

Joseph Zbukvic

In GIRONA

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Joseph Zbukvic is a highly skilled artist who has the ability to create a magical atmosphere and mood in his paintings. He is a strong believer in the benefits of painting on location. His easy manner and sense of humour disguise a wonderful teacher.

"I've learned many things from my students by simply observing what they see as mistakes. In reality, there is no such thing as a mistake in watercolour – I call them gifts from heaven because the very unpredictability of what the medium will do is its greatest strength"

The medieval city walls of **Girona** enclose the old city centre with narrow streets, restaurants, shops, churches, the prominent cathedral and a never ending range of cafés where the locals spend the afternoon, all the way downhill until the river Onyar. Art and history create a unique atmosphere. Excursions to spectacular venues to paint complete this program with a big variety of subject matter.

What some of our students say:

"A really fantastic trip to Girona. I will never forget! A good group with many nice people. Joseph is an incredibly good artist, but even better is, that he is an incredibly good teacher with many good pedagogical skills. He managed to structure his material and transmit to other artists with different skills."

Per Valentin, Denmark

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Sample timetable

DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY
1	2.00 pm 6.30 pm	Pick up from Barcelona airport Welcome drinks at our hotel - welcome dinner
2	9.00 – 5.00	Painting in Girona
3	8.30 – 5.00	Painting trip seaside venue - Calella
4	9.00 – 5.00	Painting in Girona. ESCODA brushes presentation
5	8.30 – 5.00	Painting trip medieval town – Besalú
6	9.00 – 4.30 6.30 pm	Painting in Girona Informal exhibition - final critiques - farewell dinner
7	8.30 am	Leaving the hotel for BCN airport

Price: 1.880€

Included

- 6 days accommodation at **Hotel Peninsular** in the very center of Girona, rooms with ensuite bathroom, TV, telephone, air conditioning, hair drier, free wi-fi. Prices based on a shared room. For single occupancy, there's a 160€ supplement. www.novarahotels.com
- 5 days tuition, demonstrations and critiques.
- 6 breakfast, 5 dinners with wine.
- Group transfers from Barcelona or Girona airport on course dates. **Pick up: October 6 at 2.00pm Terminal 1 Barcelona airport - Return trip: October 12 leaving Girona at 8.30am, arrival in BCN 10.30 am. Please book your flights according to these times.**
- A full time workshop assistant

Not included

All lunches, one free night dinner, your personal art material, your trip from your hometown to Girona/Barcelona, **personal health insurance, cancellation insurance (strongly advised)**.

Other info

- Non-painting partners/ spouses/ friends welcome, with a discount of 450€
- Lightweight easels available to hire at 5€/day on request.
- Free stools and lightweight boards.
- **Escoda** Signature Brush sets for sale at reduced prices during the **ESCODA presentation**
- Paper available for sale: full sheets of Arches paper 300 grs. rough at 6€
- DVDs available for sale of EPC tutors by APV films at 35€ each.
- You'll receive a 50€ discount voucher for your next course with EPC.

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