



TRAVEL PROGRAM

Havana, Cuba

January 29 - February 3, 2025

JOYCE TRAVEL PROGRAM:

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The Joyce has hosted dozens of research trips to Cuba over the past 24 years in support of the Cuban People, establishing meaningful relationships with their artistic community and helping to bridge the gap with the nearby country through cultural exchange. In 2011, this effort culminated with the first U.S. tour of Cuba's premiere contemporary dance company-Danza Contemporanea de Cuba-including the company's New York premiere at The Joyce Theater. Since then, The Joyce has developed an expanded Cuba initiative including an arts administration workshop in Havana; internships for Cuban professional arts administrators in New York City; the creation of a new work by Brooklyn-based choreographer Ronald K. Brown for a Cuban company of his choice; and the U.S. debut of Malpaso Dance Company-at The Joyce Theater in May 2014.



Day 1: Miami, Florida

January 29, 2025

- Meet at the Miami International Airport. The group will travel together from the U.S. to Cuba.
- International flights from Miami, FL to Cuba are included in the travel package.
- Flights from your origin location to Miami, FL are not included.
- We strongly recommend arriving in Miami a night early to account for any possible delays.





Day 1: Havana, Cuba

January 29, 2025

- Upon arrival, check into the Grand Aston La Habana in the Vedado neighborhood.
- Enjoy a traditional Cuban dinner at local favorite, La Guarida with special guests from the Cuban dance community.
- Attend a performance at the Havana Jazz Festival (programming TBD).

Accommodation: Grand Aston La Habana

Day 2: Havana, Cuba

January 30, 2025

- Visit the National Ballet of Cuba for a private studio rehearsal.
- Enjoy a festive group lunch at Paladar Al Carbon in Old Havana.
- Learn about the rich history and charm of Old Havana during a guided walking tour.
- Savor an elegant outdoor dinner at Paladar Atelier.
- Catch a late night show at the Havana Jazz Festival (programming TBD).

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Day 3: Havana, Cuba

January 31, 2025

- Visit the Sphardi Center including the Holocaust Museum.
- Join Malpaso Dance Company for a private showing and conversation with Executive Director Fernando Saez.
- Enjoy lunch at Paladar ChaChaCha.
- Brows local goods at the Havana Arts & Crafts Market, Clandestina, and Dandor.
- Dine at Paladar Antojos
- Catch a late night show at the Havana Jazz Festival (programming TBD).

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Day 4: Havana, Cuba

February 1, 2025

- Visit the National Folkloric Company celebrating the origins of dance in the Caribbean.
- Enjoy lunch at Paladar Dacameron.
- Take a guided tour of the National Museum of Fine Arts' Cuban Collection.
- Watch the sunset over drinks at the Ludwig Foundation of Cuba with members of the Cuba arts community.
- See a performance at the Havana Jazz Festival (programming TBD) and enjoy dinner on your own exploring Havana (recommendations available).



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Day 5: Havana, Cuba

February 2, 2025

- Visit the home of Danza Contemporánea de Cuba to watch a private dance class and rehearsal.
- Enjoy a lunch of Cuba favorites at Paladar Moneda Cubana.
- Visit local artists in their studios learning about their works and process.
- Dine at the famous Paladar Vista Mar.
- See Malpaso Dance Company and Ronald K. Brown/EVIDENCE perform at the closing of the the Havana Jazz Festival (programming TBD)

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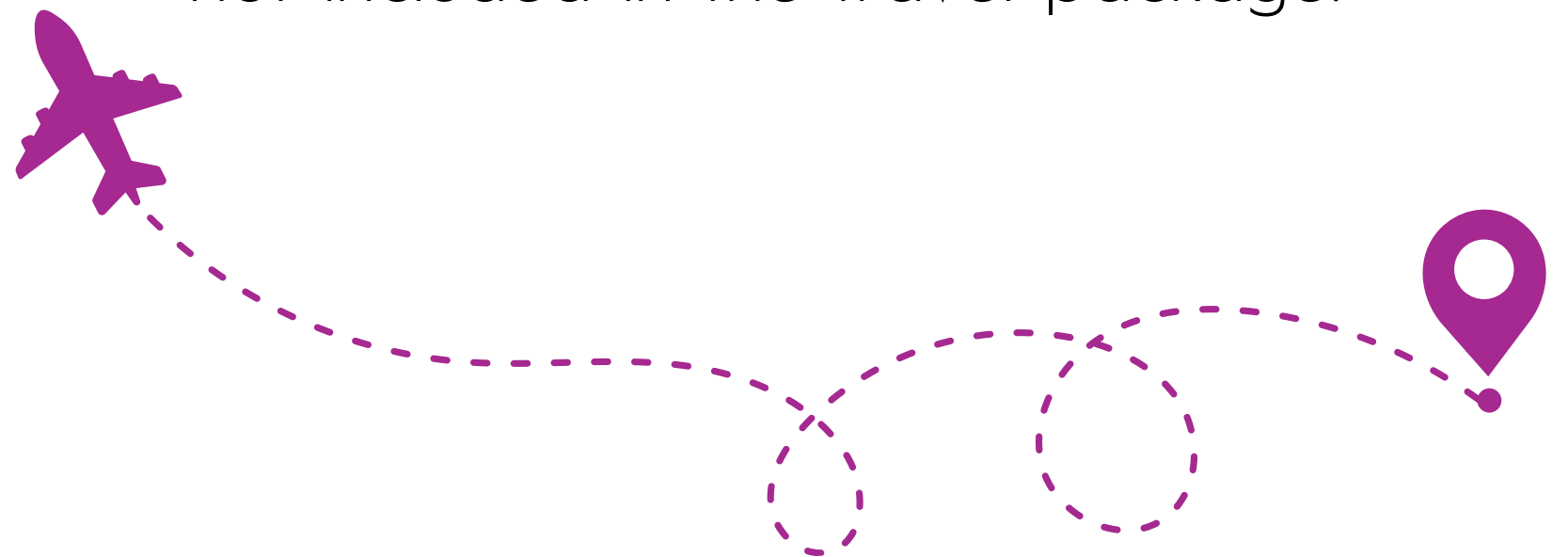




Day 6: Havana, Cuba

February 3, 2025

- After breakfast, check out of the hotel and travel back to Miami International Airport to continue on for your final destination.
- Return flights from Havana, Cuba to Miami International Airport are included in the travel package.
- Flights from Miami to your final destination not included in the travel package.



Inclusions:

- International flights between Miami International Airport and Havana, Cuba
- Visa and immigration fees
- Daily breakfast at the hotel
- All entrance fees for activities included in this itinerary
- A dedicated local travel director
- Meals specified in this itinerary (excluding some alcoholic beverages)
- Transportation by luxury coach for all group activities
- VIP Havana Jazz Festival credentials



Exclusions:

- Domestic flights to/from Miami, Florida and traveler's origin location
- Accommodations in Miami, Florida
- Ground transportation to/from Miami International Airport in Florida
- Meals not explicitly mentioned in the itinerary
- Travel insurance is not provided and is strongly encouraged for all participants
- Personal expenses such as additional alcoholic beverages, laundry, and telephone service



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Pricing per Person

- Double occupancy \$6,510 p/p
- Single supplement \$730

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Programming subject to change