



BARCELONA CITY TOUR – €20 per Person

Monday, July 16, 2007

2:00 PM–5:30 PM

Register for this Tour by July 6th!



Barcelona Panoramic City Tour

Explore old and new Barcelona on this panoramic city tour. Get acquainted with this modern, cosmopolitan city which is home to 4.5 million people. The tour guide will take you on a private, air-conditioned motorcoach around the city showing you the most important and popular sights that Barcelona has to offer, including:

- **The Port** and the seafront coast of Barcelona.
- **Plaça de Catalunya** and **The Rambla**: Las Ramblas is one of the best known landmarks of Barcelona, and deservedly so. Meandering down from the Plaça de Catalunya (considered Barcelona's city center) to the Columbus statue, you will find various types of kiosks, flower and animal stalls, and different sorts of artists and street performers. Plaça de Catalunya is a large central square with fountains, sculptures, and grassy areas—an oasis in the heart of the city. The quality and quantity of modernist buildings is unrivalled, not only in Barcelona, but in any city of the world.
- **Montjuïc and Plaça Espanya**: A drive up this mountain will show you the Olympic Stadium and Olympic diving pool, Poble Espanyol, Palau Sant Jordi, and Montjuïc Fountains. You'll stop at the Mirador de l'Alcalde (Mayor's Viewpoint), where you will get to appreciate the panoramic view of the port and the city.
- **Barri Gotic (Gothic Quarter)**: See the old town of Barcelona, characterized by narrow cobblestone roads with tall, old buildings. You'll also visit the area where both Picasso and Miro lived. The Cathedral is a must see when in Barcelona and a fine example of Gothic architecture. Your tour includes a visit inside the church and cloister.
- **Sagrada Família (Church of the Holy Family)**: See the outside of the unfinished cathedral designed by Antonio Gaudi in the 20th century. You'll enjoy the view of the two façades of the Temple that was Gaudi's dream and today is a symbol of Barcelona.
- **Passeig de Gràcia**: The Passeig de Gracia is Barcelona's most elegant avenue and one of the best architectural walks in the city. You'll get a glimpse of Gaudi's Casa Batlló and Casa Mila.

NOTES:

- This tour is open to all TTI/Vanguard attendees and their guests for a fee of € 20.
- Meet in hotel lobby at 1:45 PM.
- Fee includes entrance to the Cathedral.
- Casual attire, walking shoes recommended (some steps).
- Hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen recommended.
- This tour takes place prior to TTI/Vanguard's Welcome Reception and Dinner and is a great opportunity to get oriented with the city and its sights.
- This tour requires a minimum of participants to be operated. You will be informed if you signed up for the tour and the minimum is not met.

GIRONA & FIGUERAS TOUR - €99 per Person

Tuesday, July 17, 2007

9:00 AM–5:30 PM

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For this tour, you'll head outside of Barcelona to explore these historic and medieval cities that have been well-preserved since ancient times.

Girona

Girona has a rich historical and cultural heritage, and offers a legacy from the mixture of cultures this city has taken in throughout its history. The so-called "City of the Four Rivers" shows us a historic centre dominated by medieval buildings and reminders of Romans, Arabs, and Jews. The main feature is the magnificently preserved Jewish quarter.

Figueras

This town was the birthplace of artist Salvador Dali (1904), and houses the Teatre-Museu Gala Salvador Dali, a large museum designed by Dali himself. This museum contains the broadest range of Dali's work and offers a view inside his unique world.

Tour Timeline:

09:00 AM Departure from Hotel Hilton Diagonal Mar
10:30 AM Arrival in Girona and visit Jewish quarter
11:30 AM Old town and Cathedral
12:30 PM Arab Baths
01:00 PM Lunch (included)
02:00 PM Departure for Figueras
02:30 PM Visit Dalí Museum
04:00 PM Return to Barcelona
05:30 PM Arrival at Hotel

NOTES:

- This tour takes place on the first day of the meeting and is open to TTI/Vanguard spouses/partners/guests for a fee of € 99.
- Fee includes entrance to Cathedral Girona, Arab Baths, Dalí Museum, and a 3-course lunch with regional wine, water, and coffee.
- Meet in hotel lobby at 8:45 AM
- Casual attire, walking shoes recommended (some steps).
- Hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen recommended.
- TTI/Vanguard will depart the hotel for dinner at 7:15 PM, so you will be back from this tour in plenty of time for dinner.
- This tour requires a minimum of participants to be operated. You will be informed if you signed up for the tour and the minimum is not met.

PICASSO: A DAY IN THE LIFE - €55 per Person

Wednesday, July 18, 2007

9:00 AM–12:00 NOON

Register for this Tour by July 6th!



Walking Tour of Barri Gotic

Depart by coach towards the Gothic Quarter, the original heart of the city. This is a very special tour, as it combines art, history, society, and stories related to Barcelona in the early 1900s. Visit Picasso's studios and homes, as well as old bars and shops of the time. Experience Barcelona of the 1900s: art galleries, modernist art, artists, and intellectuals with strong cultural connections with Paris, secret districts, literary bars, and cabarets. The Barri Gotic contains a concentration of medieval Gothic buildings only a few blocks northeast of Las Ramblas. It's a maze of interconnecting dark streets linked by squares, and there are cafes and bars on almost every corner. Most of the buildings date from the 14th and 15th centuries, when Barcelona was at the height of its commercial prosperity and before it had been absorbed into what we now consider modern-day Spain. Although a good number of its distinctive buildings belong to this style, the Gothic Quarter consists of various architectural elements from different styles, side by side, representing the whole of the two thousand-year history of Barcelona.

