

# Lima City Experiences



# Lima Cultural Experience

**Type of  
Experience**



Culture

**Duration: 5h.**

**Highlight: Larco  
Museum**

Enjoy a half day guided sightseeing tour to the most attractive and important sites in Lima, the "City of Kings". Visit Lima's Historical Center, passing by Plaza San Martin, Plaza Mayor, the Government Palace, the City Hall, the BCR Museum with a representation of Peruvian Art dating from ancient times to the 21st Century, and the Santo Domingo Convent. On Mondays the visit to the BCR will be replaced with a visit to Torre Tagle Palace.



The Larco Museum is one of the few museums in the world that allows such intimate access to its deposits, in this case around 45,000 pieces. Another attraction of the museum and of great interest to visitors is the exhibition of erotic pre-Columbian art.

End your journey with a delicious lunch at Café del Museo Restaurante, located within the Museum compound.



Your visit continues with a stop at Larco Museum, for an excellent overview of Peru's ancient past as it holds the best private collection of pre-Columbian art in the country. You will have the chance to tour through this old Hacienda House in the Pueblo Libre district, which was built upon a pre-Incan sacred site (huaca), housing the private collection of a great Peruvian scholar: Don Rafael Larco Hoyle.



# Lima Gastronomic Experience

**Type of Experience**



**Gastronomic**

**Duration: 6h.**

**Highlight: Cordano Bar**

Begin today's experience with a visit to a local market in the San Isidro District, one of the upscale districts that comprise the city of Lima. Learn about the different fruits, vegetables, meats, fish and seafood used in various Peruvian dishes. The goods of the merchants are nicely displayed, especially the colorful displays of fruits and vegetables.



Your visit will then take you on a visit to the choco-museum where you will learn more about our beloved chocolate. Then it is time to continue to El Bolivariano Restaurante to savor a delicious typical Peruvian meal, including a Pisco Sour Demonstration and Tasting.

End the day, with a stop at Yitzhak Rabin Park, inaugurated in 1998 in honor of the 1994 Nobel Peace Prize winner and perfect viewpoint of the Lima bay.

\*Tour does not operate on Mondays



Continue to Lima downtown, to visit the Historical Center stopping at the Plaza Mayor or Plaza de Armas, birthplace of the city of Lima, as well as the core of the city, surrounded by the most iconic landmarks. Then stop at El Cordano bar, a Lima institution since 1905, considered a national heritage, visited by presidents, poets, writers and artists, to taste some of the traditional dishes.





# Lima Artistic Experience

Type of  
Experience



Artistic

Duration: 4h 15min.

Highlight: Bohemian  
district

Embark on a special guided tour focused on several artistic aspects of Lima. Start with a visit to the Historic Center of Lima, home of the most representative landmarks in the city. Continue your visit to the Museum of the BCR of Peru which has an archaeological collection with representations of all pre-Columbian cultures, a complete collection of republican paintings of the country, and a sample of popular art.



The next stop is the Art Museum of Lima or MALI that houses the most representative collection of art in Peru, which dates back 3,000 years of history from the first Andean civilizations to modern times. After this visit it is time to know the bohemian district of Lima, Barranco, where Dédalo is located; an art shop and gallery in a Republican era house that aims to promote and spread Peruvian contemporary artisan work.



Today's visit ends with a tour to MATE, a cultural institution specialized in the work of the world known photographer Mario Testino, who has created a cultural space in his hometown to exhibit his photographic work. Inside the gallery, modern technology ensures optimal viewing: seven rooms with climate-control and perfect lighting for Testino's own photographs, as well as work from other Peruvian artists.



\*The Artistic Experience does not operate on Sundays and, on Mondays, MATE is replaced by a visit to Pallas workshop.

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