

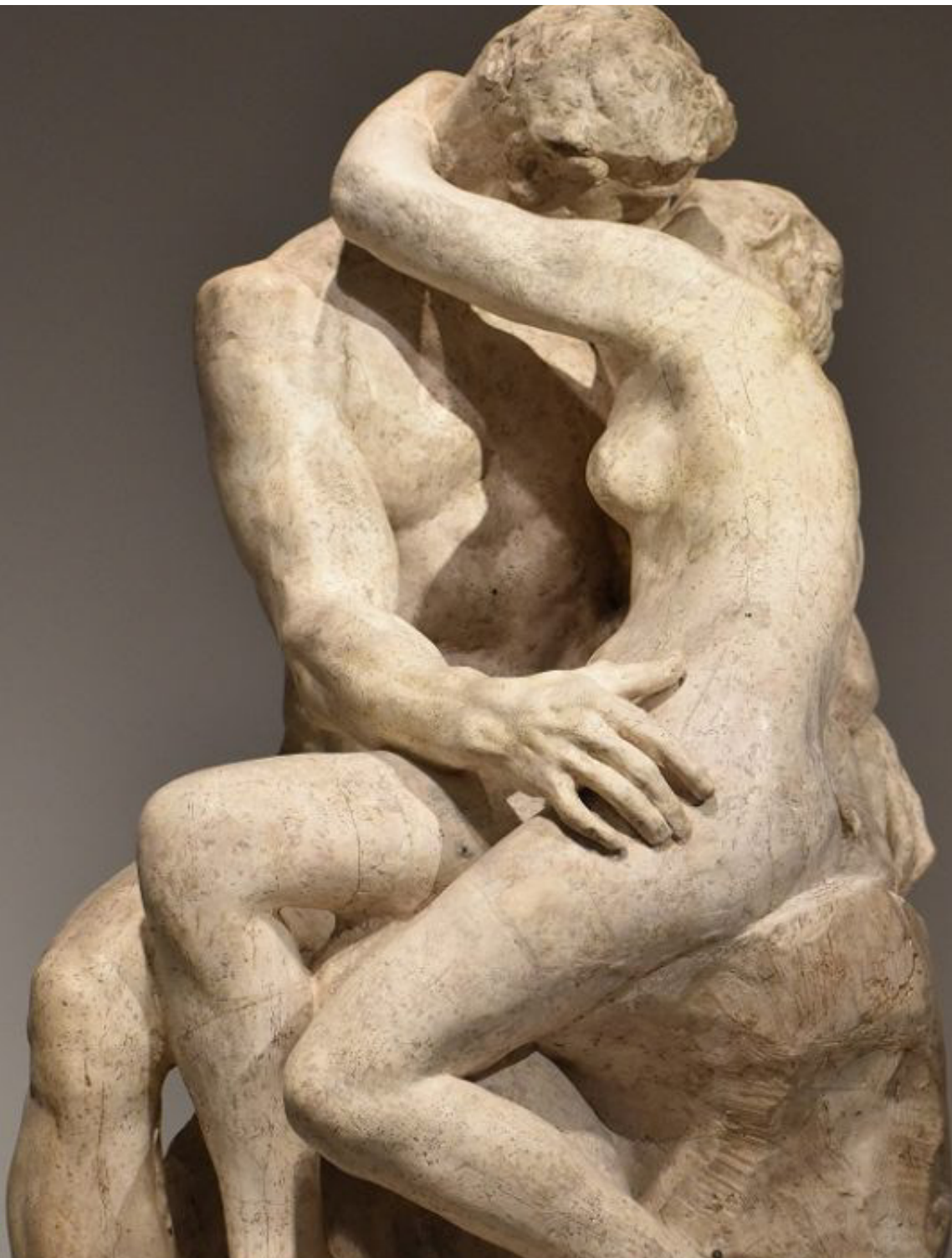
The Forum of Melbourne in conjunction with the Australian Centre for Psychoanalysis presents

Sex and Psychoanalysis with Darian Leader

Saturday 20 June 2026

6:00pm Australia/Melbourne via Zoom

(Please see other time zones listed below Zoom link)



*The Kiss (1886)
by Auguste Rodin*

Sex and Psychoanalysis

Analysts were often depicted in popular culture as obsessed with sex, which perhaps made them reticent at times to explore sexuality in their work. What might a renewed attention to sexual practices bring to light, and what dialogue is possible with those other disciplines that study sexuality?



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Registration costs

ACP Members \$40 | Non-members \$60 | ACP students / other students \$20

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Time zones

Melbourne , Australia	Saturday 20 June 2026	6:00pm AEST
London , United Kingdom	Saturday 20 June 2026	9:00am BTS
Paris , France	Saturday 20 June 2026	10:00am CEST
Tel Aviv , Israel	Saturday 20 June 2026	11:00am IDT
Auckland , New Zealand	Saturday 20 June 2026	8:00pm NZST
Washington DC , USA	Saturday 20 June 2026	4:00am EDT
Los Angeles , USA	Saturday 20 June 2026	1:00am PDT
Denver , USA	Saturday 20 June 2026	2:00pm MDT