Museu Picasso

After visiting Picasso's neighborhood, you'll visit the Museu Picasso, Barcelona's most visited museum. It's housed in three strikingly beautiful stone mansions on the Carrer de Montcada, which was, in Medieval times, an entry to the port. The museum shows numerous works that trace the artist's early years, and is especially strong on his Blue Period, with canvases like *The Defenceless*, ceramics, and his early works from the 1890s. The second floor shows works from Barcelona and Paris from 1900-1904, with many of his Impressionist-influenced works. The haunting *Portrait of Senyora Canals* (1905), from his Pink Period is also on display. Among the later works, all executed in Cannes in 1957, are a complex technical series (*Las Meninas*), which consists mostly of studies on Diego Velazquez's masterpiece of the same name.

Tour Timeline:

09:00 AM Departure from Hotel Hilton Diagonal Mar by motorcoach

09:20 AM Guided walking tour of Gothic Quarter

10:00 AM Art Galleries, shops, and restaurant El Quatre Gats (Picasso's favorite restaurant - instead of paying he left drawings/paintings there.)

11:00 AM Guided Tour Picasso Museum

12:30 PM Return to Hotel by motorcoach

NOTES:

- This tour takes place on the second day of the meeting and is open to TTI/Vanguard spouses/partners/guests for a fee of € 55.
- Fee includes entrance to the Picasso Museum.
- Casual attire, walking shoes recommended.
- Hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen recommended.
- This tour requires a minimum of participants to be operated. You will be informed if you signed up for the tour and the minimum is not met.

GAUDI'S BARCELONA - €32 per Person

Wednesday, July 18

4:30 PM–8:00 PM

Register for this Tour by July 6th!



At the conclusion of the TTI/Vanguard meeting, you can take this tour into the world of the exceptional and universal architect, Antonio Gaudí, visiting his most representative works.

- **Passeig de Gràcia:** You'll get a panoramic tour of this avenue, where the most emblematic Modernist houses are concentrated, among them Gaudí's Casa Batlló, one of three houses of contrasting styles that make up the so-called Block of Discord.
- **Casa Milà or "La Pedrera" (the Quarry):** Discover the exposition on the work of the architect in the Espai Gaudí, situated in the attic under the impressive roof terrace.
- **Sagrada Família (Holy Family Church):** This cathedral has been under construction since 1882 and it's not expected to be completed for between 30 to 80 years. You'll get to climb the stairs to the top of the tower of Sagrada Família and enjoy views of the cathedral's breathtaking architecture and views of the city. In addition, visit the two façades of the Temple still under construction.
- **Park Güell:** Wander through this colourful and vibrant unique World Heritage park.

Tour Timeline:

04:30 PM Departure from Hotel Hilton Diagonal Mar

05:00 PM Passeig de Gracia/Casa Batlló

05:15 PM Casa Mila (interior visit)

06:00 PM Sagrada Família (interior visit)

07:00 PM Parc Güell

08:00 PM Return to Hotel

** (TTI/Vanguard will provide a very casual dinner this evening at 8:15 PM. The restaurant is across the street from the hotel, so you will be able to walk directly over to the restaurant after the motorocach drops you off at the hotel.)**

NOTES:

- This tour takes place after the meeting ends on the second day and is open to all TTI/Vanguard attendees and their spouses/partners/guests for a fee of € 32.
- Meet in hotel lobby at 4:30 PM.
- Fee includes entrance into Casa Mila (including rooftop) and Sagrada Família.
- Casual attire, walking shoes recommended (many steps).
- Stair climbing involved.
- Hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen recommended.
- This tour requires a minimum of participants to be operated. You will be informed if you signed up for the tour and the minimum is not met.



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TOUR REGISTRATION AND GUARANTEE BY CREDIT CARD

TOUR REGISTRATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JULY 6th!

Fax the completed form to 310.451.2104 ATTN: Robin Lockett, Program Manager, TTI/Vanguard.

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TOTAL TOUR FEE DUE _____ €

I, _____, authorize MCI to charge my credit card in the amount of _____ €
Print first and last name

for the above selected tours.

Cancellation Policy: I understand that after July 6th, the tour fees are non-refundable and my card will be charged for the tours, even if I am unable to attend.

Credit card company: (please mark one)

- Eurocard / Mastercard
- American Express
- Diners
- Visa

Credit Card Number: _____ Expiration date: _____ Security Code: _____

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(Visa, Mastercard: Three-digit code after the card number (or after the last four digits) on the back of your credit card number on the back of the card within the signature field.)

(American Express: Four-digit number on the front of the card in the right hand corner above the card number)

Name on the credit card:

By signing this form I authorize MCI to charge this credit card for the amount listed above.

Signature: _____ Date: _____/_____/_____

PLEASE NOTE:

1. The above price is quoted in Euros on a per person basis.
2. All rates are valid for this group and the above stated period only.
3. Tours may be cancelled if minimums are not met. You will not be charged if this occurs.

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