

**VENICE, ITALY**

TRAVEL BEYOND  
**AESTHETIC  
ADVENTURER**

**10.26 - 11.1.2026**

DISCOVER WITHIN

**Preliminary Travel Program**

**MONDAY, OCT 26**

**ARRIVAL DAY**

Afternoon

Check in to the Villa Ines, an Art Nouveau boutique hotel and garden

5:00 pm

Welcome drink and light snack

6:00 pm

Walking tour of the Lido

7:00 pm

Dinner at Trattoria Andri

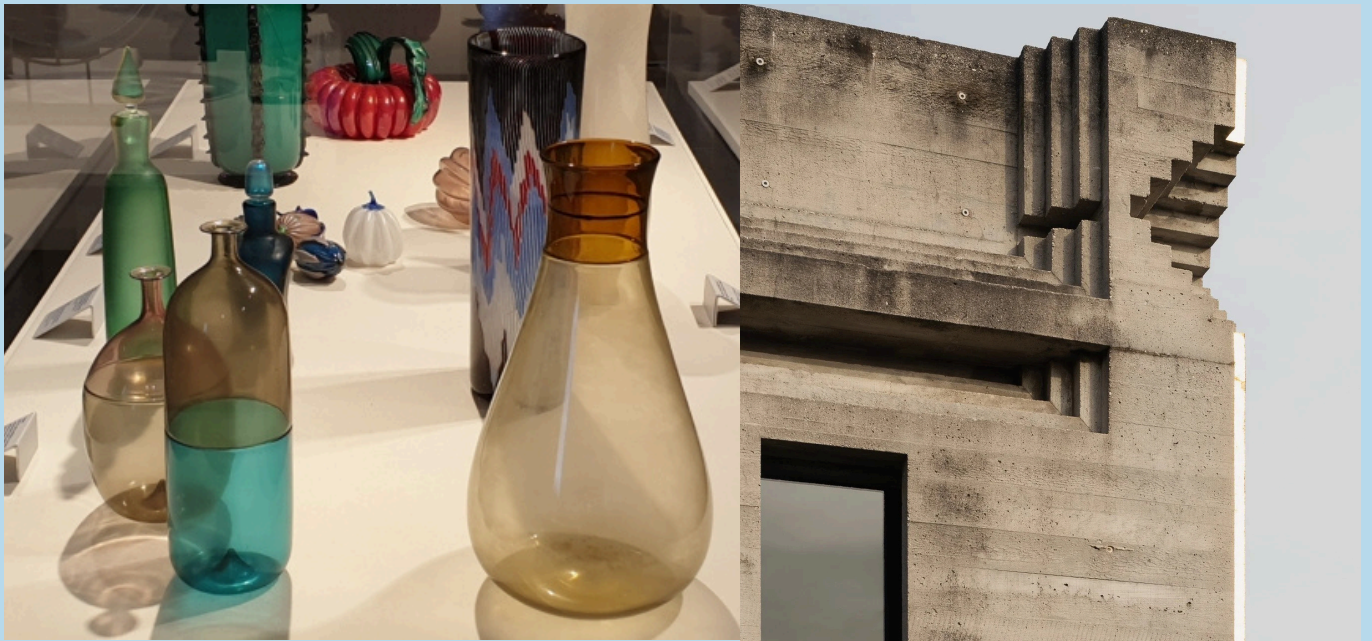


**TUESDAY, OCT 27****GIARDINI DELLA BIENNALE**

- 8:00 am-9:00 am Breakfast
- 9:30 am-10:30 am Short lecture on Biennale
- 11:00 am-12:45 pm Guided tour of Central Pavilion and select National Pavilions in the Biennale Giardini
- 1:00 pm-2:15 pm Lunch at Al Paradiso
- 2:30 pm-4:00 pm Visit additional national pavilions in the Giardini
- 4:30 pm Back to the Lido to rest
- 5:45 pm-7:00 pm Water Taxi tour with Professor Monica Chojnacka followed by dinner at Osteria Oliva Nera

