

Docomomo US Modern Brazil

São Paulo - Brasília - Rio de Janeiro October 12 - 23, 2023

Docomomo US Modern Brazil is one in a series of exclusive modern architecture, art and design travel experiences. This tenday, nine-night trip features the work of Oscar Niemeyer, Lina Bo Bardi, Afonso Eduardo Reidy, Lucio Costa among others.

Travelers will experience a journey through the history of modern architecture in Brazil. From its early sinuous and iconic Carioca School designs through its brutalist Paulista School period, guests will experience the 20th century through three of Brazil's most important cities: São Paulo, Brasília and Rio de Janeiro. Highlights of the tour include the opportunity to visit many of Oscar Niemeyer's most important works including Ibirapuera Auditorium, Copan Building Casa de Canoas Oscar Niemeyer's family home. Guests will enjoy two days exploring the country's capital of Brasília with stops all along Brasília's Monumental Axis including: Three Power Square, the National Congress, the Metropolitan Cathedral, and Itamaraty Palace. In São Paulo, guests will visit the Lina Bo Bardi designed Glass House for a special curator's tour in addition to a visit to Bo Bardi's São Paulo Museum of Modern Art. In Rio, highlights include a visit to Park Guinle by Lucio Costa, the Ministry of Education and Culture building, in addition to two works by Afonso Eduardo Reidy: The Museum of Modern Art and the Pedregulho residential project. Modern Brazil offers a unique travel opportunity in a small group setting featuring access to modern homes and buildings considered off the beaten path or not ordinarily open to the public.



SCHEDULE

Day 1 Thursday, October 12: Guests will board as a group from Miami for an overnight flight to São Paulo.

Day 2 Friday, October 13: Morning arrival in São Paulo.

After checking in to the hotel, guests will enjoy lunch and a visit to Oscar Niemeyer's, Copan Building. This is a lightly programmed day to allow guests to reset after a long day of traveling. Accommodations: Hotel Renaissance São Paulo Lunch included.

Day 3 Saturday, October 14: São Paulo

We will start the day with a visit to the the FAU/USP School of Architecture designed by Vilanova Artigas and the Lina Bo Bardi designed Glass House. After lunch, we will visit Casa Vilamova Artigas and conclude the day with a special tour of the Sao Paulo Musuem of Art (MASP) by Lina Bo Bardi. Breakfast, lunch and dinner included.

Day 4 Sunday, October 15: São Paulo

Today guests will be treated to a morning bus tour of São Paulo city center including the Metropolitan Cathedral and a visit to the Santa Cruz Street House and Gardens designed by Gregori Warchavchik, considered one of the first expressions of modernism in Brazil. After lunch we will visit Ibirapuera Park and Auditorium designed by Oscar Niemeyer. Breakfast and lunch included.

Day 5 Monday, October 16: São Paulo

This morning we will drive by a number of important projects including Casa da Rua Itapolis, the Louveira Residential Complex, the Prudencia Building and the IAB (Brazilian Institute of Architects building). After lunch guests will enjoy a guided tour of SESC Pompéia, a former metal drum factory adaptively reused as a multi-purpose center.

Breakfast, lunch and dinner included.

Day 6 Tuesday, October 17: São Paulo to Brasília

Guests will travel this morning by air to the capital city of Brasília. After lunch guests will enjoy a bus tour along the Monumental Axis with a stop to the TV Tower and Oscar Niemeyer's little church. Accommodations: Brasília Palace Hotel Breakfast, lunch and dinner included.

Day 7 Wednesday, October 18: Brasília

Guests will enjoy a full day visiting Three Power Square, the National Congress and Itamaraty Palace. After lunch, the group will visit Alvorada's Palace, the Superquadras. Breakfast and lunch included.

Day 8 Thursday, October 19: Brasília to Rio de Janeiro

After an early breakfast, guests will visit the University of Brasilia Buildings, the Burle Marx Gardens and Military Sector and then head to the airport for the flight to Rio de Janeiro. In Rio, guests will visit many city center sites including Arco do Telles and Travessa do Comercio, the Imperial Palace, the Old Customs House and a stop at Confeitaria Colombo for afternoon tea. Accommodations: JW Marriot Hotel Breakfast included.

