## Sacromonte - Silla del Moro

This short circuit begins and ends in Plaza Nueva, right in the heart of the city centre. The *Mirador de la Silla del Moro* viewpoint offers great views of Sacromonte and the Albaicín, and later on you get lovely views up to the mountains and then down to the Alhambra.



Key Facts	
Length	6.5 km
Time	2 hours
Min/Max Altitude	692 m / 895 m
Accumulated height difference	219 m
Season	All year









Top left: View of the Albaicín
Right: View of Sacromonte and the Albaicín
Bottom left: Views of the Sierra Nevada.

## **Getting there**

The walk starts from Plaza Nueva in the centre of Granada.

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- **1.** From Plaza Nueva walk up *Carrera del Darro* (the street at the end of the square, on the left of Santa Ana church.
- **2.** After passing through *Paseo de los Tristes* (a more open area with bar/restaurant terraces), turn right over the bridge. Almost immediately, turn left.
- **3.** After 300 m, take a path up some steps to the right. The path zig-zags uphill, giving views across to the Albaicín.
- 4. When you reach an acequia (irrigation channel), turn left.
- **5.** After following the *acequia* for about 350 m, cross it on a small bridge and turn left. After 50 m follow the path round to the right (ignoring the steep path further right).
- **6.** After another 100 m, turn sharp right, and then bear left up the hill after 50 m. Follow this path for about 250 m.

- 7. Turn left to the *Silla del Moro* viewpoint, which gives fantastic views across Sacromonte and the Albaicín. Head up the hill from the viewpoint, and after 20 m take the path to the right (above the path you came on). Follow this path for about 350 m, ignoring side turns.
- **8.** When you meet a dirt road, turn left. After a few metres you will reach an area with open views of the Sierra Nevada. After enjoying the views, retrace your steps and continue down the dirt road.
- **9.** Turn right through the Alhambra car park and then right again on the far side of the car park. Walk past the Alhambra ticket office.
- **10.** When you get to *La Mimbre* restaurant, turn right and continue down *Cuesta de los Chinos* (also called *Cuesta del Rey Chico*) until you reach the bridge at point **2**.



