

BOWERS' VIP EVENTS CALENDAR

PATRON LEVEL MEMBERS AND ABOVE

Summer 2025

Invitations and details will be sent to Bowers Museum Members at the Patron level and above in advance of each event. Complimentary admission will be extended to attend all public programs held in conjunction with VIP receptions unless otherwise noted.



JUN 21 WORLD OF THE TERRACOTTA WARRIORS: AN INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

Fellow level members and above are invited to enjoy priority seating, a private exhibition viewing, and an exclusive champagne reception on June 21 in conjunction with *An International Symposium for World of the Terracotta Warriors: New Archaeological Discoveries in Shaanxi in the 21st Century*.

JUL 27 DISTINGUISHED LECTURE & BOOK SIGNING

Enjoy complimentary tickets to a distinguished lecture featuring Dr. Anthony Barbieri, Professor of Early Chinese History at UCSB. Don't miss this exploration through the rapid political and artistic development of the Qin Kingdom, which resulted in their conquering of continental East Asia by 221 BCE. Join the speaker for an exclusive reception in the boardroom after the book signing. Books are available for purchase in the Gallery Store.

AUG 30 NEW ACQUISITIONS EXHIBITION PREVIEW & KCRW SUMMER NIGHTS CONCERT

Members at the Fellow level and above are invited to be the first to see our New Acquisitions exhibition and toast together during a private champagne reception at 6 pm. Following the reception, at 7 pm enjoy a fun evening with KCRW featuring multiple DJs, a pop-up bar, activities for the whole family, and extended gallery hours!

SEPT 14 VIP RECEPTION & FREE SEATS

Enjoy complimentary tickets to a distinguished lecture where you'll learn about the political transformations of early China, from the dawn of the Bronze Age to the rise of its first empire, with UCLA's Associate Professor of East Asian Archaeology, Dr. Min Li. Join the speaker for an exclusive reception in the boardroom after the presentation.

OCT 16 LECTURE AND VIP RECEPTION: SECRETARY-GENERAL, SUPREME COUNCIL OF ANTIQUITIES, EGYPT

Be among the first to RSVP and receive free tickets to this highly anticipated lecture presented by Dr. Mohamed Ismail Khaled, Secretary-General, Supreme Council of Antiquities, Egypt. All Fellows who RSVP are invited to an exclusive reception with the speaker following the lecture.

2025 FELLOWS TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES

SEP 9-24 Mongolia, Golden Eagle Festival | SOLD OUT

FEB 17 – India, Caves and Temples of the Enchanting South

MAR 2, 2026 TICKETS AVAILABLE!

For questions or to sign up for a trip, please contact Lesley Ann Hamilton at lahamilton@bowers.org or 714.567.3602

As a reminder, we take advantage of opportunities as they come our way, dates and programs are subject to change! Stay tuned for more distinguished lectures, programs, and events!