700-1850” (Published by The Monacelli Press).

Kindly RSVP by October 10 to: events@Brunschwig.com or 212.838.7878.

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Museum hours
10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Tuesday - Sunday.

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