

Porches Inn at MASS MoCA Invites Guests to Art Country

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NORTH ADAMS — In the cultural hub of Northern Berkshire County, Porches Inn at MASS MoCA has debuted a new ArtCountry package that offers art lovers access to four of the area's renowned institutions: the Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art (MASS MoCA), the Clark Institute, the Williams College Museum of Art, and Bennington Museum.



The ArtCountry package includes one ArtCountry pass per adult per stay for complimentary admission to each museum, overnight accommodations, and buffet breakfast. Prices start at \$270 per night based on double accommodations. The package is available for travel June 11 through Sept. 24.

"With the location of Porches Inn literally across the street from MASS MoCA and the other museums just minutes away, our guests have a home base to experience what locals have always considered art country," said Mel Karakaya, general manager of the Porches Inn at MASS MoCA. "We're thrilled to be partnering with these venues to enhance that experience."

MASS MoCA will kick off ArtCountry's summer season with the opening of its new addition, Building 6, on May 28. The new space will add 130,000 square feet to the museum's campus and feature work from artists like Robert Rauschenberg, Louise Bourgeois, James Turrell, Jenny Holzer, Laurie Anderson, and Gunnar Schonbeck (Bang on a Can). Located across the street from Porches Inn, MASS MoCA will be the largest contemporary-art museum in the country once the new addition is complete.

Set in seven renovated Victorian-era buildings, the Porches Inn's guest rooms and public spaces employ a clever synthesis of retro and contemporary designs. The inn features a year-round outdoor heated pool, wi-fi, hot tub, sauna, bonfire pit, fitness room, and meeting rooms for retreats and special events.

For more information on the ArtCountry package, visit www.porches.com/berkshires-hotel-specials.

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