



Pepe Mar's *Please Don't Stop the Music*, collage and assemblage installation, David Castillo Gallery

GET INSPIRED

Miami gives Pepe Mar and other artists inspiration for their work. Whatever you love most—art, food, travel, music—you can follow your passion in Miami.

SOAK IT ALL IN

No city brings together a more eclectic mix of personalities and cultures than Miami. It's a playground for jet-setters and fashionistas. It's a getaway where families can spend time together and enjoy each other's company. And it gives friends an opportunity to relax, recharge, and have fun.

The sun shines brightly in this dramatic locale, warming your skin the moment you walk outside. Dig your toes into the sand and you'll be drawn to the water. Everywhere you look vivid colors stimulate the senses. Everything about Miami inspires—it's what makes Miami's artists fearless, its chefs bold, its musicians freewheeling, and its visitors energized. Miami fosters true freedom of expression.

LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION

Artist Pepe Mar describes his first arrival to Miami as a homecoming—it's a place that instantly felt familiar, warm, and inviting. From the enchanted forms

of the mystical banyan trees to the vibrant light that plays off the turquoise water, Miami for Mar is stimulation at every turn.

Soulful collections of seemingly random matter, his collage monsters are a direct response to the environment and his surroundings. Culled from found objects, natural materials, and whatever "speaks to him in the city," the sculptures are personal narratives that contain the boundless spirit and palpable creativity that pervade Miami. Mar never knows where his muse will strike, but he's certain the city will always provide the tools.

When you come to Miami, you'll find your own inspiration in everything the city has to offer. Open yourself to the possibilities, and you'll be rewarded with experiences that engage and enchant.

Explore castilloart.com to find out more about Pepe Mar, and for more information on Miami, visit MiamiExpressions.com.

SUMMER EVENTS

For a complete list, visit
MiamiExpressions.com

**Botero, Chihuly
and Lichtenstein at Fairchild**
December 8, 2007 – May 31
fairchildgarden.org

Creative Visions 2008
May 15 – 22
frostartmuseum.org

Brazilian Film Festival
May 30 – June 7
brazilianfilmfestival.com

Redland Summer Fruit Festival
June 21 – 22
fruitandspicepark.org

Miami Spice Restaurant Month
August 1 – September 30
ilovemiamispice.com