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We hope to see you on tour soon.



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Polar Bears & Beluga Whales

JULY 26 - AUGUST 1, 2025

Discover the vast beauty of Churchill, Manitoba—a small town on the banks of the Hudson Bay known for hosting polar bears in the fall. During summer, visitors can possibly spot polar bears along the local shores before they return to the pack ice when it forms in early winter. Summertime is also when the bears share the area with more than 60,000 beluga whales as well as a wide variety of other wildlife.



Program Highlights

- Fuel your inspiration. Enjoy a private reception and three-course welcome dinner at Winnipeg's Assiniboine Park Zoo along with a presentation on polar bears.
- Uncover local beauty. Embark upon two separate water tours of the Hudson Bay to spot and photograph many of the 60,000 beluga whales that inhabit the area.
- Connect with nature. Venture out into the stark landscape aboard a custom-designed wildlife viewing vehicle, stopping to admire the scenery as you search for arctic hare, snowy owl, ptarmigan and arctic fox.
- Choose your own adventure. Join one of two optional guided excursion activities (additional fee): a 3-hour kayaking tour or a 3-hour Beluga AquaGliding™ tour.
- Gain perspective and insight. Visit Churchill's Itsanitaq Museum for an exploration of indigenous ways of life while viewing remarkable examples of Inuit craftsmanship.

7-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada (R,D)
- Day 2:** Winnipeg | Flight to Churchill (B,L,D)
- Day 3:** Churchill Exploration (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Churchill | Hudson Bay Area (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Churchill Exploration (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Churchill | Flight to Winnipeg (B,L,R)
- Day 7:** Winnipeg | Depart for U.S. (B)



What's Included

- 6 nights in ideally situated and comfortable accommodations
- Round-trip airfare between Winnipeg and Churchill
- 6 breakfasts, 5 lunches and 5 dinners (including a special private welcome reception and three-course dinner at Assiniboine Park Zoo) plus a farewell reception
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader and a local naturalist
- All excursion transportation and entry fees
- All gratuities



SPECIAL RATES

PPDO: **\$7,830** | Single: **\$10,330**

—includes \$835 per person internal airfare—

DATES, RATES & ITINERARY SUBJECT TO CHANGE



Vancouver to Toronto by Rail

AUGUST 7-13, 2025

Victoria Pre-Tour: August 5-7, 2025

Niagara Falls & Toronto Post-Tour: August 13-15, 2025

This five-star journey features hotel stays at luxurious, historic rail properties bookending four amazing days and nights in Prestige Class aboard VIA Rail's *The Canadian*.

Program Highlights

- Unwind and unplug. Enjoy the serenity of traveling by rail with time to truly disconnect from the outside world.
- Relax in comfort. Your private Prestige Class stateroom provides 50% more living space compared to other cabin categories.
- Embrace the countryside. Crossing five provinces, admire the diverse and picturesque landscapes each creating a colorful changing tapestry day after day.
- Indulge on board. Three-course lunches and dinners are prepared by onboard chefs using a selection of local and regional ingredients.
- Enjoy the atmosphere. Whether joining an onboard lecture or presentation, gathering for a wine tasting, playing board or card games, or simply watching the outside panoramas pass by, each day offers a variety of optional activities aimed to define the leisurely pace of the journey.



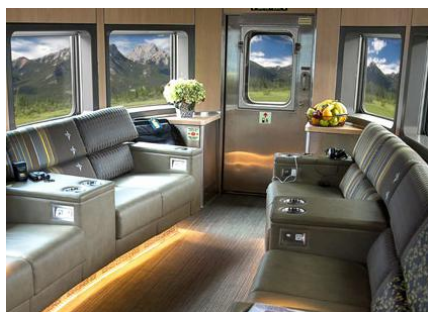
7-Day Itinerary

- 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 Victoria Pre-Tour

Optional 3-Day Niagara Falls & Toronto Post-Tour





What's Included

- 1 night at Fairmont Hotel Vancouver and 1 night at Fairmont Royal York in Toronto, both famous, luxury Canadian Railway hotels
- 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 Canadian*)
- Special welcome and farewell receptions
- Admission to all activities and tours as described in the 7-day itinerary
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director
- Onboard concierge services
- Private motor coach transportation for the sightseeing tour
- Gratuities for Orbridge Travel Director, drivers, porters, VIA Rail attendants and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO: **\$7,495** | Single: **\$12,995**

