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MANDARIN ORIENTAL, MIAMI CELEBRATES ART BASEL WITH CONTEMPORARY ART CLASSES BY LONDON'S ROYAL ACADEMY OF ARTS

Hong Kong, 7 September 2016 – [Mandarin Oriental, Miami](#) is delighted to introduce the *Contemporary Art Now: From Artist to Market* hotel package with the world-class [Royal Academy of Arts \(London\)](#). This exclusive offer is designed for collectors, curators and enthusiasts alike who share a passion for contemporary art.

In the lead up to this year's Art Basel Miami Beach, the triple Five-Star hotel will launch a bespoke three-day course led by Dr. Anna Dempster, Head of Academic Programs at the Royal Academy. Guests will receive expert insight on the history and evolution of contemporary art, key players and trends as well as the current art and investment market. Participants will also receive an International Academicians Room membership at the Royal Academy for one year.

In addition to a full immersion in the contemporary art scene, experience Mandarin Oriental, Miami's award-winning cuisine at its waterfront Peruvian restaurant [La Mar by Gastón Acurio](#). Guests will also enjoy exclusive access to the VIP opening reception of Art Basel Miami Beach on Wednesday, November 30.

Priced from USD 5,950 inclusive of taxes based on single occupancy, the *Contemporary Art Now: From Artist to Market* package is valid from November 27 to 30 and includes:

- Three nights in a Superior Room
- Three-day contemporary art course led by the Royal Academy of Arts
- Daily breakfast and lunch at La Mar by Gastón Acurio
- VIP private viewing and opening reception of Art Basel Miami Beach, which includes a one-way transfer from the hotel
- Art Basel Miami Beach VIP pass
- One-year International Academicians Room membership at the Royal Academy of Arts

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Priced from USD 7,350 inclusive of taxes based on single occupancy, guests can enhance their art-inspired experience by adding an extra night at Mandarin Oriental, Miami and enjoying a curated tour of Art Basel Miami Beach on Thursday, December 1 with a Royal Academy expert.

For more information, please call +1 (305) 913 8288 or visit www.mandarinoriental.com/miami.

About Royal Academy of Arts (London)

The Royal Academy of Arts was founded by King George III in 1768 and has a prestigious history and unrivaled reputation as an international destination for world-class exhibitions, education and artistic debate at the heart of London's art and cultural scene. The Royal Academy plays a key role in not just the appreciation and understanding of art, but also its practice and stands for artistic excellence, heritage and creativity and will be celebrating its 250th in 2018.

The Royal Academy has the most successful Friends scheme in Europe and a prestigious private members club for artists and art lovers – The Academicians' Room, designed by renowned interior architects, the Martin Brudnizki Design Studio (MBDS). The Academician's Room revolves around the idea of a drawing room, traditionally a space for social interaction and display within the Keeper's House as members use it as an extension of their home within the heart of the Royal Academy. For more details, please visit www.royalacademy.org.uk/the-academicians-room and www.instagram.com/academiciansroom.

About Mandarin Oriental, Miami

Contemporary in design and with a prominent waterfront location, the triple Five-Star [Mandarin Oriental, Miami](#) features [326 elegant guest rooms and suites](#) – offering dramatic views of the bay and the Miami skyline. Amenities include [an award-winning tri-level spa](#), signature [Azul restaurant](#), the new [La Mar by Gaston Acurio restaurant](#), the waterfront [MO Bar + Lounge](#), [Oasis Beach Club](#), [the luxury boutique Shanghai Tang](#) and [extensive meeting and business space](#).



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