



PERSONALLY CURATED SMALL GROUP & PRIVATE JOURNEYS

EUROPE 2021|22

MAXIMUM

10

GUESTS PER
SMALL GROUP
JOURNEY



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Welcome

Why do we love to travel - is it the journey or the destination?

Is it to relax, rejuvenate or escape from our busy lives at home? For the adventure and excitement of traversing new paths? To learn new cultures, both now and of years long ago? To build relationships with fellow travellers or with new friends from distant lands?

Is it the moments – a colourful sunset over the sea, a magnificent site not yet seen, a special bond forged, a new discovery, a wonderful meal or just the unexpected?

It may be some or all these things, which is why we believe the joy of travel is deeply personal depending on your curiosity and passion.

This is why we curate tailored travel experiences with each guest in mind. Specifically, we offer:

- > private tours of recommended itineraries based on our deep knowledge of a country, region or city;
- > private tours curated entirely to a specific request; and
- > small group tours of 10 people or less, designed to be experienced in a small group.

And because doing what we do relies on unrivalled skill and experience, we focus our attention on Europe, because the world is too big to be an expert in every place.

Ormina Tours' other belief is that travel is a celebration of life. It's a celebration of reward for the effort we give in our everyday lives. The celebration in sharing special moments with those special to us. And the celebration of people that live in the places we visit.

I hope our passion and experience encapsulated in our journeys inspire you and that we may host you to celebrate life in all its wonder.

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As our journeys reflect how we love to see the world, we trust there is an itinerary that appeals to your passion for travel. We look forward to welcoming you as one of our special guests.



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Our Small Group Journeys

Good things come in small packages.

For some, a 'small group' experience means travelling with 20 to 40 other guests – that doesn't sound very 'small' to us. We feel that even a maximum of 20 guests is too big, too impersonal and cannot deliver all the benefits of small group travel.



✓ Maximum 10 Guests

Our small group set departure tours are limited to 10 guests, **the smallest group size on the market**. This means a more intimate experience with like-minded travellers; a seamless journey, better access to guides and attractions; the ability to stay in charming boutique hotels; and greater flexibility on tour. And, if a set departure small group tour is not for you, we also curate private journeys, tailored to your interest (see next page).

✓ Leisurely Paced – 2 & 3 Night Stays

One night is never enough, which is why our well-designed itineraries focus on 2 and 3 night stays. This makes your experience more leisurely, relaxed and well-paced. We ensure our tours include plenty of leisure time for self-discovery.

✓ Exquisite 4 & 5-star Hotels Only

We use exquisite 4-star superior and 5-star hotels only on our Small Group Journeys. All city hotels are centrally located within a short walking distance of places of interest, ensuring you are at the heart of the city. Our country properties are chosen for their unique charm and local influences.

✓ Guaranteed Departures

Our Small Group Journeys are guaranteed to depart with a minimum of just two guests. This gives you the additional confidence and certainty to book with us well in advance.

✓ Value

We deliver this exclusive experience with no premium. Compared to group tours of 20 or more, our Small Group Journeys represent incredible value. There are no hidden costs or optional extras with our tours. All sightseeing, admissions and transfers are included as per the itinerary. The only cost you need to cover are meals not specified, city taxes on hotel stays (if applicable) and personal expenses.

✓ Trusted

We have been delivering quality travel journeys for over 20 years, so we are very proud of the outstanding feedback we receive from our guests and that they choose us again and again. As the rest of the market plays catch up, you can rest assured that you're travelling with the experts in Small Group Travel. We are also ATAS accredited, identifying that we have been assessed to meet strict industry financial and customer service criteria.



✓ Adapting to your group size

Mercedes Transport

Our deluxe transfers for small group touring use luxury Mercedes vehicles or equivalent. The vehicle will depend on the party size and may range from S-Class Sedan to a Luxury Sprinter Mini-Van or Mini-bus.

Mercedes Sedan – 1-2 guests

Mercedes Minivan – 3-6 guests

Mercedes Minibus – 7-10 guests

You are guaranteed to travel in comfort and style with ample space and leg room when you book with Ormina Tours.

✓ Expert leadership

Our local drivers and guides are experts in their area and will ensure your trip runs smoothly.

Tour Directors join groups with 7 or more guests to provide a more fluid journey when there is a slightly larger group to coordinate.



Private Journeys

Ormina Tours are curators of bespoke itineraries, tailored just for you.

Whether you are looking for the best season, the smallest crowds or have specific dates in mind, private journeys allow for complete flexibility.

We have people on the ground in almost all of Europe, so we are perfectly placed to take care of your entire European holiday, from the moment you land to the moment you leave.



We have designed thousands of private journeys from leisure vacations to European weddings and honeymoons, bucket list adventures, family generational trips and special need assisted holidays. We can also fill in the gaps with one-off services or hotel bookings.

Every journey is assigned to one of our personal curators who will be delighted to tailor a special and unique journey for you.

"We have undertaken a number of overseas tours with groups of varying sizes but never before independently using arrangements such as those you made for us. We may never tour with a group again!"

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Denis and Barbara – Malta and Puglia Regional
Discovery, April 2019

Where to start

Look to our range of Small Group Journeys, or Private Itineraries as a starting point for inspiration as we plan and deliver your perfect holiday. They have been meticulously crafted to include our recommendations on places, attractions and experiences.

To help us get started, think about a few of your preferences when travelling, such as:

- > Travel dates.
- > Hotel star rating or style.
- > Private or Group Sightseeing options.
- > Private driver or self-drive car rental.
- > Travel interests such as food & wine, art & architecture or archaeology.
- > A budgeted daily spend.

Read our case study to see how we can develop a unique tailored itinerary for your travel needs.

PERSONAL
SERVICE

To create your bespoke private journey simply email us at bespoke@orminatours.com or contact your local travel agent.

Customising your journey

We work closely with you to design an itinerary that suits your travel preferences.



CASE STUDY

Family Spain Discovery

THE BRIEF

- > Family of four (2 adults and 2 children, 12 and under)
- > Specific dates, flights already purchased
- > Specified 2-bedroom accommodation in high-end hotels
- > Approximate 4-night stays in each location
- > First time travellers to Spain with a wish list of locations
- > Interests include the arts, food and beaches
- > Working with their travel agent, Ormina was able to create a bespoke itinerary showcasing Spain within the required budget and time frame.

"Leaving the details of our holiday to our local travel agent, Village Travel, and Ormina Tours was the best thing we could've done, ensuring an awesome, stress-free family holiday."

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Mark & Jacinda – Private Spain & Portugal Itinerary 2019



Seville, Spain



THE FINAL ITINERARY

Highlights & inclusions

- > Private guided tours and admissions
- > Leisure time in each location
- > Trains between certain locations
- > Private transfers

3 nights Barcelona

NH Collection Barcelona Gran Hotel Calderón 5*

- > Private guided tour of Gaudí's masterpieces with admissions
- > Private walking tour of La Ramblas and the Gothic quarter
- > Visit and entrance to the UNESCO Listed Palau de la Musica

2 nights San Sebastian

Zurriola Loft Private Apartments

- > Private guided tour of San Sebastián old town

4 nights Valencia

Hotel Vincci Mercat 4*

- > Leisure time for independent exploration

3 nights Seville

EME Catedral Hotel 5*

- > Private guided walking tour of Seville
- > Dinner and flamenco performance

3 nights Faro (Portugal)

Hotel Faro & Beach Club 4*

- > Full day private excursion of Faro
- > Leisure time to enjoy the beach and hotel facilities

3 nights Madrid

Hotel NH Collection Madrid Suecia 5*

- > Private guided tour of Madrid
- > Leisure time to relax and unwind at end of trip



"Everything was coordinated meticulously, and our itinerary worked perfectly with plenty of time in each city to explore and relax... there was nothing for us to do except enjoy the experience."

Mark & Jacinda – Private Spain & Portugal Itinerary 2019

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Italian Journeys



City Breaks & Regional Discoveries

Below are an example of popular City Breaks and Regional Discoveries we offer; these are perfect alone or as Pre or Post Tour extensions.

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1 Classic Italy

7 Days

Delivering Italy's must-see cities of Venice, Florence and Rome, as well as select Tuscan villages. [See page 13.](#)



2 Highlights of Italy (North)

13 Days

The complete highlights of Northern Italy: must-see cities, the Lake District, the Italian Riviera and Tuscany. [See page 17.](#)



3 Highlights of Italy (South)

7 Days

The historic capital Rome; the amazing coastline and towns of the Amalfi Coast and Capri; plus Pompeii and Caserta. [See page 21.](#)



4 Enchanting Puglia

8 Days

Undiscovered Puglia featuring whitewashed hill towns, delicious food and wine, stunning coastlines and ancient ruins. [See page 25.](#)



5 Sicily Bella

10 Days

Beautiful and diverse: stunning coastlines, rugged mountains, ancient ruins, historic villages and warm hospitality. [See page 29.](#)



6 Italian Lakes & Swiss Mountains

9 Days

A scenic, nature-inspired journey delivering the best of Italy and Switzerland's beautiful lakes, lakeside villages and mountains. [See page 33.](#)



7 Piedmont: Food, Wine & Truffles

7 Days

A regional discovery of culinary activities including truffle infused cuisine, paired with Barolo and Barbaresco wine in an idyllic setting. [See page 37.](#)



8 Tuscan Villages

8 Days

All of Tuscany's best secluded villages plus Lucca, Siena and San Gimignano and of course, gastronomic delights in truffle hunting, cooking class, cheese farm and wineries. [See page 41.](#)

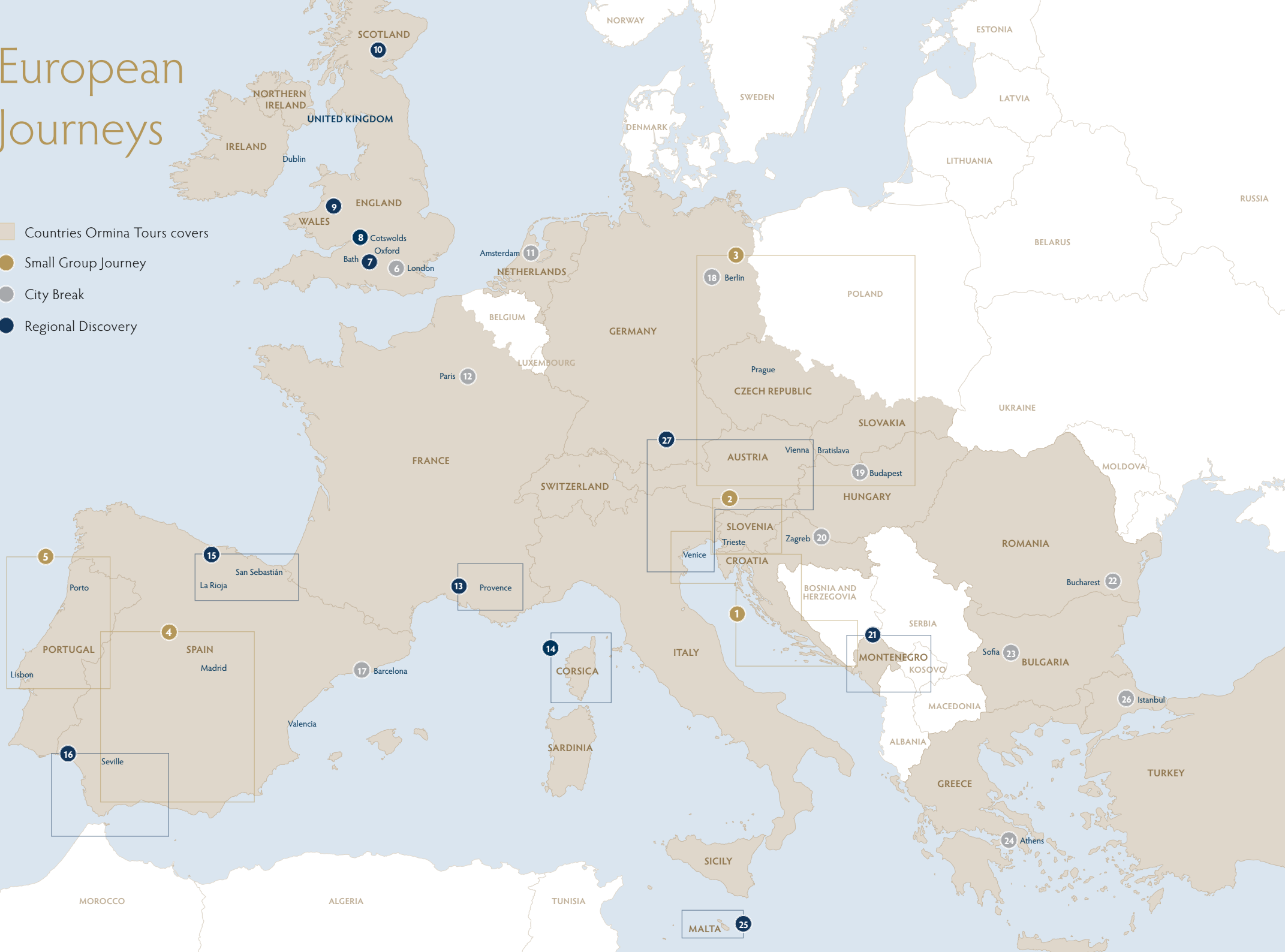
European Journeys

Countries Ormina Tours covers

Small Group Journey

City Break

Regional Discovery





1 Beautiful Croatia

11 Days

Featuring fortified Dubrovnik, Croatian Islands, Plitvice Lakes and stunning Istrian seaside towns.

See page 45.



2 Slovenia Discovery

8 Days

Beautiful natural beauty including Lake Bled, Triglav National Park's stunning gorges, lakes and waterfalls, castles, caves, wine region and picturesque Adriatic towns.

See page 49.



3 Berlin to Budapest

11 Days

Weaving a path through bustling central European cities with history, culture, nightlife and romance.

See page 53.



4 Best of Spain

10 Days

The classic Spain experience covering Madrid, Cordoba, Granada and Seville; the charming towns of Toledo, Ronda, Baeza and Úbeda; and of course, a flamenco performance! See page 57.



5 Best of Portugal

6 Days

Featuring Lisbon, Porto, Portugal's best villages and lunch in the Douro Valley.

See page 61.

City Breaks & Regional Discoveries

City Break itineraries are designed to introduce you to the best and most interesting parts of a European city. Our Regional Discoveries cover local area highlights. Both are perfect alone or as Pre or Post Tour extensions – below are the City Breaks and Regional Discoveries we offer.

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11	Amsterdam, Netherlands	5 Days 76
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13	Provence, France	8 Days *
14	Corsica, France	8 Days 87
15	Northern Spain	6 Days 84
16	Southern Spain	6 Days 85
17	Barcelona, Spain	5 Days 83
18	Berlin, Germany	5 Days 77
19	Budapest, Hungary	5 Days 78
20	Zagreb, Croatia	4 Days 82
21	Montenegro	5 Days 82
22	Bucharest, Romania	4 Days *
23	Sofia, Bulgaria	3 Days *
24	Athens, Greece	5 Days 80
25	Malta	7 Days 81
26	Istanbul, Turkey	4 Days *
27	Christmas Markets, Castles & Prosecco	9 Days 79

* Visit orminatours.com



"THE WORLD IS A BOOK AND THOSE WHO
DO NOT TRAVEL READ ONLY ONE PAGE."
ST AUGUSTINE

Classic Italy

7 DAYS

Classic Italy is the perfect introduction to Italy, covering the must-see cities of Rome, Florence and Venice plus select villages in the Tuscan countryside. Over the journey, immerse yourself in Italy's iconic cultural treasures, indulge in the finest wines of Tuscany's vineyards and explore the historical ruins of an ancient world. Incorporating access to famous sites, leisure time to satisfy your adventurous spirit, deluxe transport and quality 4 and 5-star hotels, the experience is one to be savoured.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit 'must see' Italian cities of Rome, Florence and Venice with select Tuscan towns.
- > 6 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels
- > 6 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided sightseeing in Rome, Siena, Florence and Venice.
- > Guided tour of the Accademia Gallery.
- > Lunch and wine tasting at a Tuscan winery.
- > Entrance to the Colosseum, Roman Forum, Accademia Gallery, Siena Cathedral, Saint Mark's Basilica and Doge's Palace.
- > Visit 5 UNESCO World Heritage Listed Sites in historic Rome, Siena, San Gimignano, Florence and Venice.
- > Deluxe VIP transport and premium class trains.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Archaeological
Sites



Art &
Architecture



Colosseum, Rome



Tuscany



Duomo, Florence



Piazza San Marco, Venice

DAY 1 Rome (D)

Bienvenuto! Welcome to historic Rome, Italy's capital, the epicentre of the ancient world and the idyllic starting point for your Classic Italy tour. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel to freshen up and then perhaps stroll to the Spanish Steps and Trevi Fountain. In the evening, enjoy a unique three-course welcome dinner in a Roman home to savour and learn about local food and traditions.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Grand Hotel de la Minerve 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Rome (B)

Enjoy a private tour of ancient Rome including the Colosseum, Arch of Constantine, Roman Forum and Palatine Hill. Our guide will meet you in the hotel and you shall explore Rome as a local using public transport.

The afternoon is at your leisure. Options include exploring St Peter's and the Sistine Chapel, strolling the gorgeous canopies of the Villa Borghese gardens or shopping on Via Del Corso.

DAY 3 Rome – Florence (B, L)

Depart Rome and step aboard the fast train to Florence. On arrival, transfer to your hotel before enjoying lunch at a local trattoria. Afterward, embark on a wonderful walking tour of Florence with your local guide to discover the Ponte Vecchio, the Duomo, the Giotto's Campanile, the Baptistry with the Gates of Paradise and the Accademia Gallery, that houses Michelangelo's masterpiece – the Statue of David – as well as his 'Unfinished Prisoners'.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel L'Orologio, Florence 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Florence – Siena – San Gimignano – Florence (B, L)

Visit Siena for a guided morning tour of one of Italy's most enchanting cities. While Florence saw its greatest flourishing during the Renaissance, Siena's artistic glories began earlier and are Gothic inspired. The medieval centre bristles with majestic buildings, such as the Palazzo Pubblico, while its plethora of churches and small museums harbour a wealth of artwork. Afterward, continue to a San Gimignano winery for lunch and wine tasting followed by time to stroll the village of San Gimignano, famous for its medieval architecture, surviving 13th century towers, hilltop setting and encircling walls. Enjoy time to climb the towers and relax in its quaint Piazzas before continuing to Florence.

DAY 5 Florence – Venice (B)

Enjoy the morning at leisure to perhaps visit the Uffizi Gallery or indulge in Florence's fantastic shopping including its reputable leather goods market and world-famous gelato boutiques. In the early afternoon, step aboard the fast train to Venice, an amazing UNESCO World Heritage Listed city, built on 118 islands with 150 canals and 400 bridges! Check into your wonderful hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at your leisure to explore the winding canals.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Palace Bonvecchiati 4-star or similar

DAY 6 Venice (B)

Enjoy a morning guided tour of Venice including the Rialto Bridge, the Grand Canal, the Bridge of Sighs, St. Mark's Basilica and entry into the Doge's Palace to witness legendary paintings by Tintoretto, Veronese and Bosch.

The afternoon and evening are at your leisure. Enjoy an iconic gondola ride, browse the city's artistic glass, leather goods, antiques and jewellery stores or take an excursion to the islands of Murano and Burano to marvel at the work of master craftsmen.

DAY 7 Venice (B)

Guests not continuing with us will be transferred to the airport for your ongoing journey.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Rome	Venice	Twin Share per person	Rome	Venice	Twin Share per person
03-May-21	09-May-21	\$4,690	02-May-22	08-May-22	\$4,690
07-Jun-21	13-Jun-21	\$4,690	06-Jun-22	12-Jun-22	\$4,690
05-Jul-21	11-Jul-21	\$4,690	04-Jul-22	10-Jul-22	\$4,690
20-Sep-21	26-Sep-21	\$4,690	19-Sep-22	25-Sep-22	\$4,690
Single Supplement		\$2,400	Single Supplement		\$2,400

* All prices are listed in AUD unless otherwise stated.
Prices in other currencies are available on our website.



HOTEL L'OROLOGIO FLORENCE

STAY **2** NIGHTS

- > Ideally located in Florence's Piazza Santa Maria Novella, this 55 room boutique hotel is elegantly appointed combining modern amenities with contemporary design.
- > The hotel features wonderful views to the Basilica of Santa Maria Novella and a rooftop terrace overlooking ancient buildings and historic churches.



Otranto, Puglia



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Highlights of Italy (South) Private Journey (7 Days)

- > Complement your Classic Italy tour with a pre-tour private journey extension to the Amalfi Coast, tailored from our Highlights of Italy (South) tour.
- > Absorb the breath-taking views from the Amalfi Coast towns of Positano, Ravello, Sorrento and Capri.

Explore more on page 21.

Enchanting Puglia (8 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Stay in the Trulli houses of Alberobello and the caves of Matera, each recognised with a UNESCO World Heritage Listing.
- > Discover the ancient Roman city of Lecce, featuring baroque architecture and dubbed the Florence of the South.