VICTORIA PRE-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,295** | Single: **\$1,795**

NIAGARA FALLS & TORONTO POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,295** | Single: **\$1,795**



Cruise the Majestic Nordic Fjords

JUNE 27 - JULY 6, 2025

Oslo to Bergen Pre-Tour: June 24-28, 2025

Stockholm Post-Tour: July 6-8, 2025

Seize this opportunity to experience the magnitude of Norway's breathtaking fjords in unparalleled luxury and style. Cruising aboard state-of-the-art *Le Lapérouse*, ignite your inner explorer with visits to incredible UNESCO World Heritage Sites, immersive hiking and kayaking adventures, and enriching cultural and historical excursions.



Program Highlights

- In the tradition of great French explorers, discover the essence of Norway during guided excursions and hikes.
- Trace the paths of Vikings at centuries-old sites, including Nordfjordeid and Stavanger.
- On board indulge in delectable gourmet French and international cuisine crafted from local sourced ingredients.
- Among the vessel's unique features is the Blue Eye Lounge, an innovative and immersive underwater observation area featuring large, curved windows that provide views of the subaquatic environment. This multi-sensory experience provides the opportunity to feel the ocean's vibrations through the seats and listen for marine sounds using the hydrophone headsets.
- Take advantage of opportunities to kayak, revive by the pool or book a massage or spa treatment (*additional fees apply*).

10-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S.
- Day 2:** Arrive in Bergen, Norway – Embarkation (R,D)
- Day 3:** Geiranger (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Olden (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Nordfjordeid (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Stavanger (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Sandnes (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Arendal (B,L,D)
- Day 9:** Gothenburg, Sweden (B,L,R,D)
- Day 10:** Oslo – Disembarkation | Depart for U.S. (B)

Optional 5-Day Oslo to Bergen Pre-Tour
Optional 3-Day Stockholm Post-Tour



What's Included

- 8 nights aboard luxurious *Le Lapérouse*
- All onboard hand-crafted meals: 8 breakfasts, 7 lunches and 8 dinners (served with wine, beer or non-alcoholic beverages) plus special welcome and farewell receptions
- Unlimited select complimentary beverages available 24/7 on board the ship, including in the comfort of your stateroom
- Private tours and special small-group excursions as noted in the 10-day itinerary
- Full guiding services of a team of Orbridge Expedition Leaders and expert local guides
- Private motor coach transportation
- Luggage portage
- Gratuities to ship crew, Orbridge Expedition Leaders, local guides, drivers, porters and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$7,445** | Single from: **\$13,645**

—includes \$450 per person port fee—

OSLO TO BERGEN PRE-TOUR

PPDO: **\$2,695** | Single: **\$3,595**

STOCKHOLM POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,895** | Single: **\$2,795**



Flavors of Dordogne

SEPTEMBER 12-20, 2025

Bordeaux Post-Tour: September 20-22, 2025

Step into a world where medieval charm meets modern sophistication, where every cobblestone street tells a story, and every vineyard whispers secrets of centuries past.

This is Dordogne, a captivating region in the heart of southwest France overflowing with history, architecture, and enchanting beauty.



Program Highlights

- With your small group enjoy seven nights accommodations at Château de Mercuès, a luxurious Relais & Châteaux property with phenomenal views over the Lot valley and Cahors vineyards.
- Meet the esteemed vintners at Château de Haute-Serre and Château de Cayx wineries for vineyard tours and tastings.
- Delight in extraordinary French dishes at Michelin-starred Château de La Treyne, Les Glycines and Le Duèze.
- Embrace the region's dynamic history during guided tours of Pech Merle, Rocamadour and Château de Beynac.
- Join an expert chef for an inspirational cooking class to learn recipe secrets, tips and tricks.
- Immerse yourself in the magnificent and seemingly endless beauty of Dordogne.

