



# Small Ships, Big Adventures

Small Ship Cruises 2026-2027



British Isles

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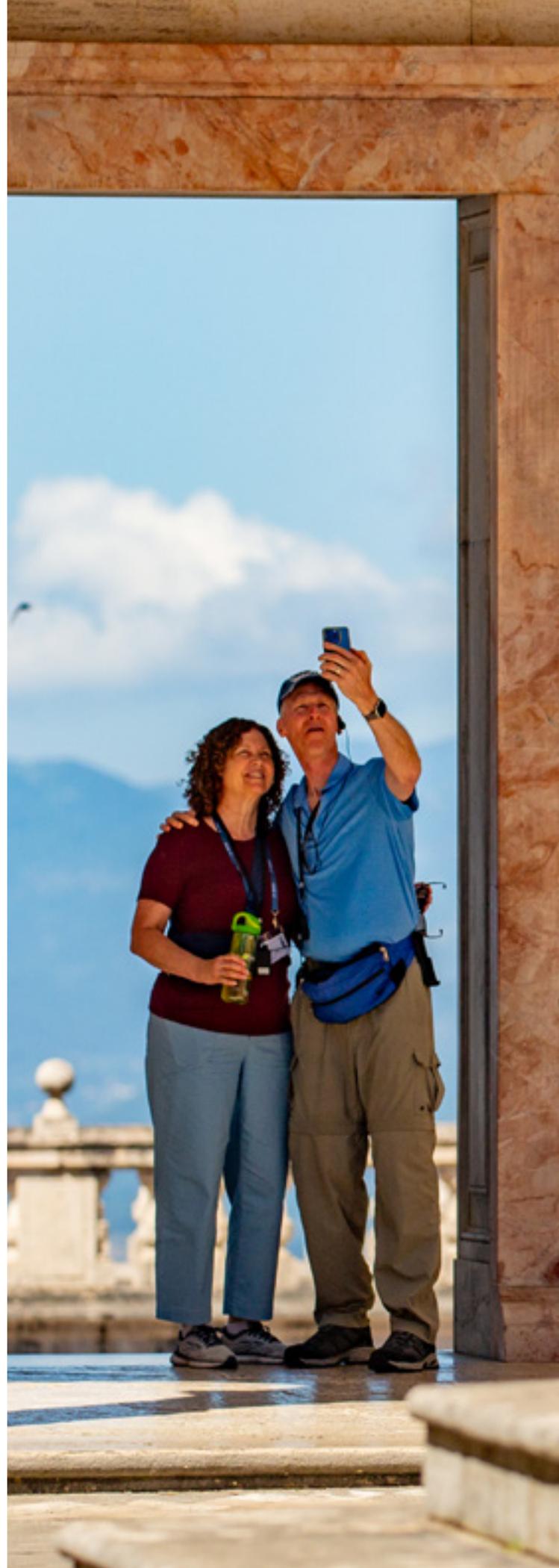
Mediterranean

Atlantic Coast

Latin America

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# Our Journey

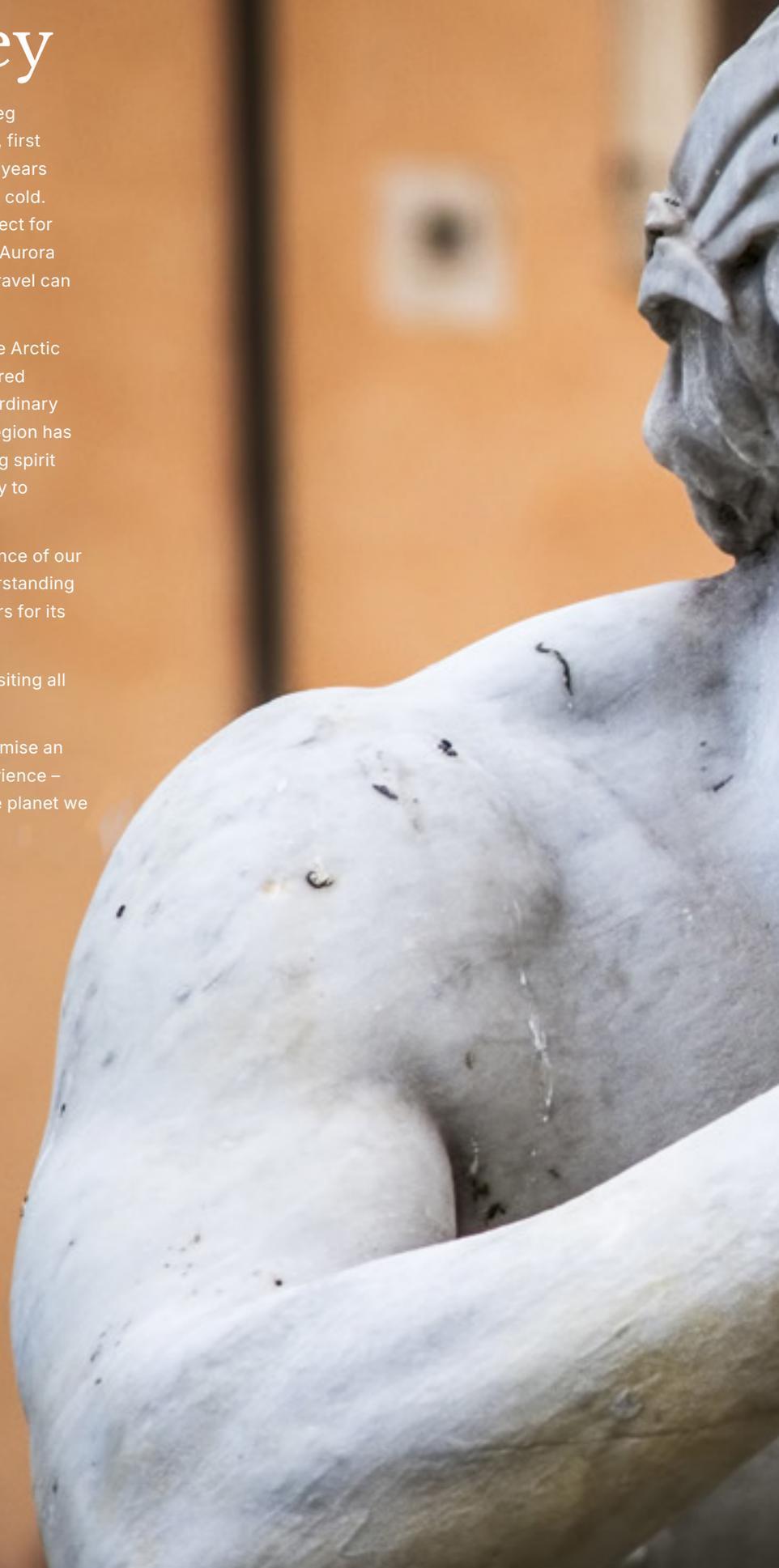
When legendary Australian mountaineer Greg Mortimer and his adventurer wife, Margaret, first set their sights on the polar regions over 30 years ago, they got goosebumps. But not from the cold. Their passion for exploration and deep respect for remote environments led to the founding of Aurora Expeditions in 1991, built on the belief that travel can be a powerful force for positive change.

In 1997, Aurora Expeditions ventured into the Arctic for the first time, drawn to its vast, ice-covered landscapes, rich cultural history, and extraordinary wildlife. Since then, our connection to the region has only deepened. Today, we bring a pioneering spirit and a steadfast commitment to sustainability to every voyage.

By educating ourselves on the delicate balance of our 21<sup>st</sup> century world, we foster a greater understanding of the planet and inspire lasting ambassadors for its protection and preservation.

Today, we are a Certified B Corporation™, visiting all seven continents.

Should your next journey be with us, we promise an immersive, inspirational and profound experience – regardless of which corner of this incredible planet we explore together.





# Our Commitment to This Incredible Planet

Responsible travel has remained at the heart of our business from the start. As a Certified B Corporation™, we proudly join a global movement of companies that meet rigorous standards of social and environmental impact, transparency, and accountability. This certification represents more than just a milestone; it's a testament to our ongoing commitment to doing business responsibly, guided by principles that prioritize people and the planet.

The B in B Corp stands for 'Benefit for all'. We strive to deliver voyages that have a minimal footprint while creating a positive impact on the extraordinary places we visit. Our journey reflects our dedication to the protection, regeneration and appreciation of Earth's natural wonders.

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Frog, Costa Rica

Please note wildlife may appear closer than they actually are due to photographic zoom and camera lenses.



## Climate Action

The urgency of the climate crisis demands bold and immediate action, and we are committed to being part of the solution. Since 2021, we have been tracking and measuring greenhouse gas emissions across our operations and supply chain.

We are dedicated to reducing emissions and contributing to ocean regeneration.

Through innovation in alternative fuel trials and support for projects that restore vital marine ecosystems and biodiversity, such as sea kelp and seagrass planting, we are proud to be driving meaningful progress towards a net zero future.



## Resource Conservation and Circularity

Our focus is on responsible procurement, working with suppliers that align with our values. We also work to reduce waste and pollution by considering carefully the life cycles of the materials we use. Onboard our vessels, we purchase products in bulk and prioritize reusable items wherever possible. As part of our commitment to reducing single-use plastics, we offer reusable water bottles to passengers, which can be refilled at multiple stations throughout the vessel.



## Protecting and Preserving Ecosystems

We believe that exploring nature comes with a responsibility to tread lightly. Whether walking through towns, hiking scenic trails or cruising along shorelines, we approach every journey with care and respect for the environments we encounter.

Our team encourages mindful travel practices that help preserve the beauty and integrity of the places we visit, ensuring they can be enjoyed for generations to come.



## Local Community Engagement

Fostering meaningful connections with communities is at the heart of our voyages. We collaborate with local guides and experts to offer passengers authentic experiences, enriching each journey with cultural depth and personal stories.

We also celebrate the flavors of our destinations by sourcing ingredients from regional producers committed to natural and ethical farming.

# Small Ship Cruises

Embark on a Small Ship Cruise and experience a medley of culture, tradition and history as you travel beyond the ordinary, discovering the hidden gems and untold narratives that make each destination unique. Framed by crafted pre- and post-voyage city stays, these journeys offer seamless travel from beginning to end.

Our all-inclusive 'Your Choice' excursions allow you to personalize your journey, while our enrichment program makes every day a highlight. Exclusive to Aurora Expeditions, this curated approach to cruising, hosted by a master storyteller and team of dedicated explorers, appeals to experienced globetrotters eager to share the magic of exploration with like-minded travelers, in a relaxed atmosphere.





# Tailored for Curious Travelers

From the moment you're greeted by our team, something shifts. It's not just the thrill of travel—it's the feeling of joining something personal, something that feels like home. You're welcomed by our Ground Operations Team, guided by our Tour Managers, and embraced by our onboard crew, all working together to create a space where everyone belongs.

We treat you as true travelers. Curiosity is encouraged, questions are welcomed, and connections come naturally. Whether you're diving into a new culture or simply sharing stories over dinner, every moment is designed to spark discovery. From our Master Storyteller's inspiring presentations to our Tour Managers who move among guests, answering questions and igniting conversations, support and insight are always close at hand.

The ship itself invites connection—with shared tables, open seating, and relaxed lounges that make it easy to meet fellow explorers. It's a place where friendships form effortlessly and the journey feels as meaningful as the destination. Soon, the ship feels less like a vessel and more like a home—where you can be yourself, unwind, and let the experience unfold naturally.



