

THE GRANDE HOTELS OF MANHATTAN'S GRAND ARMY PLAZA

A Walking Tour with Tour Guide Deborah Zelcer

Terminating the remains of the opulent 5th Avenue luxury retail zone sit the still-reigning hospitality jewels of yesteryear. The surviving triumvirate of **The Plaza**, **The Pierre** and the **Sherry Netherland** hotels are notable Grande Dames of hospitality. These luxurious destinations have catered to discriminating travelers and local residents wishing to wake at the doorstep of rarified purveyors of finery, connoisseur quality restaurants, and the timeless romantic elegance of Central Park. Let's explore tales behind the creation of these landmark abodes, and their relationship to the evolving character of Millionaires Row and the changing city beyond. (good for inclement as well as good weather, as much of the tour is indoors)



DEBORAH ZELCER enjoys illuminating the social, political, technological and economic contexts which have shaped buildings and cities throughout history. After receiving a Bachelors degree in Architecture from Washington University in St. Louis, she worked for various commercial and residential design firms. Deborah discovered the joy of entertaining audiences with tales of urban evolution after a stint in the Moth Storytelling Workshop, coupled with leading Jane's Walk tours for the Municipal Art Society of New York.

DATE: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2018
TIME: Bus leaves the JCC at 9:15 AM; Returns approx. 5:00 PM
COST: \$69/ JCCMC Member; \$74/ Non-member includes bus transportation, guided tour and snack. Brunch is on your own in the area.

Sorry, no refunds

Spots are limited Please register before October 11, 2018



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