12. The Erarta Museum

The Erarta is Russia's largest private museum of contemporary art.

Its collection includes more than 2,800 works by Russian artists. More than 40 temporary exhibitions are held in the museum every year. According to the travel portal TripAdvisor, The Erarta Museum entered the top ten museums in Russia.

Erarta's collection is based on the works of artists from Saint-Petersburg, but the museum is also looking for talents all over the country, inviting artists from the regions to cooperate. The museum is actively working towards a new art form of science art.

The artists who are in the collection of the Erarta Museum represent different generations and trends in contemporary Russian art: from the 50-60s of the XX century to the present day, from realism to abstraction and primitivism. At the moment, the list of authors includes more than 300 names. The most famous masters are Zaven Arshakuni, Vyacheslav Mikhailov, Vladimir Dukhovlinov, Vladimir Ovchinnikov, Elena Figurina, Valery Lukka, Rinat Voligamsi.

If you want to know history and new trends of the Russian contemporary art, you need to visit the Erarta.