Syracuse, Italy © P Harbore



Gaudí's Sagrada Família, Barcelona, Spain © P Harbore

# What's Included

Our inclusions are what most others would consider extras. From shore excursions to airport transfers, plus pre- and post-voyage accommodation and beyond, we'll ensure you're well outfitted for whatever your journey calls for. For a full list of inclusions for each voyage, check the itinerary page on our website.



Hosted by a Master Storyteller



Tour Manager team with photographer



Enrichment program



Gratuities for local guides, drivers and sites



Pre- and post-voyage accommodation\*



Airport transfers^



A daily selection of shore excursions



Pre- and post-voyage excursions\*



Port, permit and landing fees



Free Starlink wi-fi



House drinks with dinner

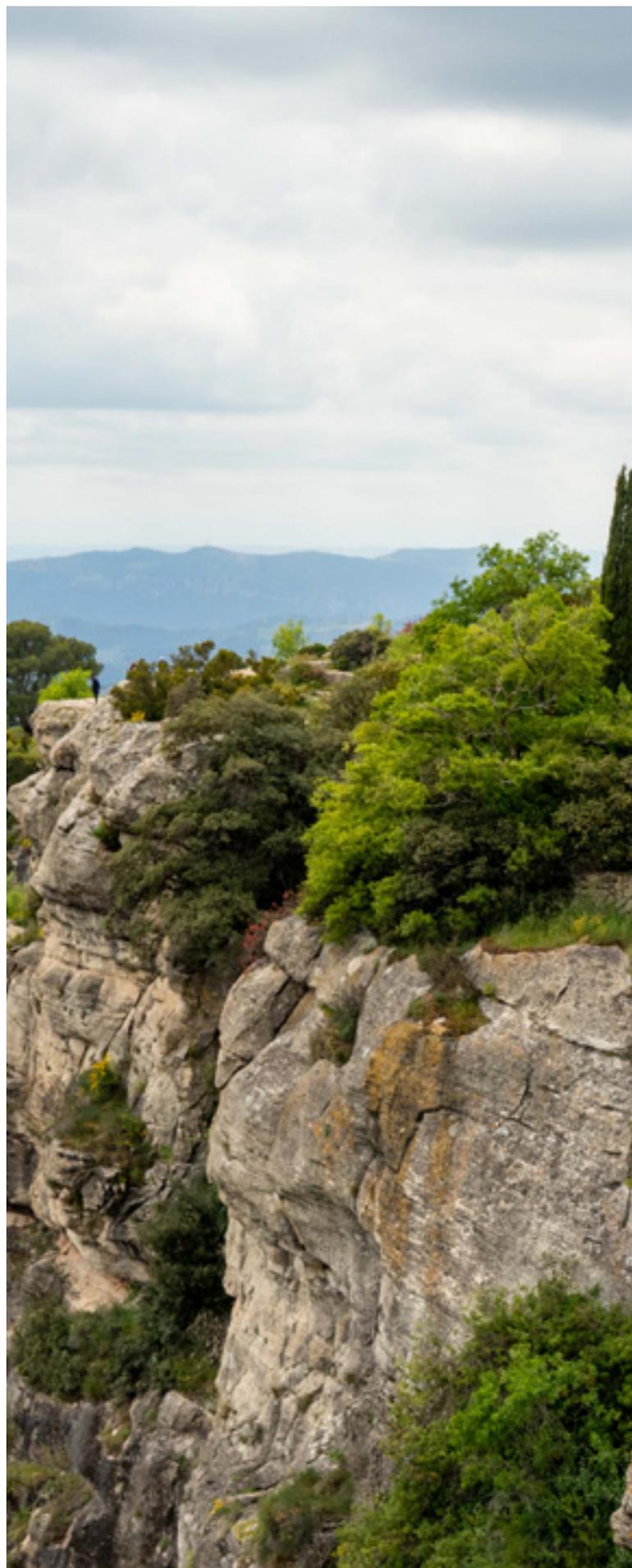


Relax in our Jacuzzis, sauna and pool~

\*Available on selected voyages as specified in the itinerary.

^Applicable to passengers arriving on Day 1 and departing on the final day of the Aurora itinerary.

~Swimming pools only available on *Sylvia Earle* and *Douglas Mawson*





Siurana, Spain © J Lafferty

# Our Team

Led by an experienced Cruise Director, our welcoming Team will ensure you feel right at home. Whether it's sharing tales of their travels at the bar, dining in friendly groups, or assisting you on your shore excursions, their warm camaraderie creates a relaxed, informal atmosphere throughout your journey. Our team of Tour Managers travels with you both onshore and onboard, ensuring you always have someone to ask questions or seek advice from. Supported by our onboard Shore Excursion and Concierge Team, you can feel comfortable broaching any subject.

Onshore, your Aurora Expeditions ground operations team are based at our hospitality desk in the hotel lobby, should you require any assistance. They ensure your travel experience is smooth going from welcome to farewell.

Our 'Your Choice' experiences are guided by professional local guides whose expertise and passion for their homeland is unmatched. Feel free to ask questions, speak to them about their country, or ask for 'insider knowledge' to enrich your travels. Our Team is here to help, enthusiastically sharing their knowledge to make each moment interesting, educational and enjoyable.



Our Team



# Our Master Storytellers

Long before the written word, our ancestors gathered around fires to share tales of survival, community and adventure. The storyteller, chosen for their oral prowess, wove narratives passed down through centuries, fostering companionship and community. At Aurora Expeditions, we believe that every day traveled creates a story.

On our Small Ship Cruises, your journey is hosted by a master storyteller. Selected for their deep knowledge, expert storytelling skills, and unwavering passion for the theme of their specific voyage, our hosts inspire exploration and cultural immersion. Whether a professor, archaeologist, or curator, their infectious enthusiasm for their chosen specialty is complemented by our network of local experts who guide our crafted onshore experiences.



Gregory of Nin, Split, Croatia



## Paul Woodadge

Renowned D-Day authority

Paul is a historian, author, and host of WW2TV, with 1700+ interviews focused on WW II. Inspired by his great uncle Cyril Rand, a Sword Beach veteran, Paul moved to Normandy in 2001 and founded a battlefield guiding company. He's a regular podcast guest, WWII festival speaker, and consultant for The History Channel, Discovery, and the BBC.



## John McGroary

Authentic voice on all things Irish

A proud Donegal native and former member of the Irish Police Force, John lends a personal connection to his captivating stories shaped by life near the Northern Ireland border. Having founded his own touring company, John's passion for all things Irish breathes life into legends, myths, and tales of his country's past, present, and future throughout your journey.



## Lorraine Kypiotis

Art aficionado

Lorraine Kypiotis is a passionate art historian with degrees in Italian Renaissance and a PhD in Art History. An engaging gallery lecturer and radio presenter, she weaves captivating tales of the history, culture, mythology, and philosophy that have shaped over 2000 years of Mediterranean life throughout your voyage.



## David Scott Silverberg

Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society

David is a geographer and earth scientist with a PhD from MIT. A fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, he's lived across Europe and Morocco, designing field programs for universities worldwide. His deep knowledge of geology, ecology, and culture enriches voyages through Spain, Portugal, Morocco, and the Canary Islands.

# Our ‘Your Choice’ Experiences

Our ‘Your Choice’ curated excursions and enrichment program are included in your voyage, offering the freedom to tailor each day to your personal interests. From immersive evenings ashore, to engaging onboard passengers and social events, every aspect of your journey is curated to provide enjoyment. Each journey follows a crafted theme, unveiling hidden histories, sharing intriguing secrets and spinning enthralling tales that enrich our travels.

Hosted by our team and led by local guides, our onshore and onboard experiences immerse us in myriad adventures. Our limited passenger numbers foster a uniquely intimate and relaxed atmosphere on board and on shore, while our ship provides us with a convenient ‘base camp’, indulging our travel senses with a full enrichment program.



Acropolis of Lindos, Rhodes, Greece



## Immersive Travel

Our 'Your Choice' excursions invite you to experience our destinations hands on. Follow in Van Gogh's footsteps through the streets of Arles, sense the echoes of Pompeii's last moments, and hear stories of survival from the *Titanic*.



## Local Flavors

Whether it is mint tea in Marrakech, a limoncello on the Amalfi Coast, or a paella in Valencia, rest assured your tastebuds will be tantalised.



## Locally Guided Walks

No-one knows their hometown like a local. Our 'Your Choice' excursions are guided by local experts, ensuring every experience is authentic and insightful.



## Cultural Enrichment

Explore the culturally fascinating, from Salvador Dalí's eccentric mausoleum, to the complexities of Northern Ireland's 'Troubles', and the hilltop village whose century-old traditions have crafted the world's most popular perfumes.



## Past and Present

Exploring Europe is akin to flipping through the pages of history, where each chapter unfolds in real time before your eyes.



## Artists and Artisans

Whether you are an art aficionado or simply captivated by the beauty of art, our curated experiences at galleries, architectural wonders and artisan workshops will entice your curiosity.



## UNESCO World Heritage Sites

Whether exploring Athens' Acropolis, Granada's Alhambra, Italy's Cinque Terre or the medina of Marrakech, we ask you to join us in preserving the world's most treasured sites.

# The British Isles & Northern Europe

Embark on a journey through time and tradition as we delve into the captivating narratives of Viking sagas, British legacies and Celtic connections.

From past to present, and place to place, through the lives of remarkable individuals and everyday people, the following voyages offer an immersive exploration of the rich heritage that continues to shape the nations of Northern Europe.





Celtic queen, Boadicea, London, England



Musicians, Ireland © Tourism Ireland



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Follow in the footsteps of the Irish who left for foreign shores, at Dublin, Cork, Kinsale and Londonderry~Derry
- Discover the rugged beauty of the Kingdom of Kerry, Cliffs of Moher, Slieve League Cliffs and Giant's Causeway
- Hear tales of Ireland's past at Dingle's Famine Cottages, Cobh Museum, Blarney Castle, Belfast's dockyards and on the streets of Dublin
- Explore your Irish heritage at Dublin's EPIC The Irish Emigration Museum, and learn tips on finding your ancestors from our onboard Irish Genealogist

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Dublin/Dublin	11 Days	08 May '26-18 May '26	IRN002D	Sail
Dublin/Dublin	12 Days	16 Jun '27-27 Jun '27	IRN003D	Sail

Note: IRN002D sails in reverse.

