

## Explore NYC! Guide

### **The Upper East Side**

This guide is for museum lovers! Make sure you have your ICOM member card with you to get free admission into select museums. Consider also strolling through Central Park before or after your museum visits. Please note that many of these activities are within walking distance to one another.

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### **Visit museums along Museum Mile – Located on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue**

All Accessible via the [4/5/6](#) trains or M1, M2, M3, or M4 buses

#### [The Africa Center](#)

The Africa Center is transforming the world’s understanding of Africa, its Diaspora, and the role of people of African descent in the world. As the hub for the exchange of ideas related to the continent, and in the spirit of collaboration with individuals and institutions who share our values, The Africa Center advances thought and empowers action around Africa’s global impact on our collective futures.

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#### [El Museo del Barrio](#)

Founded in 1969, El Museo del Barrio’s mission is to present and preserve the art and culture of Puerto Ricans and all Latinx Americans in the United States.

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#### [The Jewish Museum](#)

The Jewish Museum is a museum at the intersection of art and Jewish culture.

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## [Cooper Hewitt](#)

Cooper Hewitt is the only museum in the United States devoted exclusively to historical and contemporary design, and is the steward of one of the most comprehensive design collections in existence—more than 215,000 design objects spanning 30 centuries. From textiles and works on paper to icons of modern design, Cooper Hewitt’s collection is an inspiration for creative work of all kinds and tells the story of design’s paramount importance in improving our world.

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## [The Guggenheim](#)

Committed to innovation, the Solomon R. Guggenheim Foundation collects, preserves, and interprets modern and contemporary art, and explores ideas through dynamic curatorial and educational initiatives and collaborations. With its constellation of architecturally and culturally distinct museums, exhibitions, publications, and digital platforms, the foundation engages both local and global audiences.

## [Neue Galerie](#)

Neue Galerie New York is a museum devoted to early 20<sup>th</sup> century German and Austrian art and design. The collection features art from Vienna circa 1900, exploring the special relationship that existed between the fine arts (Gustav Klimt, Egon Schiele, Oskar Kokoschka, Richard Gerstl, and Alfred Kubin) and the decorative arts (created at the Wiener Werkstätte by figures as Josef Hoffmann, Koloman Moser, and Dagobert Peche, and by architects Adolf Loos, Joseph Urban, and Otto Wagner).

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## [The Metropolitan Museum of Art](#)

The Metropolitan Museum of Art presents over 5,000 years of art from around the world for everyone to experience and enjoy. The Museum lives in two iconic sites in New York City—[The Met Fifth Avenue](#) and [The Met Cloisters](#). Since its founding in 1870, The Met has aspired to be more than a treasury of rare and beautiful objects.

Every day, art comes alive in the Museum's galleries and through its exhibitions and events, revealing new ideas and unexpected connections across time and cultures.

**Additional Museums:**

- [The Frick Collection](#)
- [Asia Society Museum](#)

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Navigating the Subway and Bus

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- Google Maps (Recommended)
- MYmta (Available on [IOS](#) and [Android](#))