

# The Saif Ghobash Banipal Prize for Arabic Literary Translation

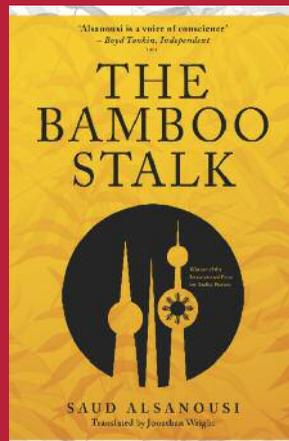
invites you to

**A Celebration of Arabic Literature in English Translation**

**7.00pm, Thursday 23 February**  
**at the International Anthony Burgess Foundation**  
Chorlton Mill, 3 Cambridge Street, Manchester M1 5BY

***“A ‘page-turner’ translation with a universal appeal”***

An evening with the 2016 prizewinner Jonathan Wright,  
and Saud Alsanousi, author of the winning novel



**Jonathan Wright**, who wins the prize a second time with his translation of *The Bamboo Stalk*, is joined by the novel's young Kuwaiti author, **Saud Alsanousi**.

They are in conversation with journalist **Ben East**

The evening is introduced by the award-winning author **Melvin Burgess**

This is a free event, but registration is essential. RSVP to [info@banipaltrust.org.uk](mailto:info@banipaltrust.org.uk)

- Doors open 6.30pm • All welcome • Plus Reception
- Copies of *The Bamboo Stalk* will be on sale

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