



What to Do in Chicago in December 2018



Scrounge for stocking stuffers

Holiday shopping season has been in full swing since at least Black Friday, with no signs of abating. Whether you're still shopping for your boss, second cousin Susan, or your brother's new significant other, locally made gifts from markets around town signal "thoughtful" over "last minute." If you're in the Loop, hit up Revival Food Hall, which partners with local business incubator The Hatchery. On December 7, the stylish food hall is transformed into a holiday market with vendors like Kolossos Greek Olive Oil, Moderne Beverages and more. **For efficiency's sake, head to the 18th annual One of a Kind Holiday Show, featuring more than 600 indie artisans taking over Merchandise Mart. Here, you'll find everything from fashionable couture to furniture to ceramics, and much more. Don't miss the new Emerging Market, highlighting 25 up-and-coming artists and producers.** For something more intimate, Logan Square brewery Hopewell is hosting its own small-scale holiday bazaar December 15, with treats from Bang Bang Pie, craft beers and artisans like Charlotte Croy Hudson, Hello Paper Co., Lost Girls Vintage, and more.