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# Embark upon your next adventure...

Dear University of Michigan Alumni Traveler,

Travel is truly an enriching part of our lives. It allows us to connect with new worlds, new friends, and each other.

We're excited to present to you the following 2024 educational travel programs. Every trip has been carefully curated, so you can enjoy the best each has to offer. Group sizes are intimate for maximum enjoyment by all. And because you're traveling with fellow alums, you have a bond between you before you set foot on a plane. And one that is surely strengthened by the time you return home.

Here are a few of the highlights you can expect...

**Convenience.** Our experience pays off. Every detail is planned out and taken care of for you. All you have to do is pack your bag. The hard part will be selecting a trip.

**Educational Enrichment.** All trips include educational content and are accompanied not only by knowledgeable expedition leaders or travel directors, but also expert local guides who will enhance each journey.

**Camaraderie.** Once you experience an alumni trip, you will find that there is nothing better than connecting with and sharing your travel experiences with fellow graduates.

For questions or more information on these programs, please call **(866) 639-0079**.

Yours for Michigan,



Rachele Neu B.S '08, M.A '12  
Senior Travel Program Manager

To participate in a University of Michigan trip, all participants must be members of the Alumni Association of the University of Michigan. Please call the Alumni Travel team at (855) 764-0064 for more information.

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# Discover Southeast Alaska

JULY 5-12, 2024 (optional: Denali National Park pre-tour June 30 - July 5, 2024)

Discover the awesome beauty, abundant wildlife, and native cultures of Southeast Alaska with experts by your side.



## Program Highlights

- See the spray of whales only yards away and venture into secluded inlets as you get up close to nature, whether from the decks of the *Chichagof Dream* or aboard its skiffs and kayaks.
- Accompanied by expert naturalists, including an Orbridge Expedition Leader, learn surprising details about animal behavior, glacier activity, and the wealth of natural spectacles along these protected waters.
- Learn about Alaska's culture and living history during a Native dance performance at a Tlingit Clan House.
- Visit a salmon hatchery, the Alaska Raptor Center, and Sitka National Historical Park.
- Take a guided tour of the Norwegian fishing community of Petersburg.
- Cruise around the pristine waters of Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve to see the sanctuary's deep fjords, tidewater glaciers, and snow-capped mountain ranges.
- Meet a National Park Ranger for a guided walk during your visit to Glacier Bay National Park.

## What's Included:

7 nights aboard the *Chichagof Dream*. All onboard hand-crafted meals: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, and 7 dinners—including a special Captain's Farewell Dinner, and complimentary wine and beer at dinner. An onboard lecture program and educational guidance of two expert naturalists, including an Orbridge Expedition Leader, and a walk guided by a Park Ranger during your visit to Glacier Bay National Park. Guided kayaking, hiking, walking, skiff excursions, and wildlife viewing. All port fees and entry fees to parks, preserves, museums, attractions, and special excursions as described in the itinerary. Gratuities for Orbridge Expedition Leader, airport transfer drivers, and drivers/guides on included land excursions. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 8-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Sitka – Embarkation (D)
- Day 2:** Icy Strait (B,L,D)
- Day 3:** Glacier Bay National Park (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Eastern Baranof Island / Lake Eva (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Eastern Baranof Island / Hidden Falls (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Petersburg / Frederick Sound (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Tracy Arm Fjord (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Auke Bay / Juneau – Disembarkation / Depart Juneau (B)

### Optional 6-Day Pre-Tour:

Denali National Park

Special Rates from:	Single from:
<b>\$5,395</b>	<b>\$10,495</b>

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Denali Pre-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$3,295</b>	<b>\$4,595</b>

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.



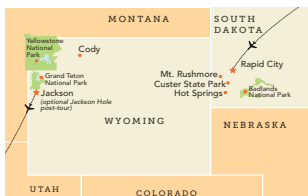




# National Parks & Lodges of the Old West

JULY 19-27, 2024 (optional: Jackson Hole post-tour July 27-29, 2024)

Trace the legends, storied monuments, and natural splendors of the American West.



## Program Highlights

- Experience the diverse wonders of our national parks accompanied by an Orbridge Expedition Leader.
- Overnight in landmark lodges that are national treasures themselves.
- Enjoy a Jeep safari tour at Custer State Park—a wildlife reserve with scenic lakes, dramatic granite spires, and lush grasslands where bison herds roam.
- Visit the world’s largest mammoth site, where scientists are excavating remains of Columbian and woolly mammoths from 26,000 years ago.
- Marvel at the grandeur of Mount Rushmore and Crazy Horse Memorial.
- See the dramatic effects of Yellowstone’s volcanically active caldera and visit otherworldly geothermal sites, including Old Faithful Geyser.
- Explore Grand Teton National Park—host to flora and fauna that date back to prehistoric times.

