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SPAIN
THE CONQUISTADORES AND ART OF THE NEW WORLD
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FEATUREING

MARY MILLER

Mary Miller is Sterling Professor of the History of Art at Yale University, where she served as Dean of Yale College 2008-2014. A member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, she curated the acclaimed 2004 exhibition The Courtly Art of the Ancient Maya and she is the author of many award-winning publications. In spring 2015 she delivered the Slade Lectures at the University of Cambridge; in 2015-16 she was Paul Mellon Fellow at the National Gallery of Art. A native of New York State, Miller earned her AB degree from Princeton and her PhD from Yale.
WEDNESDAY–THURSDAY, MARCH 7–8 - U.S.A. / MADRID, SPAIN
Depart U.S. and fly to Madrid, Spain. After transferring to the hotel, enjoy a city tour with a visit to the National Archaeology Museum before a welcome reception and dinner. Hotel Wellington

FRIDAY, MARCH 9 - MADRID
Visit the Museum of America and the Naval Museum. Catch a glimpse of the earliest map to show the American continent, and stroll one of Madrid’s most historic neighborhoods before dinner at the Taberna del Capitan Alatriste. Hotel Wellington

SATURDAY, MARCH 10 - TRUJILLO
Board a motorcoach and drive to Toledo, once known as the “city of three cultures” and now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Visit the magnificent Gothic Cathedral, a 14th-century synagogue, and the art-filled Monastery of San Juan de los Reyes. After lunch, continue to historic Trujillo, picturesquely perched on a granite knoll. Enjoy a private reception at the Fundacion Xavier de Salas. Parador de Trujillo

SUNDAY, MARCH 11 - TRUJILLO
Set off on a walking tour of Trujillo’s medieval and renaissance buildings and plazas. See the Palacio de Orellana-Pizarro, filled with New World artifacts plundered from Incan Peru. Make your way up to the formidable Moorish Castle for views across the Extremadura region. In the afternoon, visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe where Isabel and Ferdinand blessed the first voyage of Christopher Columbus to the New World, and an inspiration to Catholics in Spain and the Americas. Parador de Trujillo

MONDAY, MARCH 12 - SEVILLE
After a visit to the nearby walled city of Cáceres, continue to Mérida to see the Roman hippodrome and lunch in one of the paradores. Then on to Seville, with an evening at leisure in the narrow alleys and wide-open squares of the city center. Hotel Alfonso XIII

TUESDAY, MARCH 13 - SEVILLE
This morning, visit the exquisite Royal Alcázar palace and the soaring Cathedral, the largest Gothic example in the world. After lunch, enjoy a horse-carriage ride through sprawling Maria Luisa Park and visit the grand Andalusian palace and gardens of Casa de Pilatos. In the evening, experience a private Flamenco show over dinner. Hotel Alfonso XIII

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14 - SEVILLE
Spend the day in the province of Huelva with a visit to the seaside Franciscan Monastery of La Rabida before boarding full-scale replicas of Columbus’ three caravels at Puerto de Indias, where he set sail for the Indes. Hotel Alfonso XIII

THURSDAY, MARCH 15 - GRANADA
Relax aboard a high-speed train en route to Córdoba to visit the iconic and beautiful Great Mosque before a motorcoach ride to Granada. The evening is at leisure to explore the city or take in the views from the hotel. Alhambra Palace Hotel

FRIDAY, MARCH 16 - GRANADA
Spend a full day exploring the spectacular Alhambra and attached Generalife gardens, as well as Granada’s historic center, including the Albacín neighborhood. Gather this evening for a special farewell dinner. Alhambra Palace Hotel

SATURDAY, MARCH 17 - GRANADA / U.S.A.
Transfer to Granada airport for return flights to the U.S.

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