Explore more on page 25.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Slovenia Discovery (8 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Combine your Classic Italy tour with the Slovenia Discovery Small Group Journey with 2 intervening nights, recommended in Trieste.
- > The complete Slovenian experience: Ljubljana, Lake Bled, Štajerska wine region, castles, caves and the picturesque Adriatic coast.

Explore more on page 49.

Lake Como Regional Discovery (5 Days)

- > Relax in one of Europe's most popular retreats for aristocrats and the wealthy since Roman times with its prestigious villas and villages.
- > Discover the lakeside villages such as Como, Cernobbio and Bellagio; visit the exquisite Villa Carlotta; enjoy excursions to Lake Iseo and Lake Maggiore including Isola Bella's Borromeo Palace; and cruise the crystal waters surrounded by panoramic mountains.

Explore more on page 66.



"ITALY IS A DREAM THAT KEEPS RETURNING
FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE."

ANNA AKHMATOVA

Highlights of Italy (North)

13 DAYS

Delivering the perfect blend of Italy's finest mainland attractions, Highlights of Italy (North) features the vibrancy of its iconic cities, the tranquillity of the Lake District, the beauty of the Riviera and the splendour of Tuscany's winding roads, hilltop towns and vineyards. The tour offers a delicious blend of popular sites, secret treasures and unforgettable experiences. From cruising Lake Como, absorbing the breath-taking views of Cinque Terre or wine tasting in Montalcino, every day will be an absolute highlight.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Experience Italy's 'must see' cities, the Lake District, Cinque Terre and Tuscan villages.
- > 12 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 12 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided sightseeing of Venice, Lake Como, Cinque Terre, Florence, Accademia Gallery, Siena and Assisi.
- > Lunch in Cinque Terre at a stunning seaside restaurant.
- > Lunch and wine tasting at a renowned winery in Montalcino.
- > Visit a cheese farm for a tour and tasting near Pienza.
- > Entrance to Doge's Palace, Saint Mark's Basilica rooftop, Villa Carlotta, Accademia Gallery and Siena Cathedral and Piccolomini Library.
- > Visit 10 UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites including Venice, Verona, Cinque Terre, the Piazza del Duomo Pisa, Lucca, Florence, San Gimignano, Siena, Pienza and the Basilica of San Francesco in Assisi.
- > Deluxe VIP transport including boat excursions in Lake Como and Cinque Terre.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Natural
Beauty



Art &
Architecture



Towns &
Villages



Grand Canal, Venice

DAY 1 Venice

Welcome to magnificent Venice! Upon arrival, transfer to your spectacular hotel before spending the rest of the day absorbing the breath-taking views of this amazing UNESCO World Heritage Listed city.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Palace Bonvecchiati 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Venice (B, L)

Enjoying a morning walking tour of the main Venetian sites including Doge's Palace, Bridge of Sighs, Piazza San Marco, Saint Mark's Basilica and the Rialto Bridge, followed by a welcome lunch. The afternoon and evening is free to explore at leisure. Perhaps stroll the maze of alleyways and iconic canals, experience a gondola ride or visit Murano's renowned glass factories.

DAY 3 Venice – Verona – Lake Garda – Lake Como (B)

Depart Venice for Verona, famous for Romeo and Juliet's balcony, before continuing to the shores of Lake Garda (Sirmione) for independent time with magnificent views. Afterwards, continue to Lake Como, renowned for its picturesque natural beauty including spectacular mountain scenery.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Grand Hotel Villa Serbelloni 5-star or similar

DAY 4 Lake Como (B)

Enjoy a morning guided exploration of Lake Como commencing in Bellagio. Bellagio is often described as the most beautiful village in Italy for its spectacular mid-lake location, promenade planted with oleanders and lime trees, hotels decorated with shades of peach and cream and the towns cobbled alleyways. Afterward, ferry to



Sirmione, Lake Garda



Tuscany, Italy

"Ormina Tours manages to achieve the ideal balance between active travel and personal leisure time."

Graham & Anne – Highlights of Italy (North) 2018

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Tremezzo for a guided tour of Lake Como's most famous residence, Villa Carlotta. The 17th century villa features luxurious interiors and an exquisite 17-acre garden decorated with sculptures, stairs, fountains and over 500 species of plants. The rest of the day is at your leisure to perhaps visit the village of Varenna or Bellagio's Villa Melzi D'Eril.



Feature
Hotel



GRAND HOTEL VILLA SERBELLONI LAKE COMO

STAY 2 NIGHTS

- > Impressive neo-classical building steeped in tradition, dating to 1872.
- > The hotel's guest list includes Winston Churchill, J.F Kennedy, Roosevelt, sovereign heads of state and aristocracy.

DAY 5 Lake Como – Milan – Santa Margherita (B)

Depart Lake Como for bustling Milan with leisure time to visit Piazza del Duomo, Milan's Cathedral, the stunning Vittorio Emanuele II Gallery and wander the streets of Via Montenapoleone and Via della Spiga in Milan's upscale fashion district. Afterwards, continue to the idyllic Italian Riviera town of Santa Margherita.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Grand Hotel Miramare 5-star or similar

DAY 6 Santa Margherita – Cinque Terre – Santa Margherita (B, L)

Experience the picturesque Cinque Terre by boat, train and on foot with our local guide. These stunning villages with their colourful houses, narrow streets and miniature squares, cling to the rugged Riviera coastline and are listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The day includes an organised lunch in Vernazza with a wonderful seaside view.



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INCLUSION

Dine at Vernazza's famed Belforte Restaurant in an 11th century castle serving delicious seafood with magnificent views overlooking the sea.

DAY 7 Santa Margherita (B)

Today you have the entire day to enjoy at your leisure. Return to Cinque Terre to walk between the towns; venture along the Riviera to Portofino, renowned for its picturesque harbour and boutique shops; hike in Portofino National Park; or simply relax in beautiful Santa Margherita.

DAY 8 Santa Margherita – Pisa – Lucca – Florence (B)

Depart for a quick visit of Pisa's Piazza del Duomo and Leaning Tower before continuing to the enchanting town of Lucca, famous for its historic centre and medieval towers. Afterward, continue to Florence to freshen up at your stunning hotel and enjoy an evening at leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel L'Orologio Florence 4-star or similar

DAY 9 Florence (B, D)

Delight in a guided walking tour of Florence, a paradise for art lovers and a tribute to the Renaissance. Visit the main sites including the Ponte Vecchio, the Duomo, Piazza Signoria, the Baptistery, Giotto's bell tower, the Basilica of San Lorenzo and Accademia Gallery. Afterwards, you have the afternoon to take advantage of Florence's famous shopping including its leather goods, artwork and antiques, before regrouping for a special dinner.



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INCLUSION

For an unforgettable evening, dine at the exclusive 5-star SESTO Restaurant with magnificent views over Florence.

Order from the a la carte menu as you please.

DAY 10 Florence (B)

Today is yours to enjoy at leisure. Continue exploring beautiful sites such as the Pitti Palace or Vasari Corridor, or discover Uffizi Gallery, which hosts some of the most important works of Italian and Florentine artists.

Departures and Pricing

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16-Jun-21	28-Jun-21	\$9,890	15-Jun-22	27-Jun-22	\$9,890
14-Jul-21	26-Jul-21	\$9,890	13-Jul-22	25-Jul-22	\$9,890
01-Sep-21	13-Sep-21	\$9,890	31-Aug-22	12-Sep-22	\$9,890
29-Sep-21	11-Oct-21	\$9,890	28-Sep-22	10-Oct-22	\$9,890
Single Supplement		\$5,000	Single Supplement		\$5,000

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DAY 11 Florence – Siena – Tuscan retreat (B)

Depart for Siena for a guided tour of the old town, famous for its cuisine, art, museums, medieval cityscape and the Palio, a famous horse race held twice a year. Visit the main sites including Siena Cathedral and the amazing frescoes in the Piccolomini Library, the shell-shaped Piazza del Campo, the Palazzo Pubblico and the Torre del Mangia. Continue to your magnificent Tuscan retreat where you may relax or partake in an optional late afternoon cooking class.

STAY **2 NIGHTS:** Castel Monastero Resort 5-star or similar

DAY 12 Tuscan retreat – Montalcino – Pienza – Tuscan retreat (B, L)

Enjoy a later start to enjoy time in your magnificent retreat before embarking on an excursion to Montalcino and Pienza. Enjoy independent time in Montalcino, perched high on a hill and famed for its surrounding vineyards that produce Italy's most prestigious Brunello di Montalcino wine, before indulging in a light lunch and tasting at a renowned winery. Afterward, continue to Pienza, one of Tuscany's most picturesque villages with time to stroll the charming streets before driving through the surrounding UNESCO declared World Heritage Listed cultural landscape for a tour and tasting at a cheese farm.

DAY 13 Tuscan retreat – Assisi – Rome (B)

Visit Assisi, best known as the birthplace of St. Francis, Italy's patron saint, and its location amid Umbria's rolling hills. Enjoy a guided tour of Assisi's main attractions including the Basilica of San Francesco d'Assisi in the Franciscan monastery. Afterward, continue to Rome. Guests not continuing to Highlights of Italy (South), Enchanting Puglia or a Rome City Break extension will transfer to the airport.



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

- A Beautiful Croatia** (11 Days) Small Group Journey
 - > Complement Italy with a popular pre-tour through Croatia with our Beautiful Croatia Small Group Journey.
 - > Covering the full length of Croatia including Dubrovnik, Hvar, Split, Plitvice Lakes National Park and Istria including Rovinj.

Explore more on page 45.

Emilia-Romagna Regional Discovery (6 Days)

- > Continue for a gastronomy adventure into Emilia-Romagna to visit producers of Italy's most important foods such as prosciutto, Modena balsamic vinegar and Parmesan cheese. Also visit Antica Corte Pallavicina for a Michelin star lunch.
- > The region also boasts the medieval towns of Bologna and Ravenna that played significant roles in Italy's history.

Explore more on page 69.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Rome City Break (5 Days)

- > Extend your stay with a post-tour option to explore Rome's Colosseum, St Peter's Basilica and Sistine Chapel.
- > Enjoy a day trip to Pompeii with lunch on a charming farmstead.

Explore more on page 72.

B Highlights of Italy (South) (7 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > Continue your discovery into the south to experience Italy's historic capital Rome, ancient Pompeii, the breath-taking beauty of the Amalfi Coast and Caserta's Royal Palace.
- > Enjoy lunch at a local farmstead and in the clifftop town of Ravello, visit Capri and taste the famous local speciality 'Limoncello' at a lemon grove.

Explore more on page 21.

"LIFE IS SHORT AND THE WORLD IS WIDE"
ANONYMOUS



Highlights of Italy (South)

7 DAYS

Highlights of Italy (South) focuses on the vibrancy of Italy's historic capital Rome, ancient Pompeii, the breath-taking beauty of the Amalfi Coast and Caserta's amazing Royal Palace. All four attractions are UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites. The experience is a popular stand-alone journey or may be combined with Highlights of Italy (North) to deliver the perfect blend of Italy's finest mainland attractions.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Experience Italy's capital Rome and the best attractions to the south including Pompeii, Capri, Positano and Caserta.
- > 6 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 6 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L).
- > Guided sightseeing of Rome, Pompeii, Capri, Amalfi and Caserta.
- > Lunch at a charming local farmstead near Pompeii.
- > Full day excursion to the Isle of Capri.
- > Lunch in Ravello served with magnificent views.
- > Visit a lemon grove and taste the local specialties including Limoncello.
- > Entrance to the Colosseum, Sistine Chapel, St Peter's Basilica, Pompeii, Villa Cimbrone and Caserta Royal Palace.
- > Visit 4 UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites of historic Rome, Pompeii, Amalfi Coast and Caserta's Royal Palace.
- > Deluxe VIP transport and boat excursion to Capri.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Natural
Beauty



Art &
Architecture



Archaeological
Sites



St. Peter's Basilica, Vatican City

DAY 1 Rome

Welcome to historic Rome, the 'Eternal City', founded in 753BC that makes it one of the oldest continuously occupied cities in Europe! Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel to freshen up before strolling the streets of the UNESCO World Heritage Listed historic centre.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Grand Hotel de la Minerve 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Rome (B)

Enjoy a full day excursion of Rome's main sites including the magnificent Colosseum, St Peter's Basilica and the Vatican Museum to marvel at the amazing frescos in the Sistine Chapel.

The evening is free to explore Rome's magnificent streets and piazzas. Visit the Spanish Steps and Trevi Fountain or perhaps shop on Via Del Corso or the glamorous Via Dei Condotti.



Pompeii, Italy



Ravello, Italy

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Rome	Rome	Twin Share per person	Rome	Rome	Twin Share per person
24-May-21	30-May-21	\$5,890	23-May-22	29-May-22	\$5,890
28-Jun-21	04-Jul-21	\$5,890	27-Jun-22	03-Jul-22	\$5,890
26-Jul-21	01-Aug-21	\$5,890	25-Jul-22	31-Jul-22	\$5,890
13-Sep-21	19-Sep-21	\$5,890	12-Sep-22	18-Sep-22	\$5,890
11-Oct-21	17-Oct-21	\$5,890	10-Oct-22	16-Oct-22	\$5,890
Single Supplement \$2,900			Single Supplement \$2,900		

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DAY 3 Rome – Pompeii – Sorrento (B, L)

Depart for Sorrento, stopping on the way for a guided tour of Pompeii to view the excavated ruins of a Roman city buried in ash in AD 79 and lost before its rediscovery in 1748. Afterward, enjoy an authentic lunch on a delightful farmstead. Continue to the beautiful Campanian seaside town of Sorrento to check into your hotel and enjoy a magnificent evening at your leisure.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Imperial Hotel Tramontano 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento (B)

Spend an unforgettable day on the island of Capri. Embark on the hydrofoil and receive a guided orientation around the Island with leisure time to explore. Options include stepping aboard a motorboat to visit the Blue Grotto or take the gondola from Anacapri up Mount Solaro.

DAY 5 Sorrento – Ravello – Amalfi – Positano (B, L)

Visit the popular town of Ravello with entrance to the famous Villa Cimbrone. Afterward, enjoy lunch with a breath-taking view of the Mediterranean and the dramatic Amalfi coastline before continuing to Amalfi to visit a terraced lemon grove bearing the region's famous Sfusato Amalfitano trees. Taste lemon treats including the famous limoncello before enjoying the scenic drive along the winding coastline to Positano.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Marincanto 4-star or similar

DAY 6 Positano (B)

Enjoy the entire day to explore the famous cliffside village of Positano, with its steep narrow streets lined with boutiques and cafes and amazing beaches including the Marina Grande.

DAY 7 Positano – Caserta – Rome (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of Caserta with its remarkable Royal Palace, built in the 18th century with over 1200 rooms all decorated in unique styles. Enjoy the sites, scents and sounds of the stunning parklands and gardens. Afterward, return to Rome and arrive in the late afternoon to the airport for your ongoing journey.



★★★★★

GRAND HOTEL DE LA MINERVE ROME

STAY 2 NIGHTS

- > Perfectly located, overlooking the historic Pantheon and minutes from Piazza Navona, the Trevi Fountain and Spanish Steps.
- > Boasts one of Rome's best rooftop terraces.



Lake Como, Italy



Cefalù, Sicily



Ostuni, Puglia

Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Highlights of Italy (North) (13 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > Highlights of Italy (North) and (South) run back to back to provide a complete discovery of the must-see destinations of mainland Italy.
- > Featuring Italy's iconic cities, the Lake District, the Italian Riviera and Tuscany's winding roads, hilltop towns and vineyards.

Explore more on page 17.

Italian Lakes & Swiss Mountains (9 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Combine Highlights of Italy South's amazing Amalfi Coast with Italy & Switzerland's stunning Lakes & Mountains.
- > Italian Lakes & Mountains features 6 Lakes with amazing 5-star hotels and the iconic Bernina Express.

Explore more on page 33.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

B Sicily Bella (10 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Experienced back-to-back, Highlights of Italy (South) and Sicily Bella provide the perfect discovery of southern Italy.
- > Explore Sicily's stunning coastline, rugged mountains, active volcano, ancient ruins and historic villages.

Explore more on page 29.

Puglia Regional Discovery (8 Days)

- > Post-tour private extension from the Amalfi Coast into nearby Puglia, based on our Small Group Journey.
- > Visit Matera, one of the world's oldest cities and stay in a cave hotel; explore the Roman ruins of Lecce; enjoy picturesque Mediterranean villages on the Salento Peninsula; and marvel at the Trulli houses of Alberobello.

Explore more on page 25.



Enchanting Puglia

8 DAYS

At the heel of Italy's boot, discover beautiful whitewashed villages, stunning coastlines with turquoise coloured waters, ancient ruins and gastronomical delights. The magic of Puglia has long been known to the Italians, but now the secret is out, and it awaits you on this magnificent regional discovery.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Experience the region's 'must see' towns including Matera, Grottaglie, Lecce, Otranto, Alberobello and Polignano a Mare.
- > 7 nights in a boutique property and 5-star hotels including a Trullo.
- > 7 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided sightseeing of Matera, Lecce, Alberobello and Castellana Cave.
- > Private cooking class to make traditional orecchiette.
- > Guided tour with wine pairings at a local winery followed by lunch.
- > Visit the charming seaside villages of the Salento Peninsula.
- > Private boat excursion in Santa Maria di Leuca.
- > Entrance to Casa Grotta & Chiesa Rupestre, Basilica di Santa Croce and Duomo, Trullo Sovrano and Castellana Cave.
- > Visit the UNESCO World Heritage sites of Matera and Alberobello.
- > Deluxe VIP transport.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



DAY 1 Bari – Matera (D)

Welcome to Puglia, a region less travelled that is bursting with stunning landscapes and history. On arrival, transfer to ancient Matera to relax and freshen up before an organised welcome dinner.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Le Origini or similar

DAY 2 Matera (B)

Enjoy a walking tour of Matera, a UNESCO World Heritage listed city and one of the oldest continually inhabited settlements in the World. Discover the Murgia National Park famous for its caves and rock formations, as well as the limestone shaped caves of the Sassi rock. Enjoy free time in the afternoon to explore at your leisure.

DAY 3 Matera - Ginosa - Grottaglie - Lecce (B, L)

Visit Ginosa for a private orecchiette (hand made fresh local pasta) cooking class followed by an amazing lunch with wine. Afterward, pass through the charming town of Grottaglie, famous for its ceramics. Enjoy time to observe the craftsmen and browse the many shops selling the unique hand-made goods. Continue to Lecce, known as the 'Rome of the South' with its ancient Roman amphitheatres, 17th Century Baroque style churches and Palaces, surrounded by stunning countryside, coastlines and small towns. Arrive in the late afternoon and enjoy the evening at leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Risorgimento Resort 5-star or similar



Experience an amazing authentic cooking class with a local family revealing generation-old techniques. The mouth-watering lunch is one to be remembered.



Basilica di Santa Croce, Lecce



Otranto, Italy

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Bari	Bari	Twin Share per person	Bari	Bari	Twin Share per person
25-Apr	02-May	\$4,890	24-Apr-22	01-May-22	\$4,890
24-May	31-May	\$4,890	23-May-22	30-May-22	\$4,890
12-Jun	19-Jun	\$4,890	11-Jun-22	18-Jun-22	\$4,890
28-Jun	05-Jul	\$4,890	27-Jun-22	04-Jul-22	\$4,890
26-Jul	02-Aug	\$4,890	25-Jul-22	01-Aug-22	\$4,890
13-Sep	20-Sep	\$4,890	12-Sep-22	19-Sep-22	\$4,890
26-Sep	03-Oct	\$4,890	25-Sep-22	02-Oct-22	\$4,890
Single Supplement \$2,500			Single Supplement \$2,500		

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DAY 4 Lecce (B, L)

Stroll amongst the stunning architecture, Roman ruins and discover Lecce's traditions on a walking tour including entrance to the Basilica di Santa Croce and Duomo. Afterwards, enjoy a winery tour and lunch with wine pairings at their local restaurant.



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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Venture into the sun-drenched Puglian countryside, the second largest producer of wine grapes in Italy. The winemakers are garnering attention of international markets for their wine quality in recent years. Enjoy a tour and wine tasting at an emerging vineyard, paired with a delicious lunch.

DAY 5 Lecce - Santa Maria di Leuca - Castro - Otranto - Lecce (B)

Enjoy a full day excursion exploring the beautiful villages and coastline of the Salento Peninsula. Visit Santa Maria di Leuca for a private boat ride, including time to swim off the boat in amazing waters. Afterward, enjoy time for an independent lunch before passing through the picturesque village of Castro to Otranto, where you have time to explore before returning to Lecce.



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INCLUSION

The beaches and sea in Puglia is almost unrivalled in Italy. At the tip of the Salento Peninsula, board a private boat to enjoy time on the Ionian Sea with time to swim off the boat for a unique experience.

DAY 6 Lecce – Ostuni – Martina Franca - Alberobello (B)

Visit the beautiful whitewashed town of Ostuni, with a historical tradition of painting all the houses with white lime. Stroll the streets at your own leisure and perhaps visit its local treasures such as the Cathedral and the baroque Church of Santa Maria Maddalena. Continue to Martina Franca, an old town surrounded by stone walls and featuring piazzas and narrow, winding streets. Enjoy time for an independent lunch before arriving in Alberobello for an overnight stay in a real Trullo.