## What’s Included:

8 nights hotel and lodge accommodations. 8 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 7 dinners, including special welcome and farewell dinners. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader. Admission and park fees. All activities as described in the 9-day itinerary. Private deluxe motor coach with air conditioning and comfortable seating. Luggage portage. Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leader, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Rapid City, SD (D)
- Day 2:** Rapid City / Badlands National Park / Custer State Park (B,D)
- Day 3:** Mammoth Site / Crazy Horse / Custer (B,D)
- Day 4:** Custer / Mount Rushmore / Spearfish Canyon (B,D)
- Day 5:** Spearfish Canyon / Cody, WY (B,L)
- Day 6:** Cody / Yellowstone National Park (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Yellowstone National Park (B,D)
- Day 8:** Yellowstone National Park / Grand Teton National Park / Jackson (B,D)
- Day 9:** Jackson / Depart Jackson (B)

**Optional 3-Day Post-Tour:** Jackson Hole

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$5,395</b>	<b>\$7,195</b>
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<u>Jackson Hole Post-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,195</b>	<b>\$1,795</b>
Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.	







# Northern Lights and the Wildlife of Northern Manitoba

SEPTEMBER 15-20, 2024

Journey to the great Canadian north for a once-in-a-lifetime eco-adventure, featuring evenings under the stars to observe the northern lights.



## Program Highlights

- Relish pristine viewing of the northern lights that will leave you breathless.
- Set out on a full-day wildlife spotting excursion (by air and by land) during the annual caribou migration—where wolves, bears, bald and golden eagles, wolverines, and scavengers follow this traveling ecosystem.
- Admire the geologically rare landscape sculpted thousands of years ago by retreating glaciers that left meandering formations of gravel and sand called eskers.
- At the lodge, choose from a variety of outdoor activities including hiking, birding, lake tours, and fishing (*additional fees may apply*).
- Enjoy guided tours and lectures led by local naturalists—including resident biologist, Dr. Brian Kotak, and First Nations guides—specializing in the region's geology, geography, flora and fauna, and indigenous communities.
- Participate in educational presentations covering diverse subjects of regional interest.

## What's Included:

1 night hotel accommodations in Winnipeg and 4 nights accommodations at Gangler's North Seal River Lodge. Round-trip airfare between Winnipeg and Gangler's North Seal River Lodge. 5 breakfasts, 4 lunches, and 4 dinners. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader and local experts. All activities listed on the 6-day itinerary (unless noted otherwise). All excursion transportation. Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leader, local guides, drivers, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 6-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
- Day 2:** Winnipeg / Flight to Gangler's North Seal River Lodge / Northern Lights Viewing (B,L,D)
- Day 3:** Gangler's Lodge / Wildlife Excursion / Northern Lights Viewing (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Gangler's Lodge / Eskers Tour / Floatplane Excursion / Northern Lights Viewing (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Gangler's Lodge / Optional Outdoor Activities / Northern Lights Viewing (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Gangler's Lodge / Flight to Winnipeg / Depart for U.S. (B)

Special Rates from:      Single:  
**\$7,695**                      **\$11,995**

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.



VIA Rail Canada operates on tracks owned by freight companies. Increased freight traffic on the railway will often cause delays potentially resulting in delayed departures, arrivals, and shortened / limited time off of the train. Schedule changes will be communicated as the journey continues. Onboard services are guaranteed.





# Vancouver to Toronto by Rail

OCTOBER 3-9, 2024 (optional: Victoria pre-tour Oct. 1-3, 2024; Niagara Falls & Toronto post-tour Oct. 9-11, 2024)

Embark upon a journey that many travelers spend their lives dreaming about as you travel across Canada by rail.



## Program Highlights

- Set out on a guided panoramic city tour of Vancouver.
- Enjoy the serenity of travel by rail as you spend four days unplugged from the outside world, with the beauty of the Canadian wilderness unfolding before you.
- Relax at leisure within your private Prestige Class stateroom—providing 50% more living space than other class cabins—featuring a picture window that’s 60% larger than standard cabin windows, a leather couch by day that transforms into a comfortable double bed with luxury linens by night, heated floors and walls, private en suite bathroom with shower, flat-screen TV, and turndown service.
- Prestige Class amenities also include a small travel group size (26 guests max), dedicated concierge service, priority seating in the dining car, and complimentary snacks and beverages in the Park Car 24-hours a day.
- Learn about the landscape, history, and people of Canada’s provinces through onboard lectures and presentations.

