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revitalised
Civic District.**

Whether you're dropping by for a quick holiday or staying for a few months, revel in cultural and historical landmarks scattered across our city centre, easily accessible by foot or via City Hall MRT station just a stone's throw away.

Discover all things local within 2km of lyf Funan Singapore in this specially curated guide, created for three types of travellers:

- First Timers
- Culture Pushers
- Gastronomers

Whether you're a lover of heritage sites, lesser-known indie entertainment venues, or iconic food haunts, your unforgettable journey around Singapore begins here. Slather on the sunscreen and grab your power banks—let's get started!

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around the city!

first timers

New here? Embark on the quintessential Singaporean adventure of sights, sounds, and sensations most familiar to the locals. Filled with a dynamic blend of food, art, nature and heritage, you'll be living like a local by the end of it!



60m away

Fort Canning Park FREE!

A historical hilltop landmark and nature reserve located in the heart of the Civic District. Serves as an important green lung for the city, and a popular venue for a myriad of outdoor events.

ADDRESS Singapore 179618 →
Fort Canning Park is bounded by Hill Street, Canning Rise, Clemenceau Avenue, and River Valley Road

OPENING HOURS 24 hours daily; Park lighting hours: 7pm–7am

ONLINE Website →

290m away

National Kitchen by Violet Oon Singapore \$\$

Widely recognised as an authority on Peranakan cuisine, Violet Oon's prolific background as a chef, restaurateur, and food writer culminates in this distinctive luxurious dining hall—a modern celebration of authentic local flavours.

Vegetarian options available

ADDRESS 1 St. Andrew's Road, #02-01 National Gallery Singapore (City Hall Wing), Singapore 178957 →

OPENING HOURS LUNCH 12pm–2:30pm daily TEA 3pm–5pm daily
DINNER 6pm–10:30pm daily

CONTACT +65 9834 9935 / eat@violetoon.com →

ONLINE Website →

370m away

Timbre X @ The Arts House \$\$

An intimate bar nestled in a gazetted national monument along the Singapore River—perfect for drinks, pizza, pasta, and tapas with a city-spangled view. Holds nightly musical performances.

ADDRESS	1 Old Parliament Lane #01-04, Singapore 179429 →
OPENING HOURS	Sun–Mon: 6pm–12am; Tue–Thu: 6pm–1am; Fri: 5:30pm–2am; Sat: 6pm–2am
CONTACT	+65 6336 3386 (AFTER 5PM) / info@timbregroup.asia →
ONLINE	Website →

470m away

Asian Civilisations Museum \$

A heritage museum dedicated to studying the rich cultural diversity and historical connections within Asia, and between Asia and the world.

ADDRESS	1 Empress Place, Singapore 179555 →
OPENING HOURS	Sat–Thu: 10am–7pm; Fri: 10am–9pm
CONTACT	+65 6332 7798 / nhb_acm_vs@nhb.gov.sg →
ONLINE	Website →

660m away

Long Bar (AT RAFFLES HOTEL) \$\$\$

The birthplace of the original Singapore Sling cocktail, housed within Singapore's oldest, most distinguished hotel.

ADDRESS	328 North Bridge Road, #02-01 Raffles Arcade, Singapore 188719 →
OPENING HOURS	11:00am–11:00pm daily
CONTACT	+65 6337 1886 / singapore@raffles.com →
ONLINE	Website →

760m away

MINT Museum of Toys \$\$

The first and only museum in the world dedicated to the showcase of vintage toys and childhood memorabilia from the mid-19th to mid-20th Century.

ADDRESS 26 Seah Street, Singapore 188382 →

OPENING HOURS 9:30am–6:30pm daily

CONTACT +65 6339 0660

ONLINE Website →

1200m away

Lau Pa Sat \$\$

An iconic hawker centre ('Old Market') for all local cuisine cravings, known as one of the oldest Victorian design structures in Southeast Asia. A prime example of colonial architecture built in the 19th century.

Satay Street (AT LAU PA SAT) \$\$

An al fresco dining area that comes to life as Boon Tat Street closes every evening, serving up a spread of local satay (grilled meat on skewers served with peanut sauce). Reminiscent of Singapore's street food culture in the 1950s.