STAY **2** NIGHTS: Le Alcove Luxury Resort 5-star or similar

DAY 7 Alberobello - Polignano a Mare - Castellana Cave - Alberobello (B)

Discover Alberobello and its tradition and landscape with a walking tour. Afterward, travel to the beautiful seaside village of Polignano a Mare with leisure time for independent discovery, a swim at its amazing beach with pristine turquoise water and possibly independent lunch at its world-renowned Grotto Palazzese. Afterward, visit the Castellana Cave with a guided tour before returning to Alberobello.

DAY 8 Alberobello – Bari (B)

After breakfast, transfer to Bari for your ongoing journey.



Feature
Hotel



BOUTIQUE HOTEL LE ORIGINI MATERA

STAY **2** NIGHTS

- > This boutique hotel boasts 7 unique rooms, with rustic design and furnishings.
- > Rooms range from spectacular panoramic views of the Sassi, to underground caves.
- > An exclusive and unforgettable experience.



Palermo, Sicily

St Peters, Vatican City



Valletta, Malta



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Highlights of Italy (North) (13 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > A popular pre-tour extension, Highlights of Italy (North) together with Enchanting Puglia delivers both the classic Italian treasures mixed with the magical untouched charm of the south.
- > Featuring Italy's iconic cities, the Lake District, the Italian Riviera and Tuscany's winding roads, hilltop towns and vineyards.

Explore more on page 17.

Rome City Break (5 Days)

- > Guided tours of ancient Rome and the Vatican.
- > Enjoy a day trip to Pompeii with lunch on a charming farmstead.

Explore more on page 72.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

B Sicily Bella (10 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Experienced back-to-back, Enchanting Puglia and Sicily Bella provide the perfect discovery of the lesser known southern Italy.
- > Explore Sicily's stunning coastline, rugged mountains, active volcano, ancient ruins and historic villages.

Explore more on page 29.

Malta Regional Discovery (7 Days)

- > Extend to discover the world's oldest man-made structures, Valletta's beautiful fortified port, the mystique of the Knights of Malta, beautiful fishing villages and more.

Explore more on page 81.



Sicily Bella

10 DAYS

Beautiful Sicily – historic, mysterious, authentic and diverse. Like its many visitors over the ages, discover the Mediterranean's largest island with its stunning coastline, rugged mountains, rich agriculture, active volcano, ancient ruins, historic villages and warm hospitality. You will be left breathless by its beauty, mesmerised by its contrasts and fulfilled by the authentic experience of a land that has attracted civilisations for over three thousand years.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit 'must see' towns of Palermo, Cefalù, Ortigia, Ragusa and Taormina.
- > 9 nights in exquisite 5-star hotels.
- > 9 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided sightseeing tours of Palermo, Monreale, Agrigento's Valley of the Temples, Villa Romana del Casale and Ragusa.
- > Lunch, wine tasting and a winery tour at a renowned winery near Sciacca.
- > Guided tour of Mt Etna & Alcantara Gorges with four-wheel drives and Mt Etna winery lunch.
- > Tastings of Palermo street food and pastries at a popular patisserie.
- > Entrance to the Cappella Palatina, Monreale Cathedral, Corleone's Anti-Mafia Museum, Valley of the Temples and Villa Romana del Casale.
- > Visit 6 UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites: Arab-Norman Palermo, Monreale Cathedral, Agrigento's archaeological area, Villa Romana del Casale, Baroque towns of Val di Noto and Mt Etna.
- > Deluxe VIP transport.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



5-Star
Luxury



Natural
Beauty



Archaeological
Sites



Art &
Architecture



Towns &
Villages



DAY 1 Palermo (D)

Welcome to Sicily Bella, a journey designed to deliver Sicily's best landscapes, attractions and authentic experiences. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel and freshen up before enjoying an organised welcome dinner.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Wagner 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Palermo – Monreale – Palermo (B)

Enjoy a full day guided tour of historic Palermo – founded in 734BC. Visit its main attractions including Palermo Cathedral, San Giovanni degli Eremiti church, Ballarò market and the beautiful 12th century Italian Palace – Palazzo dei Normanni.

Also experience tastings of Palermo street food, sfincione and panelle. In the afternoon, visit Monreale for its famous UNESCO listed cathedral before returning to Palermo for time to perhaps visit Cappuccini Catacombs, Teatro Massimo or join the locals for 'la passeggiata' or late afternoon stroll through the city.

DAY 3 Palermo – Castelbuono – Cefalù – Palermo (B)

Venture to the quaint village of Castelbuono in the Madonie Natural Park and enjoy a tasting at a popular pastry shop. Afterward, visit the amazing seaside town of Cefalù, nestled between the Tyrrhenian Sea and a distinctive precipitous rock. Stroll the cobbled streets, climb the stairs of La Rocca for a breath-taking view or dine at one of the many wonderful restaurants by the sea.



Cefalù, Sicily



Valley of the Temples, Agrigento



Ragusa, Sicily

DAY 4 Palermo – Corleone – Sciacca (B, L)

Visit Corleone, a town once surrounded by defensive walls that connected the Castello Soprano and Sottano Castles and infamous for being the birthplace of several mafia bosses. Enjoy a short visit to the Anti-Mafia Museum, before enjoying lunch and wine tasting at a local winery. Afterward, continue to your luxurious hotel near Sciacca.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Verdura Golf & Spa Resort 5-star or similar

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INCLUSION

Enjoy a lunch and wine tasting at an exclusive Winery.

DAY 5 Sciacca – Agrigento – Sciacca (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of Agrigento's amazing UNESCO World Heritage Listed 'Valley of the Temples' featuring the largest and best-preserved Greek temples outside of Greece. The remarkable ruins date back to the 6th century BC; an era occupied by the richest and most famous Greek colony. The afternoon is yours to relax at your resort hotel or enjoy leisure time in the seaside fishing village of Sciacca.

DAY 6 Sciacca – Piazza Armerina – Syracuse (B)

Depart for Villa Romana del Casale, the UNESCO World Heritage Listed 4th century villa featuring the world's most impressive collection of Roman mosaics. After a guided tour, continue to the seaside town of Syracuse to check into another amazing hotel in the beautiful old town of Ortigia.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Ortea Palace Luxury Hotel 5-star or similar

DAY 7 Syracuse (B)

Enjoy the day at leisure to explore Syracuse's old town of Ortigia. The town is celebrated with a UNESCO World Heritage Listing for its architectural creation of Greek, Roman and Baroque influences. Options include a visit to the morning market, Syracuse Cathedral or Castello Maniace; swimming in Ortigia's blue sea; or stroll the trendy pedestrian streets of Via Roma, Piazza Minerva and Piazza Duomo.

"We commend you for putting together a fantastic itinerary that showcased the amazing sights of Sicily, its history, culture and people. The tour was very well-balanced in terms of providing some specific guided tours of various cities and historical sites, as well as allowing us sufficient 'downtime' to personally explore some of the lovely towns and cities of Sicily."

Kevin & Kay - Sicily Bella, May 2019

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DAY 8 Syracuse – Ragusa – Taormina (B)

Depart Syracuse for a visit to the Val di Noto region renowned for its Baroque architecture. Discover Ragusa with a short architectural tour of its more significant buildings, before arriving to the beautiful resort town of Taormina.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: NH Collection Taormina 5-star or similar

DAY 9 Taormina – Mt Etna – Taormina (B, L)

Enjoy a special excursion to Alcantara Gorges and Mt Etna, the largest active volcano in Europe, utilising a four-wheel drive to get close to the incredible lava flows. Also visit the medieval town of Castiglione di Sicilia overlooking the Alcantara Valley and enjoy a closing tour lunch and wine tasting at a Mt Etna winery before returning to Taormina. The rest of the day is yours to stroll the cobbled streets, shop in its trendy boutiques or visit the stunning Teatro Greco amphitheatre.

DAY 10 Taormina – Catania (B)

If you are not extending your stay with us in Taormina to the Aeolian Islands, or to an unforgettable winery estate getaway, you will be chauffeured to Catania airport.

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

A unique experience exploring Mt Etna by four-wheel drive, followed by a visit to a Mt Etna winery for a lunch and tasting.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Palermo	Catania	Twin Share per person	Palermo	Catania	Twin Share per person
07-Apr-21	16-Apr-21	\$6,290	06-Apr-22	15-Apr-22	\$6,290
02-May-21	11-May-21	\$6,690	01-May-22	10-May-22	\$6,690
31-May-21	09-Jun-21	\$6,690	30-May-22	08-Jun-22	\$6,690
19-Jun-21	28-Jun-21	\$6,690	18-Jun-22	27-Jun-22	\$6,690
05-Jul-21	14-Jul-21	\$6,690	04-Jul-22	13-Jul-22	\$6,690
04-Sep-21	13-Sep-21	\$6,690	03-Sep-22	12-Sep-22	\$6,690
20-Sep-21	29-Sep-21	\$6,690	19-Sep-22	28-Sep-22	\$6,690
18-Oct-21	27-Oct-21	\$6,290	17-Oct-22	26-Oct-22	\$6,290
Single Supplement		\$3,300	Single Supplement		\$3,300

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ORTEA PALACE LUXURY HOTEL SYRACUSE

STAY **2** NIGHTS

- > Opened in 2018, this majestic 1920's Palazzo has been meticulously restored into Syracuse's most lauded 5-star hotel that oozes elegance and style.
- > Perfectly located in Syracuse's UNESCO World Heritage Listed historic town of Ortigia.
- > One of Sicily's most prestigious hotels.



A Highlights of Italy (South) and Sicily Bella



B Sicily Bella and Aeolian Islands Regional Discovery

Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Highlights of Italy (South) (7 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > The perfect combination for a complete discovery of Italy's south.
- > Discover historic Rome, Pompeii, Caserta and the beautiful Amalfi Coast including Positano and Capri.

Explore more on page 21.

Tasca D'Almerita – Regaleali Wine Estate (3 Days)

- > A relaxing pre-tour extension in beautiful lodgings surrounded by vineyards at one of Sicily's most prestigious family wine estates.
- > Enjoy lunch and dinner in the family's dining room, relax at the property's remarkable pool and partake in a wonderful cooking class.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

B Aeolian Islands Regional Discovery (5 Days)

- > Extend your Sicily discovery to the Aeolian islands that include Lipari, Stromboli, Panarea, Vulcano and Salina.
- > Enjoy the crystal blue waters and sandy beaches, cliffs and rock formations, spectacular volcanic eruptions, mud baths and hot springs.

Explore more on page 73.

Malta Regional Discovery (7 Days)

- > A popular post Sicily extension to discover the world's oldest man-made structures, Valletta's beautiful fortified port, the mystique of the Knights of Malta, beautiful fishing villages and more.

Explore more on page 81.



Italian Lakes & Swiss Mountains

9 DAYS

A scenic, nature-inspired journey delivering the best of Italy and Switzerland's stunning lakes, intimate lakeside villages and beautiful mountains. Experience the crystal-clear waters of glacial lakes framed by green mountains and snow-capped peaks that have lured the elite over the last millennia. This unique tour covers 6 panoramic lakes and their villages, from Italy's Lake Como, Lake Orta and Lake Iseo; Switzerland's Lake St Moritz and Lake Lugano; and beautiful Lake Maggiore from the shores of both Italy and Switzerland. With deluxe transport including by train on the iconic Bernina Express and boasting the finest 5-star lakeside hotels, a comfortable, special and relaxing experience is assured.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit Italy and Switzerland's 'must see' lakes, lakeside villages and Alpine peaks.
- > 8 nights in exquisite 5-star hotels.
- > 8 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L).
- > Guided sightseeing in Lake Como, St Moritz and Lake Maggiore.
- > Lunch and wine tasting in Franciacorta.
- > Lunch on Lake Como's Isola Comacina served with magnificent views.
- > Train journey on the iconic Bernina Express.
- > Entrance to Villa Carlotta and Palais Borromée.
- > Visit 6 panoramic lakes of Iseo, Como, St Moritz, Lugano, Maggiore and Orta.
- > Visit beautiful lakeside towns including Bellagio, Locarno, Ascona and Stresa.
- > Deluxe VIP transport and boat excursions on Lake Como and Lake Maggiore.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Natural
Beauty



5-Star
Luxury



Towns &
Villages



DAY 1 Milan

Welcome to Milan for the start of an unforgettable adventure covering Italy and Switzerland's beautiful lakes and mountains. On arrival, transfer to your centrally located hotel to freshen up, before enjoying the rest of the day at leisure.

OVERNIGHT: Galleria Vik Milano 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Milan – Franciacorta – Lake Iseo – Lake Como (B, L)

Visit the Franciacorta region, characterised by rolling hills and perfect soil for the cultivation of grapes. Enjoy a tasting of the area's most famous export, Franciacorta sparkling wine, followed by a light lunch. Afterward, enjoy leisure time in Lake Iseo to perhaps cruise the crystal-clear waters of Lake Iseo, surrounded by lush green mountains with time to stroll the Lake's stunning Island. Monte Isola is the largest lake island in Italy and with a peak of 600 metres above sea level, is one of the highest in Europe. Afterward, continue to Lake Como for an evening at leisure in your amazing hotel.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Grand Hotel Tremezzo 5-star or similar



Lake Como



Bernina Express, Italy



Isola Bella, Lake Maggiore

DAY 3 Lake Como (B, L)

Explore magnificent Lake Como, a popular retreat for aristocrats and the wealthy since Roman times. The Lake is of glacial origin and has been voted one of the 20 most beautiful lakes in the world. Cruise the lake to visit Bellagio, the famous village located on a beautiful promontory with cute shops and cobbled alleyways. Afterward, enjoy lunch and magnificent views on the Lake's only island, Isola Comacina, before finishing with a visit to Villa Carlotta. The Villa boasts luxurious interiors and an exquisite 17-acre garden decorated with sculptures, stairs, fountains and over 500 species of plants.



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INCLUSION

Dine on Lake Como's Isola Comacina at an amazing trattoria serving delicious local dishes and amazing views. George Clooney is a frequent guest.

DAY 4 Lake Como (B)

Enjoy the entire day at your leisure. Options include a visit to Varenna or Menaggio; visit Villa del Balbianello as featured in many films such as Casino Royale; lunch at the exclusive Villa d'Este or relax in the hotel's opulent spa and pool.

DAY 5 Lake Como – Tirano – St Moritz – Lugano (B)

Depart for a train ride aboard the iconic Bernina Express. The stunning journey twists, turns and loops through incredible landscapes and across amazing bridges, following the historic Rhaetian Railway which is UNESCO World Heritage Listed. On arrival in St Moritz, enjoy a guided tour of this Alpine resort that stands at a crisp 5,910 feet above sea level. Afterward, have time for lunch and a stroll along the lake, before departing to your sexy Lugano hotel with a stunning view.

STAY **2** NIGHTS: THE VIEW Lugano 5-star or similar



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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Enjoy a train ride on the iconic Bernina Express with magnificent panoramas of both Italy and Switzerland.

DAY 6 Lugano (B)

Enjoy the entire day at leisure to explore this beautiful Italian speaking Swiss town. Stroll the pedestrian streets and piazzas littered with designer stores; people watch in Piazza della Riforma ringed with pastel coloured, neo classical palazzi; or stroll Lake Lugano's scenic promenade.

DAY 7 Lugano – Locarno – Ascona – Stresa (B)

Our Swiss discovery continues with a quick stop in Locarno with enough time to lose yourself in its maze of speciality craft stores. Continue to the quaint village of Ascona on the Swiss shores of Lake Maggiore. Enjoy time for an independent lunch at one of Ascona's many lakeside cafés before crossing through stunning snow-capped mountains to return to Italy. On arrival, experience Lake Maggiore from a different perspective with a relaxing evening at leisure.

STAY **2** NIGHTS: Grand Hotel des Iles Borromees 5-star or similar

DAY 8 Stresa – Isola Bella – Stresa (B)

Enjoy a morning guided tour to learn about Lake Maggiore, Stresa and its nearby villages. The tour includes the ferry to Isola Bella, one of the Borromean Islands for a visit to the fishing village and the beautiful Palazzo Palais Borromée with its Italianate Gardens. Afterward, return to Stresa for an afternoon at leisure.

DAY 9 Stresa – Lake Orta – Milan (B, L)

Visit Lake Orta which features the beautiful Island, Isola San Giulio and many lakeside villages including Orta San Giulio, Omegna and Pettenasco. Enjoy time to visit Orta San Giulio and soak up the Lake's atmosphere before celebrating with a memorable closing lunch. Afterward, if not extending your stay with us on a post-tour extension, transfer to a Milan airport or Milan centre.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Milan	Milan	Twin Share per person	Milan	Milan	Twin Share per person
15-May-21	23-May-21	\$8,390	14-May-22	22-May-22	\$8,390
19-Jun-21	27-Jun-21	\$8,390	18-Jun-22	26-Jun-22	\$8,390
17-Jul-21	25-Jul-21	\$8,390	16-Jul-22	24-Jul-22	\$8,390
04-Sep-21	12-Sep-21	\$8,390	03-Sep-22	11-Sep-22	\$8,390
25-Sep-21	03-Oct-21	\$8,390	24-Sep-22	02-Oct-22	\$8,390
		Single Supplement \$4,200			Single Supplement \$4,200

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THE VIEW LUGANO

STAY **2** NIGHTS

- > The hotel's 16 rooms are all suites facing Lake Lugano and boast wonderful views from generous balconies.
- > Hotel amenities are first class with complimentary electric vehicles for guests to discover the town. The boutique hotel also features a modern full service spa and indoor swimming pool.
- > Luxury personified.



Piazza del Duomo, Milan



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Milan City Break (4 Days)

- > Visit the main sites in Milan with a private guide including admission to the Milan Cathedral with rooftop access, Brera Picture Gallery and Leonardo da Vinci's Vineyard.

Explore more on page 65, tailored to exclude Lake Como.

Venice City Break (4 Days)

- > Explore Venice as a pre-tour tailored itinerary with a private car or train transfer to Milan.
- > Visit the main sites including Piazza San Marco, Saint Mark's Basilica, Doge's Palace, Rialto Bridge and Grand Canal; take a day trip to the islands of Murano, Burano and Torcello; and experience an iconic gondola ride.

Explore more on page 64.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Piedmont: Food, Wine & Truffles (7 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Extend post-tour into the Piedmont region, famed for its award-winning Barolo and Barbaresco wines and the world's best truffles... a foodie's paradise.
- > Activities include truffle hunting with dogs, wine tasting with a master sommelier, lunch at a Barolo winery, cooking class and guided tours of Turin and Alba.

Explore more on page 37.

Emilia-Romagna Regional Discovery (6 Days)

- > Continue your gastronomy adventure into Emilia-Romagna to visit producers of Italy's most important foods such as prosciutto, Modena balsamic vinegar and Parmesan cheese. Also visit Antica Corte Pallavicina for a Michelin star lunch.
- > The region also boasts the medieval towns of Bologna and Ravenna that played significant roles in Italy's history.

Explore more on page 69.

"THE REAL VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY CONSISTS NOT IN SEEING
NEW LANDSCAPES, BUT IN HAVING NEW EYES."

MARCEL PROUST



Piedmont: Food, Wine & Truffles

7 DAYS

Satisfy your culinary cravings with delicious truffle infused cuisine, paired with the finest Barolo and Barbaresco wines in an idyllic setting, amidst rolling plains, mountainous green hills and the Alps. This is Piedmont, which boasts one of Italy's finest winegrowing regions, contains the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Langhe area, produces the world-famous Alba white truffle and is at the centre of the Slow Food movement. Throughout this culinary discovery, partake in a local wine appreciation lesson from a master sommelier; experience the thrill of a truffle hunt; visit an aged cheese producer; partake in a cooking class; visit the region's capital Turin and picturesque towns of Alba and Barolo; relax in two magnificent rural retreats; and indulge in food, wine and truffles.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Experience local activities in Piedmont.
- > 6 nights in a 5-star hotel and 4-star retreats.
- > 6 breakfasts (B), 4 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided sightseeing tour of Turin and Alba.
- > Truffle hunt with hunting dog.
- > Local wine appreciation master class with sommelier.
- > Aged cheese tasting paired with local sparkling wine.
- > Lunch and tasting at a renowned Barolo winery.
- > Tasting at a Barbaresco winery.
- > Degustation dinner with wine pairing.
- > Cooking class and lunch.
- > Deluxe VIP transport.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Food
& Wine



Towns &
Villages



Natural
Beauty



DAY 1 Turin

Welcome to beautiful Turin, the capital of Piedmont and a historically important political and cultural centre that served as the capital of the Duchy of Savoy and the first capital of the Kingdom of Italy. Transfer to your hotel from Turin airport or train station and enjoy the day at leisure.

STAY 2 NIGHTS : Grand Hotel Sitea 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Turin (B, L)

Discover Turin by foot with a private guide, visit Piazza San Carlo, "living room of the city", John the Baptist Basilica and Piazza Castello, dominated by the presence of both the Royal Palace and Palazzo Madama. The latter was home to the first Senate of unified Italy, while the parliament was in Palazzo Carignano, now the location of the Museum of the Risorgimento. Continue along Via Po with its expansive arcades and the Mole Antonelliana, which houses the National Museum of Cinema. Finish with a Turin aperitif "Vermouth" and a welcome lunch at Mercato Centrale, close to Porta Palazzo Market which is the largest open-air food market in Europe.