**WEDNESDAY, OCT 28****JEWISH VENICE: FROM PEGGY GUGGENHEIM TO THE GHETTO**

- 8:30 am-9:30 am Breakfast
- 10:00 am-11:15 am Visit to the Punta della Dogana [exhibitions of Paulo Nazareth and Lorna Simpson]
- 11:30 pm-12:45 pm Peggy Guggenheim Collection
- 1:00 pm-2:00 pm Lunch at a local trattoria
- 2:15 pm-3:00 pm Visit to Accademia
- 3:00 pm-4:00 pm Private tour of Bevilacqua - nineteenth-century jacquard looms
- 4:30 pm-6:00 pm Guided tour of the Jewish Ghetto
- 6:00 pm Aperitivo on the Misericordia
- 7:00 pm Dinner at Da Rioba



**THURSDAY, OCT 29**

**CARLOS SCARPA. ARSENAL & MORE**

8:00 am-9:00 am

Breakfast

9.15 am

Meet up for departure

10:00 am-10:45 am

Piazza San Marco: Basilica, Procuratie, and Olivetti Showroom [Leandro Ehrlich Exhibition]

11:00 am-12:00 pm

Querini-Stampalia Collection, Contemporary Installations, and Carlo Scarpa Garden

12:15 pm-1:15 pm

Guided tour of *In Minor Key*, a curatorial vision developed by the late Koyo Kouoh at the Arsenale

1:30 pm-2:45 pm

Lunch at Nevodi

3:00 pm-4:00 pm

Optional Additional Pavillions

4:15 pm

Back to Lido to rest/change for evening activity

5:30 pm

Aperitivo

7:00 pm

Performance



## FRIDAY, OCT 30

## EXPLORING SANTO STEFANO NEIGHBORHOOD

8:00 am-9:00 am

Breakfast

10:00 am-11:30 am

Tour of Michael Armitage & Paulo Nazareth exhibition at Palazzo Grassi

11:30 am-12:45 pm

Shopping in Salizada San Samuele known for artisanal linens, silk slippers, glassware and more

1:00 pm-2:00 pm

Lunch at Baccaretto or AcquaPazza

3:00 pm-4:00 pm

Guided visit through Rubelli Foundation (textile firm)

4:00 pm

Back to Villa Ines

5:00 pm-7:00 pm

Optional Cooking Class with Chef Marika at Acquolina

7:15 pm

Dinner is served - a tavola!

## **SATURDAY, OCT 31**

## **MURANO ISLAND & SAN GIORGIO**

8:00 am-9:00 am

Breakfast

10:00 am-12:00 pm

Guided tour of Murano (demo and Museo del Vetro)

12:00 pm-1:00 pm

Time for shopping

1:15 pm-2:30 pm

Lunch at Trattoria Busa da Lele

2:30 pm-3:00 pm

Water taxi to San Giorgio

3:00 pm-4:00 pm

Guided tour of Stanze del Vetro modern glass museum

4:15 pm-5:15 pm

San Giorgio Church and Campanile for contemporary art installation and breathtaking city views  
Dinner on your own (suggestions will be provided)

## **SUNDAY, NOV 1**

## **DEPARTURE DAY**

Arrivederci!

## **Pricing**

\$8,450 per person for double occupancy room  
Single occupancy room available at a slight premium

Paid in full by: July 1, 2026, 10% discount  
Two payments: 50% due July 1, 2026, second 50% due September 1, 2026

## **What's Included**

- Lodging at Villa Ines in Venice
- Daily breakfast as well as gourmet lunches and dinners, all included.  
Complementary glass of house wine with meals
- All museum tickets and unlimited 2026 Biennale pass
- Art history salon seminars
- Visit to Museo del Vetro
- Guided tour of Venice Biennale (Giardini and Arsenale)
- History tour with local tour guide Monica Chojanacka
- Introduction to and visit at Peggy Guggenheim exhibition
- Unlimited week-long vaporetto pass
- Performance tickets
- Guided shopping excursion
- On-site local support

## **What's not Included**

- Trip insurance [highly recommended]
- Round-trip Air or other transportation to and from Venice
- Additional alcohol beyond what is listed above