9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S.
- Day 2:** Arrive in Toulouse, France | Mercuès (D)
- Day 3:** Haute Serre | Cahors (B,L)
- Day 4:** Rocamadour (B,L)
- Day 5:** Pech Merle | Saint-Cirq Lapopie (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Sarlat-la-Canéda | Les Eyzies-de-Tayac | Eyrignac (B,L)
- Day 7:** Beynac | La Roque-Gageac (B,L)
- Day 8:** Luzech | Puy l'Évêque (B,D)
- Day 9:** Mercuès | Toulouse | Depart for U.S. (B)

Optional 3-Day Bordeaux Post-Tour



What's Included

- 7 nights accommodations
- 7 breakfasts, 5 lunches and 3 dinners served with wine
- All lessons, private tours and tastings, and unique small-group excursions noted in the 9-day itinerary
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director and expert local guides
- Private motor coach transportation
- Luggage portage
- Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$6,295** | Single from: **\$9,995**

BORDEAUX POST-TOUR

PPDO from: **\$2,395** | Single from: **\$3,195**



Flavors of Sicily

MAY 2-10, 2025

Palermo Post-Tour: May 10-12, 2025

Join us on a captivating journey through the heart of Sicily to discover the vibrant island’s historical and cultural treasures. Explore renowned archaeological and UNESCO World Heritage sites, indulge in delicious cuisine and wine, and partake in hands-on cooking classes with celebrated chefs who share recipes and culinary techniques passed down through generations. This immersive experience promises to engage all of your senses and leave you with memories to last a lifetime.

Program Highlights

- With your small group (maximum 22 guests), enjoy seven nights in the elegant luxury of your private villa, Don Arcangelo all’Olmo.
- Join hands-on culinary experiences with skilled chefs to learn time-tested techniques and modern twists with ingredients grown in the mineral-rich, volcanic soil of Mount Etna’s fertile lowlands.
- Explore the charming coastal towns of Taormina and Siracusa—including a stop at a local outdoor market.
- Visit Benanti, a family-owned boutique winery and recipient of more than 80 awards since 1994.
- Tour the Donnafugata winery followed by a tasting and lunch.
- Admire extraordinary UNESCO World Heritage Sites, including Villa Romana del Casale and Mount Etna.



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:** Catania | Viagrande (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Siracusa | Ortigia (B,D)
- Day 7:** Mount Etna (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Taormina (B,L,D)
- Day 9:** Giarre | Catania | Depart for U.S. (B)

Optional 3-Day Palermo Post-Tour



What's Included

- 7 nights at Don Arcangelo all'Olmo (or similar)
- 7 breakfasts, 4 lunches and 7 dinners served with wine plus a special welcome reception
- Full services of an Orbridge Travel Director and expert local guides
- All lessons, private tours and tastings, and unique small-group excursions noted in the 9-day itinerary
- In-depth guided exploration of Sicily's main attractions—Taormina, Mount Etna, Villa Romana del Casale, Siracusa and Ortigia
- 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

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$6,395** | Single: **\$8,995**

PALERMO POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,695** | Single: **\$1,895**



Northern Adriatic: A Nautical Voyage

JULY 28 - AUGUST 5, 2025

Dubrovnik Pre-Tour: July 26-29, 2025

Prosecco Post-Tour: August 5-7, 2025

Embark upon an unforgettable journey cruising the captivating northern Adriatic, weaving through a tapestry of enchanting destinations that span Croatia, Montenegro and the cultural gems of Northern Italy. On board your five-star vessel, enter a world where the delicate balance between modern luxury and responsible travel is seamlessly achieved.



Program Highlights

- Traverse the charming streets of Kotor, Montenegro, where the past whispers through its ancient walls.
- Journey to the sun-drenched, fishing-village-turned-posh-“Croatian-Riviera” city of Hvar, a haven of natural beauty and vibrant energy.
- Lose yourself in the labyrinthine lanes of Split, where the juxtaposition of old and new captivates the senses.
- Embrace the medieval architecture, historic charm and artistic treasures along the Dalmatian coast.
- On board savor a gourmet culinary experience that reflects the richness of the destinations you explore, with menus featuring local seafood, wine, olive oil, cured meats and aromatic herbs.