## What’s Included:

2 nights luxury hotel accommodations. 4 nights accommodations in Prestige Class onboard VIA Rail’s *The Canadian*. 6 breakfasts, 4 lunches, and 4 dinners (snacks and bar orders are included while aboard the train). Special welcome and farewell receptions. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director. Private motor coach transportation for the sightseeing tour. Gratuities for Orbridge Travel Director, onboard guides, drivers, porters, housekeeping staff, VIA Rail attendants, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 7-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada (R)
  - Day 2:** Vancouver / Board VIA Rail’s *The Canadian* (B,D)
  - Day 3:** Kamloops / Jasper, Alberta / Edmonton (B,L,D)
  - Day 4:** Saskatoon, Saskatchewan / Winnipeg, Manitoba (B,L,D)
  - Day 5:** Hornepayne, Ontario (B,L,D)
  - Day 6:** Toronto (B,L,R)
  - Day 7:** Toronto / Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 3-Day Pre-Tour:** Victoria
- Optional 3-Day Post-Tour:** Niagara Falls & Toronto

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$6,995</b>	<b>\$11,995</b>

### Victoria Pre-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,195</b>	<b>\$1,595</b>

### Niagara Falls & Toronto Post-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,195</b>	<b>\$1,595</b>

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.







No Single Supplement\*



# Cruise the Danube by Luxury River Ship

SEPTEMBER 17-25, 2024

Explore the historical highlights of Central Europe's most glorious cities from Passau to Budapest with options to golf along the way.



## Program Highlights

- Enjoy 7 nights deluxe accommodations onboard *Amadeus Riva*, an ultra-modern, environmentally friendly, premium river ship.
- Gather a wealth of history during informative, guided walking tours of the old city of Passau, Austria's state capital of Linz, and beautiful Budapest.
- Delight in the treasures of Melk Abbey—from the view afforded by the expansive terrace to the frescoes, tapestries, and gilded pieces inside.
- Tour a vineyard and winery in the Wachau Valley, and savor a variety of wines from the region.
- Learn about Vienna's highlights via scenic drives and leisure time, including Schönbrunn Imperial Palace—the former summer residence of the Habsburgs and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Experience an intimate classical music performance in Vienna during an optional evening outing.
- Get to know Slovakia's charming capital—the city of Bratislava—with a tour that includes hilltop Bratislava Castle.
- Discover rooms with fascinating and unique 18-century features at the resplendent Schloss Hof Palace in Austria.
- Tee off at some of Europe's most celebrated and historic golf courses with an optional golf package.

## What's Included:

7 nights accommodations. 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, and 7 dinners (including a special welcome dinner) served with quality red and white varietals from Europe's famous wine regions, draft beer, or soft drinks. All on-board activities. All excursions as noted in the 9-day itinerary. Port fees. Private motor coach transportation. Luggage handling. Gratuities to ship crew, Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals. Group airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En route from U.S.
- Day 2:** Arrive in Munich, Germany / Passau – Embarkation (D)
- Day 3:** Regensburg (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Passau / Linz (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Emmersdorf / Dürnstein / Vienna (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Vienna (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Bratislava (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Esztergom / Budapest (B,L,D)
- Day 9:** Budapest – Disembarkation / Depart for U.S. (B)

Special Rates from: Single from:  
**\$4,795** **\$5,095**

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.

\*Stateroom Category C1. Space is limited. **12**







# Flavors of Sicily

MAY 10-18, 2024 (optional: Palermo post-tour May 18-20, 2024)

Step into this engaging odyssey featuring cultural experiences, archaeological excursions, and vineyard explorations in the shadow of Mount Etna.



