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Saturday 7.15 - 8.00pm.

Saturday Review offers sharp, critical discussion of the week's cultural events.

This week Saturday 22 November 2008

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Leonardo DiCaprio in Body of Lies; Bill Bailey on stage; a remake of the classic tv series Survivors; Malcolm Gladwell explores the secret of success.



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Joining Tom Sutcliffe on this week's panel are:

- Panel:**
- D D Guttenplan - writer and historian
 - Alkarim Jivani - critic
 - Bridget Kendall - diplomatic correspondent for the BBC

Body of Lies

Body of Lies is director Ridley Scott's fourth collaboration with actor Russell Crowe. Crowe plays a CIA veteran who operates from the safety of a laptop at home and is running field agent Roger Ferris (Leonardo DiCaprio) who is on the trail of an emerging major terrorist organisation operating out of Jordan.

Body of Lies is released nationwide this Friday, certificate 15.

War and Medicine

This exhibition examines the continually evolving

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relationship between warfare and medicine, beginning with the disasters of the Crimean War in the 1850s and continuing through to today's conflicts in Afghanistan and Iraq.

Subjects covered include the pioneering plastic surgery techniques first developed during World War I to treat disfiguring facial wounds through to the recent controversies surrounding Gulf War Syndrome and the diagnosis of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder.

*War and Medicine is at **Wellcome Collection** until 15 February 2009.
Wellcome Collection, 183 Euston Road, London NW1 2BE
Admission is free.*

Bill Bailey

The stand-up comedian, musician and actor, known for appearing on the tv shows *Never Mind the Buzzcocks* and *QI*, presents his stage show *Tinselworm*.

*Tinselworm is at The Gielgud Theatre in London until 30 November.
The DVD of Tinselworm is available now on the Universal label.*

Outliers - The Story of Success

Malcolm Gladwell, author of the best-selling books *The Tipping Point* and *Blink*, investigates what makes people successful.

Outliers is published by Allen Lane.

Survivors

BBC One presents a re-imagining of the classic Seventies BBC drama series, based on the novel by Terry Nation.

Set in the present day, this 6-part series focuses on the world in the aftermath of a devastating virus which wipes out most of the world's population. What would we do? How would any of us cope in a brave, new world where all traditional 21st-century comforts have disappeared?

***Survivors** Episode 1 is at 9.00pm on Sunday 23 November on BBC One.*

*A complete three-series DVD box set of the classic Seventies series of **Survivors** will be released on BBC DVD on 24 November 2008.*

Orion publishers are republishing the novel by Terry Nation on 27 November 2008. ISBN-13: 978-1409102649

*Viewers can catch up on every episode of **Survivors** at any time during the series, using the new "Series Stacking" function on BBC iPlayer.*

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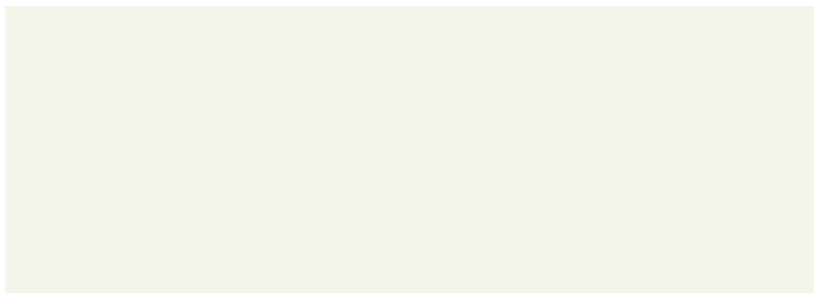
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