



Tobias Smollett: Life, Works, Legacies

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Often referred to as Scotland's first major novelist, Tobias Smollett also wrote poetry, plays, histories, travelogues and translations, among other things. He also edited and contributed to leading eighteenth-century periodicals such as *The Critical Review*. However, he remains best known for his picaresque novels *The Adventures of Roderick Random* (1748), *The Adventures of Peregrine Pickle* (1751) and *The Expedition of Humphry Clinker* (1771). In 2021, three hundred years after the author's birth (and two hundred and fifty years after his death), we will take stock of Smollett's life and works, as well as his influence on other writers in the past three centuries. Contributors are invited to demonstrate the full range of Smollett's imagination, from the medical to the quixotic, the satirical to the sentimental.





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