9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S.
 - Day 2:** Arrive in Dubrovnik, Croatia – Embarkation (R,D)
 - Day 3:** Kotor, Montenegro (B,L,D)
 - Day 4:** Hvar, Croatia (B,L,D)
 - Day 5:** Split (B,L,D)
 - Day 6:** Brijuni Islands (B,L,D)
 - Day 7:** Ravenna, Italy (B,L,D)
 - Day 8:** Bologna (B,L,R,D)
 - Day 9:** Venice – Disembarkation | Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 4-Day Dubrovnik Pre-Tour*
Optional 3-Day Prosecco Post-Tour



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What's Included

- 7 nights aboard luxurious *Le Bougainville*
- All onboard hand-crafted meals: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 7 dinners (served with wine, beer or non-alcoholic beverages) plus special welcome and farewell receptions
- Unlimited select complimentary beverages available 24/7 on board the ship, including in the comfort of your stateroom
- Private tours and special small-group excursions as noted in the 9-day itinerary
- Full guiding services of a team of Orbridge Travel Directors and expert local guides
- Private motor coach transportation
- Luggage portorage
- Gratuities to ship crew, Orbridge Travel Directors, local guides, drivers, porters and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$7,045** | Single from: **\$11,645**

—includes \$450 per person port fee—

DUBROVNIK PRE-TOUR

PPDO: **\$2,195** | Single: **\$2,595**

PROSECCO POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$2,195** | Single: **\$2,495**



Antarctica Discovery

JANUARY 18-29, 2025

Buenos Aires Pre-Tour: January 16-19, 2025

Iguazú Falls Post-Tour: January 29 - February 1, 2025

Embark on an unforgettable odyssey, where discovery and adventure converge on the vast canvas of the White Continent. Immerse yourself in stark and surprising landscapes that define this breathtaking region.

Program Highlights

- Cruise in elegance and comfort. *Ocean Victory* boasts a delicate balance between modern refinement and responsible travel. From the vessel's energy-efficient systems to its minimized carbon footprint, every detail has been meticulously crafted to ensure a minimal impact on the environments we explore.
- Get lost in luxury. The ship's five-star amenities include two hot tubs, spa, gym, spacious lounges, and outdoor bar.
- Dine in style. Savor exquisite cuisine in elegant dining spaces, featuring floor-to-ceiling windows, in both the Panorama and Beagle Restaurants.
- Explore at leisure. *Ocean Victory* is well-equipped with Zodiac boats and a fleet of kayaks, allowing you to discover remote coastlines and wildlife-rich areas up close. Expert guides, scientists, and lecturers enrich the learning experience throughout the tour.
- Choose your own adventure. Join the optional Polar Camping excursion on land: with specialized performance gear and expert guidance, sleep unsheltered in a cozy bivy sack for the utmost connection to nature. Kayaking enthusiasts can join the optional Sea Kayaking outing: a one-time opportunity to explore the outstanding grandeur and magical beauty of the polar expanse by kayak. (Participants must have prior kayaking experience.) *Optional activities must be booked on board the ship. Each have limited availability, are weather permitting, and extra fees apply.*



12-Day Itinerary

[†]Travel time from/to U.S. may take up to two days depending on flight schedules.

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S.[†]
- Day 2:** Arrive in Ushuaia, Argentina (R)
- Day 3:** Ushuaia – Embarkation (B,D)
- Day 4:** Drake Passage (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Drake Passage (B,L,D)
- Days 6-9:** South Shetland Islands | Antarctic Peninsula (B,L,D daily)
- Day 10:** Drake Passage (B,L,D)
- Day 11:** Drake Passage (B,L,D)
- Day 12:** Ushuaia – Disembarkation | Depart for U.S. (B)