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# The Luck of the Irish

## Dublin to Dublin | 12 Days

A land of heroes and heroines, the outspoken and the underrated, Ireland's story twists and turns. Spellbound by its layered culture, we dig deep into its past to understand its present. We search the cliffs, castles, backstreets and hollow tree trunks of Ireland and Northern Ireland for tales of four-leaf clovers, leprechauns and pots of gold, as we immerse ourselves in the witty and wondrous world of Ireland's greatest export: the Irish.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Dublin and transfer to our group hotel  
Walking tour Dublin • Pour the perfect Guinness
- 2 • Glasnevin tour • Welcome event with traditional dinner & Irish dance performance
- 3 The Titanic Experience • Panoramic Belfast  
• Embark Belfast
- 4 Londonderry ~ Derry • 'Troubles' tour • Giant's Causeway & Dunluce Castle
- 5 Killybegs • Walk the wild Slieve League Cliffs  
• Ardara's traditional weavers and whiskey distillery
- 6 Galway city tour • Cruising the Connemara on Lough Corrib • View the Cliffs of Moher from the sea
- 7 Dingle Peninsula & Blasket Center • Famine Cottages and Sheepdog show
- 8 Bantry • Drive the Kingdom of Kerry • Scenic Beara Peninsula • Whiddy Island
- 9 Cork • Cobh's Titanic Experience • Kiss the Blarney Stone • Picture-perfect Kinsale
- 10 Waterford • Kilkenny Castle • House of Waterford Crystal
- 11 Disembark Dublin • EPIC Emigration Museum and CHQ • O/N Dublin
- 12 Depart Dublin



Hands Across the Divide, Londonderry~Derry, Northern Ireland

# Saints, Saviours and Secrets

Dublin to Edinburgh | 14 Days

This quintessential Irish journey pursues the pious to the irreverent, as we trace the footsteps of those who shaped the story of Ireland. From famine-stricken families to the poignant exodus of two million Irish to the 'New World', and from political prisoners fighting for independence, to literary luminaries capturing their homeland's spirit. Despite 80 million descendants claiming Irish ancestry, the true essence of Irish heritage resonates in Ireland's cities and villages, where we encounter more than a few saints, saviours and secrets.



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## HIGHLIGHTS

- Hear stories of Ireland's fabled folk, on locally guided tours
- Uncover secrets of Edinburgh's Royal Mile or visit Edinburgh Castle, and delve into the city's ghostly past
- Journey on a pilgrimage to the sites of Dingle, the Famine Cottages and the monks trail on the Beara Peninsula
- Be inspired by political prisoners and freedom fighters, from Dublin's Kilmainham Gaol to Scotland's William Wallace

## \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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Dublin/Edinburgh	14 Days	15 May '26-28 May '26	IRS001D	Sail
Dublin/Edinburgh	14 Days	24 Jun '27-07 Jul '27	IRS002D	Sail

IRS001D visits Isle of Man

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## ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Dublin and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Dublin walking tour • Glasnevin tour • Kilmainham Gaol
- 3 Guinness Storehouse tour • EPIC Emigration Museum • Embark Dublin
- 4 Waterford • Kilkenny Castle • House of Waterford Crystal
- 5 Cork • The Queenstown story • Blarney Castle • Kinsale
- 6 Bantry • Kingdom of Kerry • Whiddy Island • Beara Peninsula
- 7 Dingle's saintly sites • Famine trail & sheepdog show
- 8 Galway city • Cruising on Lough Corrib
- 9 Killybegs • Slieve League Cliffs • Ardara whiskey distillery
- 10 Londonderry ~ Derry • 'Troubles tour' • Giant's Causeway
- 11 Titanic Experience • Panoramic Belfast
- 12 Disembark Troon • Explore Glasgow • O/N Edinburgh
- 13 Ghostly Edinburgh • Edinburgh Castle • Royal Yacht Britannia
- 14 Depart Edinburgh



Royal Coat of Arms on Westminster Gate, London, United Kingdom



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Learn about regal dynasties at royal residences and castles including Windsor, Caernarfon, London and Edinburgh
- Step aboard HMV *Britannia* and sail Derwentwater in the Lake District
- Uncover the dramatic history of Scottish clans and Irish foes, and their conflicts with British rule at Edinburgh, Londonderry~Derry and the battlefields of Culloden
- Enjoy a right royal day out in London, the Lake District, Plymouth, Belfast and Anglesey

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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Edinburgh/London	15 Days	23 May '26–06 Jun '26	SCE001D	Sail
London/Edinburgh	15 Days	06 Jun '27–20 Jun '27	SCE002D	Sail

Note: Featured voyage SCE002D

SCE001D sails in reverse and will visit Waterford and Cowes instead of Guernsey

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# The Crown and the Clans

## London to Edinburgh | 15 Days

Few rivalries match the passion and endurance of the Scottish–English feud. Framed by the backdrop of Scotland’s resilient clans, whose unwavering cry for freedom has inspired generations, our journey promises a quintessentially British odyssey. Join us on this trail through the annals of time, on an enigmatic path from Scotland to Northern Ireland, Wales to England, as we explore historical sites and immerse ourselves in the fascinating tale of ‘The Crown and the Clans’.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in London and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 A royal day out in London
- 3 Visit the royal residence of Windsor Castle
  - Embark Portsmouth
- 4 Guernsey at war • Scenic Guernsey
- 5 Plymouth • Devon’s legendary moors • Mayflower Museum
- 6 Falmouth • Scenic Cornwall tour • Coastal St Mawes
- 7 Day at sea
- 8 Caernarfon Castle • Scenic Snowdonia National Park
- 9 Heysham • Cruise the Lake District’s Derwentwater
- 10 Belfast • Belfast tour • The Titanic Experience
- 11 Londonderry~Derry ‘Troubles’ tour • UNESCO-listed Giant’s Causeway & Dunluce Castle
- 12 Disembark Troon • Loch Ness • O/N Inverness
- 13 The Jacobite story at Culloden • O/N Edinburgh
- 14 Historic Royal Mile • Walk the halls of Edinburgh Castle
  - Royal Yacht Britannia
- 15 Depart Edinburgh



Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial, Colleville-sur-Mer, France



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- D-Day commemoration service at the Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial
- Join an expert to walk the Normandy beaches associated with the D-Day landings
- Visit the underground tunnels of Guernsey and Portsmouth's D-Day museum to hear wartime stories
- Delve into details of the campaign at Caen, Saint-Malo, the Churchill War Rooms and the Imperial War Museum

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

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London/Paris	9 Days	02 Jun '26-10 Jun '26	DDY001D	Sail

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# A D-Day Commemoration

London to Paris | 9 Days

On 6 June 1944, Allied forces launched a historic battle that would alter the course of World War II. This voyage pays homage to those who came ashore along the iconic Normandy coastline, by attending the commemorative events at the Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial. View museums and memorials that recount individual stories of heroism, and visit the Normandy villages that still commemorate their liberation over 80 years later. Join us for an unforgettable tribute to the events that reshaped the map of Europe, in honor of the men and women to whom we owe so much.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in London and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Imperial War Museum • Churchill War Rooms
- 3 D-Day Story Museum Portsmouth • Embark Portsmouth
- 4 Caen Memorial Museum • Pegasus Bridge • Airborne Sainte-Mère-Eglise Museum • D-Day Beaches
- 5 Omaha beach • D-Day commemoration ceremony at Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial
- 6 Saint-Malo • Mont-Saint-Michel • Saint-Malo WW II
- 7 Guernsey at war guided tour
- 8 Disembark Honfleur • Mont-Valérien • Musée de la Libération de Paris • O/N Paris
- 9 Depart Paris

# Mediterranean & Atlantic Coast

Considered by early civilizations to be the center of the ancient world, today the Mediterranean Sea shares its shoreline with 22 nations, while its eclectic mix of ports feed its reputation as a sailing mecca. Successive empires, countless invasions and vigorous trade routes have gifted this region a rich tapestry of traditions, cultures and peoples. Its shores abound with ruined cities, resort towns, popular beaches and colorful, cliffside villages. Immersive, educating and engaging, our voyages weave a tale of Europe's most impressive coastline – affectionately known to all who sail on her as the 'Med'.



Aerial view of Bonifacio, Corsica, France



Monument to the Discoveries, Lisbon, Portugal



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Be intrigued by the volcanic landscape, quaint villages and friendly locals of the Canary Islands
- Head inland to Marrakech for an overnight excursion where we enjoy its vibrant culture and iconic sites
- Explore the southern coastal towns of Spain and Portugal with their picturesque shores and whitewashed villages
- Discover stories of intrigue at castles, cathedrals and eclectic cities with your local guide
- Spend a 'British day out' on the Rock of Gibraltar

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Tenerife/Lisbon	14 Days	24 Apr '26–07 May '26	CIP001D	Sail
Las Palmas/Lisbon	14 Days	15 May '27–28 May '27	CIP002S	Sail

NOTE: Itinerary featured is CIP002S

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## The Sands of Time

### Las Palmas to Lisbon | 14 Days

Explore the intertwined histories of the Canary Islands, Morocco, Spain and Portugal on this thought-provoking voyage. From the Moorish conquest of Iberia to the brutal La Reconquista, the Age of Exploration to the tragic legacy of the slave trade, these regions have forged alliances and rivalries that influenced the world. Discover the evocative tales of battles, trade routes, and monarchical intrigue that shaped the region's heritage, as we uncover the shifting sands of time in the Canaries, Morocco, Andalusia, Gibraltar, Seville and the Algarve.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Las Palmas and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Touring Gran Canaria and Arucas • Embark Las Palmas
- 3 Arrecife's Puerto del Carmen • Timanfaya National Park • Valley of a Thousand Palms
- 4 Relaxing day at sea en route to Morocco
- 5 Disembark Agadir • Bahia Palace • O/N Marrakech  
Choice of Marrakech Medina in-depth or introduction guided tour • Majorelle Gardens • Embark Casablanca
- 6
- 7 Tangier's Kasbah district • Tangier food trail
- 8 Málaga • Moorish Ronda • Magical Málaga tour
- 9 Gibraltar highlights tour • The Great Siege of Gibraltar
- 10 Walking the heart of Seville • Introducing Seville tour
- 11 Cádiz tapas trail • Jerez wine bodega • Vejer de la Frontera
- 12 Portimão • Silves Castle & workshop • Algarve & winery
- 13 Disembark Lisbon • Lisbon tour • O/N Lisbon
- 14 Depart Lisbon



Mont-Saint-Michel, France



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Spring into the romance of Europe’s favorite season amid the tulips of Keukenhof, the gardens of the French Atlantic coast and the blossoms of the Spanish coast
- Taste the rewards of the spring at a cider farm in Gijón, the port caves of Porto and wineries of Le Médoc
- Stroll the flower-boxed streets of Bruges, the pilgrimage city of Santiago de Compostela and the canals of Amsterdam
- Embrace spring as it breathes life into the landscapes, villages and towns of the Atlantic coast, from Portugal to the Netherlands

### \*‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Lisbon/Amsterdam	17 Days	21 Apr '26–07 May '26	POH001G	Sail

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# A European Spring

## Lisbon to Amsterdam | 17 Days

Journey from Lisbon to Amsterdam, exploring the vibrant cities, towns and villages of the Atlantic coast. Enjoy fresh produce at lively markets, the best of Bordeaux and Porto, Holland’s tulip extravaganza, and blossoms galore. Traditions abound as May Day expels winter’s wrath, welcoming the ‘season of growth’, with towns dressing up for the sunny months ahead. With a spring in our step, we join the festivities on a voyage celebrating this enchanting season.