ADDRESS 18 Raffles Quay, Singapore 048582 →

OPENING HOURS LAU PA SAT 24 hours daily SATAY STREET 7pm–late daily

1210m away

Chinatown Food Street \$\$

An al fresco dining area in the heart of Chinatown serving up local favourites like char kway teow and oyster omelette, along with a diverse spread from other cultures in Singapore.

ADDRESS Smith Street, Singapore 058938 →

OPENING HOURS 11am–11pm daily

ONLINE Website →

1450m away

Haji Lane \$\$

Singapore's original indie neighbourhood lined with independent fashion boutiques, Middle Eastern cafes, and clubs. Doubles as an Instagram haven, adorned with street art and vibrant colours.

ADDRESS Singapore 189212 →

1500m away

Red Dot Design Museum \$

A boutique museum featuring the world's largest exhibition of contemporary product and communication design. All exhibits are winners of the international Red Dot Design Award—one of the world's leading design competitions.

ADDRESS 11 Marina Boulevard, Singapore 018940 →

OPENING HOURS 10am–8pm daily

CONTACT +65 6514 0111 / museum@red-dot.sg →

ONLINE Website →

1740m away

Gardens by the Bay \$\$

Singapore's premier horticultural attraction and icon, showcasing garden artistry through looming Supertrees of over 700 plant species, along with three public gardens ranging from temperate grasslands to tropical forests—sprawled over 250 acres of land.

ADDRESS 18 Marina Gardens Drive, Singapore 018953 →

OPENING HOURS OCBC SKYWAY 9am–9pm daily OUTDOOR GARDENS 5am–2am daily COOLED CONSERVATORIES 9am–9pm daily

CONTACT +65 6420 6848 /
feedback@gardensbythebay.com.sg →

ONLINE Website →

1750m away

Tea Bone Zen Mind \$\$\$

A specialty tea house located within two 20th century shophouses, featuring a blend of Art Deco and Chinese Baroque architectural styles. Deals in fine quality Chinese, Japanese, and English teas—along with artisanal teaware.

ADDRESS 98 Emerald Hill Road, Singapore 229374 →

OPENING HOURS Mon–Sat: 11am–7pm
Closed on Sundays & Public Holidays

CONTACT +65 6334 4212 / info@teabonezenmind.com →

ONLINE Website →

culture pushers

Appreciate the finer things in life? Wander down vibrant alleyways to the city's coolest spots—from landmarks of national significance to homegrown businesses, get to know the lesser-known stories of Singapore!



290m away

National Gallery \$\$

A national museum holding the world's largest public collection of Singaporean and Southeast Asian art, with a focus on Singapore's culture and heritage in relation to other Asian cultures and the world.

ADDRESS 1 St Andrew's Road, Singapore 178957 →

OPENING HOURS Sat–Thu: 10am–7pm; Friday: 10am–9pm

CONTACT +65 6271 7000 / info@nationalgallery.sg →

ONLINE Website →

300m away

The Substation \$\$

Singapore's first independent contemporary arts centre, known for its experimental programming, exhibitions, and initiatives that lead and support cultural conversation.

ADDRESS 45 Armenian Street, Singapore 179936 →

OPENING HOURS **OFFICE HOURS** Mon–Fri: 10am–7pm

CONTACT +65 6337 7535 / admin@substation.org →

ONLINE Website →

700m away

Basheer Graphic Books \$\$\$

A specialty bookstore where you can find design books and magazines about architecture, interior design, landscape design, graphic design, animation, fashion, typography, and photography.

ADDRESS 231 Bain Street, Bras Basah Complex #04-19, Singapore 180231 →

OPENING HOURS 10am–8pm daily

CONTACT +65 6336 0810 / enquiry@basheergraphic.com →

ONLINE Website →

700m away

Esplanade – Theatres on the Bay \$\$\$

Singapore's premier arts centre for local and international performing arts including dance, music, and theatre. Free performances and visual art exhibitions almost daily.