Optional 4-Day Buenos Aires Pre-Tour
Optional 4-Day Iguazú Falls Post-Tour



What's Included

- 1 night luxury hotel accommodations (including breakfast) in Ushuaia prior to embarkation
- 9 nights aboard *Ocean Victory* including all onboard meals (with select wines and beers at lunch and dinner)
- 24-hour self-service coffee and tea facilities onboard
- All scheduled landings and excursions listed in the itinerary (subject to weather and ice conditions)
- An insulated waterproof/windproof expedition parka, which is yours to keep
- A pair of insulated rubber boots for shore landings for 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 shipboard gratuities
- All luggage portorage
- All port fees
- Transfers from the hotel to the ship on embarkation day
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$10,995** | Single from: **\$16,995**

BUENOS AIRES PRE-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,895** | Single: **\$2,295**

IGUAZÚ FALLS POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$2,595** | Single: **\$3,995**

DATES, RATES & ITINERARY SUBJECT TO CHANGE



What's Included

- 2 nights at 5-star Casa Gangotena in Quito (or similar) prior to embarkation
- 4 nights aboard *Isabela II* featuring exploration by panga and glass-bottom boat, naturalist-led hikes and excursions, and evening lectures
- 1 night at Wyndham Quito Airport (or similar) after disembarkation
- 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 4 dinners plus a special welcome reception in Quito
- A guided city tour of Quito
- All excursions and presentations
- Complimentary use of shorty wetsuits, snorkeling equipment and ocean kayaks
- Galapagos National Park entrance fee and transit card
- Internal round-trip airfare between Quito and the islands as noted in the itinerary
- Gratuities to local guides, hotel porters and drivers in Quito
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$5,795** | Single: **\$9,995**

MASHPI LODGE PRE-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,995** | Single: **\$2,895**

MACHU PICCHU POST-TOUR

PPDO from: **\$5,190** | Single from: **\$7,190**

—includes \$1,195 per person internal airfare—

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Mysteries of Peru and Machu Picchu

APRIL 9-17, 2025

Amazon Post-Tour: April 17-21, 2025

From the Sacred Valley of the Inca to the magical heights of Machu Picchu to the natural wonders of the Ballestas Islands, join us as we uncover this culturally rich region of the Peruvian Andes. This extraordinary journey reveals Peru's enduring charm, centuries-old traditions, and enigmatic mysteries.



Program Highlights

- Savor authentic flavors, textures, and aromas of Peruvian cuisine during a tasting tour in Lima where every bite tells a story of tradition and passion.
- Discover the ancient wonders of Cusco, dubbed the "Archaeological Capital of South America."
- Interact with the rich and complex history of the Inca period at the fascinating site of Sacsayhuaman.
- Board the *Vistadome* train to reach Machu Picchu's untouched stone citadel.
- Take flight over the Nazca Lines—a thrilling opportunity to view the mysterious soil carvings from above.
- Cruise the Ballestas Islands, observing from water the Paracas Candelabra—a prehistoric hillside geoglyph of origins unknown.

9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S. | Arrive in Lima, Peru (D)
 - Day 2:** Lima (B,L)
 - Day 3:** Lima | Flight to Cusco | Sacred Valley (B,L)
 - Day 4:** Sacred Valley | Machu Picchu | Sacred Valley | Cusco (B,L)
 - Day 5:** Cusco (B,L)
 - Day 6:** Cusco | Flight to Lima | Paracas (B,L)
 - Day 7:** Paracas | Ica | Paracas (B,D)
 - Day 8:** Paracas | Ballestas Islands (B)
 - Day 9:** Paracas | Lima | Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 5-Day Amazon Post-Tour*



What's Included

- 8 nights premium accommodations
- 8 breakfasts, 5 lunches and 2 dinners including a special welcome dinner
- All small-group excursions as noted in the 9-day itinerary including entrance fees
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director and expert local guides
- Private motor coach transportation
- Luggage portorage
- Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides and drivers
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times



SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$5,495** | Single from: **\$6,995**

AMAZON POST-TOUR

PPDO from: **\$2,495** | Single from: **\$3,695**



Discover Egypt and the Nile Valley

OCTOBER 26 - NOVEMBER 7, 2025

Alexandria Pre-Tour: October 23-27, 2025

Jordan Post-Tour: November 7-13, 2025

Join us for a historical and cultural immersion into Egypt's ancient treasures and timeless wonders. This unhurried journey reveals Egypt's monumental historical events, staggering technological achievements, and compelling human stories.

