

WE REMIND YOU THAT YOU WILL NEED TO REGISTER BEFORE TUESDAY AT NOON WITH MS. NURIA HERNANDEZ

Visit to Passeig de Gràcia and Sagrada Família

Day and time: Wednesday, September 4, at 16.45 pm (sharp please, the guide will not wait).

Meeting point: In front of the "Hospital Sant Pau" (Main Façade). To get there take the Ferrocarrils de la Generalitat to Provença, and there take the metro (L5 Blue line to Hospital de Sant Pau).

Places to visit: Passeig de Gràcia and Sagrada Família. You will also see "la Casa de les Punxes", "Casa Macaya" and "Sant Pau Hospital" (the guide might change the itinerary if he considers it necessary).

Passeig de Gràcia



Passeig de Gràcia is one of the major avenues in Barcelona and also one of its most important shopping and business areas, containing several of the city's most celebrated pieces of architecture. It is located in the central part of Eixample, stretching from Plaça Catalunya to Carrer Gran de Gràcia. In 1906 the architect Pere Falqués i Urpí designed the avenue's now famous ornate benches and street-lights. By that time it had become Barcelona's most fashionable street, with buildings designed by modernista/Art Nouveau architects of fame such as Antoni Gaudí, Pere Falqués, Josep Puig i Cadafalch, Lluís Domènech i Montaner, Enric Sagnier and Josep Vilaseca.

Some notable buildings in Passeig de Gràcia are: Casa Amatller by Josep Puig i Cadafalch (1890-1900), Casa Batlló by Antoni Gaudí (1904-1906), Casa Fuster by Josep Puig i Cadafalch (1908-1911) and Casa Milà "La Pedrera" by Antoni Gaudí (1905-1910).