Black truffles



Winery lunch



Villa Sparina, Gavi

DAY 3 Turin – Costiglione d'Asti – Benevello (B, L)

Depart for the Piedmont countryside, Italy's picturesque region of mountains and valleys, overrun with vineyards, castles and incredible cuisine. Our regional discovery begins with a thrilling truffle hunt with hunting dog on a family property that has been passed down through generations. Unlock the mystery and allure of the truffle and enjoy the find with a light lunch, paired with local sparkling wine. Afterward, continue through Langhe, a UNESCO World Heritage listed area to check into an amazing rural retreat and relax before participating in a late afternoon wine appreciation masterclass and tasting with a sommelier. Once the seat of the Savoy Empire, Piedmont is known for Barolo and Barbaresco, the wine of kings and queens made from the Nebbiolo grape, that are among the most coveted wines in the world. The evening is yours to relax at this rural paradise.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Relais Villa d'Amelia 4-star or similar



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Enjoy a special wine appreciation masterclass with a local sommelier with tastings of Piedmont wines, the perfect introduction to the wine and wineries to be visited in the coming days.

DAY 4 Benevello – Bra – Barolo – Benevello (B, L)

Visit a family cheese business established in Bra in the 1920's and learn the secret of aging to reflect the tradition of the territory. Enjoy a cheese sampling before venturing into Barolo for a tasting and lunch on a winery overlooking the vines. In the afternoon, enjoy time to explore the town of Barolo, the namesake city for the 'king of wines and the

wine of kings', before returning to the hotel to relax for an evening at leisure. One option is to partake in an unforgettable dinner in Chef Nigro's one-star Michelin restaurant with wine pairings within the hotel.



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Enjoy a tour, wine tasting and lunch at a prestigious Barolo winery served with a magnificent view.

DAY 5 Benevello – Alba – Barbaresco – Gavi (B, D)

Enjoy a guided tour of Alba, considered the capital of Langhe and formerly known as the city with a hundred towers. The town features the Romanesque Alba Cathedral, dating to the 12th century, and is home to the world-renowned Ferrero confectionery company. Enjoy time for self-discovery and an independent lunch, which may include the famed 3-star Michelin restaurant, Piazza Duomo. In the afternoon, venture to a Barbaresco winery for a tasting and an incredible view of the Barbaresco Cru hills, before continuing to Gavi to check into another amazing retreat. In the evening, visit the properties impressive cellar before enjoying a degustation dinner in its fantastic restaurant.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Villa Sparina 4-star or similar

DAY 6 Gavi (B, L)

Relax in the morning before partaking in a special cooking class to learn the culinary secrets of select local dishes. Afterward, enjoy the fruits of your labour with a celebratory closing tour lunch. The afternoon is yours to relax at the hotel or perhaps walk or cycle to nearby wineries.

DAY 7 Gavi – Milan (B)

If not extending with us on our Tuscan Villages tour, to nearby Cinque Terre or Bologna, return to Milan for your ongoing journey.



Feature
Hotel



RELAIS VILLA D'AMELIA BENEVELLO

STAY 2 NIGHTS

- > A spectacular setting with stunning views of the Monviso Alps, this charming 19th century estate is set among vineyards and hazelnut trees.
- > Features a brilliant Michelin star restaurant as well as a heated pool, Turkish spa and Finnish sauna.
- > The Relais property is part of the Small Luxury Hotels of the World.

Departures and Pricing

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27-Jun-21	03-Jul-21	\$4,990	26-Jun-22	02-Jul-22	\$4,990
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12-Sep-21	18-Sep-21	\$4,990	11-Sep-22	17-Sep-22	\$4,990
03-Oct-21	09-Oct-21	\$4,990	02-Oct-22	08-Oct-22	\$4,990
Single Supplement		\$2,500	Single Supplement		\$2,500

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UNIQUE EXPERIENCES

- > Truffle hunt with hunting dog.
- > Local wine appreciation master class with sommelier.



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Italian Lakes & Swiss Mountains (9 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > A scenic, nature-inspired journey delivering the best of Italy and Switzerland's stunning lakes, intimate lakeside villages and beautiful mountains.
- > Covers six lakes of Italy & Switzerland including Lake Como, Maggiore, Lugano and St Moritz and a ride on the famous Bernina Express.
- > Boasts incredible 5-star hotels, unrivalled on any small group journey.

Explore more on page 33.

Milan City Break (4 Days)

- > Visit the main sites in Milan with a private guide including admission to the Milan Cathedral with rooftop access, Brera Picture Gallery and Leonardo da Vinci's Vineyard.
- > Enjoy a day excursion to beautiful Lake Como with guided tour and admission to Villa Carlotta, Bellagio and Villa Melzi d'Eril.

Explore more on page 65.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

B Tuscan Villages (8 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Tuscany's beautiful winding roads, secluded villages and famous wine region pairs beautifully with Piedmont.
- > Activities include lunch and wine tasting in Chianti and Montalcino, truffle hunting, cooking class, Cheese farm visit and tasting and guided tours of the towns of Lucca, Volterra and Siena.

Explore more on page 41.

Emilia-Romagna Regional Discovery (6 Days)

- > Continue your gastronomy adventure into Emilia-Romagna to visit producers of Italy's most important foods such as prosciutto, Modena balsamic vinegar and Parmesan cheese. Also visit Antica Corte Pallavicina for a Michelin star lunch.
- > The region also boasts the medieval towns of Bologna and Ravenna that played significant roles in Italy's history; as well as the coastal town of Rimini which is one of Europe's most popular beach destinations.

Explore more on page 69.

"TO TRAVEL IS TO LIVE."
HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN



Tuscan Villages

8 DAYS

Welcome to Tuscan Villages, a journey boasting Tuscany's most amazing towns, villages, iconic landscapes and traditions that have profoundly influenced world culture, art, gastronomy and history through a lifestyle that blends passion with simplicity. Across 8 days, be treated to Tuscan gastronomic experiences, enjoy the thrill of a truffle hunt, marvel at its beautiful winding roads and fortified hilltop towns; meander the cobbled streets of secluded villages; visit castles; and discover unforgettable tastings in Italy's most renowned wine regions.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > The complete Tuscan regional experience: Siena, Lucca and must-see villages, rural retreats and Tuscan gastronomic activities including truffle hunting, cooking class at a local's home, winery lunches in Chianti and Montalcino and cheese farm visit and tasting.
- > 7 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 7 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided sightseeing in Lucca, Siena and Volterra.
- > Lunch and tasting at a San Gimignano family winery.
- > Truffle hunting experience.
- > Tuscan cooking class at a local's home.
- > Lunch and wine tastings in Tuscany's renowned Chianti and Montalcino regions.
- > Cheese farm visit and tasting.
- > Alabaster stone crafting workshop.
- > Visit villages that rank amongst the best in Italy including Volterra, Pienza and Monteriggioni.
- > Entrance to Pisa's Leaning Tower, Siena Cathedral and Piccolo Library and Abbey of Sant'Antimo.
- > Deluxe VIP transport.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Food
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Towns &
Villages



Natural
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Florence, Italy

DAY 1 Florence (D)

Welcome to Florence, the heart of Tuscany and the perfect starting point for your Tuscan experience. If not partaking in our pre-tour Florence city break, we suggest a visit to Florence Cathedral, Accademia or Uffizi Galleries or simply stroll the streets and take advantage of Florence's famous leather markets. In the evening, meet in the lobby for a tour welcome and dinner.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel L'Orologio Florence 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Florence – Lucca – Pisa – Florence (B)

Visit Lucca, famous for its historic centre, medieval towers and best-preserved ramparts in Italy. Enjoy a walking tour with a local guide with leisure time afterward to continue exploring the town's maze of streets, people watch in its famous Piazzas (Piazza dell'Anfiteatro, Verdi, Napoleone and San Michele) or wander along its ancient walls. In the afternoon, visit Pisa to enter the Leaning Tower and the Piazza del Duomo before returning to Florence for an evening of leisure.



Lucca, Italy



Piazza della Cisterna, San Gimignano



Volterra, Italy

DAY 3 Florence – San Gimignano – Chianti retreat (B, L)

Depart for the Tuscan countryside to visit the multi-towered town of San Gimignano; a 12th century Romanesque church with famous frescoes; and the Piazza del Duomo that houses the Museo Civico and Palazzo del Popolo. Enjoy time to explore the town at your leisure including perhaps, climbing the stairs of one of the towers for a fantastic view. Afterward, enjoy a Tuscan lunch paired with local wine at a family winery, before checking into a wonderful Chianti retreat with an evening to relax in the property.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Castel di Spaltenna 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Chianti retreat – Volterra – Monteriggioni – Chianti retreat (B)

Visit the ancient village of Volterra, an important Etruscan city, featuring beautiful winding cobbled streets and artisan craftsmanship, particularly alabaster carvings. The walled mountaintop town's history dates to before the 7th century BC and contains structures from the Etruscan, Roman and Medieval periods. Your local guide will provide a guided walking tour which includes a brief alabaster stone workshop to learn the secrets of carving the local stone. Afterward, enjoy free time before continuing to the unique medieval walled town of Monteriggioni.

DAY 5 Chianti region (B, L)

Enjoy the entire day exploring the Chianti region, commencing with a hands-on cooking class in the home of a local, followed by lunch with local wine. In the afternoon, visit a Chianti winery for a tour and tasting before returning to your Chianti retreat.



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Experience a hands-on Tuscan cooking class and learn the region's authentic culinary secrets and traditions in the home of a Tuscan family.

DAY 6 Chianti retreat – Siena – Montalcino retreat (B)

This morning, enjoy a privately guided walking tour of Siena's historic centre, declared a World Heritage Site for its preserved gothic appearance dating from the 12th to 15th century. The tour includes an explanation of Siena's Contrade or family districts that have existed since the Middle Ages, as well as visits to Siena Cathedral and Piazza del Campo, that hosts the twice yearly Palio horse race. Afterward, enjoy time to explore Siena yourself before departing for the amazing Val d'Orcia, a region of Tuscany characterised by gentle cultivated hills, gullies and picturesque villages that is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site for its cultural landscape. Check-in to your magnificent retreat near Montalcino and relax and enjoy this rural paradise.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Castel Porrona Relais 5-star or similar

DAY 7 Montalcino region (B, L)

Visit the ancient Abbey of Sant'Antimo, with the monastery dating to the 9th century before continuing to an acclaimed Montalcino winery for a tour, tasting and lunch. Afterward, visit Montalcino village with free time to visit its quaint stores before returning to your hotel.



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INCLUSION

Enjoy a closing lunch and tasting at an acclaimed Montalcino winery. The region is known for the world-class Brunello di Montalcino wine.

DAY 8 Montalcino retreat – Pienza – Florence (B)

Participate in the thrill of a truffle hunt on a farm in the beautiful UNESCO World Heritage listed region surrounding Pienza. Afterward, enjoy a truffle and cheese tasting and a quick visit to the town of Pienza, before returning to the Florence airport or train station for your ongoing journey.



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INCLUSION

Experience the thrill of the truffle hunt, followed by truffle and cheese tasting at a local farm in the UNESCO World Heritage listed region surrounding Pienza.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
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Turin	Milan	Twin Share per person	Turin	Milan	Twin Share per person
29-May-21	05-Jun-21	\$7,090	28-May-22	04-Jun-22	\$7,090
03-Jul-21	10-Jul-21	\$7,090	02-Jul-22	09-Jul-22	\$7,090
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Single Supplement		\$3,600	Single Supplement		\$3,600

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CASTEL PORRONA RELAIS & SPA PORRONA STAY 2 NIGHTS

- > Located in the charming medieval village of Porrona built in the 12th century and belonging to two Noble families for five centuries.
- > Boutique property with just 25 rooms in an intimate setting with panoramic views over the Tuscan countryside.



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Florence City Break (4 Days)

- > Guided walking tour of the historic centre, cooking demonstration in a local's home and full day excursion to Chianti winery for wine tasting and lunch.

Explore more on page 68, tailored to exclude the San Gimignano excursion.

A Piedmont: Food, Wine & Truffles (7 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > Extend pre-tour into the unexplored Piedmont region, famed for its award-winning Barolo and Barbaresco wines and the world's best truffles. A foodie's paradise.
- > Activities include truffle hunting with dogs, wine tasting with a master sommelier, degustation dinner with wine pairing and guided tours of Turin and Alba.

Explore more on page 37.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Emilia-Romagna Regional Discovery (6 Days)

- > Continue your gastronomy adventure into Emilia-Romagna to visit producers of Italy's most important foods such as prosciutto, Modena balsamic vinegar and Parmesan cheese. Also visit Antica Corte Pallavicina for a Michelin star lunch.
- > The region also boasts the medieval towns of Bologna and Ravenna that played significant roles in Italy's history.

Explore more on page 69.

Cinque Terre Regional Discovery (5 Days)

- > Continue to Italy's coastal Riviera paradise including Cinque Terre.
- > Discover the Cinque Terre by land and sea and the charming Riviera towns of Santa Margherita, Portofino and Genoa.

Explore more on page 67.

"LIFE IS EITHER A DARING ADVENTURE OR NOTHING AT ALL."

HELEN KELLER



Beautiful Croatia

11 DAYS

Designed to encapsulate the beauty of Croatia's entire Adriatic coastline from land and sea, you will be enchanted by: the stunning fortified town of Dubrovnik; the popular Island of Hvar; the enchanting villages of Trogir and Sibenik; the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Plitvice Lakes National Park; and Istria's charming towns of Rovinj and Pula. Complemented with an Oyster farm tour and lunch, truffle hunting, olive oil estate visit, leisure time for self-discovery and ending in iconic Venice, this will be an experience to remember.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit 'must see' Adriatic towns of Dubrovnik, Hvar, Split, Trogir, Rovinj, Poreč and Trieste.
- > 10 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 10 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D)
- > Guided city tours of Dubrovnik, Hvar, Split, Rovinj and Pula.
- > Ston Oyster Farm visit, tour and culinary lunch experience.
- > Day excursion to the Croatian island of Hvar.
- > Guided excursion, entrance and overnight stay in Plitvice Lakes National Park.
- > Truffle hunting on a truffle farm with truffle infused lunch.
- > Olive Oil Estate tour and tasting in Istria.
- > Visit UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites including Plitvice Lakes, and the historical centres of Dubrovnik, Split and Trogir.
- > Entrance to the fortified walls of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik's Franciscan Monastery, Diocletian's Palace, St Donatus Cathedral, Temple of Augustus and Pula's Arena.
- > Deluxe VIP transport and public catamaran/ferry where indicated.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



Natural
Beauty



Towns &
Villages



Food
& Wine



DAY 1 Dubrovnik

Welcome to the medieval fortified town of Dubrovnik, the idyllic starting point to discover the beauty of the Adriatic. On arrival, transfer to your amazing hotel and enjoy the day to wander Dubrovnik's maze of cobbled alleys.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Excelsior 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Dubrovnik (B, L)

Meet your local guide for a walking tour of Dubrovnik, a UNESCO World Heritage Listed Site. Dubbed the 'Pearl of the Adriatic', the town has preserved its beautiful Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque churches, monasteries, palaces and fountains. Visit the main attractions including the Pile Gate, the city's main promenade – the Stradun, the Onophrian Fountain, the Franciscan Monastery, the baroque church of St Blaise and the Rector's Palace. Also walk atop the city walls for an amazing view. Afterward, enjoy a wonderful welcome lunch at a local restaurant.

DAY 3 Dubrovnik (B)

As Dubrovnik is one of the most delightful towns in Europe, continue exploring this amazing town as you please. There are so many options. Perhaps, see more of the old town; take the ferry to the Island of Lokrum for its natural beauty, Benedictine Ruins and Monastery; or venture further with a pre-arranged excursion to Montenegro to visit Kotor and Budva.

DAY 4 Dubrovnik – Ston – Split (B, L)

Drive along the beautiful Adriatic coastline stopping at the fishing village of Ston for a visit to an Oyster Farm. Sail out to the oyster beds for a tour and demonstration before a wonderful culinary lunch experience with wine. Continue north to Split, the second largest city in Croatia dating to the 6th century BC. Freshen up and enjoy the rest of the day and evening at leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Luxe 4-star or similar

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INCLUSION

Enjoy a tour of a famed Oyster Farm in Ston, followed by a culinary lunch experience.



Diocletian's Palace, Split



Plitvice Lakes



Rovinj, Croatia

DAY 5 Split – Trogir – Split (B)

Meet your local guide for a walking tour of Split. Originally a Greek settlement, Split was conquered by the Venetians in 1420, ruled by Austrians and French before becoming part of Yugoslavia in 1918. It was occupied by the Italians in 1941 and liberated in 1943. Visit the city's UNESCO World Heritage Listed historical centre including the Diocletian's Palace representing one of the most famous architectural and cultural buildings on the Croatian coast. Afterward, transfer to nearby Trogir, the UNESCO World Heritage Listed medieval town with fortified walls, a preserved castle and tower and dwellings from the Romanesque, Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque periods. Enjoy the afternoon to roam before returning to Split.

DAY 6 Split- Hvar - Split (B)

Today enjoy an excursion to one of Croatia's most popular islands off the Dalmatian Coast, Hvar. After disembarking the ferry, enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of Hvar town. Afterward, there is time to enjoy an independent lunch at one of the island's many seaside restaurants and some leisure time before returning to Split by ferry.

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Enjoy an excursion to the beautiful island of Hvar.

DAY 7 Split- Šibenik – Zadar – Plitvice Lakes (B, D)

Visit Šibenik, the oldest native Croatian town on the eastern shores of the Adriatic. The town is famed for its UNESCO World Heritage Listed Cathedral of St. James, built between 1431 and 1536, both in Gothic and in Renaissance style. Afterward, continue for a quick visit of Zadar including admission to St Donatus Cathedral, before arriving to the magnificent UNESCO World Heritage Listed Plitvice Lakes National Park for a cosy organised dinner at your lodge.

OVERNIGHT: Holiday Park Fenoven Plitvice 4-star or similar

DAY 8 Plitvice Lakes – Rovinj (B)

Enjoy a guided morning tour of Plitvice Lakes National Park, covering 300 square kilometres with beautiful lakes, caves and waterfalls. The 16 crystal blue-green colour lakes are stunning, particularly the upper lakes that lie in the dolomite valley which are interlinked by waterfalls and are surrounded by thick forests. The area is also fauna-rich, including the brown bear, wolf, eagle owl and many rare bird species. Afterward, depart for the stunning seaside village of Rovinj to check into your amazing hotel before a brief sunset walking tour.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Monte Mulini 5-star or similar

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Experience the beauty of the magnificent Plitvice Lakes National Park with a guided tour of the Park and an overnight stay in a Park lodge.

DAY 9 Rovinj – Pula – Rovinj (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of the seaside town of Pula, famed for its natural geography and its ancient Roman buildings including its 1st century amphitheatre, the Triumphal Arch, the Arch of Sergii and the Temple of Rome and Augustus. Afterward, visit an olive oil estate in Vodnjan for an olive oil tasting and tour, before returning to Rovinj for leisure time.

DAY 10 Rovinj – Motovun – Poreč – Rovinj (B, L)

Enjoy a thrilling truffle hunt on an Istrian truffle farm followed by a truffle infused light lunch and a brief visit to Motovun town centre. In the afternoon, enjoy free time in the delightful Adriatic town of Poreč before returning to Rovinj.

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Experience the thrill of a truffle hunt and truffle infused lunch on an Istrian farm.

DAY 11 Rovinj – Trieste – Venice (B)

Venture along the Italian coastline to visit the prosperous seaport of Trieste. Originally a Roman colony dating to 51BC, Trieste later became an important trade, literature and music centre for the Austrian-Hungarian empire. Today, Viennese architecture and coffee houses dominate the streets and the Port supplies 40% of Italy's coffee. If you are not continuing with us on our Highlights of Italy (North) tour or our Slovenia Discovery tour, transfer to the Venice airport for your ongoing journey.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Dubrovnik	Venice	Twin Share per person	Dubrovnik	Venice	Twin Share per person
01-May-21	11-May-21	\$7,690	01-May-22	11-May-22	\$7,690
05-Jun-21	15-Jun-21	\$7,690	04-Jun-22	14-Jun-22	\$7,690
03-Jul-21	13-Jul-21	\$7,690	02-Jul-22	12-Jul-22	\$7,690
21-Aug-21	31-Aug-21	\$7,690	20-Aug-22	30-Aug-22	\$7,690
18-Sep-21	28-Sep-21	\$7,690	17-Sep-22	27-Sep-22	\$7,690
Single Supplement		\$3,800	Single Supplement		\$3,800

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HOTEL EXCELSIOR DUBROVNIK

STAY 3 NIGHTS

- > Perfectly located just a few steps from the Dubrovnik Old Town and overlooking the Adriatic Sea with direct private beach access, the hotel boasts the most enviable location of any hotel.
- > Housed in a former 1913 royal villa, the swanky hotel is Dubrovnik's pre-eminent hotel and includes Queen Elizabeth II as one of its former guests.



Zagreb, Croatia



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Zagreb City Break (4 Days)

- > For the complete Croatian experience, opt for a pre-tour extension to include a city stay in Croatia's capital, Zagreb.
- > Visit the city's main attractions on a walking tour and enjoy a day excursion to the Plešivica wine region.