ADDRESS 1 Esplanade Drive, Singapore 038981 →

OPENING HOURS **BOX OFFICE & INFORMATION COUNTER** 12pm–8:30pm daily

CONTACT +65 6828 8377 (8:30am–6:00pm daily)

ONLINE Website →

850m away

Asian Film Archive \$\$

A creative hub for the Asian film community, promoting the widespread critical appreciation of film as an art form. Hosts an array of screenings along with cultural and educational film-related programmes.

ADDRESS Level 4, National Library Building,
100 Victoria Street, Singapore 188064 →

OPENING HOURS **OFFICE HOURS** Mon–Fri: 10am–6pm
Closed on Saturday & Sunday

CONTACT +65 6777 3243 / info@asian-film-archive.local →

ONLINE Website →

1000m away

The Moon \$\$

A diverse cafe and bookstore specially curated to address historical gender imbalances in Anglophone publishing, with a focus on writers and artists of colour. Hosts wellness workshops, an LGBTQ+ book club, and pop-ups regularly.

ADDRESS 37 Mosque Street, Singapore 059515 →

OPENING HOURS Sun–Thu: 11am–9pm; Fri–Sat: 11am–12am

CONTACT meow@themoon.sg →

ONLINE Website →

1010m away

STPI – Creative Workshop & Gallery \$\$

A cutting-edge gallery showcasing artistic experimentation through the mediums of print and paper. Holds a variety of dialogues, screenings, workshops, and guided tours.

ADDRESS 41 Robertson Quay, Singapore 238236 →

OPENING HOURS Mon–Fri: 10am–7pm; Sat: 9am–6pm;
Sun: 10am–5pm
Closed on Public Holidays

CONTACT +65 6336 3663 / stpi@stpi.com.sg →

ONLINE Website →

1180m away

DECK \$\$

An independent photo exhibition space for photography enthusiasts, constructed within 19 shipping containers to save space in our small city.

ADDRESS 120A Prinsep Street, Singapore 187937 →

OPENING HOURS Tue–Sat: 12pm–7pm; Sun: 12pm–5pm
Closed on Mondays

CONTACT +65 6734 6578 / meet@deck.sg →

ONLINE Website →

1250m away

ArtScience Museum \$\$

A futuristic museum with an ever-changing line-up of international exhibitions that push the boundaries of science, art, and technology.

ADDRESS	6 Bayfront Avenue, Singapore 018974 →
OPENING HOURS	10am–7pm daily
CONTACT	+65 6688 8888 / museumenquiries@marinabaysands.com →
ONLINE	Website →

1300m away

Atlas Bar \$\$\$

The go-to gin and champagne bar for a quintessential 1920s Art Deco experience—the paragon of Jazz age elegance, complete with glamorous interiors.

ADDRESS	600 North Bridge Road, Parkview Square, Singapore 188778 →
OPENING HOURS	Mon–Thu: 10am–1am; Fri: 10am–2am; Sat: 3pm–2am <i>Closed on Sundays</i>
CONTACT	+65 6396 4466 / info@atlasbar.sg →
ONLINE	Website →

1300m away

The Parkview Museum FREE!

A stronghold for contemporary art that alternates between solo shows, thematic exhibitions, and special exhibitions from local and international contemporary artists.

ADDRESS 600 North Bridge Road, Parkview Square Level 3, Singapore 188778 →

OPENING HOURS Mon–Sat: 12pm–7pm
Closed on Sundays

CONTACT +65 6799 6971 / info@parkviewmuseum.com →

ONLINE Website →

1400m away

Huggs-Epigram Coffee Bookshop \$\$

The only bookshop-cum-café offering locally-themed books that are about Singapore, written by Singaporeans, or published by Singaporean publishers. PS: get your fix of Singapore-style coffee here!

ADDRESS 45 Maxwell Road #01-01, Singapore 069118 →

OPENING HOURS HUGGS COFFEE Mon–Fri: 7am–5pm; Sat: 10am–2pm
EPIGRAM BOOKSHOP Mon–Fri: 10am–7pm;
Sat: 10am–2pm
Closed on Sundays

ONLINE Website →

1920m away

The Projector

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Singapore's most renowned independent arthouse cinema screens a mix of local films, indie selections, and cult classics in an atmospheric theatre restored from the 70s.