### ITINERARY & ‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Lisbon and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Highlights of Lisbon • Spring in Sintra • Palace of Quelez
- 3 Porto with Port caves visit • Embark Porto
- 4 Vigo • Santiago de Compostela • Wines of the Rías Baixas
- 5 Panoramic A Coruña • Ferrol • Santiago de Compostela pilgrims trail
- 6 Gijón • Cider farm tour • Historic Oviedo • Cudillero and Luarca
- 7 Locally guided tapas hopping lunch in San Sebastián
- 8 Le Verdon-sur-Mer • Wines of Le Médoc • Château picnic lunch • Bordeaux and City of Wines
- 9 La Rochelle • Corderie Royale • Cognac and Chocolate
- 10 Concarneau • Gauguin’s Pont-Aven • Creative Quimper
- 11 Roscoff’s roots • Medieval Lannion
- 12 Saint-Malo • Mont-Saint-Michel • Château de Montmarin
- 13 Honfleur • Giverny’s Monet’s garden • Rouen • Calvados tour
- 14 Oostende • Bruges • Ypres
- 15 Disembark Den Haag • Keukenhof Tulip Festival • O/N Amsterdam
- 16 Amsterdam canal cruise • Van Gogh Museum • Zaanse Schans
- 17 Depart Amsterdam



Saint-Malo, France



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the villages and seaside towns of the French Atlantic, Spanish and Portuguese coasts
- Taste the rewards of the region’s bounty at the cider farms of the Asturias, the port caves of Porto and cognac cellars of La Rochelle
- Stroll the streets of Bruges, the pilgrimage city of Santiago de Compostela and the canals of Amsterdam
- Hear tales of the pirates, artists and explorer who called this coastline home

### \*‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Amsterdam/Lisbon	17 Days	21 Sep’27–07 Oct’27	HOP001D	Sail

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# Coasting the Atlantic

## Amsterdam to Lisbon | 17 Days

From Amsterdam’s sultry canals to Lisbon’s sunlit streets, this Atlantic voyage traces a coastline that once launched emigrants, explorers, and pilgrims. Sailing in their wake, we’ll discover lands that sent ships from the edge of the known world, welcomed seekers of meaning, and traded spices, silk, and secrets. Wander medieval lanes, climb iconic steps, and taste the legacy of centuries-old commerce as you feel the sea’s enduring pull along Europe’s most storied shoreline.

### ITINERARY & ‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Amsterdam and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Amsterdam canal cruise • Heineken story • Clogs, cheese and Volendam
- 3 Zaanse Schans traditional village and windmills • Embark IJmuiden
- 4 Oostende • Bruges • WW II The Atlantic Wall
- 5 Honfleur • Caen, A D-Day story • Saint Joan of Arc’s Rouen
- 6 Guernsey’s WW II story • Scenic Guernsey panoramic tour
- 7 Saint-Malo • Mont-Saint-Michel • The riverside town of Dinan
- 8-9 Day 8 At sea • Day 9 Lorient • Gaugin’s Pont-Aven • Port Louis
- 10 La Rochelle • Chocolate and Cognac
- 11 San Sebastián • San Sebastián basque heritage • Guided tapas tour
- 12 Day at sea
- 13 Panoramic A Coruña • Guided tapas tour • Medieval Betanzos
- 14 Vigo • Santiago de Compostela pilgrimage tour
- 15 Disembark Porto • Porto tour with port caves • O/N Lisbon
- 16 Lisbon guided tour • Mercado da Ribeira • O/N Lisbon
- 17 Depart Lisbon



Plaza de España, Seville, Spain



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Follow in the wake of the Atlantic's iconic explorers and naval commanders
- Explore the maritime strongholds of Gijón, Vigo, Porto, Lisbon and Cádiz
- Experience the seafaring cultures along the Atlantic coast from Ferrol to Portimão
- Indulge in local seafood, wines, ports and sherry
- Hear tales of Tangier's wartime intrigue and delve into Marrakech's Berber culture

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Madrid/Marrakech	15 Days	10 Jun '26-24 Jun '26	SPM001D	Sail

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# An Atlantic Adventure

## Madrid to Marrakech | 15 Days

Sail the rugged Atlantic Coast of northern Spain to Morocco's exotic shores. Navigate waters once sailed by Christopher Columbus, Vasco da Gama, Sir Francis Drake, and Admiral Horatio Nelson, where epic battles and expeditions shaped global exploration. Starting in Madrid, we follow the picturesque Atlantic coastline to Portugal and Andalusia before sailing Cape Trafalgar, to hear tales of Tangier's wartime intrigue and Marrakech's vibrant Berber culture. Join us for a journey steeped in seafaring history and exploration on this wondrous Atlantic Adventure.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Madrid and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Royal Madrid • Madrid and the Museo del Prado
- 3 The city of Burgos and El Cid's story • Embark Bilbao
- 4 Gijón's cider houses • Character-filled Oviedo
- 5 A Coruña • Ferrol • The 'English Way' pilgrimage
- 6 Vigo • Santiago de Compostela • Roman Lugo
- 7 Porto • Port caves tour and tasting • Rabelo Boat Cruise
- 8 Sail the Atlantic coast
- 9 Lisbon explorers and treasures tour • Highlights tour
- 10 Portimão • Silves • Lagos and Cabo de São Vicente
- 11 Maritime Cádiz • Andalusia village • Tour Seville
- 12 Tangier Kasbah • Tétouan village and artisans tour
- 13 Disembark Casablanca • Tour Marrakech icons • O/N Marrakech
- 14 Artisan tour • Moroccan cooking class • Marjoelle Gardens
- 15 Depart Marrakech



van Gogh portrait



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit museums, studios and galleries dedicated to iconic Impressionist, Fauvist, Surrealist, Modernist and Renaissance artists
- Stroll streets laden with works of art in Barcelona, Marseille, Florence and Nice
- Discover towns, villages and sites that inspired the world's favorite artists
- Awaken your creative talent in our onboard art and photography classes with guidance from our artistic director and resident professional photographer

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Barcelona/Nice	9 Days	02 May '27-10 May '27	ART001D	Sail

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## A Mediterranean Canvas

### Barcelona to Nice | 9 Days

The sun-kissed skies and famed sands of the Spanish and French Riviéras have attracted artists for centuries, inspiring works that capture the very essence of this breathtaking stretch of coastline. From the modest studios of Cézanne, Gauguin, and van Gogh to the Provençal hilltop retreats and opulent seaside villas of Picasso, Matisse, Chagall, and Dalí, their stories showcase the region's most popular and lesser known treasures. As we sail, you'll have the rare chance to create your own 'Mediterranean masterpiece,' guided by our resident artist and professional photographer. Whether you're a keen artist, an enthusiastic photographer or simply looking to inspire your imagination, you'll be encouraged to explore your creativity, all while indulging in the stunning scenery that has fuelled generations of artistic expression.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Barcelona and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Guided tour of Barcelona's iconic sites • Embark Barcelona
- 3 Port-Vendres • Dalí's Figueres • Collioure • Carcassonne
- 4 Marseille • Artists of Aix en Provence • Marseille's Palais Longchamp • Van Gogh's Arles
- 5 Beaulieu-sur-Mer • Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild • Monaco
- 6 Artists focus on Florence • Scenic Tuscany tour • Pisa's Leaning Tower
- 7 Disembark Nice • Provençal ambience of the artist's hilltop town of Saint-Paul de Vence • O/N Nice
- 8 Picasso's Riviera Retreat in Antibes • A locally guided stroll through Nice • Marc Chagall National Museum and the Czars Cathedral
- 9 Depart Nice



Cinque Terre, Italy



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore artistic enclaves and elegant villas along the French Riviera from Picasso's Antibes to the opulent Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild
- Cruise the Ligurian coast to visit the cliffside villages of the UNESCO-listed Cinque Terre
- Soak up the ambience of the French and Italian Rivas
- Discover the Renaissance spirit of Tuscany in Florence's grand piazzas or Pisa's leaning tower
- Wander Rome's storied streets, where iconic monuments and timeless tales await

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Nice/Rome	9 Days	06 May '27-14 May '27	FRI001D	Sail

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## La Dolce Vita

### Nice to Rome | 9 Days

Sail the legendary shores and secret hinterlands of the French and Italian Rivas, where sea meets story and hills cradle history. From waterfront villages to cliffside citadels, we hear tales of the wanderers and visionaries who shaped this stretch of Europe, tracing its transformation through ancient empires, ages of elegance, artistic awakenings, and cinematic flair. All wrapped by the enduring spirit of *La Dolce Vita*.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Nice and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Walking Nice & its famous markets • Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild • Picasso Museum & Antibes
- 3 Explore the timeless hilltop village of Saint-Paul de Vence • Embark Nice
- 4 Genoa's palatial artworks • The Italian Riviera • Genoa - Europe's master mariner
- 5 Discover the coastal villages of the Cinque Terre
- 6 Tuscan gem of San Gimignano • Art on the streets of Florence • Pisa and the Pisanos
- 7 Disembark Livorno • The Vatican City's St. Peter's Basilica • O/N Rome
- 8 Highlights of Rome • Roaming Rome walking tour
- 9 Depart Rome



Michelangelo's David, Palazzo Vecchio, Florence, Italy



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit museums, studios and mausoleums dedicated to the great impressionists, fauvists, surrealists, modernists and Renaissance artists
- Explore streets and galleries laden with works of art in Barcelona, Florence, Monaco and Rome
- Wander eclectic lanes and alleys of Provençal villages, the Cinque Terre, Corsica's Cap Corse and Tuscany's San Gimignano
- Discover towns, villages and sites that inspired the world's favorite poets, authors and directors

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Barcelona/Rome	13 Days	30 Jun '26-12 Jul '26	SIT002D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

## Mediterranean Masterpiece

### Barcelona to Rome | 13 Days

The exclusive 'Rivieras' have for centuries inspired artists, architects, authors and actors. This voyage entertains us with tales of the famous faces who sculpted anonymous seaside villages and medieval towns into today's vibrant slice of European glamour. We'll follow their vision through the eclectic eras of the renaissance, the grand tour, La Belle Époque, the bons vivants, the swinging sixties and more, as we explore the Mediterranean's most sought-after stretch of coast.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Barcelona and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Guided tour of Barcelona's iconic sites • Embark Palamós
- 3 Dalí's Figueres • Perpignan • Carcassonne
- 4 Aix-en-Provence • Marseille's Palais Longchamp • van Gogh's Arles and Carrières des Lumières  
Tour Monaco • Nice and Chagall Gallery • Picasso Museum and St Paul de Vence • Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild
- 5 Villages of the Cinque Terre • Carrara Marble Caves
- 6 Art on the streets of Florence • San Gimignano
- 7 Elba • Napoleon's villa • Capoliveri village and beach
- 8 Bastia's Cap Corse peninsula • Corsican winery
- 9 Bonifacio • Sartène village and winery tour
- 10 Disembark Porto Santo Stefano • Vatican City: St. Peter's Basilica and Sistine Chapel • O/N Rome
- 11 Highlights of Rome • Full-day Rome walking tour
- 12 Depart Rome



Taormina, Italy



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the Amalfi Coast's indulgent cliffside villages, imperial retreats and modern-day celebrity hideaways
- Uncover Sicily's complex past, where powerful families vied for control and secret liaisons led to dramatic feuds
- Unearth ancient ruins and stories of survival from the streets of Pompeii, Syracuse and Agrigento's Valley of the Temples
- Scale the slopes of Mount Etna and Monte Cassino
- Visit Italy and Malta's famous UNESCO World Heritage Sites

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Rome/Valletta	12 Days	08 Jul '26-19 Jul '26	ITM001D	Sail
Rome/Valletta	13 Days	10 May '27- 22 May '27	ITM002D	Sail

NOTE: ITM001D visits some alternative ports. View the full itinerary on our website.  
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# The Godfather

