

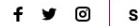
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Barcelona, the capital of Spain's Catalonia region known for its art and architecture, has long been on my bucket list. The fantastical Sagrada Familia church and other modernistic landmarks designed by Antonio Gaudi can be found throughout the city.

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La Sagrada Família

One of the world's largest and artistic churches is the Basílica i Temple Expiatori de la Sagrada Família. The church has been under construction for over 100 years (I guess one must have patience for a true work of art).


In 1882, the initial architect, Francisco de Paula del Villar, created a quite conservative neo-Gothic design. However, due to disagreements over construction costs, Villar resigned and in 1883 Antoni Gaudí took his place. Gaudí was very religious and the church was to become his opus magnum. He

spent the remainder of his life working on it. Gaudi believed others after him would enjoy this masterpiece because the construction would last longer after he was gone.

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