## Program Highlights

- With your small group, enjoy seven nights in the luxury and elegance of your private villa, Don Arcangelo all’Olmo.
- Work side-by-side in the kitchens of distinguished chefs, learning time-tested techniques and modern twists with ingredients grown in the mineral-rich, volcanic soil of Mount Etna’s fertile lowlands.
- Spend time exploring the coastal towns of Taormina and Siracusa, including a stop at a local outdoor market.
- Visit award-winning Benanti and Donnafugata wine estates for vineyard tours and tastings.
- Visit Sicily’s archaeological masterpieces—the ancient theatres of Taormina and Siracusa, and the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Villa Romana del Casale mosaics in Piazza Armerina.
- Explore Mount Etna, a natural marvel and UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Day after day, experience the fusion of tradition and modernity, and see for yourself how Greek, Roman, Byzantine, Arab, Norman, German, French, and Spanish influences have formed this magnificent island of fertility.

## What’s Included:

7 nights accommodations. A special welcome reception, 7 breakfasts, 4 lunches, and 7 dinners served with wine. All lessons, private tours, and unique small-group excursions noted on the 9-day itinerary. Private motor coach transportation. Luggage portage. Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En route from U.S.
  - Day 2:** Arrive in Catania, Sicily / Giarre (R,D)
  - Day 3:** Taormina (B,D)
  - Day 4:** Piazza Armerina (B,L,D)
  - Day 5:** Viagrande / Catania (B,L,D)
  - Day 6:** Siracusa / Ortigia (B,D)
  - Day 7:** Mount Etna (B,L,D)
  - Day 8:** Taormina (B,L,D)
  - Day 9:** Catania / Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 3-Day Post-Tour:** Palermo

Special Rates from: Single:  
**\$6,395** **\$8,995**

Palermo Post-Tour  
 Special Rate: Single:  
**\$1,495** **\$1,695**

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.









# Stunning Scotland

AUGUST 17-26, 2024 (optional: Dublin pre-tour Aug. 15-18, 2024; St. Andrews post-tour Aug. 26-28, 2024)

Explore windswept highlands to serene islands, home to fascinating traditions, celebrated castles, and iconic towns.



## Program Highlights

- Discover Glasgow at leisure during a self-guided hop-on/hop-off bus excursion, including points of interest such as the Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow Cathedral, and Barras Market.
- Visit a local distillery to learn about whisky making from professionally trained guides followed by a tasting of their creations.
- Explore impressive Stirling Castle, situated on a volcanic outcrop on the River Forth, and hear of the castle's turbulent history, featuring great figures from Scotland's past.
- Behold Inveraray Castle, home of the Duke and Duchess of Argyll and their young family. It's the ancestral home of Clan Campbell.
- Enjoy a relaxing excursion cruising the infamous Loch Ness.
- Stroll through the ruins of Urquhart Castle—an iconic structure rich with over 1,000 years of dramatic history.
- See Culloden Battlefield, which was the site of the final battle of the Jacobite Rising.
- Witness the impressive showcase of military pipes and drums, Highland dancers, and marching formations of the celebrated Edinburgh Tattoo.

## What's Included:

8 nights hotel accommodations. 8 breakfasts, 2 lunches, and 6 dinners including special welcome and farewell dinners. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director and expert local guides. Private motor coach transportation. Admission to all locations listed on the 10-day itinerary, including the performance of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo. All ferry fees. Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 10-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En route from U.S.
  - Day 2:** Arrive in Glasgow, Scotland (D)
  - Day 3:** Glasgow / Isle of Arran / Glasgow (B,L)
  - Day 4:** Glasgow / Stirling / Glencoe (B,D)
  - Day 5:** Glencoe / Scottish Highlands (B,D)
  - Day 6:** Loch Ness / Inverness (B,D)
  - Day 7:** Inverness / Aberdeen (B,L,D)
  - Day 8:** Aberdeen / St. Andrews / Edinburgh (B,D)
  - Day 9:** Edinburgh (B)
  - Day 10:** Edinburgh / Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 4-Day Pre-Tour:** Dublin  
**Optional 3-Day Post-Tour:** St. Andrews

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$6,295</b>	<b>\$8,695</b>

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Dublin Pre-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,495</b>	<b>\$1,795</b>

*Airfare to main program not included.*

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St. Andrews Post-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,695</b>	<b>\$2,195</b>

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.







# Antarctica Discovery

JANUARY 11-22, 2024 (optional: Buenos Aires pre-tour Jan. 9-12, 2024; Iguazú Falls post-tour: Jan. 22-25, 2024)

Join this incredible journey through the vast beauty of the White Continent, featuring pristine polar wilderness, abundant wildlife, and spectacular scenery.