## Rome to Valletta | 13 Days

For Italy aficionados, no trip to their favourite country is complete without visiting its southern shores, spending time on the cherished island of Sicily and dropping into the Mediterranean gem of Malta. Combined with the famed Mediterranean lifestyle, delicious food and wine, and the region's intriguing imperial past, this segment of Europe overflows with tales of family feuds, hidden secrets and dangerous liaisons, making its shores a fascinating find. Their stories are revealed on this voyage of 'Godfather' proportions.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Rome and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Choice of walking tours: Introducing Rome or Roaming Rome
- 3 Vatican City with Saint Peter's Basilica • Embark Livorno
- 4 Gaeta • Waterfront Gaeta • Monte Cassino WW II tour
- 5 Naples • Naples yesterday-today tour • Panoramic Naples • Royal Palace of Caserta
- 6 Salerno • Visit the ruins of Pompeii • Sail the Amalfi Coast
- 7 Celebrity hilltop hangout of Taormina • Mount Etna Silvestri Craters
- 8 Palermo's 'real' Godfathers • Private Palaces of Palermo • Panoramic Palermo
- 9 Agrigento's UNESCO-listed Valley of the Temples • Sicilian wine tasting
- 10 Syracuse UNESCO-listed site • Baroque Noto • Ortigia markets
- 11 Disembark Valletta • Malta experience and Valletta tour • O/N Valletta
- 12 WW II Malta • the 'Silent City' of Mdina
- 13 Depart Valletta



Gondolas in Venice, Italy



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Witness the modern-day renaissance of the Adriatic, from the timeless elegance of Venice to the cultural richness of Istrian villages and the medieval Republic of San Marino
- Immerse yourself in the rich history of knights, merchants and legions in Valletta, Split and Ravenna
- Explore the fortified cities of Dubrovnik, Gallipoli and Klis
- Discover southern Italy's lesser known gems of Matera, Alberobello, Corinaldo, Scilla and Lecce
- Meet the vintners and craftsmen at Gruda and Marche

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Valletta/Venice	12 Days	17 Jul '26–28 Jul '26	MAI001D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

## An Adriatic Renaissance

### Valletta to Venice | 12 Days

This unique voyage traces Italy's eastern seaboard and Croatia's coastal gems, from the fortified city of Valletta to the island haven of Venice. From the Knights of St. John to the adventures of Marco Polo and the spiritual journeys of centuries of pilgrims, our trip embodies the enduring spirit of this 'less trodden' path. Here, the stories of knights, merchants, legions and explorers converge to celebrate their courage, curiosity and resilience, leading us to the modern-day wonder that is the Adriatic's renaissance.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Valletta and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Local guided tour of Valletta • Embark Valletta
- 3 Reggio di Calabria • Pentadattilo • Scilla and Chianalea
- 4 Tour Gallipoli's walled city • Baroque Lecce
- 5 Bari • 'Trulli' stunning Alberobello • Matera's ancient Sassi cave dwellings • Castel del Monte
- 6 Dubrovnik's walls and Old Town • St. Vincenzo Monastery • Konavle Valley and Gruda village
- 7 UNESCO-listed treasures of Split and Trogir • Omiš and Cetina River cruise • Fortress of Klis and Stella Croatica village
- 8 Ancona • Explore the Republic of San Marino • Medieval town of Corinaldo • Marche winery visit
- 9 Historic Ravenna • Stroll the mural town of Dozza
- 10 Enchanting Rovinj • Istrian olive groves • Pula's Roman ruins • Motovun's medieval charm
- 11 Disembark Venice Fusina • Venice by gondola and tour
- 12 Depart Venice



Perast, Bay of Kotor, Montenegro



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore UNESCO-listed sites, such as the city walls of Dubrovnik, the fjord of Kotor, the ancient sites of Butrint and Delphi
- Experience the cultures of the coast with traditional wine tasting and local market visits
- Navigate historical waterways and coastal cities, traversing the engineering marvel of the Corinth Canal
- Discover the diverse legacies of the Mediterranean from Ottoman influences in Gjirokastër to the classical Greek heritage of Athens and the Venetian Republic on Corfu
- Witness Albania's varied history, from ancient times to its Cold War era and emerging travel scene

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Dubrovnik/Athens	13 Days	02 Aug '26–14 Aug '26	CRG001D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

## The Tide of Time

### Dubrovnik to Athens | 13 Days

Explore the dynamic coastlines of Croatia, Montenegro, Albania and Greece, where centuries of history unfold amid vibrant cultures. From the enduring legacies of ancient Greece and Rome to the diverse influences of inspiring empires, these lands abound with tales of conquests, alliances and cultural exchanges that resonate today. This voyage promises an exploration of one of Europe's most naturally stunning and culturally diverse regions, revealing enduring legacies that make this corner of the Mediterranean a must-see destination.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Dubrovnik and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Dubrovnik city tour • Dubrovnik city walls • St Vincenzo Dominican Monastery • Embark Dubrovnik
- 3 Hvar town tour • Lunch at a Family Farm • Jelsa winery
- 4 Korčula Old Town • Rural Korčula & wine tasting
- 5 Taste of Kotor • Lovćen mountain • Bay of Kotor cruise
- 6 Durrës • Tiranë's Cold War past • Hilltop Kruja Castle • Berat
- 7 Sarandë • Ancient Butrint • Gjirokastër – City of Stone
- 8 Corfu's Old Town • Acheillion Palace
- 9 Oracles of Delphi • Sailing the Corinth Canal
- 10 Nafplion's Old Town & ouzo tasting • Ancient Mycenae • Sanctuary of Asklēpiós & Epidaurus
- 11 Disembark Athens • Highlights of Athens • The Acropolis • O/N Athens
- 12 Discover Athens with a hop-on-hop-off bus pass
- 13 Depart Athens



Santorini, Greece



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit ancient UNESCO sites, including the legendary birthplace of the Olympic Games at Olympia, the pilgrimage site of Delphi and medieval Rhodes
- Taste the flavors of Greece from locally crafted olive oil to feasting on traditional delights straight from farm to table
- Discover the allure of the Cyclades, steeped in Greek mythology, the embodiment of the 'Greek way of life'
- Relax on sun-kissed Crete, wander picturesque villages and delve into its agriculture and ancient Minoan culture

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

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Athens/Athens	12 Days	10 Aug '26–21 Aug '26	GRA001D	Sail

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## It's All Greek to Me

### Athens to Athens | 12 Days

From the resonant melodies of the bouzouki to the majestic Parthenon and the anise-laden allure of ouzo, this voyage encapsulates 'everything Greek'. Explore legendary sites, wander sun-kissed islands, relax harbourside as fisherman tend their nets, join the locals in the lively sirtaki dance and savor sunsets over an azure Aegean horizon. One thing is certain: after this voyage, you'll honestly be able to say, "It's all Greek to me."

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Athens and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Ancient Athens and Acropolis tour • Gain a local's perspective of Athens on a guided street food tour
- 3 Discover Athens with a hop-on-hop-off bus pass • Embark Piraeus
- 4 Sail the Corinth Canal • Immerse yourself in the ancient wonders of the pilgrim site of Delphi
- 5 Discover Olympia • Traditional Greek farm feast
- 6 Katakolon • Roman Messini and Kalamata olive farm • Coastal fortress towns of Methoni and Pylos
- 7 Crete's Old Town Chania • Arkadi • Agrofarm tour
- 8 Minoan capital of Knossos • Farm-to-plate lunch • Winery visit
- 9 Medieval Rhodes • Ancient city of Lindos
- 10 Santorini's Akrotiri and village of Oia • Pyrgos winery
- 11 Mykonos island tour • UNESCO-listed site of Delos
- 12 Disembark Piraeus and transfer to Athens airport



Istanbul, Turkey



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Delight in Turkish cuisine and craftsmanship as you wander bustling bazaars, savor local street food and learn the art of Turkish carpet weaving
- Discover Istanbul's rich history and vibrant present, with visits to iconic sites like the Hagia Sophia, Topkapi Palace, the Blue Mosque and Grand Bazaar
- Explore the ruins of Ephesus, uncover the legends of Troy and pay tribute at the memorials of Gallipoli
- Cruise the stunning Turkish Riviera on a traditional gulet

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Athens/Athens	13 Days	19 Aug '26–31 Aug '26	GRT001D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

## Turkish Delight

Athens to Athens | 13 Days

Steeped in the legacy of the Ottoman Empire, Turkey and its neighbouring Greek islands beckon with a wealth of historical wonders, turquoise waters and bustling bazaars. From the vibrant streets of Istanbul, where the echoes of sultans and their courts resonate through time, to the ancient marvels of Ephesus, the coastal fortresses of Bodrum and Marmaris and the haunting memorials of the Gallipoli campaign, our journey unveils the captivating tale of faiths, conquerors and iconic figures that have shaped modern-day Turkey into a true delight.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Athens and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Athens and Acropolis • 'Foodie' tour • Socrates tour
- 3 Explore Athens independently • Embark Piraeus
- 4 Chios's mastic villages • Abandoned Anavatos
- 5 Ancient Lemnos • Myrina's heritage • Winery visit
- 6 Icons of Istanbul: Topkapi Palace, Blue Mosque, Hagia Sophia Grand Mosque • Evening event
- 7 Istanbul's Bazaar • Spice tour • Majestic mosques
- 8 Gallipoli remembrance tour • The story of Troy
- 9 Ancient Ephesus • Village of Şirince and cuisine
- 10 Bodrum • Etrim craft village • Gulet cruise
- 11 Knidos and olive farm • Turkish bath • Gulet cruise
- 12 Patmos • The story of St John • Greek beach scene
- 13 Disembark Piraeus and transfer to Athens airport



Santorini at sunset, Greece



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Unwind on the stunning beaches of Syros, wander through the whitewashed villages of Mykonos, and enjoy the iconic scenery of Santorini
- Explore the medieval Old Town of Rhodes, the sacred island of Delos, and the archaeological treasures of Ephesus, all recognised UNESCO-listed sites
- Crete's history unfolds as we discover the ancient Minoan sites of Knossos and its battlefields of WW II
- Touch on Turkey at the vibrant coastal town of Kuşadası

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

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Athens/Athens	12 Days	29 Aug '26-09 Sep '26	GRP001D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

## Sailing the Greek Islands

### Athens to Athens | 12 Days

Set sail to the Greek islands, where the essence of island living unfolds amid azure waters, whitewashed villages and waterfront tavernas. These islands are not just picturesque postcard destinations, they also embody the heart of Greek culture, showcasing the resilience and allure of this archipelagic nation, while each island offers a unique charm and invitation to explore. Starting with an exploration of the ancient wonders of Athens, our voyage unveils the distinct charm of each island, culminating in the ultimate Greek island experience.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Athens and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Ancient Athens and Acropolis • Gain a local's perspective on a guided street food tour
- 3 Explore Athens independently • Embark Piraeus
- 4 Mykonos walking tour • Sacred Delos • Beach time
- 5 Kuşadası • Ephesus • Village of Şirince • Gulet cruise
- 6 Sacred Patmos discovery • Beach time
- 7 Rhodes • Knights of St. John story • Lindos
- 8 Minoan legacy of Knossos • Agrofarm experience
- 9 Chania's Old Town • Crete in WW II • Agrofarm visit
- 10 Santorini's prehistoric Akrotiri • Village of Oia
- 11 Ermoupoli, Ano Syros and Vaporia • Day at the beach
- 12 Disembark Piraeus and transfer to Athens airport



