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 18 CLOSING DAY TOUR & CHAMPAGNE TOAST

Take part in a champagne toast celebrating *World of the Terracotta Warriors* with your ticket purchase to this closing weekend curatorial tour. The first two Fellow level members and above to RSVP will receive complimentary tickets for two.

2025 Fellows Travel Opportunities

JUL 19-28Tanzania Safari | SOLD OUTSEP 9-24Mongolia, Golden Eagle Festival | SOLD OUTFEB 17 -India, Caves and Temples of the Enchanting SouthMAR 2, 2026TICKETS 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!