## Program Highlights

- Explore the South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic Peninsula, a beautiful island chain filled with an impressive variety of wildlife.
- Cruise aboard the perfect vessel for exploration. *Ocean Victory* is an Ice Class 1A super (equivalent to Polar Class 6), featuring 83% staterooms with balconies and a unique X-Bow ship design. The inverted bow quickens the Drake Passage crossing as it slices through waves, reducing rolling by 80%—and helping to prevent possible seasickness. This proven technology produces very low levels of noise and vibration.
- Enjoy the company and keen insights of expert expedition guides, scientists, and lecturers throughout the journey.
- Take advantage of the ship's impressive amenities, including two hot tubs, spa, gym, lounges, outdoor bar, and interactive dining experience.

## What's Included:

1 night luxury hotel accommodations (including breakfast) in Ushuaia prior to embarkation. 9 nights accommodations onboard *Ocean Victory*, including all onboard meals and complimentary house wine and beer with lunch and dinner. Special welcome / farewell captain's cocktail. 24-hour self-service coffee and tea facilities onboard. All scheduled landings and excursions (subject to weather and ice conditions). Your own expedition parka to keep. A pair of insulated rubber boots for shore landings for the duration of the cruise (to be returned prior to disembarkation). Access to a photographic trip log (shared with guests after the voyage via an online link). All ship-board gratuities. All luggage portage. All port fees. Transfers from the hotel to the ship on embarkation day. Group transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 12-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S. †  
†Travel time from U.S. may take up to two days.
- Day 2:** Arrive in Ushuaia, Argentina (R)
- Day 3:** Ushuaia – Embarkation (B,D)
- Days 4-5:** Drake Passage (B,L,D daily)
- Days 6-9:** South Shetland Islands / Antarctic Peninsula (B,L,D daily)
- Days 10-11:** Drake Passage (B,L,D daily)
- Day 12:** Ushuaia – Disembarkation / Depart for U.S. (B)

**Optional 3-Day Pre-Tour:** Buenos Aires

**Optional 4-Day Post-Tour:** Iguazú Falls

Special Rates from:	Single from:
<b>\$9,995</b>	<b>\$16,995</b>

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Buenos Aires Pre-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,595</b>	<b>\$1,995</b>

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Iguazú Falls Post-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$2,395</b>	<b>\$3,895</b>

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.





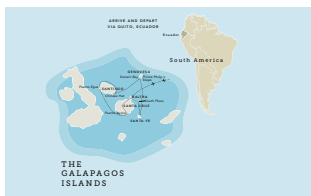




# The Galapagos Islands – Northern Itinerary

MARCH 30 - APRIL 6, 2024 (optional: Mashpi Lodge pre-tour Mar. 27-30, 2024; Machu Picchu post-tour Apr. 6-11, 2024)

Feel the thrill of encountering the flora and fauna that famously inspired Charles Darwin—and in his footsteps, generations of nature lovers.



## Program Highlights

- During a full day tour of Quito, marvel at the gold leaf interior of the Jesuit Church of la Compañía—a fine example of the mix of European influences and indigenous art called the Baroque school of Quito; enjoy a lunch of Ecuadorian specialties; and view a curated collection of Pre-Columbian art.
- Observe with remarkable proximity the diversity of endemic species such as the Nazca, red- and blue-footed boobies; giant tortoises; Santa Fe land iguanas; and the famous Darwin's finches.
- Snorkel with sea lions, colorful tropical fish, and sea turtles; and discover the myriad of aquatic wildlife of the world's second largest marine reserve.
- Explore secluded inlets and stroll sweeping white coral beaches, such as Darwin Bay. See tidal pools and pass by colonies of various bird species.
- Visit the lush highlands of Santa Cruz Island, the perfect habitat to see the Galapagos Giant Tortoise, and Puerto Egas on Santiago Island—the site of a former salt mine and where you're most likely to see the Galapagos fur seal.

## What's Included:

2 nights at the 5-star Casa Gangotena in Quito prior to embarkation. 4 nights aboard the *Isabela II*, with exploration by panga, kayak, paddle board or glass-bottom boat, naturalist-led excursions, and lectures. 1 night at Wyndham Quito Airport Hotel after disembarkation. A welcome reception in Quito, 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, and 4 dinners (served with house wine) including a farewell dinner. All excursions and presentations. Complimentary use of kayaks, paddle boards, shorty wetsuits, and snorkeling equipment. Galapagos National Park entrance fee and transit card. Internal air travel (from Quito to the islands on day 3, and return to Quito on day 7). Gratuities to local guides, hotel porters, and drivers in Quito. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times. **(Airfare between main program and Machu Picchu Post-Tour is an additional \$899\* per person.)** \*subject to change