Explore more on page 82.

Montenegro Regional Discovery (5 Days)

- > Discover Montenegro's main towns, attractions and wonderful coastline with a Beautiful Croatia pre-tour tailored excursion.
- > Visit the bustling Port towns of Kotor and Budva, the amazing Sveti Stefan, beautiful Lake Skadar National Park and more.

Explore more on page 82.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Highlights of Italy (North) (13 Days)

Small Group Journey

- > A popular post-tour extension, Highlights of Italy (North) together with Beautiful Croatia delivers an unbelievable journey from Dubrovnik to Rome covering the best attractions across Croatia and northern Italy.
- > Featuring Italy's iconic cities, the Lake District, the Italian Riviera and Tuscany's winding roads, hilltop towns and vineyards.

Explore more on page 17.

Slovenia Discovery (8 Days) Small Group Journey

- > See more of beautiful central Europe with a Slovenia Small Group Journey or private tour tailored from Rovinj into Slovenia.
- > Visit the charming cities of Ljubljana and Maribor; the natural beauty of Lake Bled, Vintgar Gorge and Postojna caves; the impressive Predjama Castle and the delightful town of Piran.

Explore more on page 49.

"BLESSED ARE THE CURIOUS FOR THEY SHALL HAVE ADVENTURES."
LOVELLE DRACHMAN



Slovenia Discovery

8 DAYS

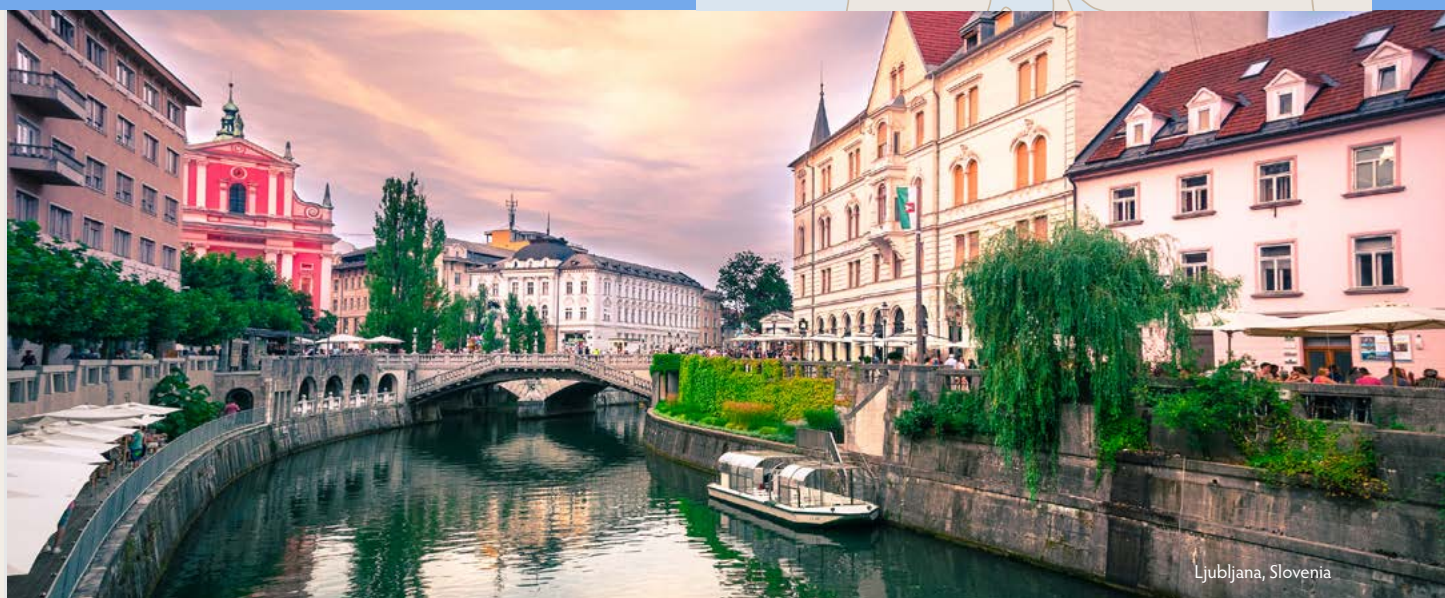
A tiny country nestled between the Alps and the Adriatic, Slovenia is a charming little-known paradise that offers the pristine, glacial Lake Bled surrounded by mountains and forests, beautiful Vintgar Gorge carved by a crystal-clear river, the world's most extensive caves and a stunning coastline dotted with picturesque villages. Discover all these natural treasures plus impressive Castles and a wine region boasting the world's oldest vine. Slovenia ... simply beautiful and awaiting your discovery.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > The complete Slovenian experience: Ljubljana, Lake Bled, Štajerska wine region, castles, caves and the picturesque Adriatic coast.
- > 7 nights in exquisite 5-star hotels.
- > 7 breakfasts (B), 4 lunches (L).
- > Guided sightseeing of Ljubljana, Lake Bled and Piran.
- > Lunch and wine tasting in the Štajerska wine region.
- > Lunch on Lake Bled served with a spectacular view.
- > Experience Lake Bled by traditional Slovenian Pletna boat with visit to Bled Island.
- > Visit Triglav National Park including Vintgar Gorge, Šum Waterfall and Lake Jasna.
- > Tour Predjama Castle with audio-guide.
- > Guided group tour of Postojna Cave.
- > Visit the charming towns of Žiče, Maribor, Škofja Loka, Kranjska Gora and Piran.
- > Entrance to Ljubljana Castle, Žiče Monastery, Loka Castle and Museum, Lake Bled Castle, Church of the Assumption, Triglav National Park, Church of St George Bell Tower and Piran's medieval walls.
- > Deluxe VIP transport including airport transfer on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



DAY 1 Ljubljana

Tucked between Italy, Austria and Croatia, Slovenia may be small and relatively undiscovered, but it delivers pristine alpine villages, cliffside castles, emerald lakes and a stunning coastline. On arrival, transfer to your wonderful hotel and enjoy the rest of the day to explore the pedestrian friendly historic centre with cafés lining the banks of the Ljubljana River, beautiful Plečnik designed buildings, museums and a vibrant atmosphere.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Intercontinental Ljubljana 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Ljubljana (B, L)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of Ljubljana's old town including the Kresija Building, Robba Fountain, Ljubljana Cathedral, Ljubljana Castle, Town Square, Cobblers Bridge, Triple Bridge, Franciscan Church of the Annunciation, Prešeren Square and Dragon Bridge. Afterward, enjoy a welcome lunch at a local restaurant. The rest of the day is available to enjoy at your leisure. With so many Museums in the city, enticing options include the National Museum of Slovenia and The Museum of Modern Art.



Špičnik, Slovenia



Vintgar Gorge, Triglav National Park, Slovenia



Predjama Castle, Slovenia

DAY 3 Ljubljana – Žiže – Maribor – Ljubljana (B, L)

Enjoy a full day excursion to the beautiful Štajerska wine region. Start with a brief visit to Žiže Charterhouse, an ancient 12th century monastery. Explore the ruins and the exhibition before continuing to the Štajerska wine region known for its aromatic whites. The landscape around Špičnik, is characterised by beautiful vineyards nestled on rolling hills including the famous heart-shaped road 'Heart of Slovenia'. After a wine tasting, enjoy a gourmet lunch at a renowned restaurant. Finish with leisure time in Maribor, a medieval pedestrian village that boasts 'Stara Trta', the world's oldest vine at 400 years, before returning to Ljubljana.



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INCLUSION

Visit the beautiful Štajerska wine region for wine-tasting and a delicious gourmet lunch, followed by a visit to Maribor to see the oldest vine in the World.

DAY 4 Ljubljana – Škofja Loka – Lake Bled (B, L)

Visit the town of Škofja Loka to explore Loka Castle, Loka Museum and the town square's famous pastel-hued 16th century houses. Continue to Lake Bled, set in a picturesque location surrounded by mountains and forests. On arrival, visit Bled Castle, the oldest in Slovenia dating to 1011AD, followed by an organised lunch with a magnificent view of the Lake. In the afternoon, take a cruise on Lake Bled on a traditional Pletna and visit the Island's historic church. The rest of the day is available at leisure to absorb the breath-taking scenery.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Grand Hotel Toplice 5-star or similar



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INCLUSION

Experience Lake Bled with a guided tour of Bled Castle, lunch with a wonderful view and lake excursion boat ride on a Pletna, the traditional Slovenian boat.

DAY 5 Lake Bled – Triglav National Park – Kranjska Gora – Lake Bled (B)

Today, discover more of Slovenia's stunning natural beauty. Visit the Triglav National Park and the 1600 metre Vintgar Gorge which features sheer canyon walls between 50 and 100 metres in height. Also visit the picturesque Šum Waterfall, the largest river waterfall in Slovenia. Continue to the alpine resort of Kranjska Gora for an independent lunch before finishing with the gorgeous emerald green Lake Jasna surrounded by stunning alps.

DAY 6 Lake Bled – Predjama Castle – Postojna Caves – Piran (B)

Depart Lake Bled for a visit of Predjama Castle, built within a cave mouth to make access difficult. The structure dates to the 13th century and features a hidden passageway. Continue to Postojna Caves, Queen of the underground world. Experience a fascinating subterranean paradise shaped by tiny water droplets over millions of years. The caves are also home to 'baby dragons', the rare and unusual olm, found only in the Dinaric karst. After your tour, continue to the charming coastline to check into your seaside hotel.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Kempinski Hotel Portoroz 5-star or similar

DAY 7 Piran (B, L)

Enjoy a guided morning walking tour of Piran, known for its long pier, Venetian architecture and narrow streets. The old town is one of the best-preserved historical towns on the Adriatic. The tour includes Tratini Square and the Church of St George and provides stunning views from the medieval city walls and the Bell Tower of St George. Afterward, enjoy a closing tour lunch and the rest of the day to enjoy at leisure before returning to your hotel

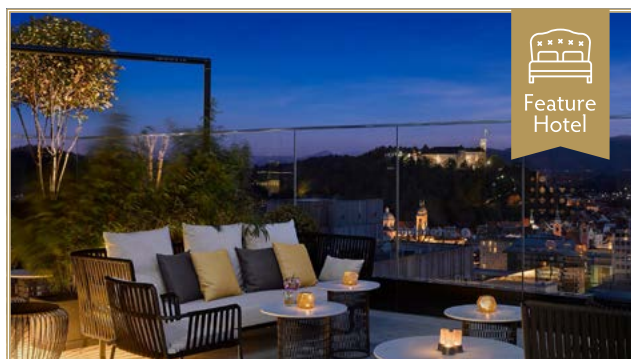
DAY 8 Piran – Ljubljana (B)

After breakfast, the tour concludes with a return to Ljubljana for your onward journey.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Ljubljana	Ljubljana	Twin Share per person	Ljubljana	Ljubljana	Twin Share per person
11-May-21	18-May-21	\$5,190	11-May-22	18-May-22	\$5,190
15-Jun-21	22-Jun-21	\$5,190	14-Jun-22	21-Jun-22	\$5,190
13-Jul-21	20-Jul-21	\$5,190	12-Jul-22	19-Jul-22	\$5,190
31-Aug-21	07-Sep-21	\$5,190	30-Aug-22	06-Sep-22	\$5,190
28-Sep-21	05-Oct-21	\$5,190	27-Sep-22	04-Oct-22	\$5,190
Single Supplement \$2,600			Single Supplement \$2,600		

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INTERCONTINENTAL LJUBLJANA

STAY **3** NIGHTS

- > Ljubljana's tallest and first 5-star hotel offers sweeping views of the castle and the Julian Alps from upper floors and offers modern sophisticated luxury to the city.
- > The hotel's 18th floor spa features an indoor pool, hot tub, steam room and sauna.
- > The restaurant on the 20th floor has some of the best food and views of the city including a fine dining menu under the direction of a Michelin-starred chef.



A Beautiful Croatia and Slovenia Discovery



Venice, Italy

Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

- A Beautiful Croatia** (11 Days) Small Group Journey
 - > Discover the Adriatic coastline with a popular pre-tour through Croatia with our Beautiful Croatia Small Group Journey.
 - > Covering the full length of Croatia including Dubrovnik, Hvar, Split, Plitvice Lakes National Park and Istria including Rovinj.

Explore more on page 45.

Classic Italy

- > Combine Slovenia with our Classic Italy tour with 2 days between tours to spend in say Venice or Trieste.
- > Delivering Italy's must-see cities of Venice, Florence and Rome, as well as select Tuscan villages.

Explore more on page 13.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Venice City Break

- > Explore Venice as a post-tour tailored itinerary with a private transfer from Ljubljana or Piran.
- > Visit the main sites including Piazza San Marco, Saint Mark's Basilica, Doge's Palace, Rialto Bridge and Grand Canal; take a day trip to the islands of Murano, Burano and Torcello; and experience an iconic gondola ride.

Explore more on page 64.

Emilia-Romagna Regional Discovery

- > Continue your adventure into Emilia-Romagna to visit producers of Italy's most important foods such as prosciutto, Modena balsamic vinegar and Parmesan cheese. Also visit Antica Corte Pallavicina for a Michelin star lunch.
- > The region also boasts the medieval towns of Bologna and Ravenna that played significant roles in Italy's history.

Explore more on page 69.

"WE WANDER FOR DISTRACTION,
BUT WE TRAVEL FOR FULFILMENT."

HILAIRE BELLOC



Berlin to Budapest

11 DAYS

Berlin to Budapest weaves a path through Central Europe's most vibrant and eclectic cities to deliver an exciting blend of culture, history, nightlife and romance. Absorb the history, edgy street art and vibrant bars of Berlin; be seduced by one of the world's most picturesque cities in Prague; admire the grandeur of Vienna's cafés, fine art and architecture; and marvel at Budapest's stunning locale on the banks of the Danube, peppered with millennium-old monuments and trendy outdoor bars and eateries.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit 'must see' Central European cities of Berlin, Prague, Vienna and Budapest.
- > 10 nights in exquisite 5-star hotels.
- > 10 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided tours of Berlin, Prague, Český Krumlov, Vienna and Budapest.
- > Visit 5 UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites including the palaces and parks of Schönbrunn, and the historical centres of Český Krumlov, Prague, Vienna and Budapest.
- > Entrance to the Stasi Prison, Prague Castle, Schönbrunn Palace and Budapest Parliament House.
- > Deluxe VIP transport including premium class train between Berlin and Prague.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



5-Star
Luxury



Art &
Architecture



DAY 1 Berlin

Lively, entertaining, sexy and real. Welcome to Berlin, Germany's cosmopolitan capital and the perfect place to commence our tour through the heart and soul of Central Europe. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel before enjoying the day at leisure. For those arriving early, you may consider visiting Potsdam, the residence of Prussian kings and German Kaisers until 1918, and Sanssouci and its gardens, the former summer palace of Frederick the Great and Cecilienhof Palace, where Churchill, Stalin and Truman decided the future of Germany post-World War II. Both places are UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel de Rome, a Rocco Forte Hotel
5-star or similar

DAY 2 Berlin (B)

Commence with a guided tour of the main sites including the iconic Brandenburg Gate, the Reichstag, the Holocaust Memorial, Checkpoint Charlie, the Berlin Wall Memorial, and the fascinating Stasi Prison. The rest of the day is at your leisure. Options include Museum Island and the Pergamon Museum, Charlottenburg Palace, a street art and graffiti tour, or simply stroll the streets and enjoy Berlin's lively restaurants, bars and shopping precinct.

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Visit the fascinating Stasi or Hohenschönhausen Prison, located in East Berlin, where residents accused of dissent against Communism post World War II were held captive.



Prague, Czech Republic



Český Krumlov, Czech Republic



Schönbrunn Palace, Vienna

DAY 3 Berlin – Prague (B)

Transfer to Berlin Central Station for a comfortable train journey riding premium class to beautiful Prague, the historical capital of the Kingdom of Bohemia that was (for periods) an important city of the Holy Roman Empire, the House of Habsburg and the Austro-Hungarian Empire. Freshen up at your centrally located hotel before enjoying the rest of the day at your leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: The Emblem Hotel 5-star or similar

DAY 4 Prague (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of the Czech Republic's capital, including its UNESCO World Heritage Listed centre, the old town square and tower, iconic Charles Bridge, Lennon Wall, Loreto Palace and the UNESCO-listed Prague Castle. Built in 870, this castle houses the Bohemian Crown jewels. The rest of the day is free to enjoy as you wish; stroll the streets, take in the view from Petřín Hill or enjoy Prague's great shopping, particularly its Bohemian crystals and galleries in Malá Strana, wooden handcrafted items and luxury shopping in Pařížská.

DAY 5 Prague (B)

Enjoy the entire day to explore at your leisure. Suggestions include: the Lobkowitz Palace containing 600 years of Czech and European history and the country's largest and oldest private art gallery; the National Gallery and photography expeditions at the Prague House of Photography, Leica Gallery or Galerie Fotografie Louvre. In the evening, you may consider a performance at the magnificent State Opera or visit Prague's famous beer houses.

DAY 6 Prague – Český Krumlov – Vienna (B)

Depart for the charming 13th century town Český Krumlov, known for its picturesque setting clustered around the winding Vltava River plus its UNESCO World Heritage Listed historic centre and castle. Enjoy a guided tour. Continue to Vienna, rich in architectural ensembles, including Baroque castles and gardens, as well as the Ringstrasse lined with grand buildings, monuments and parks. Dubbed the 'City of Music' due to its musical legacy, Vienna ranked 1st in the 'most liveable cities list' for 2019.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: The Guest House Vienna 5-star or similar

DAY 7 Vienna (B)

Discover Vienna with a guided half-day tour. Visit the historic centre including St Stephen's Cathedral, Stephansplatz and a famous coffee house. The afternoon is yours to relax or perhaps explore Belvedere Palace, Sisi Museum or Kunsthistorisches Museum of Fine Arts.

In the evening, experience the trendy bars in Innere Stadt or consider a night with Mozart and Vienna's Philharmonic orchestra at the beautiful Musikverein.

DAY 8 Vienna (B)

Today you have the opportunity for self-discovery. Continue exploring the streets of this beautiful city, stroll through a musical park such as Stadtpark, or perhaps venture to Vienna's seven square kilometres of vineyards that make it the World's largest wine growing capital.

DAY 9 Vienna – Budapest (B)

Visit Schönbrunn Palace, the impressive 1,441-room Imperial summer residence of the Habsburg monarchy. Continue to Budapest, Hungary's stunning capital set on the banks of the Danube and cited as one of Europe's most beautiful cities. On arrival, the rest of the day is yours to walk the streets and be amazed by the beauty of the city's illuminated bridges, castles and monuments overlooking the Danube.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: New York Palace, The Dedica Anthology 5-star or similar

DAY 10 Budapest (B)

Enjoy a half-day sightseeing tour covering the main sights including St Matthias Church, Fisherman's Bastion, Chain Bridge, Parliament, St Stephen's Cathedral and Zrínyi Street, Andrassy Avenue, the Opera House and Heroes Square. The afternoon is at your leisure to shop, take a trip up the Danube to Szentendre, visit the highly rated House of Terror or relax in one of Budapest's famous baths.

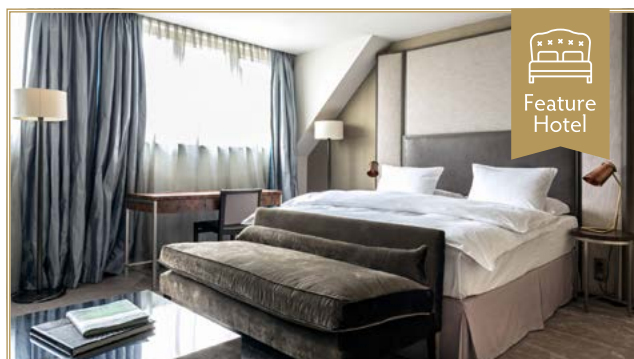
DAY 11 Budapest (B)

If you are not continuing with us for an extended stay in Budapest, Slovenia or on one of our other post-tour extensions, transfer to the airport for your ongoing journey.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Berlin	Budapest	Twin Share per person	Berlin	Budapest	Twin Share per person
01-May-21	11-May-21	\$6,690	03-May-22	13-May-22	\$6,690
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Single Supplement		\$3,300	Single Supplement		\$3,300

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THE EMBLEM HOTEL PRAGUE

STAY **3** NIGHTS

- > Brilliantly located in the heart of Prague within the gates of the old town, just 100 metres to Prague's Old Town Square.
- > This classy 59 room boutique design hotel features contemporary furnished bedrooms, generous living spaces, guest lounge with daily happy hour, rooftop spa and one of the city's best steakhouses.



London, England



Lake Bled, Slovenia

Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

London City Break (5 Days)

- > A short flight makes London an exciting and practical pre-tour extension.
- > Guided tours of London's main attractions, Tower Bridge and St Paul's, Winston Churchill's war rooms and the East End.
- > Traditional high tea at the Ritz Carlton and a Theatre show in the West End.

Explore more on page 89.

Amsterdam City Break (5 Days)

- > A short flight makes Amsterdam an exciting and practical pre-tour extension.
- > Wander amongst the cities UNESCO Listed 17th century canal network and visit the main sites including Royal Palace, Dam Square, Rijks Museum, Anne Frank Museum, Van Gogh Museum and the windmills of Zaanse Schans.