The Acropolis, Athens, Greece



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at the ancient UNESCO-listed sites of Olympia, Delphi and Mycenae, where the foundation of civilisation was laid and classical myths were born
- Sail the engineering marvel of the Corinth Canal, a dramatic passage connecting Corinth to the Aegean Sea
- Tour Epidaurus, Messini, Pylos and Monemvasia, experiencing the timeless tales of heroes, gods and warriors
- Taste Greece's legacy and explore olive oil production in Kalamata, local ouzo in Nafplion and wine in Zakynthos
- Start your journey in Athens at the Acropolis and Agora

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Athens/Athens	10 Days	07 Sep '26–16 Sep '26	GRM001D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

## To Antiquity and Beyond

Athens to Athens | 10 Days

This classic voyage explores the fabled Peloponnese peninsula, where every step resonates with the echoes of ancient tales and timeless wonders. Here, in the rugged beauty of craggy coves and olive-grove-dotted hillsides, ancient villages beckon us, each whispering tales of bygone eras and sacred rituals. For in the Peloponnese, history is not merely a chapter in a book; it is a living, breathing testament to the enduring spirit of humanity, and one that we invite you to embrace as we journey through antiquity and beyond.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Athens and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Ancient Athens and Acropolis • In the footsteps of Socrates • Guided street food tour
- 3 Explore Athens independently • Embark Piraeus
- 4 Sail the Corinth Canal • Walk in the wake of ancient pilgrims at Delphi
- 5 Zakynthos island discovery tour • Family-owned farm visit
- 6 Uncover Olympia the home of the ancient Olympics • Farm and Greek feast experience
- 7 Messini ruins and Kalamata olives • Medieval coastal villages of Methoni and Pylos
- 8 Gytheio • Mani Peninsula villages • The ghost town of Mystras • Cliffside town of Monemvasia
- 9 Discover Nafplion and local ouzo tasting • Ancient Epidaurus • Mycenae's myths and archaeology
- 10 Disembark Piraeus and transfer to Athens airport



Aerial view of Dubrovnik, Croatia



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Embark on an epic journey immersing yourself in the rich heritage and cultures of Greece, Turkey, Montenegro, Croatia and Italy
- Explore the fascinating historical UNESCO-listed sites across the Mediterranean, from Athens' Acropolis and Ephesus' ruins to Dubrovnik's city walls and the streets of Pompeii
- Hear tales of myths and legends from your local guides as they entertain you at numerous iconic locations and lesser known gems throughout your journey

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Athens/Naples	18 Days	14 Sep '26-01 Oct '26	GRI001D	Sail

Voyage Codes: G = Greg Mortimer | S = Sylvia Earle | D = Douglas Mawson

# Myths of the Mediterranean

## Athens to Naples | 18 Days

This epic journey navigates legendary kingdoms, mythical lands and ancient sites as we explore Greece, Turkey, Montenegro, Croatia, Malta, and Italy with Sicily. Discover tales of all-powerful gods and heroic figures, opulent communities and political turmoil. Witness the enduring legacy of Sicilian feuds, piratic treasures and the tumultuous reigns of tyrannical Roman emperors. This voyage promises experiences as diverse and captivating as the peoples who have shaped these lands, as we collect enough intriguing tidbits and inspiring trivia to last a lifetime.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Athens and transfer to our group hotel
- 2-3 Day 2 Ancient Athens • Foodie Tour • Day 3 Embark Piraeus
- 4 Mykonos tour • UNESCO site at Delos • Beach time
- 5 Kuşadası • Ephesus • Şirince • Gulet cruise
- 6-7 Day 6 Santorini • Oia • Day 7 Crete in WWII • Cretan wine
- 8 Katakolon • Uncover Olympia • Farm & feast
- 9 UNESCO Old Corfu Town • Acheillion Palace
- 10 Kotor Old Town • Boka Bay cruise
- 11 Dubrovnik walking tour • Dubrovnik city walls
- 12-13 Day 12 Bari • Alberobello • Day 13 Gallipoli old town • Lecce
- 14 Crotone • Village of Santa Severina • Le Castella
- 15 Messina • Taormina • Mt Etna • The Godfather villages
- 16 Salerno • Amalfi lemon walk • Amalfi coast • Pompeii
- 17 Disembark Naples • Naples on a plate • Caserta • O/N Naples
- 18 Depart Naples



Feasting, Mediterranean style



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a taste of the Mediterranean at the farms, factories and fishing villages of Sardinia and Corsica, and the coastal towns in France, Spain, Morocco and Portugal
- Explore the markets in Nice, Toulon, Barcelona, Lisbon and Tangier with a local culinary guide
- Discover local specialities from vintners, spirit makers and liqueur specialists at wineries and bodegas
- Savor the flavors of the Mediterranean diet at traditional olive groves, family-owned farms and markets

### \*'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Naples/Lisbon	17 Days	28 Sep '26-14 Oct '26	ITP001D	Sail

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# Traversing the 'Med': A Mediterranean Feast

Naples to Lisbon | 17 Days

Sailing in the wake of historical trade routes, we cross a sea brimming with traditional fare. In eras when olive oil was liquid gold and wine favoured over water, the goods traded on these shores established rituals and lifestyles. We journey to century-old farmhouses, traditional fishing villages, world-class wineries, and woodfired kitchens as we immerse ourselves in the culture, traditions and trades of the people who ensure their homeland remains a treasure waiting to be tasted.

### ITINERARY & 'YOUR CHOICE' EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Naples and transfer to our group hotel
- 2-3 Day 2 Napoli on a plate • Tales of Naples • Pompeii  
Day 3 Embark Naples
- 4 Olbia • Porto Cervo • Sardinian vineyard tour
- 5 Scenic Cap Corse peninsula • Tastings of Corsica
- 6 Nice's markets • Monaco • Villa Rothschild
- 7 Toulon's markets • Saint-Tropez • Wine of Aix en Provence
- 8 Montpellier & Château de l'Engarran • Carcassonne
- 9 Barcelona's icons • Barcelona's culinary scene
- 10 Olive oil tasting • Landmarks of Palma de Mallorca
- 11-12 Day 11 Sailing the 'Med'  
Day 12 Granada's Alhambra • Alpujarras rural tour
- 13 Tétouan's artisans • Tangier's bustling bazaar
- 14 Bites of Cádiz • Jerez's story of sherry • Andalusia's Seville
- 15 Portimao • Sweet treat or pottery demo & Silves • Vineyard picnic
- 16 Disembark Lisbon • Lisbon tour • O/N Lisbon
- 17 Depart Lisbon



Moroccan Cuisine



Spanish fans



Medina market stall

# Sailing the ‘Med’: A Mediterranean Feast

Valletta to Lisbon | 18 Days



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## HIGHLIGHTS

- Tantalise your tastebuds in the markets and ‘foodie shops’ of • Málaga, Tangier and Valencia
- Visit farms and factories producing traditional treats on Menorca and Mallorca
- Savor your favorite wines from the seafront soils of the Algarve, the sun, the sun-drenched soils of Sardinia and the rugged granite landscapes of Corsica
- Immerse yourself in the icons of Agrigento, Valetta, Seville and Lisbon

## \*‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

## DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Valletta/Lisbon	18 Days	19 May '27–05 Jun '27	MAP001D	Sail

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Sailing ancient trade routes, we cross a sea rich in tradition, where olive oil was once liquid gold and wine flowed more freely than water. From the kitchens of Malta and Sicily to the island gems of Sardinia, Corsica, Menorca and Mallorca, we reach Lisbon’s vibrant harbour. Along the way, we visit historic farmhouses, fishing villages, wineries and woodfired kitchens – immersing ourselves in the culture, cuisine and time-honored traditions of communities who keep their homeland a treasure to be tasted.

## ITINERARY & ‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive Valletta and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Uncover Valletta on a guided tour • Embark Valletta
- 3 Agrigento Valley of the Temples • Sicilian wine tasting
- 4 Trapani • Medieval Erice • A taste of Marsala • Culcasi salt flats
- Day 5 At sea
- 5-6 Day 6 Olbia • The Aga Khan’s Porto Cervo • Sardinian winery
- 7 Bonifacio • Bonifacio city tour • Sartène & Corsican cellar
- Day 8 At sea
- 8-9 Day 9 Menorca - Mahón • Ciutadella • Menorcan farm
- 10 Mallorca • Panoramic Palma • Mallorcan olive oil farm visit
- 11 Valencia • Lladró porcelain • A morning at the Mercado Central
- 12-13 Day 12 At sea • Day 13 Málaga • Moorish Ronda • Magical Málaga
- 14 Tangier’s bustling bazaar • A taste of Tangier
- 15 Bites of Cádiz • Jerez – the story of sherry • Andalusia’s Seville
- 16 Portimão • Pottery workshop • Silves • Caminho dos Promontórios walk
- 17 Disembark Lisbon • Highlights tour • O/N Lisbon
- 18 Depart Lisbon



Alhambra Palace, Granada, Spain



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore eclectic medinas and meet the artisans and artists of Marrakech and Tangier
- Visit up to nine UNESCO-listed sites, including Marrakech’s medina, Granada’s Alhambra fortress, and Generalife, Gaudi’s Sagrada Familia and Seville’s cathedral
- Discover the whitewashed villages and hilltop enclaves of the Andalusian and Alpujarra regions
- Be mesmerized by the Moorish architecture and Christian citadels of Seville, Cádiz, Ronda and Mallorca

### \*‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES

Enjoy your choice of included excursions at each port of call. One excursion per person per port of call and city stay package is included. Note, the listed experiences are indicative only. Please view the full itinerary on our website.

### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Marrakech/Barcelona	13 Days	20 Jun '26–02 Jul '26	MOS002D	Sail

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## Moor Than A Myth

### Marrakech to Barcelona | 13 Days

Follow the captivating narrative of the Moorish Empire, and the Iberian Christians whose cultures collided to forge the kingdoms of Spain and Morocco. This voyage incites our senses with spicy tales of royal liaisons and imperial battles as we explore the labyrinths of Morocco’s medinas, Moorish architecture, Spanish citadels and Andalusian villages. No two days are the same on this exotic encounter as we engage with cultures famous for their colorful characters and vibrant lifestyles.

### ITINERARY & ‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Marrakech and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Choice of Marrakech Medina locally guided tours
- 3 Hassan II Mosque • Ricks Cafe • Embark Casablanca
- 4 Tangier’s Kasbah • A taste of Tangier foodie tour
- 5 Walking tour of Seville • Medieval Carmona • Sail the Guadalquivir River
- 6 Bites of Cádiz • The story of sherry • Vejer de la Frontera
- 7 Gibraltar • Scenic Andalusia & Moorish Ronda
- 8 Motril • Moorish Granada & Alhambra fortress • Regal Granada • Farm-to-plate rural Alpujarra
- 9 Roman Cartagena & National Museum of Underwater Archaeology
- 10 The story of Valencia • Albufera & Paella lunch
- 11 Panoramic Palma de Mallorca tour • The Moors of Mallorca • Mallorca’s ‘liquid gold’
- 12 Disembark Barcelona • Tour of Barcelona • O/N Barcelona
- 13 Depart Barcelona



Hassan II Mosque, Casablanca, Morocco © J Lafferty



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- Visit up to nine UNESCO-listed sites, including Marrakech’s medina, Granada’s Alhambra fortress, and Generalife, Gaudi’s Sagrada Familia and Seville’s cathedral
- Discover the volcanic heartland and scenic coasts of the Canary Islands
- Be mesmerised by the Moorish architecture and Christian citadels of Seville, Cádiz, Ronda and Mallorca

**\*‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES**

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**DATES**

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Marrakech/Barcelona	15 Days	20 Apr '27–04 May '27	CIS001D	Sail

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# The Cross & The Crescent Moon

Las Palmas to Barcelona | 15 Days

Shaped by centuries of conquest and coexistence, the Canary Islands, Morocco, and Spain reveal a rich history. At their heart lies the struggle between the Moorish Empire and Iberian Christians, forging enduring cultural legacies. From volcanic landscapes and maze-like medinas to sunlit citadels, each destination unveils royal intrigue, imperial ambition, and vibrant traditions. This voyage offers a sensory feast of architecture, music, and heritage that continues to echo across these storied lands.

