

TEMPORARY EXHIBITION

# Hajj, the Journey through Art

Museum of Islamic Art. Doha, Qatar



The Museum of Islamic Art of Doha forms a singular architectural setting for the exhibition "Hajj, the Journey through Art", a moving journey to the heart of Islam. ACCIONA Producciones y Diseño has developed an integral project that harmonizes a sequence of sacred contents through the latest in technological design.

The whole comes together in an installation of more than 200 pieces from the most important museums and institutions in the world. These works are organized in circular areas that symbolize the seasons that pilgrims cross before prostrating themselves before Ka'aba, the most important sacred place of Islamic pilgrimage.

The spheres that mark the phases of this metaphorical journey are spaces of reflection and contemplation. The visitors feel like authentic 'travelers', receptors of integrating experiences that are progressively revealed through novel messages.

The grand multimedia revelation of the exhibit is the circular projection around the textile monuments that cover the walls of the sacred Rock. It gathers the infinite thought of those Islamic witnesses who comply with one of the basic pillars of their religion. The room is full of prayers, supplications and orations which humanize an exhibition installation imbued with mysticism.

**Date:**  
2013 - 2014

**Client:**  
Qatar Museums Authority

**Surface area:**  
765 m<sup>2</sup>

**Services:**  
Design, technical development  
and museographic execution