Explore more on page 76.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Slovenia Discovery Regional Discovery (5 Days)

- > See more of beautiful central Europe with a Slovenia private tour tailored from Budapest into Slovenia based on our Small Group Journey itinerary.
- > Visit the charming cities of Ljubljana and Maribor; the natural beauty of Lake Bled, Vintgar Gorge and Postojna caves; the impressive Predjama Castle and the delightful town of Piran.

Explore more on page 49.

Zagreb City Break (4 Days)

- > Extend into Croatia starting with a city stay in Croatia's nearby capital, Zagreb.
- > Visit the city's main attractions on a walking tour and enjoy a day excursion to the Plešivica wine region.

Explore more on page 82.

"ALL JOURNEYS HAVE SECRET
DESTINATIONS OF WHICH THE
TRAVELLER IS UNAWARE."

MARTIN BUBER



Best of Spain

10 DAYS

Discover southern Europe's diverse Iberian Peninsula and Spain's rich culture, warm hospitality and festive spirit. This experience is designed over 10 days to experience: the vibrancy of Madrid, Lisbon and Seville; 'must see' towns of Toledo, Baeza and Úbeda; tastings in Spain's prestigious wine and olive oil regions; 5 UNESCO World Heritage listed sites; and of course, flamenco, paella and tapas!



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit 'must see' cities of Madrid, Cordoba and Seville and the charming villages of Toledo, Granada, Baeza and Ronda.
- > 9 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 9 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided city tours of Madrid, Toledo, Córdoba and Seville.
- > Dinner and flamenco performance in Seville.
- > Wine tasting at a renowned winery accompanied by lunch nearby.
- > Olive oil tasting in Spain's famed olive oil region.
- > Visit 5 UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites.
- > Entrance and guided tours of the Mosque of Cordoba and the Palace Alhambra & Generalife.
- > Entrance to Toledo's Alcázar fortress, Real Maestranza de Caballeria de Ronda, Alcázar Palace and Seville Cathedral.
- > Flexibility to extend to Lisbon or combine with Portugal for a complete experience of Iberia.
- > Deluxe VIP transport and premium class train.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



DAY 1 Madrid

Beautiful, majestic and relaxed. Welcome to Spain's capital Madrid and the start of this amazing journey to experience the best of Spain. On arrival, transfer to your hotel to freshen up before enjoying the rest of the day to explore at your leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Preciados 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Madrid (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of this amazing city with its historic landmarks, beautiful gardens, bustling squares, thriving nightlife and incredible shopping. Visit Plaza de Oriente, Royal Palace of Madrid, Madrid Cathedral, Plaza de la Villa, Plaza Mayor, Puerta del Sol, Puerta de Alcalá and the Prado Museum. The afternoon is yours to perhaps enter Prado Museum, the Royal Palace, the exquisite gardens of Retiro Park or just relax.

DAY 3 Madrid – Toledo – Madrid (B)

Enjoy a full day excursion to the UNESCO World Heritage town Toledo that hosted Christian, Muslim and Jewish cultures. Enjoy a guided walking tour of the Imperial City's old town located on a mountain with a 150-degree view. Visit the imposing Alcázar fortress, Toledo's impressive Cathedral, the Bridge of San Martin and the Monastery of San Juan de los Reyes. Afterward, enjoy leisure time for an independent lunch, perhaps a visit to a Damascene steel workshop or a tasting at a Marzipan store, before returning to Madrid.



La Mezquita, Córdoba



The Alhambra, Granada



Ronda, Spain

DAY 4 Madrid – Córdoba (B, L)

Journey by train through Castilla–La Mancha, a symbol of Spanish culture with its vineyards, sunflowers, mushrooms and olive plantations. On arrival in Córdoba, you will be whisked away to a winery for wine tasting at a vineyard and scrumptious lunch at a nearby restaurant, before checking into your Córdoba hotel.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Balcón de Córdoba 4-star or similar

"Our holiday was absolutely fantastic. Spain was amazing, and everything went extremely smoothly, and perfectly to plan. So, thank you so much for all of your great work in arranging it for us...It certainly makes travelling way less stressful when everything is so well organised."

Jacinda – Spain 2019

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REVIEW

DAY 5 Córdoba (B)

Today explore Córdoba, the most populated city in the world during the 10th century when it was the capital of an Islamic Kingdom. Enjoy a guided tour to the UNESCO World Heritage Listed old town including 'Mezquita' or the Great Mosque. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at your leisure.

DAY 6 Córdoba – Úbeda – Baeza – Granada (B)

Today visit the UNESCO World Heritage Listed towns of Úbeda and Baeza, famed for their outstanding early examples of Italian Renaissance architecture introduced to Spain in the 16th Century. Enjoy time to stroll the towns and be treated to a tasting of olive oil, Andalusia's world-famous export. Continue to Granada, where the evening is yours to stroll the streets of this stunning town, located at the foot of the Sierra Nevada mountain range.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Alhambra Palace 5-star or similar

DAY 7 Granada (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of Palace Alhambra, one of the world's most beautiful examples of Islamic architecture with its exquisite rooms and gardens. The afternoon is free to enjoy at your leisure to perhaps explore El Albayzín, the Medieval Moorish district with narrow winding streets and stunning views to Alhambra. Alhambra and Albayzín are UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites.

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Enjoy a guided tour of the amazing Palace Alhambra and its impressive gardens.

DAY 8 Granada – Ronda – Seville (B, D)

Depart for the beautiful 'white village' of Ronda, perched atop a deep canyon with its three impressive bridges and Real Maestranza de Caballería de Ronda, the oldest bullfighting ring in Spain. Enjoy time to wander the town before continuing to Seville in Andalusia, Spain's 4th largest city and the home of Flamenco. You will have time to relax and freshen up before an organized dinner and flamenco performance.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Gran Meliá Colón 5-star or similar

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Experience the thrill of a live Flamenco show with dinner in the Andalusian capital and home of Flamenco, Seville.

DAY 9 Seville (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of Seville, an economic centre of the Spanish Empire and Europe's 3rd largest old town. Visit the 14th century Alcázar Palace, the oldest European royal residence still in use. Continue to Seville Cathedral, the world's largest. Both Palace and Cathedral are UNESCO World Heritage listed sites. Finish by exploring 'Barrio de Santa Cruz', the old Jewish quarter. The quarter's labyrinth of narrow streets and alleys were designed to protect locals from the summer sun. The rest of the day is at your leisure.

DAY 10 Seville (B)

If you are not continuing to our post-tour extension to Lisbon or Jerez de la Frontera and/or our back-to-back small group tour in Portugal, transfer to the airport or train station for your ongoing journey.

Departures and Pricing

2021			2022		
STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Madrid	Seville	Twin Share per person	Madrid	Seville	Twin Share per person
24-Apr-21	03-May-21	\$6,090	22-Apr-22	01-May-22	\$6,090
29-May-21	07-Jun-21	\$6,390	28-May-22	06-Jun-22	\$6,390
26-Jun-21	05-Jul-21	\$6,390	25-Jun-22	04-Jul-22	\$6,390
04-Sep-21	13-Sep-21	\$6,390	03-Sep-22	12-Sep-22	\$6,390
09-Oct-21	18-Oct-21	\$6,090	08-Oct-22	17-Oct-22	\$6,090
Single Supplement		\$3,100	Single Supplement		\$3,100

* All prices are listed in AUD unless otherwise stated.
Prices in other currencies are available on our website.



GRAN MELIA COLÓN HOTEL SEVILLE

STAY **2** NIGHTS

- > Brilliant deluxe hotel in the centre of Seville and a member of The Leading Hotels of The World.
- > Features a heated pool on the hotel terrace with panoramic city centre views.
- > Boasts the El Burladero Restaurant, specialising in traditional Andalusian cuisine.



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATION

Northern Spain Regional Discovery (6 Days)

- > Visit the stunning San Sebastian, together with day trips to Pamplona and Bilbao.
- > Unwind in Spain's famous Rioja wine region for a stay in a Parador and visits to wineries that includes a scrumptious lunch.

Explore more on page 84.

Barcelona City Break (5 Days)

- > Discover Barcelona's main attractions: Gaudi's architectural masterpieces: the unfinished Sagrada Familia Basilica, Casa Milà and Casa Batlló; the Palau de la Música Catalana concert venue; La Rambla and the Gothic quarter including the Picasso Museum.
- > Enjoy a day excursion to Montserrat, paired with wine tasting on a family vineyard.

Explore more on page 83.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Best of Portugal (6 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Visit Lisbon, the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Sintra Mountains and National Park and Portugal's 'must see' charming towns of Cascais, Obidos, Aveiro and Porto.
- > Activities include tours of Lisbon and Porto, dinner and Fado show, cruise on a Rabelo and lunch and wine tasting in the Douro Valley.
- > Best of Spain and Portugal tours may be combined including with extensions to start and end in Madrid.

Explore more on page 61.

Southern Spain Regional Discovery (6 Days)

- > Transfer from Seville to Jerez de la Frontera to extend into the undiscovered parts of southern Spain including Jerez de la Frontera, Cádiz and Málaga, the UNESCO World Heritage Listed monuments of Antequera, the Sierra de Grazalema Natural Park and the charming villages of Zahara de la Sierra and Grazalema.
- > Activities include guided tours of Jerez de la Frontera, Cádiz, Málaga and Antequera; tour, lunch and tasting at a Sherry winery; sunset cruise; and specified lunches and dinners to experience typical Andalusian gastronomy.

Explore more on page 85.



Best of Portugal

6 DAYS

Discover Portugal's greatest attractions including Lisbon, Porto and the charming villages of Sintra, Cascais, Óbidos and Aveiro across 6 leisurely days. Enjoy guided city tours, dinner and a Fado show, a traditional cruise on a Ribero, Port tastings and lunch and wine tasting in the Douro Valley.



Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Visit 'must see' cities of Lisbon and Porto; charming villages in Sintra, Óbidos and Aveiro and the Douro Valley.
- > 5 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 5 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided city tours of Lisbon and Porto.
- > Dinner and Fado show in Lisbon.
- > Lunch and wine tasting in the prestigious Douro Valley.
- > Port tasting in Porto.
- > Pastry tasting of the famous Pastéis de Belém.
- > Cruise on a traditional Ribero in Porto.
- > Visit 4 UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites.
- > Entrance to Jerónimos Monastery, Belém Tower and Pena National Palace.
- > Flexibility to combine with a pre-tour extension to discover Portugal's stunning Albufeira's coastline or with our Best of Spain tour for a complete discovery of Iberia.
- > Deluxe VIP transport.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

TOUR FOCUS



DAY 1 Lisbon

Welcome to Portugal's capital Lisbon – one of the oldest cities in the world that dates to 1200BC. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy a leisurely morning. Our tour begins at 2:00pm in the hotel lobby for a guided city sightseeing tour including the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Jerónimos Monastery and Belém Tower. The monastery, now home to the Maritime and National Archaeology Museum, contains exquisite ornate features and shrine like entrances. The Belém Tower is iconic and played a significant role in Portuguese maritime discoveries. After tasting the famous Pastéis de Belém, continue to Alfama, the oldest part of city, that remains a picturesque labyrinth of narrow streets and small squares.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Pousada de Lisboa 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Lisbon – Sintra – Cascais – Lisbon (B)

Enjoy an excursion to Sintra, home to royal retreats, estates and castles dotted amongst the Sintra Mountains and Natural Park. This landscape is UNESCO World Heritage Listed. Visit Pena National Palace, a national monument and one of Portugal's Seven Wonders. Continue to the former fishing village of Cascais, before returning to Lisbon.

DAY 3 Lisbon (B, D)

The day is yours to explore Lisbon at your leisure. Options include visiting the shopping district of Chiado, the bustling Bairro Alto district or the Castelo de Sao Jorge for its spectacular views. In the evening, enjoy tickets to a dinner with a Fado show of traditional Portuguese music.

Departures and Pricing

2021

2022

STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*	STARTS	ENDS	PRICE*
Lisbon	Porto	Twin Share per person	Lisbon	Porto	Twin Share per person
05-May-21	10-May-21	\$4,090	03-May-22	08-May-22	\$4,090
09-Jun-21	14-Jun-21	\$4,090	08-Jun-22	13-Jun-22	\$4,090
07-Jul-21	12-Jul-21	\$4,090	06-Jul-22	11-Jul-22	\$4,090
15-Sep-21	20-Sep-21	\$4,090	14-Sep-22	19-Sep-22	\$4,090
20-Oct-21	25-Oct-21	\$4,090	19-Oct-22	24-Oct-22	\$4,090
Single Supplement		\$2,100	Single Supplement		\$2,100

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Prices in other currencies are available on our website.

DAY 4 Lisbon – Óbidos – Aveiro – Porto (B)

Visit the quaint hilltop village of Óbidos. Surrounded by medieval walls, the former Roman settlement features a unique city gate decorated with intricate tiles and paintings, cobbled streets and a Moorish Castle. Continue to the charming and picturesque seaside town of Aveiro, complete with canals, small bridges and traditional building façades made of glazed ceramic tiles and painted in a variety of colours and patterns. Afterward continue to Porto, a beautiful city built on the hillside of the Douro River.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Carris Porto Ribeira 4-star or similar

DAY 5 Porto (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of Porto's UNESCO World Heritage historic centre with its beautiful period buildings and winding narrow streets overlooking the Douro riverfront. The tour includes the Stock Exchange Palace, the Ribeira District and a visit and tasting to one of the town's famous underground Port cellars. Finish with a wonderful cruise along the Douro River on a traditional Ribero. The rest of the day is available to self-explore.

DAY 6 Porto – Douro Valley – Porto (B, L)

Today, we travel to the enchanting UNESCO World Heritage listed Alto Douro region, where landholders have been producing wine for over 2000 years. Visit a winery for a tour, wine tasting and closing tour lunch before returning to Porto for your ongoing journey.

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TOURS VIP
INCLUSION

Douro Valley visit and lunch at a winery.



Want to discover more?

OUR MOST POPULAR TOUR EXTENSIONS

PRE-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

A Best of Spain (10 Days) Small Group Journey

- > Visit Madrid, Cordoba, Granada and Seville and the charming villages of Toledo, Baeza, Úbeda and Ronda.
- > Enjoy guided sightseeing tours, lunch and wine tasting at a winery, dinner and flamenco show and olive oil tastings.
- > Best of Spain and Portugal tours may be combined with extensions to start and end in Madrid.

Explore more on page 57.

Seville to Lisbon (3 Days)

- > Discover the south of Portugal departing from Seville (or tailored from Lisbon) to visit the ancient Portuguese village of Tavira.
- > Two-night stay on Portugal's famed Albufeira coast, featuring magnificent beaches and multi-hued cliffs.

POST-TOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

Porto to Madrid (3 Days)

- > Extend from Porto's Douro Valley to the amazing city of Salamanca and onto Madrid.
- > Visit Salamanca, Spain's most important university city with a guided sightseeing tour that includes the UNESCO World Heritage listed Old City.
- > Enjoy a free day in Salamanca, options include the Art Nouveau and Art Deco museum Casa Lis, strolling the beautiful gardens of Huerto de Calixto y Melibea or visiting The University of Salamanca, Spain's oldest founded in 1134.



Private Itineraries

Our private itineraries are designed as perfect introductions to European cities, regional areas or extensions to our Small Group Journeys. Private itineraries are available to take on any date that suit your travel schedule. While we can tailor them to suit your interests, we have recommended itineraries based on extensive experience, using exquisite hotels, sightseeing options, entrance to attractions and transport as indicated.

Our recommended itineraries are typically based on private sightseeing and private driver experiences. Group sightseeing and self-drive options may also be available upon request.



Saint Mark's Basilica, Venice



Venice, Italy

Venice City Break

ITALY

City Breaks & Regional Discoveries

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Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 3 nights in a 4-star hotel.
- > 3 breakfasts (B).
- > Private guided tour of Venice's main sites with entrance to Doge's Palace and St Mark's Basilica and its terraces.
- > Iconic gondola ride.
- > Entrance and audio guide to the 'Teatro La Fenice' concert venue.
- > Group excursion to Murano, Burano and Torcello including a glass blowing demonstration.
- > Airport or train station transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Venice

Romantic, breath taking and surreal. Welcome to magnificent Venice. Transfer to your hotel before spending the rest of the day absorbing the spectacular views of this unique UNESCO World Heritage Listed city.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Palace Bonvecchiati 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Venice (B)

Meet your guide for a walking tour of the best Venetian sites including Piazza San Marco, Doge's Palace, Rialto Bridge, Grand Canal and Saint Mark's Basilica. Afterward, be treated to an iconic gondola ride through Venice's amazing canals. In the afternoon, enjoy admission and self-guided tour to Venice's most prestigious concert venue, 'Teatro La Fenice'.



Piazza San Marco, Venice



Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, Milan



Piazza del Duomo, Milan

Milan City Break

DAY 3 Venice (B)

Enjoy a group excursion to the islands of Murano, Burano and Torcello. Experience a live demonstration by a master glass blower in Murano. In Burano, explore the miniature Venice town with pastel coloured houses, small canals and pastry shops. The town is also famous for its lace. Finish with a visit to Torcello to view its magnificent Byzantine Cathedral of Santa Maria Assunta.

DAY 4 Venice (B)

Continue in Venice to discover more or transfer to the airport or train station for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$1,890 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Hotel Danieli, The Gritti Palace, Bauer Hotel, Aman Venice.
- > Full day excursion to Treviso with guided tour and wine tasting light lunch in the hills of Prosecco with private transfers.
- > Bacaro private wine tour with a professional sommelier for a taste of the food and wines of the Veneto region.
- > Hidden Gardens of Venice shared guided walking tour through stunning private palaces and gardens.
- > A private guided tour of Marco Polo's Lost Treasures.

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 3 nights in a 4-star hotel.
- > 3 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided walking tour of Milan's main attractions including admission to Milan Cathedral rooftop and Brera's Picture Gallery.
- > Full day excursion to Lake Como with private driver and half day guide for Villa Carlotta and Bellagio including Villa Melzi d'Eril and boat transfers.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Milan

Bustling, sophisticated and fashionable. Welcome to Milan, Italy's centre of commerce and style. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and perhaps stroll Via Montenapoleone, Via della Spiga and the other trendy streets of Milan's upscale fashion district.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Manzoni 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Milan (B)

Meet your private guide for a half day walking tour of Milan's main sites. Visit Piazza del Duomo with entrance and rooftop access to Milan Cathedral. Continue to the amazing Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II shopping mall and finish with a visit to Milan's artsy bohemian district to visit the Brera Picture Gallery featuring works that include Caravaggio and Raphael. The afternoon includes admission to Leonardo da Vinci's Vineyards where the master grew grapes for winemaking while working on the Last Supper.

DAY 3 Milan – Lake Como – Milan (B)

Enjoy an excursion to Lake Como, renowned for its breath-taking natural beauty. Visit Tremezzo for a guided tour of the famous Villa Carlotta and its beautiful gardens before cruising Lake Como for a guided tour of Bellagio, known for its spectacular mid-lake location, promenade planted with oleanders and lime trees and it's stepped, cobbled alleyways. The visit to Bellagio includes admissions and guided visit to Villa Melzi d'Eril.

DAY 4 Milan (B)

After breakfast, stay in Milan for additional leisure time or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

\$2,200 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Armani Hotel Milano, Galleria Vik Milano, Carlton Hotel Baglioni.
- > Late afternoon cooking class at a local's home focusing on Milanese cuisine with light dinner. Option may include visit to a local market.
- > Small group tour and admission to view Leonardo da Vinci's The Last Supper in Santa Maria dell Grazie Church.
- > Half or full day with a stylist and personal shopper.
- > Extend a day for an excursion to Bergamo for wine tasting at the medieval Castello di Grumello winery with castle tour, followed by a private city tour of Bergamo Alto and lunch at a typical local restaurant with private driver.
- > Extend a day for an excursion to Pavia and Certosa di Pavia for a fine dining lunch and time to explore the town.
- > Extend a day to the Piedmont region for truffle hunting and wine tasting.



Bellagio, Lake Como



Isola Bella, Lake Maggiore

Lake Como Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L).
- > Wine tasting in Franciacorta and visit to Lake Iseo.
- > Guided tour of Como and Bellagio including Villa Melzi d'Eril.
- > Lunch on Isola Comacina.
- > Guided visit and entrance to Villa Carlotta.
- > Excursion to Lake Maggiore with a guided tour of Stresa and Palazzo Palais Borromée.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers and ferry admissions as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Milan – Franciacorta region – Lake Iseo – Como (L)

Transfer from Milan to Franciacorta, known for Italy's best sparkling wine. Enjoy a tasting at a winery, before continuing to the crystal-clear waters of Lake Iseo, surrounded by lush green mountains. Enjoy time to wander around and perhaps take the ferry to Monte Isola, the largest lake island in Italy, before transferring to Lake Como.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Palace Hotel, Como 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Como – Isola Comacina – Como (B, L)

Meet your guide for a morning walking tour of Como. Afterward, transfer to Cernobbio for some time to stroll the town with its cute cake shops, wine stores and gelaterias before continuing to Sala Comacina for the small boat ride crossing to the acclaimed restaurant on Isola Comacina for an entertaining lunch served with magnificent views. Afterward, transfer back to your hotel.