**ITINERARY & ‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES\***

- 1 Arrive in Las Palmas and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Touring Gran Canaria and Arucas • Embark Las Palmas
- 3 Arrecife’s Puerto del Carmen • Timanfaya National Park • Valley of a Thousand Palms
- 4-5 Day 4 At sea • Day 5 Disembark Agadir • Marrakech’s Bahia Palace • O/N Marrakech
- 6 Choice of Marrakech Medina in-depth or introduction guided tour • Majorelle Garden • Embark Casablanca
- 7 Tangier’s bazaar and Legation Museum • A taste of Tangier
- 8 Bites of Cádiz • Jerez’s story of sherry • Andalusia’s Seville
- 9 Motril • Moorish Granada & Alhambra fortress • Regal Granada • Farm-to-plate rural Alpujarra
- 10 Magical Málaga • The Moorish enclave of Ronda
- 11 At sea
- 12 The story of Valencia • Valencia’s city of Arts and Sciences
- 13 Panoramic Palma de Mallorca tour • The Moors of Mallorca • Mallorca’s ‘liquid gold’
- 14 Disembark Barcelona • Tour of Barcelona • O/N Barcelona
- 15 Depart Barcelona

# Panama, Costa Rica & the Panama Canal

With over 50 per cent of their landscapes draped in rainforest, Costa Rica and Panama stand as Central America's premier sanctuaries of biodiversity. These green havens reflect a thriving commitment to conservation, where unique wildlife and rich ecosystems flourish. Among their many landmarks lies the legendary Panama Canal; an astonishing feat of engineering, carved by tens of thousands of workers more than a century ago. Together, these destinations offer a rare blend of natural wonders and human achievements, making them a highlight of any lifetime of travel.





Capuchin monkeys, Costa Rica



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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Fulfil a lifetime ambition to cruise the Panama Canal on a daytime crossing from Colón to Balboa
- Search for Costa Rica’s unique mammals and birdlife in Manuel Antonio National Park, and Golfo Dulce
- Learn about the engineering marvels of the canal at the Panama Canal Museum and Miraflores locks
- Spend time with the indigenous people of Panama at an Emberá village
- Cruise a wildlife-rich mangrove forest, take an aerial tram ride above a forest canopy and tour a Costa Rican coffee plantation

### \*‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES

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### DATES

Start/Finish	Duration	Dates	Voyage Code	Type of Voyage
Panama City/San José	10 Days	01 Oct '27–10 Oct '27	PAC001S	Sail

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## Crossing the Canal

### Panama City to San José | 10 Days

Stretching just over 64 kilometers from shoreline to shoreline, the Panama Canal slices through one of the world’s most captivating isthmuses. Join us for a remarkable crossing as we navigate the locks and lakes of this engineering marvel. Beyond the canal, we journey into the heartland of Central America’s wildlife-rich rainforests and waterways and meet its warm and welcoming people. This voyage blends the marvels of human ingenuity with the wonders of the natural world in a region where wildlife, culture and biodiversity combine to create the ultimate travel experience.

### ITINERARY & ‘YOUR CHOICE’ EXPERIENCES\*

- 1 Arrive in Panama City and transfer to our group hotel
- 2 Discover Panama City’s ‘old town’, Casco Viejo, on a locally guided walking tour, and kick off your crossing with a visit to the Panama Canal Museum to hear stories of the engineers and workers who built the canal
- 3 Prepare for our crossing by visiting the Miraflores locks where we learn about the engineering feats that will transport us through the canal • Embark Colón
- 4 Be inspired by our onboard expert who guides us through the canal on our daytime crossing
- 5 Balboa • Visit an authentic Emberá village to meet the people who call this region home, or immerse yourself in the Panamanian rainforest on an aerial tram ride through the forest canopy
- 6 Relish a day on board as we sail the sea to Costa Rica
- 7 Golfo Dulce • Choose to boat cruise, or kayak the bay, searching for whales and dolphins, or walk a rainforest trail with a local guide
- 8 Quepos • Search for sloths, white-faced monkeys and over 184 species of birds in Manuel Antonio National Park • Cruise the channels of the premier remaining mangrove forest in Costa Rica seeking wildlife encounters
- 9 Learn about Costa Rica’s greatest export at the Doka coffee plantation before an overnight stay in San José
- 10 Depart San José



# Our Small Ships

We proudly operate a fleet of three state-of-the-art, purpose-built small ships designed to bring us closer to the coastline and intimate locations. Each uses the latest advances in design and technology, creating a revolutionary small-ship experience.

Our dedication to offering exceptional voyages to small groups means traveling with no more than 153 like-minded passengers.



# Small Ships, Big Adventure

## Our Ships' Namesakes

The *Greg Mortimer* honors our founder, legendary explorer and mountaineer Greg Mortimer OAM. The *Sylvia Earle* is named after leading conservationist, marine biologist and oceanographer Dr Sylvia Earle, who was the first person selected as 'Hero for the Planet' by *Time* magazine and is one of the greatest advocates for protecting the world's oceans. Our newest ship, *Douglas Mawson*, is named after Sir Douglas Mawson, a legendary Australian explorer and geologist who was a key expedition leader during the Heroic Age of Antarctic Exploration.

## Intimately Sized Yet Hugely Innovative

Venturing to all seven continents, our small ships can access marinas, coves, and quays that larger vessels cannot—offering an unparalleled front-row experience of each destination. The Ulstein X-BOW® makes sailing smoother and faster, and is built to leave the marine environment undisturbed.

## The Perfect Base For Your Journey

On board, we offer everything you need to maximize your comfort and relaxation. While these brilliantly designed ships could be a destination in themselves, our primary focus is on showing you the wonders of the outside world through expansive windows and multiple observation decks.



Sir Douglas Mawson © Frank Hurley



Dr Sylvia Earle © T Brown





Balcony Stateroom, Sylvia Earle © R 'Anson



Dining Room, Greg Mortimer © S Lynn



Rockhopper restaurant, Sylvia Earle © B Stróżyński



# Our Onboard Experience

## Staterooms Designed For Maximum Comfort

Feel at home in the comfort of our spacious and well-appointed staterooms or suites. Choose from a range of configurations and features to suit every traveler, with dedicated single cabins across all our ships.

Every stateroom or suite features an ocean view and nearly all include balconies. Beautifully appointed, they showcase a simple, neutral color palette taking inspiration from nature. For added comfort, rooms include air-conditioning for warmer days and heated bathroom floors for cooler climates.

## Relaxed & Friendly Dining Options

Dine and meet new friends in our informal restaurants, enjoying our responsibly sourced farm-to-table food offerings. Our general dining room offers buffet-style breakfast and lunch, and an à la carte dinner service, with chefs crafting different menu options for each meal. We also have speciality restaurants on our ships, which feature a unique dining menu, including the *Greg Mortimer's* 'Tuscan Grill' and the *Sylvia Earle's* 'Rockhopper' restaurants.

For early risers, don't miss out on our pastries, coffee and tea in the lecture theater. Plus, try the latest cocktails and share drinks with newfound friends at one of our bars, with multiple locations, including the observation deck as well as the brand-new pool bar on the *Douglas Mawson*.

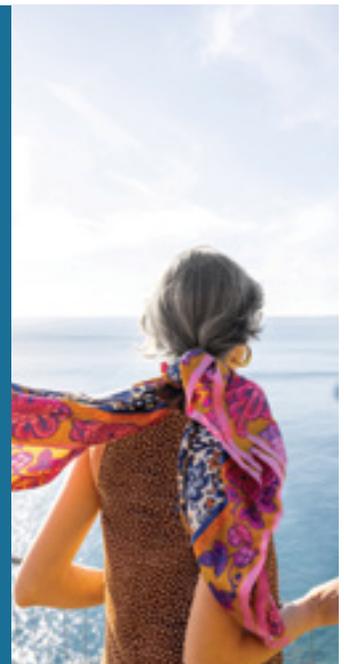


## Go Solo

There's nothing like the freedom of solo travel. With Aurora Expeditions you can set off on your own terms, discovering the world's most majestic destinations with a community of like-minded travelers and Expert Guides.

Our small, intimate ships foster easy connections. And our shore excursions are often conducted in small to medium-sized groups, allowing you to explore at your own pace, or surround yourself with others who share your passion for nature and discovery.

Right now, solo expedition travel is more accessible than ever. Ask your consultant for information on our solo traveler offers and single cabins.



# Exploration in Comfort

## Our Onboard Amenities

Our onboard amenities create an ideal base camp for adventure and discovery. The atmosphere on our ships is intimate and relaxed, so you can mingle with like-minded travelers and make new friends – whether you are enjoying extraordinary views on deck or indulging in our wellness spaces.

**VIEW** our incredible destinations through floor-to-ceiling windows that face every direction. Find a spot on the vast outside decks, or the dedicated observation areas. Aboard the *Greg Mortimer*, we also have unique viewing platforms that extend out either side of the ship, so you can get close to the real show outside.

**BE INSPIRED** by engaging presentations from our knowledgeable Master Storytellers and Tour Managers in our lecture theater.

**CONNECT** with your fellow passengers in the comfort of the bar while soaking up the evening entertainment.

**ENJOY** welcome drinks with the Captain and Guides.

**INDULGE IN WELLNESS** spaces such as the gym, sauna and Jacuzzis.

**UNWIND** in our wellness center aboard the *Greg Mortimer* or *Sylvia Earle*, enjoying a facial treatment or massage (additional costs apply).

**TAKE A DIP** in our swimming pools aboard the *Sylvia Earle* and *Douglas Mawson*.

**STAY HYDRATED** with our complimentary reusable water bottles (on request) and water refilling stations throughout the ship.