Program Highlights

- Stand in awe before the Great Pyramid of Giza and the Great Sphinx, each an ancient marvel illustrating the enduring legacy of an incredible civilization.
- Delve deep into the annals of history at the Grand Egyptian Museum, where treasures from Egypt's rich past come to life.
- Witness the grandeur of the Karnak Temple Complex—one of the largest religious buildings in the world, which includes contributions from approximately 30 pharaohs over thousands of years.
- Mid-journey, embark upon your private dahabiya—a traditional Egyptian sailing vessel—for four relaxing days and nights along the Nile River.
- Be captivated by the intricate carvings inside the unique temple of Kom Ombo.
- Visit 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), visit 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.



13-Day Itinerary

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



What's Included

- 7 nights luxury hotel accommodations
- 4 nights aboard a stately dahabiya
- 11 breakfasts, 9 lunches and 7 dinners
- All excursions listed on the 13-day itinerary including admission to sites and venues
- Excursion transportation
- Internal airfare from Cairo to Luxor 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

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$6,995** | Single: **\$11,495**

ALEXANDRIA PRE-TOUR

PPDO: **\$1,995** | Single: **\$2,995**

JORDAN POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$4,995** | Single: **\$6,895**



Kenya Safari: The Big 5

JUNE 25 - JULY 5, 2025

Amboseli Post-Tour: July 4-7, 2025

Venture with us into the heart of Kenya's wilderness during this 11-day epic journey. Alongside expert guides, gain unparalleled access to Kenya's national parks, reserves, and conservancies with opportunities to witness The Big 5 and a plethora of other wildlife in their natural environment. This adventure promises unforgettable exploration of Kenya's iconic landscapes, captivating cultural interactions, and exhilarating animal encounters.

Program Highlights

- Explore extraordinary national parks and reserves in Kenya accompanied by expert naturalist guides who will enrich your experience through their knowledge, dedication and enthusiasm.
- Visit conservation organizations that play pivotal roles in rescuing and rehabilitating at-risk wildlife, protecting endangered species, educating the youth and preserving the ecosystems and biodiversity of the region.
- Participate in up to 12 game drives aboard safari-outfitted 4x4 vehicles, featuring opportunities to observe the "Big 5" (endangered black rhino, leopard, elephant, Cape buffalo and lion).
- Engage with local communities for a deeper understanding of their rich cultures and vibrant traditions.
- Retreat to luxurious lodges and tented camps, each uniquely beautiful and authentic in décor.
- Soar above Maasai Mara National Reserve during an optional hot air balloon sunrise safari (additional fee).



11-Day Itinerary

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



What's Included

- 8 nights accommodations at deluxe lodges and tented camps—all carefully selected to emphasize wildlife viewing and amenities—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
- Maasai Mara National Reserve visitation fees, which are paid directly to the Narok County Government in support of tourism and conservation efforts of the Maasai Mara ecosystem and wildlife
- Internal airfare from Maasai Mara to Nairobi
- All main program gratuities, as well as taxes, service charges and park fees
- Temporary membership in AMREF Flying Doctors air ambulance service
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

SPECIAL RATES

PPDO from: **\$7,195** | Single from: **\$9,695**

AMBOSELI POST-TOUR

PPDO: **\$2,895** | Single: **\$3,895**



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.

EXPLORE THE WORLD WITH US





A person wearing a straw hat, a white long-sleeved shirt, a tan skirt, and black pants is seen from behind, standing on a balcony with a metal railing. They are carrying a black backpack and a camera. The background shows a panoramic view of a city at sunset, with buildings illuminated by warm lights and a large body of water in the foreground. The sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and blue.

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

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- Online reservation form
- Full program details
- Photos, videos, and map
- Accommodations
- Room descriptions
- Rates and inclusions
- Activity level
- Terms and conditions

Reservation Form

Option 1: Reserve now online at tju.orbridge.com or 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.

TOUR NAME: _____

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 (\$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: _____ CW: _____

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; 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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