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IN AND AROUND BARCELONA 22–24 NOVEMBER 2014

**Saturday 22 November 2014**

**4 p.m Visit » La Pedrera / Casa Milà «**

Barcelona



Antoni Gaudí designed Casa Milà (1906-1912), his last secular work – an apartment block – one of the most innovative in functional terms, spatial distribution, structural system, and in construction and ornamental methods. The building features a language very innovative in *Modernisme* period, expressed mainly by the sinuous and quasi-naturalistic forms the façade, in

which the stone contrasts with the daring railings of the balconies. The visit includes the spectacular roof, the Espai Gaudí – the only interpretative center of Gaudí's life and work– and a period Apartment.

Guided by Sílvia Vilarroya, curator of the Permanent Exhibition of La Pedrera.

Tour: Free.

Duration: 1h 30 min.

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**Sunday 23 November 2014**

**Morning: Visit » Casa Masó «**

Girona



Casa Rafael Masó is the birthplace of the architect from Girona, Rafael Masó (1880-1935), who had joined the group of artists and writers who were to forge *Noucentisme*, the movement that developed as an alternative to *Modernisme*. Casa Masó is one of the most important works of

the architect and the only one open to the public from the famous riverside houses in Girona. The house has been preserved with original furnishings and decor, offering unprecedented views of the city.

Guided by Jordi Falgàs, director of Fundació Rafael Masó.

Tour: Free.

Travel and tour guide of Girona center: 4 €/person.

Transport by train: (round trip 32€/person) to be confirmed when reservation.

Girona is a 38 minutes train ride (departing from Sants station in Barcelona) plus a 10-minute walk to the house in the center of Girona.

Duration: 3 hours (tours and journey).

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**Monday 24 November 2014**

**Morning: Visit » La Ricarda «**

El Prat de Llobregat (near Barcelona airport)



Casa Gomis (1950-1963) – also known as La Ricarda – is a serenely beautiful example of a catalan rationalist house designed by the architect Antonio Bonet Castellana. The house remains the property of the Gomis Bertrand family, which is dedicated to preserve it in its original state.

Guided by Marita Gomis, one of the owners of the Casa Gomis at La Ricarda.

Transport by mini-bus.

Duration: 3 hours.

Tour guide and transport: 18 €/person.

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**Monday 24 November 2014**

**Afternoon: Visit « The Block of Discord »**

**Casa Amatller, Casa Lleó Morera and Casa Batlló.**

Barcelona

Mansana de la Discòrdia or Block of Discord is the name locals gave to a group of houses located in Passeig de Gràcia, between Aragó and Consell de Cent streets



because it displays the contrasts between the different architectural styles of Catalan *Modernisme*. On this housing block in the Eixample, we find works done by the three most important architecture representatives of *Modernisme*: Casa Amatller (1898-1900) by Josep Puig i Cadafalch, Casa Lleó i Morera by Lluís Domènech i Montaner, Casa Batlló (1904-1906) by Antoni Gaudí.

Duration: 2 hours.

Tour guide of the three houses, entrance fee included 30 €/person.

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## Other recommendations in Barcelona

### » Casa Bloc. Museum Apartment I / I I «

Location: Museu del Disseny de Barcelona – Casa Bloc Carrer de l'Almirall Pròixida at the corner of Passeig Torras i Bages

Opening hours: Saturdays, at 11 am and 12.30 pm. Duration: 1 h 30 min.

<http://www.museudeldisseny.cat/en/activity/casa-bloc-museum-apartment-111>

### » Palau Güell «

Location: Carrer Nou de la Rambla, 3-5

Opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday from 10 am to 5.30 pm (ticket window closes at 4.30 pm)

<http://palauguell.cat/come-palace>

### » Casa Museu Gaudí «

Location: Park Güell -Carretera del Carmel, 23A Opening hours: Monday to Sunday from 10 am to 6 pm

<http://www.casamuseugaudi.org/>

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