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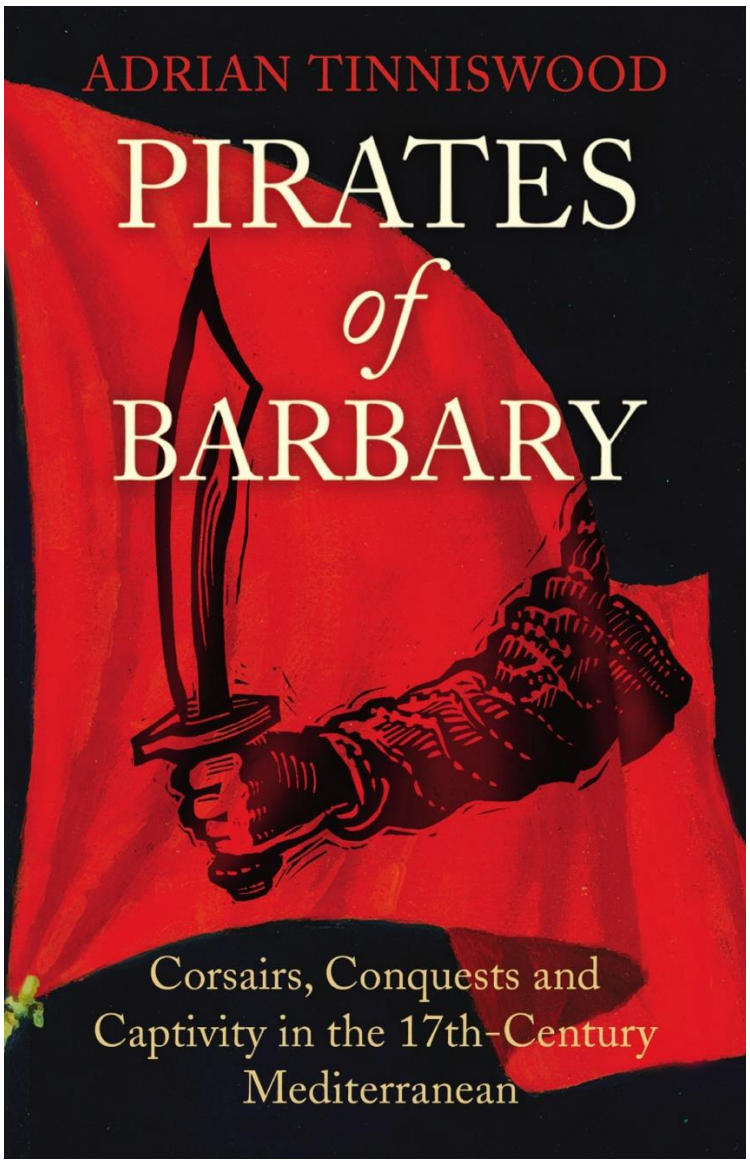
Speaker: Adrian Tinniswood

Title: 'Pirates of Barbary: Corsairs, Conquests and Captivity in the 17th-Century Mediterranean'

Adrian Tinniswood brings to life an extraordinary record of the European renegades and Islamic sea-rovers who terrorised the Mediterranean and beyond throughout the seventeenth century. From the coast of Southern Europe to Morroco and the Ottoman states of Algiers, Tunis and Tripoli, Christian and Muslim seafarers met in bustling ports to swap religions, to battle and to trade goods and slaves, raiding as far as Ireland and Iceland in search of their human currency. Professor Tinniswood recreates the twilight world of the corsairs in fascinating detail, and uncovers a truly remarkable clash of civilisations.

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Adrian Tinniswood OBE FSA is Professor of Cultural History at the University of Buckingham and Adjunct Professor of History at Maynooth University. He is the author of nineteen books of social and architectural history, including *Pirates of Barbary* (Jonathan Cape, 2010), which was described by the *New York Times* as 'bloody good entertainment'. He lives in the west of Ireland with his wife Helen.

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