

## INAUGURAL ANNUAL DIRECTOR'S TRIP 2022



Thank you for signing up for the inaugural Annual Director's Trip! This year, I am excited to take members on a journey through Oklahoma and Arkansas in search of surprising art collections and unique architecture—maybe where you least expected to find it. As you may know, I was born in Oklahoma and went to the University of Oklahoma, working at their campus museum for many years, before coming to SUU. It is my pleasure to take you back there with me as I prove why Oklahoma and Arkansas are more than just “flyover states.”

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*Wednesday, November 9*

**Anytime**, Arrive to Oklahoma City

**Beginning at 4:00 p.m.**, Check in at 21c Museum Hotel located at [900 W Main St Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73106](https://www.21cmuseumhotel.com/)

**7:00 p.m.**, Welcome Dinner at Mary Eddy's Dining Room located within the hotel

*Thursday, November 10*

**9:15 a.m.**, Meet in the lobby for departure (transportation provided by Village Tours)

**10:00 a.m.**, Arrive in Norman at the Fred Jones Jr. Museum of Art (45-minute guided tour and 45 minutes to explore on your own)

**11:30 a.m.**, Lunch on Campus Corner (within walking distance of the museum)

**12:45 p.m.**, Depart for Bartlesville

**3:30 p.m.**, Arrive at Pioneer Woman Mercantile in Pawhuska (45-minute stop)

**4:45 p.m.**, Check in at Price Tower, Frank Lloyd Wright's only skyscraper

**5:30 p.m.**, Tour of Price Tower

**7:00 p.m.**, Dinner at Price Tower

*November 11*

**8:45 a.m.**, Meet for departure

**9:45 a.m.**, Arrive the Philbrook Museum of Art (45-minute guided tour and 45 minutes to explore on your own)  
**12:00 p.m.**, Lunch at the museum  
**1:00 p.m.**, Depart from Philbrook  
**1:15 p.m.**, Self-Guided Visit at the Greenwood Rising Black Wall Street History Center  
**2:15 p.m.**, Travel to Bentonville  
**4:15 p.m.**, Check in at 21c Museum Hotel

- Explore the area on your own with vans going from the hotel to downtown Bentonville at 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.
  - Get a sneak peek of Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art
  - Visit the Walmart Museum
  - Check out contemporary art at the Momentary
  - Walk through the galleries at 21c Museum Hotel

**7:00 p.m.**, Dinner at TBC

#### *November 12*

**9:45 a.m.**, Meet for departure to travel by bus  
**10:00 a.m.**, Arrive at Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art (45-minute guided, including Frank Lloyd Wright's Bachman-Wilson House)  
**11:30 a.m.**, Lunch at the museum  
**12:30 p.m.**, Time on your own to further explore the museum and grounds  
**1:30 p.m.**, Meet for departure  
**5:30 p.m.**, Check in at hotel in Bricktown (Oklahoma City)

- Dinner at your own in Bricktown

#### *November 13*

**Depending on your flights**, Depart from Oklahoma City

If you arrive early to Oklahoma City or have time before your departure, I recommend checking out the following sites and museums that will not be included on our trip:

- [Oklahoma City National Memorial & Museum](#) (memorial to the 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building)
- [Oklahoma City Museum of Art](#)\*, especially if you are a fan of Dale Chihuly
- [National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum](#)\*
- [Oklahoma Contemporary](#) *free admission*

\*Members of the NARM Association (free admission for SUMA members at the Associate level and above)

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