## Your 8-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route / Arrive in Quito, Ecuador
- Day 2:** Quito (B,L,R)
- Day 3:** Quito / Flight to Baltra / Santa Cruz Highlands / Puerto Ayora – Embarkation (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Santiago: Puerto Egas / Chinese Hat Islet (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Genovesa: Prince Philip's Steps / Darwin Bay (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Santa Fe / South Plaza (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Baltra – Disembarkation / Flight to Quito (B,L)
- Day 8:** Quito / Depart for U.S. (B)

**Optional 4-Day Pre-Tour:** Mashpi Lodge

**Optional 6-Day Post-Tour:** Machu Picchu

Special Rates from:	Single:
<b>\$5,495</b>	<b>\$9,895</b>
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<u>Mashpi Lodge Pre-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,895</b>	<b>\$2,695</b>
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<u>Machu Picchu Post-Tour</u>	
Special Rates from:	Single from:
<b>\$3,995</b>	<b>\$5,895</b>

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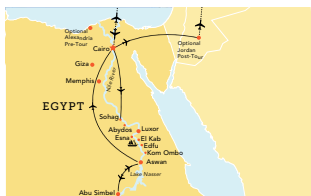




# Discover Egypt and the Nile Valley

FEBRUARY 24 - MARCH 8, 2024 (optional: Alexandria pre-tour Feb. 21-25, 2024; Jordan post-tour Mar. 8-14, 2024)

Wander the storied land of pharaohs and kings—where colossal pyramids, legendary tombs, and towering temples cascade across the terrain.



## Program Highlights

- Enjoy two full days exploring Cairo: visit the Great Pyramid and the Sphinx, admire the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities, and stroll the Khan El-Khalili bazaar.
- In Luxor, view the Karnak Temple Complex—one of the largest religious buildings in the world, which includes contributions from approximately 30 pharaohs over thousands of years.
- Travel beside the Nile to Abydos to marvel at the colorful carvings in the Temple of Seti I and view the Abydos King List, which was instrumental to understanding Ancient Egyptian history.
- On the west bank of Luxor, visit the Valley of the Kings and Nobles, the Mortuary Temple of Hatshepsut, and Colossi of Memnon.
- Embark in Esna aboard a private dahabiya—a traditional Egyptian sailing vessel—for four nights on the Nile River.
- Sail to Elephantine Island, the only ongoing excavation site open to tourists, to view its sacred temples and traditional Nubian villages.
- During an optional excursion (additional fee), view the temples of Abu Simbel carved into a massive rock cliff, which were relocated and perfectly reconstructed after building the High Dam in the early 1960s.

## What's Included:

8 nights luxury hotel accommodations plus 4 nights aboard a stately dahabiya. 12 breakfasts, 10 lunches, and 8 dinners. All excursions listed on the 14-day itinerary including admission to sites and venues. Excursion transportation. Internal airfare from Cairo to Sohag and Aswan to Cairo. Gratuities to hotels, drivers, dahabiya staff, porters, and guides. Group airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 14-Day Itinerary

- Days 1-2:** En Route / Arrive in Cairo, Egypt
  - Day 3:** Cairo / Memphis / Giza (B,L,D)
  - Day 4:** Cairo (B,L)
  - Day 5:** Cairo / Flight to Sohag / Abydos / Luxor (B,L,D)
  - Day 6:** Luxor (B,L)
  - Day 7:** Luxor / Esna – Embarkation (B,L,D)
  - Day 8:** Nile River / El Kab / Edfu (B,L,D)
  - Day 9:** Edfu / Nile / Kom Ombo (B,L,D)
  - Day 10:** Kom Ombo / Nile / Aswan (B,L,D)
  - Day 11:** Aswan – Disembarkation (B,L)
  - Day 12:** Aswan (B,D)
  - Day 13:** Aswan / Optional Abu Simbel Excursion / Flight to Cairo (B,L,D)
  - Day 14:** Cairo / Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 5-Day Pre-Tour:** Alexandria  
**Optional 7-Day Post-Tour:** Jordan

Special Rates from:	Single:
<b>\$6,995</b>	<b>\$10,995</b>
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Alexandria Pre-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$1,895</b>	<b>\$2,895</b>
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Jordan Post-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$4,495</b>	<b>\$6,395</b>
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Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.	