DAY 3 Como – Tremezzo – Bellagio – Como (B)

Enjoy a wonderful day in the stunning mid-lake villages of Lake Como. Visit Tremezzo's famous 17th century Villa Carlotta for a guided tour of its luxurious interiors and 17-acre garden decorated with sculptures, fountains and plants. Afterward, cruise to the Lake's most famous village, Bellagio, to continue your guided tour. The village is described as one of the most beautiful in Italy for its spectacular mid-lake location, cobbled alleyways and promenade planted with oleanders and lime trees. Visit the town including the picturesque Villa Melzi Gardens. Afterward, enjoy leisure time in Bellagio before transferring back to your hotel for an evening at leisure.

DAY 4 Como – Lake Maggiore – Como (B)

Enjoy a full day excursion to the beautiful Lake Maggiore with a guided tour of Isola Bella, Palazzo Palais Borromée and the town of Stresa. Enjoy time for lunch and to explore the charming town before returning to Lake Como.

DAY 5 Como (B)

Extend in Lake Como for more discovery or continue for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,690 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Grand Hotel Villa Serbelloni (Bellagio), Grand Hotel Tremezzo (Tremezzo), Villa D'Este (Cernobbio).
- > Day excursion to St Moritz, Switzerland with the Bernina Express.
- > Excursion to the village of Brunate and the Volta lighthouse using a Jeep and cable car.
- > Visit Villa del Balbianello, featured in films such as Casino Royale.



Parco Nazionale delle Cinque Terre, Italy



Vernazza, Italy

Cinque Terre Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B).
- > Full day excursion with private guide to three villages of the Cinque Terre.
- > Excursion to Santa Margherita and Portofino with a visit to Castello Brown.
- > Full day excursion to Genoa with private half day guide.
- > Boat, train and private car transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Camogli

Welcome to Italy's Ligurian coastline that includes the five UNESCO villages of the Cinque Terre. On arrival, check into your hotel and enjoy the day at leisure to explore the charming town of Camogli.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Hotel Cenobio dei Dogi 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Camogli – Cinque Terre – Camogli (B)

After the Cinque Terre National Park was declared a UNESCO world heritage site, the villages of Riomaggiore, Manarola, Corniglia, Vernazza and Monterosso have become a bucket list destination. Enjoy a full day excursion with a private guide to visit three of the five villages by train and boat and discover the town's narrow alleyways, secret corners and wonderful views.

DAY 3 Camogli – Santa Margherita Ligure – Portofino – Camogli (B)

Travel by local train to visit Santa Margherita Ligure, one of the most attractive and charming towns on the Ligurian coast. Stroll along the promenade before exploring the centre's brightly coloured houses, quaint shops, 13th century Basilica di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia and Villa Durazzo and its royal apartments. Afterward, take the local bus to the glamorous Portofino, renowned for its picturesque harbour and boutique shops. Enjoy an independent lunch at one of the many marina facing caf  s, visit the church of St George and experience photo worthy views from Castello Brown before transferring back to your hotel.

DAY 4 Camogli – Genoa – Camogli (B)

Enjoy a short panoramic train ride to Liguria's capital, one of the Mediterranean's most important Ports. Enjoy a half day guided walking tour to discover Genoa's food, history and culture and explore a unique mix of contrasts from Grand Palazzi to tiny secluded corners. Highlights include the UNESCO listed historical centre, historical Via Garibaldi, the Porto Antico (old Port), Cathedral of San Lorenzo, Christopher Columbus' birthplace and Piazza Raffaele de Ferrari and Palazzo Ducale. Along the way, visit a food market housed in an art deco building and enjoy tastings from the region such as focaccia and a glass of Vermentino. The afternoon you will have leisure time to stroll Boccadasse, the fisherman village of Genoa.

DAY 5 Camogli (B)

Extend your stay or depart for your ongoing journey.

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade by basing your stay in the town of Santa Margherita Ligure at Grand Hotel Miramare 5-star or similar.
- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Grand Hotel Portovenere (Portovenere), Excelsior Palace (Rapallo) or Belmond Splendido (Portofino).
- > Add a typical lunch experience in Genoa comprising trofie pasta with pesto sauce, cima alla Genovese and panera.
- > Experience the coastline between Santa Margherita Ligure and Portofino and into Portofino Bay by private yacht.
- > Extend a day and experience mountain biking on the ancient trails of Mount Portofino, stop for a light lunch at the Old Mill and enjoy an afternoon kayak for caves and hidden coves in Portofino Marina.
- > Extend a day with private driver to discover Liguria. Visit a winery for a tasting, have time to explore the cute village of Tellaro and enjoy a seafood lunch with wine.
- > Extend a day for a fishing expedition to catch local fish on the Portofino Gulf.

Twin Share per person

from \$ 2,790 AUD



Ponte Vecchio, Florence

Florence City Break

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 3 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 3 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided walking tour and admission to Accademia Gallery, the Duomo and Brunelleschi's Dome.
- > Cooking demonstration and 3-course dinner at a local's home.
- > Full day excursion to San Gimignano including Palazzo del Duomo entrance and to the Chianti region with driver and guide.
- > Lunch and wine tasting at a Chianti winery.
- > Airport or train station VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Florence

Charming, artistic and picturesque. Welcome to Florence, the heart of Tuscany and a beautiful legacy to the Renaissance. On arrival, transfer to your hotel to freshen up and enjoy the rest of the day to explore the cobbled streets of this amazing city.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: L'Orologio Hotel 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Florence (B, D)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of the historic centre. Discover the Ponte Vecchio, Piazza della Signoria, Palazzo Vecchio, the Duomo, Giotto's Campanile bell tower and the Baptistry. The tour includes access to Brunelleschi's dome for a breath-taking view and guided entrance to Accademia Gallery, to witness Michelangelo's David and his 'Unfinished Prisoners'. The afternoon is free to enjoy more art at the Uffizi or take advantage of Florence's amazing shopping. In the evening, visit a local Florentine home to learn about local food and

traditions. Your host will treat you to a three-course dining experience, showcasing their favourite traditional family recipes.

DAY 3 Florence – San Gimignano – Chianti – Florence (B, L)

Enjoy an excursion to the Tuscan countryside. Visit San Gimignano, famous for its medieval architecture and surviving 13th century towers, which, with its hilltop setting and encircling walls, form an unforgettable skyline. The historic centre is UNESCO World Heritage Listed. Visit the Palazzo del Duomo to view works from Florentine and Sieneese schools of Art and to climb the stairs of a tower for an amazing view. Continue to Chianti for lunch and wine tasting at a winery before returning to Florence via Piazzale Michelangelo for a magnificent view over the city.

DAY 4 Florence (B)

After breakfast, stay in Florence for more discovery or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$1,990 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Four Seasons Hotel Firenze, Villa Cora Grand Hotel, St Regis Florence, Hotel Lungarno.
- > Half day excursion to Lucca or Pisa with Leaning Tower skip the line entrance.
- > Upgrade the Chianti winery visit for Super Tuscan wine tasting.
- > Extend a day for a traditional Italian cooking class at a Tuscan farmhouse.
- > Extend a day for truffle hunting including lunch and wine tasting.



Emilia-Romagna Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 5 nights in exquisite 4-star hotels.
- > 5 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided tours of Bologna and Ravenna.
- > Cooking class with dinner in a family home.
- > Tour, tasting and lunch at a Modena balsamic vinegar producer.
- > Visit the acclaimed Antica Corte Pallavicina for a visit to its farm including its cheese factory, the Culatello ham ageing room and lunch at its Michelin star restaurant.
- > Airport or train VIP transfers on arrival.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Bologna

Welcome to Emilia-Romagna, famous for Via Aemilia, the Roman path from Rimini to Piacenza that links one of Italy's richest agricultural and gastronomy regions. The region is home to Parma ham, Parmesan cheese, balsamic vinegar and automotive factories of Ferrari, Lamborghini and Ducati. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the day at leisure to perhaps visit FICO World Eataly, the world's largest agri-food park to learn, taste and discover all the good Italy has to offer.

STAY **3** NIGHTS: Hotel Corona D'Oro 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Bologna (B, D)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of Bologna, famed for its towers, churches, UNESCO listed porticoes and the world's oldest University. The afternoon is free to stroll around before an evening home cooking experience to learn the art of making the region's famous Tortellini pasta.

DAY 3 Bologna – Ravenna – Bologna (B, L)

Discover Ravenna on a private guided walking tour, the capital of the Western Roman Empire boasting 8 UNESCO listed monuments. Afterwards, enjoy a typical lunch before returning to your hotel. The rest of your day is at leisure.

DAY 4 Bologna – Modena – Parma region (B, L)

Depart to Modena, known for its Ferrari, Lamborghini and Maserati factories, Luciano Pavarotti and its gastronomical products such as tortellini, Lambrusco wine and balsamic vinegar. Stroll around its delightful centre before visiting a balsamic vinegar producer to enjoy a balsamic tasting with lunch. Afterwards you will be taken to your hotel outside Parma (the first Italian city to be rewarded by UNESCO for its gastronomy) where the evening is at your leisure.

STAY **2** NIGHTS: Antico Borgo di Tabiano Castello 4-star or similar

DAY 5 Parma (B, L)

Visit Parma's world-famous Prosciutto and Parmesan cheese producer at the famed Antica Corte Pallavicina farm. Visit its cheese factory, free range pigs, fruit and vegetable farm, the Culatello ham ageing room (caveau) and afterward, enjoy a delightful lunch at its Michelin star restaurant.

DAY 6 Parma region (B)

After breakfast, depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,790 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Grand Hotel Majestic Gia' Baglioni (Bologna).
- > Small group food tasting bike tour of Bologna.
- > Extend a day in Ravenna to visit Ferrara or the famous beach town of Rimini.
- > Extend a day and visit the automotive factories and museums of Ferrari (Maranello), Lamborghini (Sant'Agata Bolognese) or Ducati (Bologna).



Cortona, Italy



Montepulciano, Italy



Tuscany: Food & Wine tasting

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 4 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided tour of Cortona.
- > Michelin Star cooking experience with dinner.
- > Winery tour and tasting in Cortona.
- > Wine tastings at two wineries in Montepulciano including lunch.
- > Pienza cheese farm visit and tasting.
- > Montalcino winery lunch and tasting.
- > VIP transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Cortona

Welcome to rolling hills of Tuscany and this gastronomy focused tasting of what the region has to offer. Arrive in Cortona, Under the Tuscan Sun, to check in to your amazing hotel just outside the town and freshen up before enjoying an introductory sampler – a tour of the winery with a tasting, followed by an evening to relax.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Il Falconiere Relais & Chateaux 5-star

DAY 2 Cortona (B, D)

Cortona is a hilltop town with predominantly medieval architecture, steep narrow streets, significant museums and a historic centre. While the origins of the settlement are Umbrian, it was the Etruscans that developed the town that eventually became a Roman colony. Learn more of the history and the gastronomic significance of the surrounding region on a guided morning tour. In the afternoon, enjoy a Michelin Star cooking class experience followed by dinner at your hotel. The cooking class celebrates traditional Tuscan recipes designed by Silvia Baracchi.

DAY 3 Cortona – Montepulciano – Val d'Orcia (B, L)

Drive through the Tuscan countryside into the picturesque Val d'Orcia. Stop in Montepulciano, a major producer of an array of food and drink including pork, cheese, 'pici' pasta and of course wine. Enjoy time to stroll the hamlet, before visiting two wineries for tastings to discover Nobile di Montepulciano red wines, the first Italian DOCG wine characterised by gorgeous ruby red colour and aromas of bright red fruit. The visit includes lunch at one of the wineries. Afterward, continue to another romantic retreat in either a village or rural setting, depending on your preference.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Locanda in Tuscany or Hotel Relais Palazzo del Capitano 4-star

DAY 4 Val d'Orcia – Pienza – Montalcino – Val d'Orcia (B, L)

Indulge in a progressive day of food & wine. For appetisers, visit a cheese farm for a Pecorino di Pienza cheese tasting. Afterward, transfer to Montalcino for the main dish, a Brunello wine tasting lunch in Montalcino's wine region. Montalcino producer top-notch wine with unrivalled complexity. Finish with leisure time in the hilltop town of Montalcino to browse the quaint shops that include quality wines from the region. Retire to your retreat for a final evening of relaxation.

DAY 5 Val d'Orcia (B)

After breakfast, depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,490 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel in Val d'Orcia: recommended – Castello di Velona Resort & Spa or Castello Banfi.
- > Extend your stay to spend a day in Bagno Vignoni – a charming town and a UNESCO World Heritage Site offering natural thermal waters.
- > Include transfers into Cortona and out of Val d'Orcia for a seamless journey.



Chianti, Italy



Pienza, Italy



Tuscany: Food & Wine, in depth

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 6 nights in exquisite 4-star hotels.
- > 6 breakfasts (B), 4 lunches (L).
- > Privately curated wine masterclass with sommelier.
- > Chianti winery tastings and lunch.
- > Tuscan cooking class with lunch.
- > Montalcino winery tasting and lunch.
- > Truffle hunting experience on a farm also producing cheese, with tour and lunch.
- > Day to relax in Bagno Vignoni's thermal spas.
- > Montepulciano wine tasting.
- > VIP transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Florence – Chianti region

Welcome to Tuscany's Chianti area, an important region for wine lovers. Transfer from Florence for the start of your discovery of all three Tuscan wine regions – Chianti, Montalcino and Montepulciano. On arrival, commence this gastronomic feast with a privately curated masterclass with your own sommelier at your hotel.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Palazzo Leopoldo 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Chianti region (B, L)

Enjoy a full day excursion across Chianti, one of the most well-known and appreciated wine regions. Admire the beautiful Chianti landscape as you visit two amazing wineries where you will be delighted by a wine tasting lunch and independent stroll through charming Tuscan hamlets.

DAY 3 Chianti region (B, L)

Experience authentic Tuscany with a hands-on cooking class followed by lunch. Like all Italian cuisine, Tuscan cooking is based upon using the most fresh and simple ingredients of the season including legumes, cheeses, vegetables and fruits. The rest of the day is at your leisure to perhaps enjoy the hotel SPA or self-discover the nearby region by walking or hiring an e-bike.

DAY 4 Chianti region – Montalcino – Val d'Orcia (B, L)

Discover the rolling hills of Southern Tuscany as you make your way to Val d'Orcia, renowned for its UNESCO World Heritage listing, Brunello di Montalcino wine and Pienza Pecorino cheese. On the way, enjoy a winery tour and a wine tasting lunch. Afterward, visit Montalcino where you have independent time to explore the historical centre before arriving at your retreat.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Locanda in Tuscany or Hotel Relais Palazzo del Capitano 4-star

DAY 5 Val d'Orcia – Pienza – Val d'Orcia (B, L)

Become a truffle hunter and discover this ancient art with a professional seeker and his/her dog. On the same property, visit the cheese farm and combine your experiences and delight your taste buds with a cheese and truffle infused lunch including local wine. Afterward, you will have leisure time in Pienza to explore Piazza Pio II, Cattedrale dell'Assunta and Palazzo Piccolimini, which has a unique and breath-taking view of the Val d'Orcia Valley.

DAY 6 Val d'Orcia – Bagno Vignoni – Val d'Orcia (B)

Unwind with a relaxing day at Bagno Vignoni thermal paradise – a charming town named a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Relax in the day SPA and enjoy the thermal pools, cherished by the Romans for their healing powers.

DAY 7 Val d'Orcia – Montepulciano – Florence (B)

Discover Vino Nobile di Montepulciano, the first wine in Italy to receive the "denominazione di origine controllata e garantita" (DOCG) that was decreed to be amongst the best wines in Tuscany. Enjoy a wine tasting and continue to Montepulciano, with its elegant Renaissance palaces, ancient churches, charming squares and hidden corners. Afterwards, transfer to Florence for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$4,290 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel in Val d'Orcia: recommended – Castello di Velona Resort & Spa or Castello Banfi.
- > Extend your stay to spend a day visiting the protected endangered villages of Pitigliano and Sorano.



St Peter's Cathedral, Vatican City

Tuscany: Village Stay

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 5 nights in the historic Hotel Villa Casagrande.
- > 5 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Cooking class to learn Tuscan seasonal dishes with an included lunch.
- > Full day excursion to Siena and San Gimignano with wine tasting at a San Gimignano winery.
- > Cooking class to learn the art of Pizza making including lunch.
- > Full day excursion to Arezzo with a half day guide.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Florence – Tuscany (D)

Welcome to Florence, the capital of Italy's Tuscan region! After your transfer, unwind at your Tuscan Villa with a short tour and wine tasting. Settle in for the evening and enjoy a welcome dinner with a glass of wine.

STAY 5 NIGHTS: Hotel Villa Casagrande 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Tuscany (B, L)

Enjoy your first cooking class to prepare three traditional and seasonal Tuscan dishes, and afterwards indulge in your creation over lunch. In the afternoon, enjoy it at your leisure to perhaps discover the lovely village of Figline Valdarno or relax in the hotel's pool and spa.

DAY 3 Tuscany – Siena – San Gimignano – Tuscany (B)

Full day excursion to Siena and San Gimignano to discover the beauty of these preserved medieval towns. The day includes wine tasting on a local farm before returning to the Villa for an evening at leisure.

DAY 4 Tuscany (B, L)

In the morning, enjoy a pizza making class with lunch from the dishes prepared. In the afternoon, you have leisure time to visit the Villa's health centre, rent bikes, go horseback riding, take a walk in the town (right outside the Villa gate) or visit the cellar and museum of the Villa which has hosted Popes and royalty.

DAY 5 Tuscany – Arezzo – Tuscany (B)

Visit Arezzo by train for a half day guided walking tour of this ancient Etruscan town.

DAY 6 Tuscany – Florence (B)

Transfer to Florence airport or Florence train station for your onward journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$2,490 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Add a private guide in Siena with admission to Siena Cathedral and Piccolomini Library to maximise the visit.
- > Visit Florence for the day with a half day guide and travelling either by return train or private driver.
- > Add a private driver for a half day excursion to visit Cortona or the fantastic The Mall designer outlet located nearby.

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Guided tour of ancient Rome including entrance to the Colosseum and Roman Forum.
- > Guided tour of the Vatican including entrance to St Peter's Basilica and the Vatican Museum (Sistine Chapel).
- > Full day excursion to Pompeii with guide and admission.
- > Lunch and wine tasting at a farmhouse.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Rome

Historic, vibrant, romantic and unique. Welcome to Rome, Italy's capital and the epicentre of the ancient world. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the evening to stroll the cobbled streets of this amazing city.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Hotel Art by the Spanish Steps 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Rome (B)

Enjoy a half day guided tour of ancient Rome including the Colosseum, Arch of Constantine, and Roman Forum. The afternoon is at your leisure to stroll the ancient streets and discover amazing Piazzas and monuments including the Spanish Steps and Trevi Fountain.



Aeolian Islands (Sicily) Regional Discovery

DAY 3 Rome (B)

Meet your guide for a tour of the Vatican's St Peter's Basilica and Vatican Museum, including the Sistine Chapel. Afterward, enjoy leisure time to stroll the canopies of Villa Borghese gardens or shop on Via del Corso and Via Condotti.

DAY 4 Rome – Pompeii – Rome (B, L)

Enjoy a full day excursion with private driver to Pompeii for a guided tour of the ruins of a Roman city buried in ash in AD79 and lost before its rediscovery in 1748. Afterward, visit a farmstead for lunch and wine tasting before returning to Rome.

DAY 5 Rome (B)

After breakfast, stay on in Rome for additional exploration or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$2,290 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Grand Hotel de la Minerve, The First Roma Arte, Baglioni Hotel Regina, De Russie Hotel.
- > Upgrade to include private transfers for your Rome sightseeing.
- > Extend for a full day guide for Ancient Rome to include the amazing Basilica of San Clemente.
- > Add guided tours - underground Rome Catacombs tour, squares of Rome and Borghese Gallery and Gardens tour.
- > Extend for a day to include a private or group tour of the Pope's Summer Residence (Castel Gandolfo) with cooking class on the Papal Estate.
- > Extend for a full day excursion to Castel Gandolfo, combined with the Frascati sparkling wine region.

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Panoramic island tour of Vulcano.
- > Lunch and wine tasting at an acclaimed Lipari winery with private transfers.
- > Visit to a farm in Salina for a tasting of local produce, paired with their wines.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.
- > Note: ferry costs are not included.

DAY 1 Taormina – Lipari

Transfer from Taormina to Milazzo to board your ferry to Lipari, located in the beautiful Tyrrhenian Sea. Enjoy the rest of the day to explore the largest island in the volcanic archipelago of the Aeolian Islands. Areas of interest include Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, the Marina Corta, Via Giuseppe Garibaldi and Piazza Municipio hosting the highly-rated Ristorante da Filippino.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Hotel Mea 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Lipari – Vulcano – Lipari (B)

Board a ferry for the neighbouring volcanic island of Vulcano. On the way, pass the volcanic formation 'Faraglioni de Lipari' or guardians of the island, the larger reaching 80 metres from the sea. On arrival into Vulcano, enjoy a panoramic tour of the island including the Belvedere Capo Grillo lookout. Afterward you have free time with options that include hiking to the Gran Crater, a therapeutic mud bath fuelled by the Islands famous hot springs, or simply relax at the beach.

