

# The secret spots of Copenhagen



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## Bars

Copenhagen was struck by cocktail fever years ago. The result is a magnitude of amazing bars, but don't take our word for it – give them a go!

1. **Curfew** – Stuck between a bookstore and a sketchy jewellery store is this gem for cocktail connoisseurs. Table service provided. Opens at 17:00. (Vesterbrogade 20, 1620 Copenhagen V)
2. **Nyhavns Champagnébodega** – Basement bar with grower champagnes at refreshingly good prices. There is simply no attitude or arrogance here. A fun bar which sometimes even offers live music. Opens at 15:00. (Lille Strandstræde 10, 1254 Copenhagen)
3. **Duck and Cover** – Located in the vibrant Vesterbro neighbourhood, Duck and Cover offers excellent cocktails, making it a great place for drinks before or after visiting one of the many nearby restaurants. Opens at 16:00. (Dannebrogsgade 6, 1660 Copenhagen)
4. **Brønnum** – The elegance of this cocktail bar is astounding, and it is highly recommended to reserve a table in advance. Situated right next to the Royal Danish Theatre, it makes for a perfect post-show location. Opens at 16:00. (August Bournonvilles Passage 1, 1055 Copenhagen)

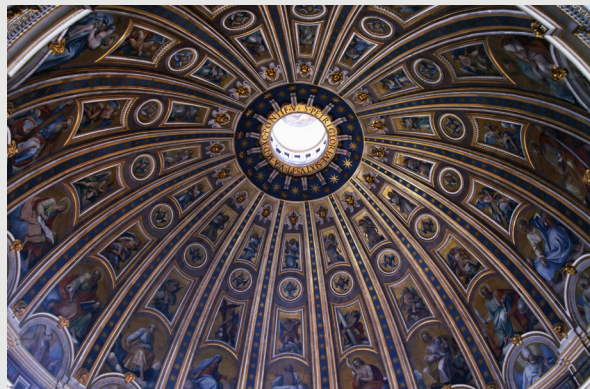
## The Arts



Copenhagen has no shortage of museums and galleries. These stand out for their settings as well as their exhibitions.

5. **The David Collection** – This collection of rare Islamic and older European art is situated in a 19th-century building right next to the King's Garden in central Copenhagen. The house itself is a beautiful experience, and you can enjoy views of the garden and Rosenborg Castle. Open Tue & Thu–Fri 10:00–17:00, Wed 10:00–21:00; closed Mon. (Kronprinsessegade 30–32, 1306 Copenhagen)
6. **Cisternerne** – In the old water reservoirs beneath Søndermarken, an intriguing museum has come to life. With ever-changing exhibitions, Cisternerne remains a remarkable experience – feel the chill in the air, listen to the dripping water, gaze at the installations and... don't be afraid of the dark. Open Tue & Fri 11:00–18:00, Wed & Thu 11:00–20:00; closed Mon. (Søndermarken, opposite Copenhagen Zoo, 2000 Frederiksberg)
7. **Design Museum Danmark** – Housed in Denmark's first public hospital, built in 1751, the newly renovated Danish Design Museum is a vision of historic Danish design and offers a glimpse of what the future might have in store for us. Open Tue–Wed & Fri 10:00–18:00, Thu 10:00–20:00; closed Mon. (Bredgade 68, 1260 Copenhagen)





## The Hidden Treasures



The Capital of Denmark has been highlighted by many as one of the greatest cities in the world. And it really is something special. Perhaps even more so for foreigners traveling to our fair city.

8. **The Marble Church** - Visit Frederik's Church, known as the Marble Church, and admire its magnificent dome and striking interior. The church is open Mon–Thu 10:00–17:00 and Fri 12:00–17:00. Dome tours are normally offered at weekends but are unavailable during this period. (Frederiksgade 4, 1265 Copenhagen)
9. **Jump into the channels of Copenhagen** - Believe it or not - the water in the channels of Copenhagen is so clean that the Danes frequently jump in to refresh themselves. Actually, now there are 'bathing zones' in order to secure the safety of public bathers, as the channels naturally are heavily trafficked by boats and water busses etc. But feel free to jump into your closest zone whenever you like - it's wonderfully refreshing!
11. **A Beerwalk at Christiania** - Perhaps you have heard of Christiania? The freetown in the middle of Copenhagen – perhaps most widely known these days as the birthplace of international superstar Lukas Graham. At Christiania, they have always been fond of hemp, and

now you can join a Beerwalk and sample locally brewed beer with hemp as an ingredient. That will be one for the books! The guided tour takes two hours and includes five beer stops. At present, only Friday tours are listed in the calendar. (Christiania Bryghus The Lab, Mælkevejen 81A, Christiania, 1440 Copenhagen I [christianiabryghus.com/christiania-beerwalk](http://christianiabryghus.com/christiania-beerwalk))

11. **The Hidden War at Kastellet** - Is there a secret spy in your midst? Take your team on an outdoor Mystery Hunt through Kastellet, one of Copenhagen's historic landmarks. With a Mystery Box in hand, you'll follow clues, solve puzzles and work together to uncover the truth. It's a chance to explore another side of the city while putting your teamwork to the test. The hunt takes 1½–2 hours and can be played in English or Danish in teams of 4–8. (Kastellet, 2100 Copenhagen I [www.mysterymakers.dk](http://www.mysterymakers.dk) I +45 30 80 30 50)
12. **Copenhill** - So here's something unique! Crafty locals have built a skiing and snowboarding hill on top of a waste-to-energy power plant on the outskirts of Copenhagen - by all means; welcome to Copenhill! Here you'll be able to ski all year round, but if you prefer to hike, you can do just that. Reward yourself with an ice-cold drink at the rooftop café and take in the stunning view of the capital. Open daily: 11:00–19:00. (Vindmøllevej 6, 2300 Copenhagen)



