VENICE, ITALY
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE 59TH VENICE BIENNALE
SEPTEMBER 29 – OCTOBER 3, 2022

The 59th International Art Exhibition of La Biennale di Venezia, titled The Milk of Dreams, takes place April 23 – November 27, 2022. It is curated by Cecilia Alemani, an Italian curator based in New York City, who is the Donald R. Mullen, Jr. Director and Chief Curator of High Line Art. The 2022 U.S. Pavilion, co-commissioned by Jill Medvedow, Ellen Matilda Poss Director of ICA, and Eva Respini, Barbara Lee Chief Curator at the ICA, presents the sculptural work of Simone Leigh (b. 1967). As part of her exhibition at the U.S. Pavilion, Leigh will bring together scholars, artists, and activists from around the world for Loophole of Retreat: Venice from October 7–9, 2022.

PROGRAM*
As of March 18, 2022

September 29  
Thursday  
Venice  
Independent arrivals in Venice.

Afternoon  
Accommodations at Hotel Londra Palace, a 52-room luxury hotel overlooking the expanse of the Canal Grande.

Evening  
Cocktail reception and an introduction to the Biennale and the off-site exhibitions in Venice.

Dinner at the hotel.

September 30  
Friday  
Venice  
Tour of the U.S. Pavilion and select pavilions in the Giardini.
Afternoon

Lunch at a favorite Venice restaurant, situated within walking distance of the Giardini and Arsenale.

Tour of exhibitions at selected arts institutions.

Evening

Dinner at Harry’s Bar.

October 1

Venice

Saturday

Morning

Highlights tour of the exhibitions in the Arsenale.

Afternoon

Lunch at the nearby, celebrated Ristorante Corte Sconta.

Visit to selected contemporary art collections.

Evening

Dinner at the renowned fish restaurant Antiche Carampane.

October 2

Venice

Sunday

Short historical boat tour of Venice and a tour of Murano glass factory with a glass blowing demonstration at a workshop.

Lunch at Locanda Cipriani on the island of Torcello.

Travel by boat through the Brenta Canal for a viewing of the Palladian Villas, including a visit to Villa Foscari.

A cocktail reception and a special dinner are being planned.

Arrangements to be announced.

October 3

Venice

Monday

End of the visit.

Independent departures from Venice.

* Itinerary is subject to change, since many details of the shows are not made available by the organizers at this time.