

PERIGORD RETREATS



DORDOGNE

Workshop Dates : 21/08/2020 – 04/09/2020

Workshop Leader : Regina Hona



Your 15 days will be a beautiful blend of studio time, delightful excursions, cultural experiences and of course, plenty of free time to rest and explore!

You can arrive, unpack your suitcase (and your art supplies) and *truly* relax, since the entire group will make its home at the gorgeous Perigord Retreat Villas - complete with indoor pool, spacious studio and stunning gardens! We told you it was dreamy!

What a great opportunity to take part in a unique painting tour in stunning Dordogne, France that will both inspire and challenge you. The tactile pastel medium is well suited for travel and outdoor work as it is a versatile and very forgiving medium. Weather permitting, you will predominately be painting plein air but some of your small colour studies, together with any sketches/photos will also be used to develop larger works in our onsite studio. Come prepared to step out of your comfort zone as this is when we learn the most, however Regina will expertly and individually guide you regardless of your level of experience. It's not often that one gets the opportunity for two weeks of concentrated painting where we are able to take our work to the next level. This is not a painting holiday for someone who has never painted before, however if you have a reasonable knowledge of other mediums, and want to apply it using pastels, then this workshop may also be for you. Sketching or pen & wash will also be encouraged as well as charcoal tonal studies.

We will be visiting enchanting medieval villages, strolling through French vintage markets, touring ancient castles, picnicking in the French countryside and creating all along the way! The creative inspiration will be all around you!

Check out Perigord Retreats from the sky here

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zOYmWYQ4QRs>





EXCURSIONS INCLUDED

- Rocamadour
- Lavender Fields
- Cahors (including the vintage market)
- Gourdon (our local village)
- Beynac
- St. Cirq Lapopie
- Domme
- La Roque Gageac
- Castelnaud la Chapelle
- Sarlat (another market!)

INCLUDED IN YOUR RETREAT

- Regina is available during the day to provide group and individual tuition.
- Daily demonstrations will be given and regular critiques.
- Printed workshop notes will also be provided by the tutor.
- Easels and stools are provided, plus larger boards for studio use.
- A Materials List will be sent to painting participants at least one month prior to start of painting holiday or earlier.
- Studio will be available to work in at night (excellent lighting), should you wish.

THE COSTS FOR YOUR TRIP ARE

- Private bedroom with private bathroom 4100 Euros
- Private bedroom with shared bathroom 3350 Euros
- Couples/friends sharing with private bathroom 6700 Euros
- Non painters welcome
- Deposit of 1000 euros to secure your place payable via Paypal; info@perigord-retreats.com
- Booking form to be completed at time of deposit.

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED

- Travel costs / airfare / travel insurance (compulsory)
- Passport fees, photos and processing where applicable
- Additional nights lodging

Any further queries, please contact us:



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Venue

Perigord Retreats
Lieu-dit Campagnac
46300 Gourdon
Lot

PERIGORD RETREATS PAINTING HOLIDAYS

Group Leader..... Name.....

Address.....

Town.....

County/statePostcode/zip code.....

Mobile phone number (with country code).....

Email address:.....

Allergies or dietary requirements:.....

Health/mobility issues:.....

Emergency contact Name:..... Contact no.....

Payment details: I am paying by: BANK TRANSFER / PAYPAL

- DEPOSIT 1000€ - no other currencies will be accepted

Payment can be made in installments, the only requirements are that 1000€ deposit is received with booking, and that final instalment is made 60 days before arrival.

All flights should be booked to Toulouse international.

Any arrivals by train should be to Gourdon (46300) train station. (5 minute drive to Perigord Retreats from here, free collection possible).

For those who wish to arrive a day or 2 early, we can recommend hotels in Toulouse centre.

For those who arrive the evening before collection, we recommend the Ibis Styles Toulouse Blagnac Airport Hotel: <https://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-A511-ibis-styles-toulouse-blagnac-airport/index.shtml>

We collect our guests from the Ibis styles Toulouse Blagnac Airport Hotel or Toulouse Blagnac Airport. All pick-ups will be from the airport itself, or the Ibis Styles Toulouse Blagnac Airport Hotel, so any necessary transport to these two locations must be arranged beforehand.

I understand that deposits are non-refundable except when Painting Holidays are cancelled by Perigord Retreats.

I understand that full payment must be received 60 days before arrival.

I have read and understood the terms and conditions, which I have also signed

Date

Signed