

MASSANTIAGO

GUIDING ARCHITECTS NETWORK

TOUR 3

READY TO BOOK – EAST SANTIAGO Guide: Diego Baloian

- **Duration:** - Half day_ 4 hours / 9:00 – 13:00 hrs. - Full day tour_ 8 hours / 9:00 – 17:00hrs.
- **Transport:** Bus / Walking
- **Services:** Experienced local architect as guide, pick-up and drop-off at the hotel, coordination for all entrances, coordination and reservation for coffee and lunch.
- **Languages:** English
- **Group size:** 1-15 pax.
- **Price:** Half day tour_ 1-4 pax=USD 400 / 5-15 pax=USD 600
Full day tour_ 1-4 pax=USD 700 / 5-15 pax=USD 900
- **Not included:** Transport costs (Private bus price: depending on the group size) and consumptions at restaurants and coffee breaks.



Introduction

In this tour we will cover longer distances in a private bus, visiting the most representative works of modern and contemporary architecture present in the newest zone of Santiago, developed since the sixties towards the east of the city. This zone extends to the feet of the Andes Mountain Range, through an extensive garden city, with residential and commercial districts living together with ample parks from which the Skyline of the city's financial area can be enjoyed.

Program

The tour starts with an introduction at Torres de Tajamar, a collection of modern buildings arranged as an entrance door to the east sector of the city. In few minutes we reach the Architecture Faculty of Lo Contador, located in an ancient colonial house. Within the faculty there are interesting contemporary buildings, such as the library under the central yard. Here, we will also have a coffee break. Then we will move by bus towards the Benedictine Monastery (Monasterio de los Benedictinos), a modern sixties construction, balanced on a small hill near the Mountain Range. Then we will continue towards the Doña Tina restaurant, a typical colonial house at the feet of the Andes Mountains, attended by its owner. For the full day tour, we will continue by visiting the building of the Faculty of Economics at UDP, and then the summit of Cerro San Cristóbal. Here we will have a panoramic view of the entire city, identifying all the visited places. Finally we will descend to the Bicentenario Park and finish the tour with a pisco sour in Smiljan Radic's famous restaurant, el Mestizo.





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