



Off-Site

Salk Institute

10010 N Torrey Pines Rd., La Jolla, CA 92037

Wed, 10/9

10:00-11:30

Class Number: 707

Price and Inclusions

\$20

Price includes a private docent-led tour through the Salk Institute. Our docent will provide us with the Institute's history and architecture.

Activity Level and Description

Low

Our guided tour will take place indoors. Additionally, the tour will be led at a leisurely pace.

Attendee Notes

Attendees are responsible for their own transportation. Please arrive 15-20 minutes early in order to find parking. Located in La Jolla, the Salk Institute is located on the corner of N Torrey Pines Rd and Torrey Pines Scenic Drive. There is no public parking. There is free parking along Torrey Pines Scenic Drive and in the Gliderport parking lot. Paid public parking is also available at the Sanford Consortium lot across the street. Our group will meet at the front entrance Visitor Desk.

Course Description

The Salk Institute, boasting a long history of innovation and excellence in biomedical science, is housed in a structure that is a masterpiece of the famous architect, Louis Khan. Completed in 1965, the Institute fulfills founder Jonas Salk's vision of a facility with open, unobstructed laboratory interiors set in a dramatic location, all of which is intended to inspire creativity among its researchers. Architecture critics refer to the Institute as one of the world's boldest structures. A docent will lead us in touring this designated historical site.