

Celebrate the reopening of the Smithsonian's museums of Asian art

IlluminAsia

A Festival of Asian Art, Food, and Cultures



Saturday, October 14, 5 pm-12 am Sunday, October 15, 11 am-5 pm

Free and open to the public, IlluminAsia will transform the museums' grounds with an Asian food market, interactive cooking and art demonstrations, live music by members of the Silkroad Ensemble, and creations by local and international artists. Plus, prepare to be dazzled as Tony Award-winning artists turn the Freer's façade into a living sculpture.

Inside the museums, experience reimagined galleries and innovative exhibitions, as well as performances, conversations, and other immersive activities.

IlluminAsia is copresented with the Smithsonian Folklife Festival.



