

## **FINAL ITINERARY FOR 2018 TSKW ARTS & CULTURE TRIP TO DETROIT**

**Monday 20 August thro Friday 24 August**

### **Day 1 – Mon Aug 20**

Travel to destination

Check in at the Detroit Foundation Hotel, Larned Street, Detroit

313-915-4422

[www.detroitfoundationhotel.com](http://www.detroitfoundationhotel.com)

5:45pm Welcome cocktail party and private dinner at Hotel

With presentation by Local Art Historian to provide background for our week of Arts & Culture in Detroit

### **Day 2 – Tue Aug 21**

Breakfast – on your own

8:45 walk to trolley station at Congress at Woodward to Detroit Institute for the Arts

9:15 Meet with the Executive Director followed by Private guided tour of DIA (Detroit Institute for the Arts)

The Detroit Institute of Arts has one of the largest and most significant art collections in the United States. With more than 65,000 artworks that date from the earliest civilizations to the present, the museum offers visitors an encounter with human creativity from all over the world.

11:30am -Lunch at the DIA in Dining Room B

[www.dia.org](http://www.dia.org)

1pm Bus picks up at DIA to take us to Motown Museum

Afternoon 1:30pm Tour of The Motown museum

Originally the recording studios and residence of Berry Gordy and **Motown** Records. Information for visitors to the **museum**, and profiles of the label's featured artists including Stevie Wonder, The Supremes, Jackson 5, and Four Tops. Located in Detroit, Michigan, US

[www.Motownmuseum.org](http://www.Motownmuseum.org)

Take bus back to hotel for freshen up

4:30pm Promptly Bus picks up from hotel to take us to Bay View Yacht Club for Private yacht & dinner trip down Detroit river to view the beautifully renovated River park.

### **Day 3 – Wed Aug 22**

8:15am Bus departure to:

Ford Rouge Plant and factory Tour plus private guided tours at the Ford Museum.

Step into a world where past innovations fuel the imagination of generations to come. A vibrant exploration of genius in all its forms, Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation allows you to experience the strides of America's greatest minds while fully immersing yourself in their stories.

[www.thehenryford.org](http://www.thehenryford.org)

12:15 Bus departure to Chartreuse for Lunch

Green, enviro friendly restaurant [www.chartreuse.com](http://www.chartreuse.com)

2:30 – 5:00pm Private “Innovations” tour of Downtown and hip places in Detroit including:

Campus Martius Park; Spirit Plaza and the Spirit of Detroit; Indian Village; **The Guardian Building**; West Village; Eastern Market; **Innovation: [Ponyride](#)**; Rivard Riverside Park; Cultural Center; New Center & Milwaukee Junction (time permitting); The Fisher Building; Cadillac Place; New Center Park; Piquette Plant

5 :15 – 6:45 – time to freshen up at Hotel

6:45 Bus to “Lady of the House” Restaurant for Dinner

## **Day 4 – Thu Aug 23**

Morning - explore private collections with knowledgeable guide

12 noon – Lunch at Ellie’s on Patio

1:30pm Private guided tour of Cranbrook Academy of Art

Cranbrook Academy of Art, known as the cradle of American modernism, continues to have a significant impact on the world of art, architecture, and Cranbrook Academy of Art is part of the 319-acre Cranbrook Educational Community, described as “one of the most enchanted architectural settings in America.” The community was founded by George Gough Booth, a Detroit newspaper baron and philanthropist, who soon hired Eliel Saarinen the Finnish architect who occupies a major position in the history of modern American design and architecture. Both were inspired by the vision of the Arts and Crafts movement, which began in England in the mid-nineteenth century and soon spread to the United States. Cranbrook features design completely disproportionate to its size.

[www.cranbrookart.edu](http://www.cranbrookart.edu)

Later afternoon – private cocktail party at the beautiful home of Bonnie Piceu and Paul Dietz followed by dinner at Bloomfield Hills Country club

## **Day 5 – Fri Aug 24**

Check out of Hotel (unless other arrangements have been made)

Travel home or take time out to see other Detroit attractions:

MOCAD; Detroit Historical Museum; Wright Museum of African American History