Day 9 Friday, October 20: Rio de Janeiro

On our first day in Rio, guests will be treated to a visit to the Roberto Burle Marx Cultural Center and home, and Park Guinle by Lucio Costa. After lunch the group will tour Oscar Niemeyer's family home, Casa de Canoas.

Breakfast, lunch and dinner included.









Day 10 Saturday, October 21: Rio de Janeiro

Today guests will visit designs by Afonso Eduardo Reidy: the Pedregulho Residential Complex, the Museum of Modern Art (MAM) and Flamengo Park with Lota de Macedo Soares and R. Burle Marx. Other visits include the recently opened Museum of Tomorrow designed by Santiago Calvatrava.

Breakfast, lunch and dinner included.

Day 11 Sunday, October 22: Rio de Janeiro to New York
This morning guests will have exterior visits to the Ministry of
Education and Culture and the Museum of Contemporary Art in
Niteroi by Oscar Niemeyer. Free afternoon in Rio de Janeiro.
Breakfast and lunch included.

Day 12 Monday, October 23: Rio de Janeiro to Miami After breakfast at the hotel, guests will have a free day before saying "tchau" to Rio de Janeiro and depart for the airport to Miami. Breakfast included.



TOUR LEADER

Debora Barros has been practicing architecture for over 20 years in New York, the United Kingdom and Brazil. She is a Senior Associate at PBDW Architects in New York City, and has worked extensively on the firm's award winning preservation and adaptive reuse projects such as the Park Avenue Armory. She prepared Conservation Plans for major redevelopment projects in Manchester and London and designed a new landscape setting for the relocation of the Manchester Cenotaph. Ms. Barros is currently lending her expertise as the Project Manager behind the restoration of the Palace Theatre on Broadway. She is a Visiting Assistant Professor at Pratt Institute's Graduate Historic Preservation Program and is an active supporter of several non-profit organizations.

REGISTRATION

Program rate: \$7,295 per person, double occupancy Single Supplement: \$999 (limited availability)

Includes:

- Round-trip flights from MIAMI to Sao Paulo returning from Rio to MIAMI via LATAM Airways wide-bodied jet service, including fuel surcharges and taxes and fees:
- Airport transfers on arrival & departure
- Internal flights, ground transportation and transfers within Brazil
- 10 nights' accommodations in superior first class hotels
- 24 meals: 10 breakfasts, 8 lunches & 6 dinners and 1 afternoon tea in Rio
- Mineral Water and soft drinks + coffee/tea per meal included
- Professional LOCAL English-speaking Tour Director for tour duration
- Tips for drivers, guides, and director

Airfare Credit:

Any travelers who wish to book their own international and internal flights, the airfare credit will be a \$1,200 reduction from the tour price. Travelers who want to book their own international flights but want FRIENDLY PLANET to provide the inter-flights within Brazil, should make this request to group@friendlyplanet.com.

AIA Continuing Education Credits will be available.





Rate does not include:

- Passports (required & must be valid for at least 6 months after date of return)
- Items of Personal Nature
- Drinks and meals other than those specifically included

Passenger Deposits:

Passenger deposits are \$500.00 per person. Passenger deposits are non-refundable, and cancellation and interruption coverage is strongly recommended in order to protect passengers against cancellation fees.

Deadline for deposits is June 14, 2023.

\$192.00 - \$326.00 Optional (recommended) comprehensive travel insurance

Final payments:

Final payments are due at 75 days prior to departure - July 29, 2023. Reservations received after this date will be on a request basis and must be accompanied by payment in full. Cancellations must be made in writing (fax, email or postal mail) and are subject to the following charges:

Cancellation Charges:

75+ days prior to departure\$60074-45 days prior to departure\$100044-30 days prior to departure\$170029-10 days prior to departure\$23009-0 days prior to departureNo refund

Scheduled flights:

- 1 LA8191 12OCT 4 MIAMI / SAO PAULO 2020 05351+1
- 2 LA3006 17OCT 2 SAO PAULO / BRASILIA 1035 1220
- 3 LA3794 19OCT 4 BRASILIA / RIO 1305 1450
- 4 LA3371 23OCT 1 RIO / SAO PAULO 2000 2110
- 5 LA8190 23OCT SAO PAULO / MIAMI 2305 0620 +1

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Brazil Vaccination Requirements: (subject to change) Vaccinated and unvaccinated travelers are currently authorized to enter Brazil.

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