Material List for Traditional Gilding Workshop

* HB pencil
* Scalpel or X-acto knife with round shaped blade (not pointed)
* Tweezers wood (best) or metal (OK)
* Small cardboard tube to breath onto the gesso. (1/2" diam X 3" long.)
* Sheet of plexiglass 12"" X 16" approx. A little larger would be fine.
* Shot glass, dappen dish, or egg cup to hold the gesso (some will be available to borrow)
* Either a pointed nib, or Mitchell/Rexel size 4 (or smaller) or a quill (Peter will provide quills)
* Scissors, clean and sharp (some will be available to borrow)
* Old but clean brush for brushing gold leaf away.
* Eraser, pencil type
* Small clean (new) brush to load the pen with gesso
* Removable Scotch tape
* $12.00 material fee for gold leaf, gesso and pre- prepared sheet of gesso squares
* Small cardboard box to hold the gold leaf (similar size as old style match boxes) minimum approx 2" X 3"
* If you have an Agate or Hematite lipstick shape burnisher or Dog tooth Agate burnisher, please bring it. However, Peter will be bringing enough for students to borrow.