**RELAX** and unwind in the comfort of our well-stocked library.

**STAY CONNECTED** with complimentary access to Starlink wi-fi.





Jacuzzi, Suvlia Earle © M Horspool



Library, Greg Mortimer



Swimming pool, Sylvania Earle © M Horspool



Onboard Entertainment © P Harbore

## The British Isles & Northern Europe (USD)

– Ireland, Northern Ireland, Scotland, England, Wales, France

YEAR	VOYAGES	SHIP	CODE	DAYS	DATES	START-FINISH	AURORA STATEROOM SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM TRIPLE	AURORA STATEROOM TWIN
2026	The Luck of the Irish	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	IRN002D	11	08 May–18 May	DUB–DUB	US\$14,295	US\$15,695	N/A	US\$12,195
2026	Saints, Saviours and Secrets	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	IRS001D	14	15 May–28 May	DUB–EDI	US\$17,995	US\$19,795	N/A	US\$15,395
2026	The Crown and the Clans	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	SCE001D	15	23 May–06 Jun	EDI–LHR	US\$18,395	US\$20,195	N/A	US\$15,695
2026	A D-Day Commemoration	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	DDY001D	9	02 Jun–10 Jun	LHR–CDG	US\$10,595	US\$11,595	N/A	US\$8,995
2027	The Crown and the Clans	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	SCE002D	15	06 Jun–20 Jun	LHR–EDI	US\$20,495	US\$22,495	N/A	US\$17,495
2027	The Luck of the Irish	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	IRN003D	12	16 Jun–27 Jun	DUB–DUB	US\$16,195	US\$17,695	N/A	US\$13,795
2027	Saints Saviours and Secrets	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	IRS002D	14	24 Jun–7 Jul	DUB–EDI	US\$18,995	US\$20,795	N/A	US\$16,195

KEY: DUB - Dublin, Ireland EDI - Edinburgh, Scotland LHR - London, England CDG - Paris, France

## Mediterranean & Atlantic Coast (USD)

– Portugal, Spain, Morocco, Italy, Malta, Croatia, Slovenia, Montenegro, Albania, Greece, Turkey, France, Netherlands

YEAR	VOYAGES	SHIP	CODE	DAYS	DATES	START-FINISH	AURORA STATEROOM SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM TRIPLE	AURORA STATEROOM TWIN
2026	A European Spring	<i>Greg Mortimer</i>	POH001G	17	21 Apr–07 May	LIS–AMS	N/A	N/A	US\$16,695	US\$17,195
2026	The Sands of Time	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	CIP001D	14	24 Apr–07 May	TFS–LIS	US\$16,395	US\$17,995	N/A	US\$13,995
2026	An Atlantic Adventure	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	SPM001D	15	10 Jun–24 Jun	MAD–RAK	US\$17,495	US\$19,195	N/A	US\$14,895
2026	Moor Than a Myth	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	MOS002D	13	20 Jun–02 Jul	RAK–BCN	US\$16,395	US\$17,995	N/A	US\$13,995
2026	A Mediterranean Masterpiece	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	SIT002D	13	30 Jun–12 Jul	BCN–ROM	US\$16,395	US\$17,995	N/A	US\$13,995
2026	The Godfather	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	ITM001D	12	08 Jul–19 Jul	ROM–MLA	US\$15,395	US\$16,895	N/A	US\$13,095
2026	An Adriatic Renaissance	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	MAI001D	12	17 Jul–28 Jul	MLA–VCE	US\$14,295	US\$15,695	N/A	US\$12,195

KEY: LIS - Lisbon, Portugal AMS - Amsterdam, Netherlands TFS - Tenerife, Spain MAD - Madrid, Spain RAK - Marrakech, Morocco, BCN - Barcelona, Spain ROM - Rome, Italy MLA - Valletta, Malta, VCE - Venice, Italy DBV - Dubrovnik, Croatia ATH - Athens, Greece, NPL - Naples, Italy NCE - Nice, France LPA - Las Palmas, Spain ZAG - Zagreb, Croatia

AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR	BALCONY STATEROOM C	BALCONY STATEROOM B	BALCONY STATEROOM A	BALCONY STATEROOM SUPERIOR	JUNIOR SUITE	CAPTAIN'S SUITE	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
US\$12,895	US\$13,195	US\$13,895	US\$14,995	US\$16,395	US\$20,495	US\$24,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$16,295	US\$16,695	US\$17,595	US\$18,895	US\$20,695	US\$25,895	US\$30,695	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$16,595	US\$17,095	US\$17,995	US\$19,295	US\$21,095	US\$26,495	US\$31,395	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$9,495	US\$9,795	US\$10,295	US\$11,095	US\$12,095	US\$15,195	US\$17,995	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$18,495	US\$18,995	US\$19,995	USD 21,495	US\$23,495	US\$27,995	US\$31,995	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$14,595	US\$14,995	US\$15,795	USD 16,895	US\$18,495	US\$22,095	US\$25,195	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$17,095	US\$17,595	US\$18,495	USD 19,895	US\$21,795	US\$25,895	US\$29,595	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences

AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR	BALCONY STATEROOM C	BALCONY STATEROOM B	BALCONY STATEROOM A	BALCONY STATEROOM SUPERIOR	JUNIOR SUITE	CAPTAIN'S SUITE	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
N/A	US\$18,595	US\$19,595	US\$21,095	US\$22,995	US\$28,895	US\$34,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$14,795	US\$15,195	US\$15,995	US\$17,195	US\$18,795	US\$23,595	US\$27,995	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$15,795	US\$16,195	US\$16,995	US\$18,295	US\$19,995	US\$25,095	US\$29,795	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$14,795	US\$15,195	US\$15,995	US\$17,195	US\$18,795	US\$23,595	US\$27,995	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$14,795	US\$15,195	US\$15,995	US\$17,195	US\$18,795	US\$23,595	US\$27,995	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$13,895	US\$14,295	US\$14,995	US\$16,095	US\$17,595	US\$22,095	US\$26,195	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$12,895	US\$13,195	US\$13,895	US\$14,995	US\$16,395	US\$20,495	US\$24,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences

## Mediterranean & Atlantic Coast (USD)

— Portugal, Spain, Morocco, Italy, Malta, Croatia, Slovenia, Montenegro, Albania, Greece, Turkey, France, Netherlands

YEAR	VOYAGES	SHIP	CODE	DAYS	DATES	START-FINISH	AURORA STATEROOM SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM TRIPLE	AURORA STATEROOM TWIN
2026	Eight Million and One Dalmatians	Douglas Mawson	ITC001D	11	25 Jul–04 Aug	VCE–DBV	US\$13,295	US\$14,595	N/A	US\$11,395
2026	The Tide of Time	Douglas Mawson	CRG001D	13	02 Aug–14 Aug	DBV–ATH	US\$14,895	US\$16,295	N/A	US\$12,695
2026	It's All Greek to Me	Douglas Mawson	GRA001D	12	10 Aug–21 Aug	ATH–ATH	US\$16,395	US\$17,995	N/A	US\$13,995
2026	Turkish Delight	Douglas Mawson	GRT001D	13	19 Aug–31 Aug	ATH–ATH	US\$14,295	US\$15,695	N/A	US\$12,195
2026	Sailing The Greek Islands	Douglas Mawson	GRP001D	12	29 Aug–09 Sep	ATH–ATH	US\$16,895	US\$18,495	N/A	US\$14,395
2026	To Antiquity and Beyond	Douglas Mawson	GRM001D	10	07 Sep–16 Sep	ATH–ATH	US\$13,795	US\$15,095	N/A	US\$11,795
2026	Myths of the Mediterranean	Douglas Mawson	GRI001D	18	14 Sep–01 Oct	ATH–NPL	US\$23,595	US\$25,895	N/A	US\$20,195
2026	Traversing the 'Med': A Mediterranean Feast	Douglas Mawson	ITP001D	17	28 Sep–14 Oct	NPL–LIS	US\$19,395	US\$21,295	N/A	US\$16,595
2027	The Cross and the Crescent Moon	Douglas Mawson	CIS001D	15	20 Apr–4 May	LPA–BCN	US\$19,495	US\$21,295	N/A	US\$16,595
2027	A Mediterranean Canvas	Douglas Mawson	ART001D	9	2 May–10 May	BCN–NCE	US\$11,795	US\$12,895	N/A	US\$10,095
2027	La Dolce Vita	Douglas Mawson	FRI001D	9	6 May–14 May	NCE–ROM	US\$11,795	US\$12,895	N/A	US\$10,095
2027	The Godfather	Douglas Mawson	ITM002D	13	10 May–22 May	ROM–MLA	US\$17,095	US\$18,795	N/A	US\$14,595
2027	The Sands of Time	Sylvia Earle	CIP002S	14	15 May–28 May	LPA–LIS	N/A	N/A	USD 15,695	N/A
2027	Sailing the 'Med': A Mediterranean Feast	Douglas Mawson	MAP001D	18	19 May–5 Jun	MLA–LIS	US\$22,595	US\$24,795	N/A	US\$19,295
2027	Coasting the Atlantic	Douglas Mawson	HOP001D	17	21 Sep–7 Oct	AMS–LIS	US\$21,995	US\$24,095	N/A	US\$18,795

KEY: LIS - Lisbon, Portugal AMS - Amsterdam, Netherlands TFS - Tenerife, Spain MAD - Madrid, Spain RAK - Marrakech, Morocco, BCN - Barcelona, Spain ROM - Rome, Italy MLA - Valletta, Malta, VCE - Venice, Italy DBV - Dubrovnik, Croatia ATH - Athens, Greece, NPL - Naples, Italy NCE - Nice, France LPA - Las Palmas, Spain ZAG - Zagreb, Croatia

AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR	BALCONY STATEROOM C	BALCONY STATEROOM B	BALCONY STATEROOM A	BALCONY STATEROOM SUPERIOR	JUNIOR SUITE	CAPTAIN'S SUITE	OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES
US\$11,995	US\$12,295	US\$12,995	US\$13,995	US\$15,295	US\$19,095	US\$22,695	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$13,395	US\$13,795	US\$14,495	US\$15,595	US\$17,095	US\$21,395	US\$25,395	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$14,795	US\$15,195	US\$15,995	US\$17,195	US\$18,795	US\$23,595	US\$27,995	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$12,895	US\$13,195	US\$13,895	US\$14,995	US\$16,395	US\$20,495	US\$24,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$15,195	US\$15,595	US\$16,495	US\$17,695	US\$19,295	US\$24,295	US\$28,795	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$12,395	US\$12,795	US\$13,495	US\$14,495	US\$15,795	US\$19,795	US\$23,495	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$21,295	US\$21,895	US\$22,995	US\$24,695	US\$26,995	US\$33,895	US\$40,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$17,495	US\$17,995	US\$18,895	US\$20,295	US\$22,195	US\$27,895	US\$33,095	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$17,595	US\$17,995	US\$18,995	US\$20,395	US\$22,295	US\$26,495	US\$30,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$10,595	US\$10,895	US\$11,495	US\$12,395	US\$13,495	US\$16,095	US\$18,395	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$10,595	US\$10,895	US\$11,495	US\$12,395	US\$13,495	US\$16,095	US\$18,395	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$15,495	US\$15,895	US\$16,695	US\$17,995	US\$19,595	US\$23,395	US\$26,695	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$17,095	US\$17,595	US\$18,495	US\$19,895	US\$21,695	US\$25,895	US\$29,595	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$20,395	US\$20,895	US\$21,995	US\$23,695	US\$25,895	US\$30,795	US\$35,195	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences
US\$19,895	US\$20,395	US\$21,495	US\$23,095	US\$25,195	US\$29,995	US\$34,295	Included: 'Your Choice' Experiences

# Costa Rica & Panama (USD)

— Costa Rica, Panama

YEAR	VOYAGES	SHIP	CODE	DAYS	DATES	START-FINISH	AURORA STATEROOM SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM SUPERIOR SINGLE	AURORA STATEROOM TRIPLE	AURORA STATEROOM TWIN
2027	Crossing the Canal	<i>Douglas Mawson</i>	PAC001D	10	20 Oct–29 Oct	PAN–SJO	US\$13,795	US\$15,195	N/A	US\$11,795

KEY: SJO - San José, Costa Rica PAN - Panama City, Panama



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