# Kenya Safari: The Big 5

SEPTEMBER 4-14, 2024 (optional: Amboseli post-tour Sept. 13-16, 2024)

Spot for the “Big 5” during this 11-day journey featuring unparalleled access to Kenya’s national parks, reserves, and conservancies.



## Program Highlights

- Explore extraordinary national parks and reserves in Kenya—each featuring unrivaled wildlife and habitat diversity—with opportunities to observe the “Big 5” (endangered black rhino, leopard, elephant, Cape buffalo and lion).
- Retreat to luxurious lodges and tented camps, each uniquely beautiful and authentic in décor.
- Enjoy daily game drives—accompanied by an Orbridge Expedition Leader and expert naturalist safari guides—aboard customized 4x4 vehicles.
- Visit the Ol Pejeta Conservancy, an organization dedicated to wildlife preservation and the economic growth and improvement of surrounding rural communities. Ol Pejeta is home to the largest black rhino sanctuary in East Africa, which also houses the only two remaining northern white rhinos in the world.
- Observe land and avian wildlife during game drives through Lake Nakuru National Park, described as the greatest ornithological spectacle in the world.
- Discover the Maasai Mara National Reserve—where approximately 95 species of mammals, amphibians, and reptiles, and over 400 bird species have been recorded.

## What’s Included:

8 nights accommodations at deluxe lodges and tented camps plus a day room on departure day. 8 breakfasts, 8 lunches, and 7 dinners (including a special farewell dinner). Expert naturalist guides throughout. Daily game drives in open-air vehicles with filtered water provided. All main program gratuities, as well as taxes, service charges, and park fees. Internal airfare from Maasai Mara to Nairobi on day 10. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

## Your 11-Day Itinerary

- Days 1-2:** En Route from U.S. / Arrive in Nairobi, Kenya
- Day 3:** Nairobi (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Nairobi / Ol Pejeta Conservancy (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Ol Pejeta Conservancy (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Ol Pejeta Conservancy / Lake Nakuru National Park (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Lake Nakuru National Park / Maasai Mara National Reserve (B,L,D)
- Days 8-9:** Maasai Mara National Reserve (B,L,D daily)
- Day 10:** Maasai Mara National Reserve / Flight to Nairobi / Depart for U.S. (B,L)
- Day 11:** Arrive in U.S.
- Optional 4-Day Post-Tour:** Amboseli

Special Rates from:	Single from:
<b>\$6,495</b>	<b>\$8,995</b>

### Amboseli Post-Tour

Special Rate:	Single:
<b>\$2,795</b>	<b>\$3,795</b>

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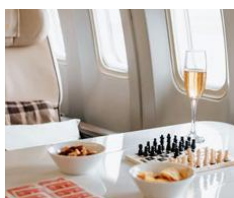




# Iconic Destinations by Private Jet

AUGUST 26 - SEPTEMBER 15, 2024 (call for terms)

This uniquely curated program features insight from knowledgeable instructors and planned extraordinary excursions, providing special understanding into some of humankind's greatest achievements.



## Your 21-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S.
- Day 2:** Arrive in London, England (R,D)
- Day 3:** Stonehenge / Avebury (B,L)
- Day 4:** London / Fly to Cairo, Egypt (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Giza (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Cairo / Fly to Aqaba, Jordan / Wadi Rum / Petra (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Petra (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Aqaba / Fly to Delhi, India (B,L,D)
- Day 9:** Old and New Delhi (B,L,D)
- Day 10:** Delhi / Agra (B,L,D)
- Day 11:** Delhi / Fly to Jaipur (B,L,D)
- Day 12:** Jaipur (B,L,D)
- Day 13:** Jaipur / Fly to Siem Reap, Cambodia (B,L,D)
- Day 14:** Angkor Wat (B,L,D)
- Day 15:** Siem Reap (B,D)
- Day 16:** Siem Reap / Fly to Hanoi, Vietnam (B,L,D)
- Day 17:** Ha Long Bay (B,L,D)
- Day 18:** Hanoi / Fly to Muscat, Oman (B,L,D)
- Day 19:** Nizwa (B,L,D)
- Day 20:** Muscat / Fly to London, England (B,L)
- Day 21:** Depart London / En Route to U.S. (B)

## Program Highlights

- Revel in the comfort, convenience, flexibility, and efficiency of touring the world by private aircraft.
- With top experts, visit Stonehenge, the Great Pyramids, Petra, Angkor Wat, and the Sultan Qaboos Grand Mosque.
- At Avebury, view the largest prehistoric stone circle in Europe.
- Take a guided tour of the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities.
- See Jama Masjid, perhaps the largest mosque in India, constructed by Shah Jahan of red sandstone and white marble.
- Experience a breathtaking sunrise at Angkor Wat.
- Explore Prasat Bayon, built during the reign of the famous King Jayavarman VII.
- Enjoy a private luncheon coastal cruise in Ha Long Bay.

