

Trip to **HAVANA**

for its
500th ANNIVERSARY

•Visit Top Cuban Artists' Studios

•Two days in Trinidad & Cienfuegos



November 14 - 21, 2019



Darrel Couturier is leading a fully licensed trip to visit Havana and the cities of Trinidad and Cienfuegos designed for the art aficionado and collector November 14-21, 2019. Havana will celebrate its 500th anniversary of the founding of the city (officially November 16) for which special art exhibitions, music, cultural events and celebrations are being planned. The trip includes studio visits to meet with several of the top contemporary Cuban artists in their studios, as well as visits to architectural landmarks throughout our stay. We'll spend 5 days in Havana and 2 days visiting Trinidad, Cuba's unique colonial city and UNESCO World Heritage Site, and Cienfuegos, the grand colonial city, known as the "Pearl of the South," located on la Bahia de Cienfuegos (Bay of Cienfuegos) where we'll spend the night in the beautiful Hotel Union.

The trip cost is \$3,620 per person, double-occupancy room; \$4,100 per person single-occupancy room and includes:

- US government paperwork and OFAC Support for the Cuban People Travel License
- Cuban tourist visa
- Medical insurance in Cuba
- All customer service and billing
- Flight purchasing guidance and pre-trip information on preparing for Cuba
- Airport assistance in Havana
- Accommodations for seven (7) nights in the Iberostar Hotel Parque Central (Colonial)
- Accommodations for one (1) night at the Hotel Union in Cienfuegos
- Daily breakfasts (7)
- Five (5) lunches and six (6) dinners at Havana's best paladares/restaurants
- Tips for all included meals
- Daily bottled water
- Full-time luxury coach bus with chauffeur transportation
- Full-time bilingual Cuban tour guide
- Full-time program in art collection with select artist studio visits led by Darrel
- Authentic celebration of Havana's 500th Anniversary
- Overnight excursion to Trinidad and Cienfuegos
- Art tour of Cienfuegos led by Adolfo Nodal

COST DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Airfare to/from home city to Havana, Cuba
- Hotel in Miami or anywhere outside of Cuba
- One dinner and one lunch
- Tips for Cuban guide, chauffeur, and accommodation services
- Third-party trip interruption insurance
- Hotels and other services outside of Cuba

Please note, the itinerary of this trip is designed so that it is compliant with the latest (June 6th, 2019) travel restrictions to Cuba. Our itinerary is designed to fully adhere to the US Treasury Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) §515.574 General License for Support for the Cuban People category of legal travel to Cuba. Each traveler agrees to engage in a full-time schedule of activities that result in meaningful interaction with individuals in Cuba, enhance contact with the Cuban people, and support civil society in Cuba. Eating at privately owned Cuban restaurants (paladares), shopping at privately owned stores run by self-employed Cubans (cuentapropistas), and engaging in visual arts exchange projects that provide benefits to individual Cuban artists and Americans are an important part of this program.

If you're interested in going, or have questions, please contact me at darrel@couturiergallery.com or phone 323-933-5557. You will be sent the link for **signing up and mailing a deposit to guarantee your space** which will be done online. Space is limited.

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