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London Gallery Weekend kicks off on Friday and it's bigger than ever before. Now in its fourth edition, it is already the largest initiative of its kind in the world and gathers 134 participating galleries across focused geographical zones: East, South, and Central London. To help steer visitors through a three-day program of openings and events that can at times feel overwhelming, London Gallery Weekend offers a rich selection of curated routes, laid out by some of the city's leading creative minds, from artists [Lubaina Himid](#) and Flora Yukhnovich, to fashion photographer Nick Knight and *Vogue's* Global Creative and Cultural Adviser, Edward Enninful. These are set out online and will also be delivered as in-person tours by event assistants.

'Despite the challenges, London's gallery sector has bucked the trend, and its landscape continues to grow,' says [Thaddaeus Ropac's](#) Sarah Rustin, who co-directs London Gallery Weekend with its founder, [Edel Assanti's](#) Jeremy Epstein. 'This year we have 16 new participants, of which nine are galleries that have opened since 2023.' First-timers taking part this year include Alice Amati, Haricot Gallery, and Hot Wheels Athens London.