## What's Included:

19 nights accommodations at 5-star hotels. Airfare for 7 flights aboard the private aircraft. 19 breakfasts, 17 lunches, and 17 dinners including a special welcome reception and farewell dinner. 3 expert-led lectures. 21 expert-led excursions. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader. All excursion transportation and entry fees. All gratuities.

Special Rate:  
**\$79,995**

Single:  
**\$89,995**

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## Expedition Leaders & Travel Directors

Our purpose is to bring true understanding of a destination to our guests.



From helping you spot wildlife to providing an insider's perspective on local cuisine and wine, the knowledge and keen eyes of your Orbridge Expedition Leader or Travel Director will make all the difference in your educational experience. Enriched by their wealth of expertise, you'll bring home a deeper understanding of the creatures, characters, and culture of the world around you.

*"The Orbridge team was awesome! I have taken many tours and have never before experienced such consideration by a tour operator." ~ Pat J.*







## Reservation Form

**Option 1:** Reserve now by calling (866) 639-0079.

**Option 2:** Secure your reservation with a deposit charged to the credit card below or with an enclosed check payable to: Orbridge, LLC.

### GUEST INFORMATION:

Guest #1 Name (Title/Salutation): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest #2 Name (Title/Salutation): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Category Preference: 1st choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice \_\_\_\_\_

Pre-Tour Category (if applicable / choose one):  Classic Double  Deluxe Double  Classic Single  Deluxe Single

Post-Tour Category (if applicable / choose one):  Classic Double  Deluxe Double  Classic Single  Deluxe Single

### DEPOSIT:

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining program (\$10,000/person for *Iconic Destinations*; \$2,500/person for *Antarctica Discovery*; \$850/person for all other programs) +

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining pre-tour (\$500/person) +

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining post-tour (\$500/person) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **TOTAL DEPOSIT**

### DEPOSIT PAYMENT:

Check  ACH (*Automated Clearing House*)  MasterCard/Visa  American Express  Discover

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (as printed on card): \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I/we have read, understand, and agree to the full Terms & Conditions at [terms.orbridge.com](https://terms.orbridge.com) and the COVID-19 Acknowledgement at [orbridge.com/wellness](https://orbridge.com/wellness); and I/we agree that Orbridge, LLC is authorized to charge my credit card above and/or take my/our deposit for this program.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail reservation form and deposit to:** Orbridge, P.O. Box 1376, Poulsbo, WA 98370

**Reservations, Deposits and Final Payment.** To secure your reservation, deposits are due upon placing a reservation as follows: \$850 per person per program and \$500 per person for any pre/post-tour. Orbridge accepts payment by check, ACH, wire or major credit card. Final payment is due 90 days prior to the departure date. Reservations made after the final payment due date are due at the time of registration. If final payment is not received by Orbridge by the final payment due date, Orbridge may cancel your reservation in its sole discretion with no right of refund. CST#2098750-40 WST#602828994

**Reservation Grace Period.** Reservations made 121+ days prior to the departure date may be cancelled within 30 days from the reservation date ("Grace Period") for a full refund. Notice of cancellation must be received in writing during the Grace Period. The date of receipt will be used for the effective date.

**Reservation Cancellations and Refunds.** Notice of cancellation must be submitted to Orbridge in writing. The date of receipt will be used for the effective date. If the cancellation notice is received after the Grace Period (if applicable): (a) 91+ days prior to the departure date, all monies paid will be refunded less an administrative fee of \$350 per person for the main program and \$200 per person for a pre/post-tour; (b) 90-76 days prior to the departure date, a 25% cancellation fee for the full cost of the program and the balance will be refunded; (c) 75-61 days prior to the departure date, a 50% cancellation fee for the full cost of the program and the balance will be refunded; (d) 60-46 days prior to the departure date, a 75% cancellation fee for the full cost of the program and the balance will be refunded; (e) within 45 days prior to the departure date, a 100% cancellation fee for the full cost of the program. A 100% cancellation fee applies to all non-refundable airfare. Refunds, if any, will be processed within 30 days of our receipt of your written notice.

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