ADDRESS 6001 Beach Road, Golden Mile Tower #05-00, Singapore 199589 →

OPENING HOURS **BOX OFFICE** Mon–Fri: 6pm–8:30pm;
Sat–Sun: 1pm–8:30pm

CONTACT info@theprojector.sg →

ONLINE [Website](#) →

gastronomers

Already thinking of your next meal? Prove your salt as the ultimate foodie by feasting your way through diverse Singaporean dishes, from the city's iconic hawker centres, to swanky rooftop bars!



310m away

JUMBO Seafood \$\$\$

Known for their classic chilli crab, this specialty seafood restaurant serves a variety of live seafood dishes prepared in familiar local and Hong Kong styles.

ADDRESS 20 Upper Circular Road, #B1-48 The Riverwalk, Singapore 058416 →

OPENING HOURS LUNCH 12pm–3pm daily DINNER 6pm–12am daily

CONTACT +65 6534 3435

ONLINE Website →

370m away

Song Fa Bak Kut Teh \$

An affordable spot for tender pork ribs cooked in a clear, peppery Teochew-style soup, along with an assortment of braised side dishes. Free soup refills available.

Awarded the Michelin Bib Gourmand 2016–2018

ADDRESS 11 New Bridge Road #01-01, Singapore 059383 →

OPENING HOURS Tue–Sun: 9am–9:15pm
Closed on Mondays

CONTACT +65 6533 6128

ONLINE Website →

430m away

JAAN by Kirk Westaway \$\$\$

Perched on the 70th floor of one of Asia's tallest hotels, JAAN by Kirk Westaway showcases British dining in a refreshing new light with seasonal ingredients from the world's best gourmet producers.

Vegetarian options available · Awarded 1 Star in the Singapore Michelin Guide 2018

ADDRESS Level 70 Swissôtel The Stamford, 2 Stamford Road, Singapore 178882 →

OPENING HOURS LUNCH Mon–Sat: 11:45am–1pm
DINNER Mon–Sat: 6:45pm–8pm
Closed on Sundays & Public Holidays

CONTACT +65 6837 3322 / jaan.bookings@swissotel.com →

ONLINE Website →

500m away

CHIJMES \$\$

A dining complex of restaurants, cafes and bars specialising in diverse cuisines like Japanese, Balinese, Western, Brazilian, and more. Housed in the second oldest colonial building in Singapore.

ADDRESS 30 Victoria Street, Singapore 187996 →

OPENING HOURS *Opening hours vary across various establishments*

ONLINE Website →

840m away

Annalakshmi Restaurant \$\$

A pay-as-you-wish vegetarian Indian buffet restaurant, run by volunteers for over 17 years. All proceeds go to charitable causes.

Vegetarian

ADDRESS 20 Havelock Road, #01-04 Central Square, Singapore 059765 →

OPENING HOURS LUNCH 11am–3pm daily DINNER 6pm–9pm daily

CONTACT +65 6339 9993

970m away

Shinji by Kanesaka \$\$\$

An offshoot of award-winning Chef Shinji Kanesaka's 1 Michelin Star sushi restaurant in the glitzy Ginza district of Tokyo, Shinji by Kanesaka features an ever-changing omakase menu and Edomae-style sushi.

Awarded 1 Star in the Singapore Michelin Guide 2018

ADDRESS 76 Bras Basah Road, Lobby Floor, Carlton Hotel Singapore, Singapore 189558 →

OPENING HOURS LUNCH Mon–Sat: 12pm–3pm (last order at 2pm)
DINNER Mon–Sat: 6pm–10pm (last order at 9pm)
Closed on Sundays

CONTACT +65 6338 6131 /
reservations@shinjibykaneasa.com →

ONLINE Website →

1370m away

Maxwell Food Centre \$

A go-to food centre loved by locals and tourists for affordable and authentic hawker fare. Particularly well-known for Tian Tian Chicken Rice, whose head chef beat Gordon Ramsay in a cook-off in 2013.

