



# Architectural Excursion Budapest

Hrvatska komora arhitekata

18. - 20. October 2024

Apart from all the clichés of lángos, peppers and political upheaval Budapest, with its 1.7 million inhabitants and 23 city districts, is not just “the other” big capital of the former dual monarchy. The new Budapest of the 21st century is worth getting to know: the completely renovated Pest old town, the Wilhelminian-style boulevard Andrassy Street with its music-buildings, but also classical modernism and, above all, the diversity of contemporary architecture.

This architectural tour not only takes you through the similarities and differences of the major urban redevelopment phases in Vienna and Budapest at the end of the 19th century. There is a strangely harmonious contrast between old and new spans the architecture for music from 1884 to 1907 to 2022. At the beginning of the magnificent Andrassy Street shine the opera house, which reopened in 2022 after extensive and professional renovation, and the “Franz Liszt” Music Academy, one of the most beautiful buildings of the city. At the end of the avenue, Budapest’s newest highlight surprises again - the “House of Hungarian Music” designed by the Japanese architect Sou Fujimoto. The tour from the Opera House to the House of Music is further enriched by Art Nouveau villas, the historic Budapest subway and the renovated city park (“Stadtwaldchen”) with the new Ethnographic Museum. The spectacular new metro stations on line 4, an ambitious district development project, give a deep impression of how a young generation of architects is shaping the everyday lives of Budapest residents today.

Look forward to three impressive days, excellent food and beautiful impressions. (Re)discover Budapest!



Szervita Square



## Program

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### Friday, 18. October 2024

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Arrival in Budapest per bus

Check-in hotel [ibis Budapest Centrum](#)

#### 14:00 Architectural Tour **Time travel Pest Inner city**

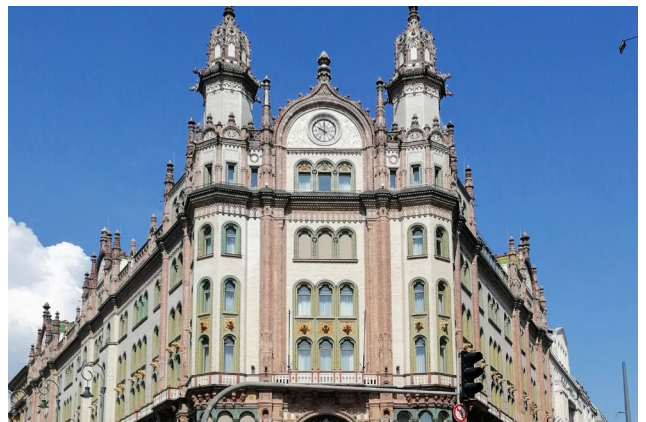
- Paris Court
- Residential Building Passage
- Szervita Square
- Erzsébet Square
- Saint Stephen's Basilica
- Central European University

#### 16:00 *Coffee break*

#### 16:30 Architectural Tour **Time travel Buda Castle**

- Chain Bridge
- Castle Garden Bazaar
- Buda Castle
- Historicized Reconstruction
- Fisherman's Bastion
- *tentatively:* Széll Kálmán Square

#### 18:30 End of the Tour



Paris Court



Fisherman's Bastion

## Saturday, 19. October 2024

09:00 Architectural Tour **Colorful Underground**

Metro Line M4:

- Fővám and Gellért Square
- Market Hall Fehérvári út
- Shopping Centre Allee
- Simplon Court
- Gomba Glass pavilion

11:00 *Coffee break*

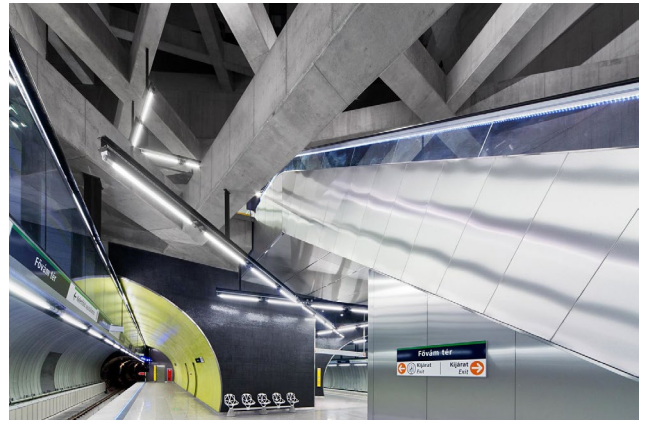
12:00 Hungarian State Opera House - interior tour  
or  
Franz Liszt Academy of Music - interior tour

13:00 *Lunch break*

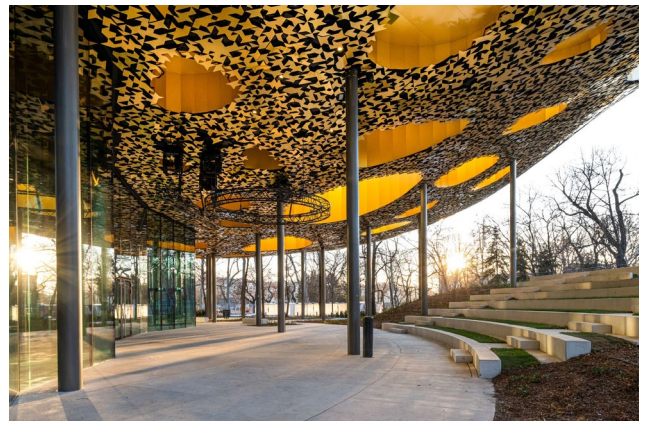
14:30 Tour **Music and Architecture**

- Andrásy Street and Metro Line M1
- City Park Liget
- Ethnographic Museum
- House of Music Hungary

17:00 Ende of Tour



Metro Linie M4



House of Music Hungary



Ethnographic Museum

## Sunday, 20. October 2024

09:30 Check-out hotel

10:00 Architectural Tour **Budapest's South** (by bus)

- Bálna Budapest
- Müpa Budapest - Palace of Arts
- National Theatre
- National Athletics Centre
- BudaPart

12:00 Visit of MOL Campus with Skydeck Viewing terrace

13:00 *Lunch break*

14:30 Departure to Zagreb



Müpa Budapest



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