



Contemporary Art Meets Science at PST LA

Trip Overview

January 29 - February 1, 2025

Artful Jaunts



This January, join Artful on an exclusive 4-day trip to Los Angeles. The excursion will feature programming from PST Art—a series of exhibitions and public events throughout Los Angeles exploring connections between art and science, and how this convergence can help us address some of the most urgent problems of our time.

We will enjoy curator-led tours of exhibitions with themes related to Indigenous knowledge, the climate crisis, and novel approaches to environmental activism. Throughout the trip, we will get to know the best of LA's contemporary art scene through exclusive receptions at galleries, artist studios, and private collections, with a focus on underrepresented artists. Private visits to mega-galleries like Hauser & Worth will be complemented with visits to galleries known for their rosters of emerging and mid-career talent, like Various Small Fires and Nazarian / Curcio.



Cover: About LA County via lacounty.gov. Top: Computer Rendering For We Are: Explosion Event For Pst Art, 2024. Courtesy Cai Studio. Bottom Right: Wendy Red Star, *Stirs Up the Dust*, 2011. Part of a PST research project being undertaken at the Autry Museum of the American West.

A particularly special visit to the private collection of Shulamit Nazarian, co-founder of the eponymous gallery Nazarian / Curcio. Our studio visits will be equally sensational and will include the likes of Catherine Opie, Amir Fallah, and Ken Gun Min.

Our meals will feature a combination of fine dining and casual, laid-back bites, all while embracing the diversity of LA's culinary landscape. Venues will be announced closer to the trip and will include some of Los Angeles' hardest-to-book restaurants, like the elegant Funke rooftop, a. o. c. wine cellar, Hauser's Manuela, and the effortlessly chic Otium. Other meals will tend towards the more casual, like K-Town favorites and catered museum lunches.



Top Right: Funke LA via <https://www.instagram.com/p/C1K6nBsyjqW/>. Middle Right: In the Studio with Catherine Opie via Lehmann Maupin. Middle Left: "Recon Watchmen Defending Meeccuna Mountain Entrance From The Castilian Military Force Onslaught," 2023, Virgil Ortiz, Courtesy Of The Artist. ©2023 Virgil Ortiz. Middle Right: Light experiments for Olafur Eliasson's upcoming exhibition at The Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, 2024. Photo by Olafur Eliasson. Courtesy Studio Olafur Eliasson.



Guests will stay at the Prospect Hollywood, a luxurious 4-star property housed in a 1939 Hollywood Regency-style building. Dubbed by Condé Nast "the perfect hotel," the Prospect offers top-notch amenities and convenient access to the city's premier galleries, collections, and dining.

Price

- \$3,950 per person in a double occupancy room
- \$4,490 per person in a single occupancy room

Additional details and link to to register can be found at: <https://www.artfuljaunts.com/jaunts/contemporaryla>

Your Artful tour contact is Latasha Thomas (latasha@artfuljaunts.com or 781-658-2270, office phone).

No refund will be provided for cancellations within sixty days of the trip's start date. If the museum has another patron to fill a spot a substitution will be allowed. After the trip has commenced, no refunds are available, even if the client does not partake in all of the trip's activities or leaves the trip early. We highly recommend trip insurance offered when booking.

All programming may change and is subject to availability of hosts, collectors and artists.

Top: The Prospect Hollywood via <https://theprospecthollywood.com>.