ADDRESS 1 Kadayanallur Street, Singapore 069184 →

OPENING HOURS 8am–2am daily
Opening hours vary across individual stalls

1600m away

Bao Makers \$

This quaint dining concept specialises in traditional steamed Chinese buns, filled with a cohesive selection of local and international flavours.

Vegetarian options available

ADDRESS 4 Jiak Chuan Road, Singapore 089261 →

OPENING HOURS LUNCH Mon–Sat: 12pm–3pm
DINNER Mon–Thu: 6pm–10pm; Fri–Sat: 6pm–11pm
Closed on Sundays

CONTACT +65 6291 2330

ONLINE Website →

looking for the best watering holes in town?

If you're counting on a nightcap to round off the night, be glad you're in the heart of Asia's cocktail capital. Pick your poison from our curated list of bars and pubs, with a spot for every crowd—from intimate speakeasies, to luxurious liquor lounges.

290m away

Smoke & Mirrors \$\$

Perched atop the National Gallery, this rooftop bar is known for its panoramic views of the downtown Singapore skyline, and creative cocktails with unconventional flavour combinations that will surprise and titillate your palate.

ADDRESS 1 St. Andrew's Road, #06-01 National Gallery Singapore, Singapore 178957 →

OPENING HOURS Mon–Thu: 3pm–1am; Fri: 3pm–2am; Sat, Public Holidays & Eve of Public Holidays: 12pm–2am; Sun: 12pm–1am

CONTACT +65 9380 6313 / reserve@smokeandmirrors.com.sg →

ONLINE Website →

470m away

Ah Sam Cold Drink Stall \$\$

Nestled within a conserved shophouse along the Singapore River that was once home to dock workers, Ah Sam Cold Drink Stall features nostalgic decor that harks back to our migrant history. This bar specialises in locally inspired cocktails paired with street food staples.

ADDRESS 60 Boat Quay, Singapore 049848 →

OPENING HOURS Mon–Thu: 6pm–12am; Fri–Sat: 6pm–2am
Closed on Sundays

CONTACT +65 6535 0838

ONLINE Website →

640m away

Loof \$\$

Named after the Singaporean mispronunciation of “roof”, Loof is a trendy rooftop bar that exemplifies local culture with cocktails reminiscent of Southeast Asian flavours, and a diverse food menu.

Vegetarian options available

ADDRESS 331 North Bridge Road, #03-07 Odeon Towers Extension Rooftop, Singapore 188720 →

OPENING HOURS Sun–Thu: 5pm–1am; Fri–Sat: 5pm–2am

CONTACT +65 6337 9416 / loof@loof.com.sg →

ONLINE Website →

830m away

1-Altitude \$\$\$

At 282 metres above sea level, the world’s highest al fresco bar offers spectacular 360-degree views of the city. Revered for their line-up of exquisite cocktails, with live sets from top local bands and world-renowned DJs.

ADDRESS 1 Raffles Place, Singapore 048616 →

OPENING HOURS Sun–Tue: 6pm–2am; Thu: 6pm–3am; Wed, Fri, Sat & Eve of Public Holiday: 6pm–4am

CONTACT +65 6438 0410 / info@1-altitude.com →

ONLINE Website →

1220m away

Operation Dagger \$\$

Ranked 6th on the Asia's 50 Best Bars list, this modern speakeasy specialises in culinary-inspired drinks. Head Bartender Luke Whearty elevates the experience with homemade tinctures, aromatic smoke, vinegars, and Southeast Asian spices.

ADDRESS No. 7 Ann Siang Hill #B1-01, Singapore 069791 →

OPENING HOURS Mon–Sat: 6pm–12am
Closed on Sundays

CONTACT +65 6438 4057 / info@operationdagger.com →

ONLINE Website →

1230m away

Oxwell & Co \$\$

An apothecary-inspired British bar and restaurant housed in a four-storey conservation shophouse at Chinatown, known for their draft cocktails. Features a scenic rooftop bar with an edible garden specially grown for their food and drinks.

ADDRESS 5 Ann Siang Road, Singapore 069688 →

OPENING HOURS 12pm–12am daily

CONTACT +65 6438 7036 / info@oxwellandco.com →

ONLINE Website →

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