



ACCESS CUBA

9-14 May 2012

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

DAY 1 – WEDNESDAY 9 MAY

Group arrival and welcome dinner at a local restaurant serving Cuban cuisine.

Dress code: smart casual

DAY 2 – THURSDAY 10 MAY

The morning will begin with a panoramic view of Havana and a tour of Old Havana (Havana Vieja) followed by a visit to Museo del Ron and lunch at La Divina Pastora Restaurant (TBC).

The day will continue with a visit to the house of renowned writer Ernest Hemmingway located on the outskirts of Havana.

Dress code: casual
(hats, fans and walking shoes recommended)

The evening will start off with dinner at El Patio Restaurant (TBC) followed by an authentic Cuban dance show at the Tropicana Cabaret.

Dress code: casual

DAY 3 – FRIDAY 11 MAY

The day will begin with a guided tour of local art galleries including those involved in the Biennial followed by a lunch at El Ajibe Restaurant (TBC).

Visit of the Museo Nacional de Bella Artes, which showcases Cuban art spanning colonial times to present day.

Dress code: casual
(hats, fans and walking shoes recommended)

The opening of the *Ship of Tolerance*, a conceptual art project by Russian artists Ilya and Emilia Kabakov, which aims to reflect how divergent cultures interpret tolerance and how these readings overlap.

Dinner at Café del Oriente restaurant (TBC)

Inauguration of the 11th Havana Biennial, *Artistic Practices and Social Imaginaries*.

Dress code: smart casual

DAY 4 – SATURDAY 12 MAY

The morning programme will be at the heart of the Biennial, focusing on the works and participation of internationally renowned artists including:

- Andres Serrano (USA)
- Ilya and Emilia Kabakov (Russia)
- Nan Goldin (USA)
- Hermann Nitsch (Austria)
- Gabriel Orozco (Mexico)
- Carlito Carvalho (Brazil)
- Philippe Perrin, JR (France)
- Marina Abramovic (Serbia)

*Dress code: casual
(hats and walking shoes recommended)*

The evening will be spent at the Cabana Fortress for the canon fire ceremony, a historical tradition dating back to the colonial era and marking the end of the day and closing of the city gates followed by a performance at La Zorra y el Cuervo Jazz Club.

Dress code: casual

DAY 5 – SATURDAY 13 MAY

The last day is spent in the Valley of Viñales exploring the breathtaking scenery of Cuba.

*Dress code: picnic casual
(hats and walking shoes recommended)*

- **This is a tentative programme and subject to change.**
- **All tours will be conducted in English.**
- **Tours will be led by professional guides.**
- **VIP passes and private transportation will be provided.**
- **Additional lectures and activities are subject to the Biennial's programme and will be confirmed closer to the date.**

To secure a place on this trip, please complete and send this form to Fiza Akram at Canvas Central and transfer your deposit no later than Saturday 10 March 2012.

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BOOKING FORM

PRICING INFORMATION

Cost is \$5,100* per person.

* Early booking is advised as hotel rates may vary closer to the date.

Package price includes:

VIP passes, full programme, hotel accommodation**, airport transfers, transportation between programme visits, art guides and all meals outlined in the programme.

** At The Mellā Cuba or equivalent from 9-14 May (5 nights).

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Would you like Canvas Central to book you flight?

(kindly note that flight arrangements are not included in the package)

No

Yes

Preferred class First

Business

Economy

PAYMENT METHODS

Option 1: (Credit card payment)

Credit card details:

Card type:

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Option 3: (Cheque)

UAE Banks only (AED 18,768)

Please issue a cheque in local currency made to Canvas Central

GUEST INFORMATION

Name (as it appears on passport) _____

Surname (as it appears on passport) _____

Mailing address _____

Telephone (with country code) _____

Fax (with country code) _____

Mobile (with country code) _____

Email address _____

Dietary/special requirements

PASSPORT INFORMATION

Nationality _____

Passport No _____

Expiry date _____

POINT OF CONTACT INFORMATION

Please indicate if Canvas Central should liaise with a representative from your side for this trip:

Representative's name _____

Designation _____

Mobile number (country code) _____

Email address _____

I HAVE READ THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM.

Signature _____

Date _____



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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PAYMENT METHODS

- A non-refundable deposit of \$2000 per person is requested and due no later than 10 March 2012.
- Full payment is due by 20 March 2012.
- Payment should be made directly to Canvas Central by credit card, cheque or bank transfer (please include your name in the reference line so that your payment can be identified).
- Please note that places on this trip are limited and will only be confirmed on receipt of payment.

HAVANA DESTINATION DETAILS

- All tours will be conducted in English.
- All guests will be responsible for booking their own flights to José Martí International Airport.
- Airport pick up and drop off are included.
- Transport between visits in Cuba is provided.
- Guests are advised to make their own travel arrangements to arrive in Havana on 10 May in time for welcome drinks on the same evening.
- The last event on the programme will take place on the evening of 13 May.
- Hotel check-out is scheduled for 14 May; guests should organise their return or onward travel arrangements accordingly.

PROGRAMME AND COSTS

- Programme details are based on the Biennial's activities and subject to change.
- Changes and cancellations may occur to the programme.
- Places on this trip will be offered on a first-come basis as space is limited to 20 guests only.
- This trip will only take place if a minimum of 15 guests are confirmed.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

- Guests are required to check whether their passports require a visa to enter Cuba. We advise that you contact the relevant embassy as soon as possible.
- Travel insurance is highly recommended.

CANCELLATION

- The deposit of \$2000 is non-refundable.
- Cancellations made between 10 March and 20 March 2012 will be reimbursed excluding the non-refundable deposit.
- Cancellations made after 21 March 2012 will lose the entire payment for the trip.
- We recommend that all guests arrange travel and trip cancellation insurance.

RESPONSIBILITY

Canvas Central acts only in its capacity as organiser of this tour. By completing and signing the booking form, the guest hereby agrees to waive all claims and suits against, defend, release and hold harmless Canvas Central, its officers, agents, representatives and affiliated support organisations for any and all liability for personal injury, property damage or loss of any nature whatsoever arising from his/her participation on this tour.

We ask that guests assess their state of health to ensure that they are able to participate in scheduled activities. Canvas Central bears no responsibility for medical problems or for any medical costs of a guest. All medical evacuation costs are the guest's responsibility. Persons who must leave the tour after it commences will receive no refund for unused services.

Canvas Central also reserves the right to decline any person as a guest in the tour, or to require any guest to withdraw from the tour at any time, when such an action is determined by the appropriate Canvas Central staff representative to be in the best interests of the health, safety, and general welfare of the tour group, or of the individual guest. Canvas Central does not accept liability for any airline cancellation penalty incurred by the purchase of a non-refundable domestic or international ticket to the tour departure cities and return. Baggage and personal effects are the sole responsibility of the owners at all times.

By completing and signing the booking form and forwarding the agreed payment, tour guests certify acceptance of all the above terms and conditions, which cannot be amended except by written statement signed by an authorised Canvas Central representative.

DATA PROTECTION

Please note that your booking will be confirmed upon receipt of your payment to Canvas Central. Please be aware that Canvas Central is based in Dubai and that your personal data will be transferred to Dubai and stored securely by us. Canvas Central will not share your information with any third parties.

REFER A FRIEND

Name _____

Mobile number (country code) _____

Email address _____

Name _____

Mobile number (country code) _____

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