DAY 3 Lipari – Panarea – Stromboli – Lipari (B, L)

Transfer by private driver to Lipari's iconic Tenuta di Castellaro Winery and discover indigenous grape varieties of Malvasia delle Lipari and Carricante, paired with a lunch featuring local food. Afterward, ferry to the island of Panarea renowned for its stylish lifestyle and then onto Stromboli to see the amazing 'Strombolicchio' – a volcanic plug formation that inspired Mordor from Tolkien's Lord of the Rings. A boat excursion stretching into the evening is a must to hopefully witness the spectacle of the 'Sciara del Fuoco' or street of fire.

DAY 4 Lipari – Salina – Lipari (B)

Visit Salina with its luscious vegetation, hosting 400 different types of plants and where grapes, olives and capers are cultivated. The island is the filming location for Italy's popular film 'Il Postino' or The Postman, but what sets the island apart is the wonderful clear water, beautiful beaches and quaint town skirted with palm trees and wide promenades. On arrival, your private driver will transfer you to a local farm to taste local products including capers, cheese and bruschetta paired with their excellent wines. The rest of the day is available to self-explore Salina before returning to Lipari by ferry.

DAY 5 Lipari – Milazzo – Catania (B)

Return by ferry to Milazzo and transfer to Catania for your onward journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$2,290 AUD



Chia Beach, Sardinia



Castelsardo, Sardinia



Sardinia Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 7 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 7 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Guided walking tours of Cagliari and Alghero.
- > Excursion to the ancient town and archaeological ruins of Nora.
- > Guided tour of the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Su Naraxi di Barumini.
- > Wine tasting and light lunch at a local winery.
- > Visit charming Sardinian towns of Bosa and Castelsardo and beautiful beaches of Tuerredda and Costa Smeralda.
- > Boat excursions to Neptune's Grotto (ferry) and to the Maddalena Archipelago (small group sailing yacht).
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as indicated including airport transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Cagliari

Welcome to Cagliari, Sardinia's capital. Cagliari, located on the Bay of Angels, is an ancient fortified city that has seen the rule of civilisations for over 5000 years. Transfer to your hotel and enjoy an evening at leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Villa Fanny 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Cagliari (B)

Enjoy a half day morning walking tour of the historic medieval Castello with its ancient fortifications, 14th century towers and town hall. Visit Piazza Palazzo, The Cathedral of Santa Maria, The Bastion of St Remy, Royal Palace and the bustling marina quarter with its tangled streets, bars and restaurants.

DAY 3 Cagliari – Nora – Tuerredda beach – Cagliari (B)

A full day private excursion visiting Nora, the oldest village in Sardinia, for Carthaginian and Roman archaeological ruins dating to the 8th century BC. Afterward, enjoy the afternoon at Tuerredda beach with time for an independent lunch at their beachfront restaurant and to swim before heading back to Cagliari.

DAY 4 Cagliari – Su Naraxi di Barumini – Bosa – Alghero (B, L)

Enjoy a guided tour of the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Su Naraxi di Barumini. The defensive structures date to 2000BC and consist of circular towers of truncated cones built of stone. Continue to one of Sardinia's most renowned wineries for a cellar tour, tasting and light lunch. Afterward, enjoy a brief stop in the colourful village of Bosa before arriving in Alghero.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Villa Las Tronas 5-star or similar

DAY 5 Alghero (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of the medieval fortified town of Alghero. Known as 'Little Barcelona' for its Catalan influence, the town boasts a striking Gothic-style historic centre with the Church of St Francis and Santa Maria Cathedral. Stroll the narrow lanes, walk the old town walls before embarking on a boat to Neptune's Grotto.

DAY 6 Alghero – Castelsardo – Costa Smeralda (B)

Depart for the Costa Smeralda region with a stop in Castelsardo, considered one of the most beautiful villages in Italy.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Club Hotel Baja Sardinia 4-star or similar

DAY 7 Costa Smeralda – Maddalena Archipelago – Costa Smeralda (B)

Enjoy a full day excursion with a small group sailing boat to the Maddalena Archipelago (weather permitting) consisting of 7 major islands featuring beautiful clear waters, wind-blown granite coastlines and significant wildlife.

DAY 8 Costa Smeralda – Olbia (B)

A private departure transfer to Olbia or to the ferry port if you are continuing with us to Corsica.

Twin Share per person

from \$5,390 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a seaside 5-star hotel in Costa Smeralda: recommended – Cervo Hotel Costa Smeralda Resort (Porto Cervo), Cala Di Volpe (Porto Cervo) or L'Ea Bianca Luxury Resort (Arzachena).
- > Incorporate a cooking class in Cagliari to learn the secrets of mastering the local gnocchi like pasta dish 'Maloreddus'.
- > Extend in the south to stay at the exclusive Faro Capo Spartivento 5-star lighthouse hotel in Chia or to a resort in Villasimius for its popular beaches.
- > Extend to stay in Orgosolo to visit its famous political murals, Mamoiada's carnival mask stores and/or to experience life as a shepherd with lunch.



Extend a few days to experience Corsica's magnificent cliffside town of Bonifacio.



Cortina D'Ampezzo, Italy



Alta Badia Valley, Italy



Dolomites in Winter

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > Explore the Dolomites - UNESCO World Heritage Listed for its series of highly distinctive mountain landscapes of exceptional beauty.
- > 6 nights in exquisite 4-star hotels with 6 breakfasts (B) and 2 lunches (L).
- > Stay in the alpine resort town of Cortina d'Ampezzo – host to the 1956 and upcoming 2026 Winter Olympics.
- > Excursions to beautiful Lake Antorno, the alpine 'Auronzo' Hut and Kronplatz summit including Zaha Hadid designed Messner Mountain Museum.
- > Visit the five grey dolomite towers known as the Cinque Torri with guided hike through WWI trenches.
- > Discover the picturesque Alta Badia valley and observe the local life of the 'Ladini'.
- > Dine at the Michelin star AlpINN restaurant run by Norbert Niederkofler on Kronplatz.
- > Embark on a guided gentle hike to the Pisciadu Waterfalls and cable car to Gardena Pass.
- > Adventure experience through mountainous wilderness by snowmobile, sled, chairlift and cable car.
- > Deluxe VIP transport with driver including airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Venice - Cortina D'Ampezzo

On arrival in Venice, transfer to your spectacular hotel in Cortina d'Ampezzo for your upcoming exploration of the Dolomites. The Dolomites are listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage property for its exceptional natural beauty and feature some of the most beautiful

landscapes anywhere, with vertical walls, sheer cliffs and narrow, deep valleys. On arrival in Cortina d'Ampezzo, enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. The charming alpine resort town is surrounded by stunning peaks and hosted the 1956 (and upcoming 2026) Winter Olympics.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Cortina 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Cortina D'Ampezzo – Lake Antorno – Auronzo di Cadore – Cortina D'Ampezzo (B, L)

Enjoy a full day of adventure amidst amazing beauty. Visit beautiful Lake Antorno, then travel by snowmobile to the alpine 'Auronzo' hut. The refuge stands at 2,333 metres and offers spectacular views to the Cadini di Masurina mountain chain. Admire the view before an exciting 5km descent by sled. Afterwards, take the cable car across the slopes for an Alpine style lunch before returning to Cortina.

DAY 3 Cortina D'Ampezzo (B)

Enjoy the day at leisure to explore Cortina's stylish historic centre including the Corso d'Italia, a pedestrian walk-street with an abundance of popular stores.

DAY 4 Cortina D'Ampezzo – Cinque Torri – Alta Badia Valley (B)

Visit the impressive five grey dolomite towers known as the Cinque Torri. Continue by chairlift through the forest for aerial views of the mountain range and WWI trenches below. Explore the trenches on foot with your guide and finish with a descent to the picturesque Alta Badia with time to roam the village to experience the life of the 'Ladini' people.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Christiania 4-star or similar

DAY 5 Alta Badia Valley – Kronplatz – Alta Badia Valley (B, L)

Today journey by cable-car to the summit of the Kronplatz ski area, with a peak standing at 2,275 metres and offering a 360-degree panorama of the entire surroundings, arguably the most beautiful in the Alps. Here, visit the Messner Mountain Museum 'Corones' dedicated to traditional mountaineering housed in a Zaha Hadid designed structure on the edge of the most spectacular panoramic plateau in the South Tyrol. Afterward, enjoy a gourmet lunch at AlpINN commissioned and managed by the Michelin star chef Norbert Niederkofler, that uses only local ingredients. The restaurant boasts large glass windows offering breath-taking views as well as an open kitchen. Return to the hotel and enjoy the rest of the day to relax.

DAY 6 Alta Badia Valley - Pisciadu Waterfall - Gardena Pass - Alta Badia Valley (B)

Today enjoy a gentle hike past a biotope lake on a snowy track surrounded by woodland areas until you reach the Pisciadu waterfalls. The waterfalls unfold at the foot of the impressive Sella Massif, with its pinnacles, dramatic rock faces and the famous Val Di Mezdi. Continue across the ski slope and take the cable-car to Gardena Pass before descending to the hotel.

DAY 7 Alta Badia Valley - Venice (B)

After breakfast, check out of your hotel and transfer to Venice airport.

Twin Share per person

from \$6,590 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Extend to include a Venice City Break. See page 64.



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Amsterdam City Break

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided private tour of Amsterdam.
- > Cocktail evening cruise on Amsterdam's canals.
- > Entrance to Rijks and Van Gogh Museums and Anne Frank's house.
- > Day group excursion to the countryside to Zaanse Schans windmills and Volendam.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Amsterdam

Welcome to Amsterdam, the capital of the Kingdom of the Netherlands. Amsterdam originated as a small fishing village in the 12th century and transformed to one of the most important Ports in the world by the 17th century. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the day at leisure. Wander the streets of this iconic city famous for its narrow houses with gabled facades, its UNESCO World Heritage Listed 17th century canal network and its bicycles!

STAY 4 NIGHTS: **Ambassade Hotel 4-star** or similar

DAY 2 Amsterdam (B)

Enjoy a half-day private guided tour covering the major landmarks including Central Station, The Royal Palace and Dam Square, City Hall and Museum Square. The tour includes a visit to the Rijks Museum, the nation's most visited which is dedicated to art and history and includes Rembrandt's masterpiece 'The Night Watch'. In the evening, enjoy a cocktail cruise on Amsterdam's canals for a unique perspective of the city.



Brandenburg Gate, Berlin

Berlin City Break

DAY 3 Amsterdam (B)

A day of self-discovery. Visit the house, secret Annex and school of Anne Frank to learn about her extraordinary life. Afterward, continue to the Van Gogh Museum to explore over 200 drawings and 500 paintings completed by the master.

DAY 4 Amsterdam (B)

Enjoy a group excursion to the countryside to Zaanse Schans, a neighbourhood comprising a collection of well-preserved historic windmills and houses built in the typical Dutch wooden architectural style. The day includes a visit to the Zaanse Museum. Afterward, visit the fishing village of Volendam.

DAY 5 Amsterdam (B)

After breakfast, stay in Amsterdam for additional leisure time or transfer to the airport for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person from \$2,690 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Intercontinental Amstel, Conservatorium Hotel.
- > Amsterdam group food tour with the Pijp and Albert Cuyp markets.
- > Private bike tour with a local.
- > Extend for day trip to Rotterdam, Delft and The Hague with private driver.

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided private walking tour of Berlin's main attractions relating to WWII.
- > Guided private walking tour of East Berlin including the Berlin Wall.
- > Day excursion with private driver to Potsdam and Sanssouci Palace.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Berlin

Lively, entertaining, historic and real. Welcome to Berlin, Germany's cosmopolitan capital. Upon arrival, transfer to your centrally located hotel to freshen up and enjoy the day and evening at leisure.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Meliá Berlin 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Berlin (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of the main sites with focus on WWII and Nazi Germany. Visit the iconic Brandenburg Gate, the Reichstag building, the memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe, Hitler's Chancellery and the Topography of Terror Museum. The afternoon is at leisure.

DAY 3 Berlin (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of East Berlin including the Berlin Wall and the East Side Gallery, comprising 105 paintings by international artists painted on the East side of the wall. The remainder of the day is available to perhaps visit Stasi Prison or Museum Island and the Pergamon Museum.

DAY 4 Berlin – Potsdam – Berlin (B)

Enjoy an excursion with private driver to Potsdam. The visit includes Sanssouci and its gardens, the former summer palace of Frederick the Great and Cecilienhof Palace, where Churchill, Stalin and Truman decided the future of Germany post-World War II. Both places are UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

DAY 5 Berlin (B)

After breakfast, stay on in Berlin for additional leisure time or depart to the airport or train station for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person from \$2,390 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Hotel de Rome - a Rocce Forte Hotel, Das Stue, Hotel Adlon Kempinski Berlin.
- > Extend your East Berlin Tour to include Stasi Prison.
- > Include a full day private guide to accompany on your excursion to Potsdam.
- > Private guide to accompany you to Museum Island and its many museums.
- > Gala dinner and classic music concert at the Charlottenburg Palace.
- > Berlin Street Art group walking tour



Hungarian Parliament, Budapest

Fisherman's Bastion, Budapest

Budapest City Break

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Guided private walking tour of Budapest's main historical sites including Buda Castle.
- > Guided entrance and tour inside Budapest's Opera House.
- > Guided private tour of Parliament house paired with a tour of the main pedestrian streets and famous coffee houses.
- > Lunch in an acclaimed traditional Hungarian restaurant with music and folk dance.
- > Entrance and guided tour of 'The House of Terror' Museum for an insight of life under Nazi's and Communism.
- > Evening cruise on the Danube.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Budapest

Majestic, illuminating and romantic. Welcome to Budapest, Hungary's capital, often cited as one of Europe's most beautiful cities. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. In the evening, you may wish to stroll the banks of the Danube to marvel at the city's magnificent landmarks.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Hotel Palazzo Zichy 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Budapest (B, L)

Enjoy a private guided half day walking tour, covering the main historical sights commencing in the Buda Castle District, a UNESCO World Heritage Listed site that offers a wonderful panoramic view of the Danube and Pest. Visit Buda Castle, the historical castle and palace complex of the Hungarian Kings in Budapest, Fisherman's Bastion and St Matthias Church. After wandering the Hill's cobblestone Medieval streets, ride the Castle Hill Funicular to the Danube and walk across Budapest's Széchenyi Chain Bridge into Pest. Here, visit St Stephen's Cathedral, Andrássy Avenue, the Opera House including a tour inside and ride one of the oldest train lines in Europe to Heroes Square, another UNESCO listed site. Finish with lunch at a traditional restaurant with gourmet Hungarian dishes, live music and folk dancing. The afternoon is at leisure to perhaps explore Budapest's City Park and/or the famous Széchenyi Thermal Baths.

DAY 3 Budapest (B)

Enjoy a guided visit to the magnificent Budapest Parliament House. Afterward, embark on a walking tour with the use of local trams. Visit some of Pest's amazing pedestrian streets, historic and glamorous coffee houses where Europe's best writers and artists pondered and discussed their works, Budapest's Central Market Hall, the Jewish quarter, and entrance to the brilliant 'House of Terror' museum to catch a glimpse of life under Nazi Germany and Communist Russia before Hungary was eventually freed in 1989. Tonight enjoy an evening cruise along the Danube.

DAY 4 Budapest (B)

Enjoy a day of leisure to continue your exploration of this amazing city. Options include spending time relaxing in one of the city's acclaimed thermal baths, a guided tour of Gellert Spa, an excursion to the Communist statue graveyard of Memento Park, a boat ride up the Danube to the quaint town of Szentendre or roam the parklands of Margaret Island.

DAY 5 Budapest (B)

After breakfast, stay in Budapest for additional leisure time or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$1,990 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Four Seasons Hotel Gresham Palace, New York Palace, The Dedica Anthology.
- > Excursion with private driver to the Communist statue graveyard, Memento Park.
- > Tickets to a show at the amazing Budapest Opera House.
- > Extend for a day trip to Lake Balaton and the Herend porcelain factory tour.
- > Extend for a day trip to nearby Vienna or Bratislava.



Christmas Markets, Castles & Prosecco Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 8 nights in exquisite 4 & 5-star hotels.
- > 8 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L).
- > Visit some of the best Christmas Markets in Europe, including Vienna, Salzburg, Salzkammergut and Villach.
- > Guided sightseeing of Vienna, Salzburg, Venice and Schönbrunn Palace.
- > Prosecco winery tour and tasting in Italy.
- > Stay 2 nights in a spectacular Italian castle.
- > Deluxe VIP transportation as indicated.
- > Airport transfers on first and last day.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Vienna

Welcome to Vienna! Filled with old-world charm, this city is magical in winter with imperial architecture basked in twinkling lights. Transfer to your beautiful hotel where the rest of the day is at your leisure.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Grand Ferdinand Vienna 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Vienna (B, L)

Embark on a private sightseeing tour of Vienna covered in snow! See the major historical sites along the Ringstrasse, including the State Opera, the National Museum, the Imperial Palace, the Parliament, the City Hall, the Burgtheater and the University, before transferring to the magnificent Schönbrunn Palace. As the former summer residence of the Habsburg family, you will marvel at the majestic Baroque style

rooms, one of the most important architectural, cultural, and historic monuments in the country. Afterwards, enjoy a typical lunch in a local restaurant and the rest of the day to spend at your leisure.

DAY 3 Vienna – Salzkammergut – Salzburg (B)

Enjoy a scenic drive through the Salzburg Lake District, with its clear lakes, legendary villages and impressive mountains. Experience the traditional Advent markets, practiced traditions and Christmas events in Salzkammergut before transferring to Salzburg.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel am Mirabellplatz 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Salzburg (B, L)

Discover the historical side of Salzburg with a walking tour of the city's highlights. Explore Salzburg's Baroque old town with its beautiful churches and cathedrals and learn about the city's most famous citizen, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. After an enjoyable lunch of typical local food, you may wish to participate in winter activities such as ice-skating in Mozart Square.

DAY 5 Salzburg – Villach – Cison di Valmarino (B)

Depart Salzburg for Villach for free time to explore the Villach Christmas Markets. Enjoy the mountainous scenery before crossing the border into Italy to your magical castle hotel located in the Prosecco area, renowned for sparkling wine production.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: CastelBrando 4-star or similar

DAY 6 Cison di Valmarino (B)

Today you have a day of leisure to explore or unwind in the hotels spectacular SPA facilities.

DAY 7 Cison di Valmarino – Valdobbiadene – Venice (B)

Visit Valdobbiadene for a delicious lunch in a typical restaurant and tasting at a renowned boutique Prosecco winery. Continue to your hotel in Venice where the evening is at your leisure.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Palazzo Giovanelli 4-star or similar

DAY 8 Venice (B)

Meet your guide for a walking tour of the main Venetian sites including Piazza San Marco, Doge's Palace, Ponte dei Sospiri, Rialto Bridge, Grand Canal and Saint Mark's Basilica. The visit will include access to Doge's Palace's and rooftop access to Saint Mark's Basilica for a unique view of Piazza San Marco and the 14th century clock 'Torre dell'Orologio'. In the afternoon, you may wish to partake in a Christmas local food cooking class and dinner in a Venetian house.

DAY 9 Venice (B)

Transfer to Venice airport or train station for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$5,490 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Christmas local food cooking class in Venice.
- > Bacaro private wine tour with a professional sommelier for a tasting of food and wines from the Veneto region.
- > Venice Carnival mask decoration course.



Parthenon, Athens



Acropolis, Athens

Athens City Break

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 5-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B), 3 lunches (L).
- > Private guided tour of the Acropolis including the Parthenon.
- > Semi-private Catamaran cruise along the Athens Riviera with lunch.
- > Athens small group food tour with cooking class.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Athens

Welcome to Athens, one of the world's oldest cities, the cradle of civilisation and the birthplace of democracy. Athens has been continually inhabited for at least 7,000 years. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the day at leisure.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Electra Palace Athens 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Athens (B, L)

Meet your private guide for a sightseeing tour to discover the UNESCO World Heritage listed citadel, the Acropolis of Athens. Ascend by step to the top of the sacred rock, before passing through the Propylaea, the Acropolis' stately entrance. Here you will find the Parthenon and Erechtheion. Continue to the famed historic district of Plaka for lunch before enjoying the rest of the day at leisure.

DAY 3 Athens (B, L)

Transfer to the Agios Kosmas Marina for a magnificent 5-hour catamaran cruise and unique perspective of the 45 kilometre-long Athen's Riviera coastline. The day includes swimming stops with lunch prepared on board and served in a picturesque location.

DAY 4 Athens (B, L)

Partake in a full day small group Athens Food tour to visit various specialty food shops, colourful delicatessens, aromatic and tempting bakeries, restaurants, spice and grocery shops. The tour includes a visit to Athens' central Varvakeios food market, a cooking class to learn how to prepare Greece's most well-known dishes and lunch.

DAY 5 Athens (B)

After breakfast, stay in Athens for additional leisure time or transfer to the airport for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$2,590 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Add an Athens by night small group walking tour with drinks and appetizers for a different perspective.
- > Day group excursion to Delphi for the Temple of Apollo, the Oracle and Delphi Museum.
- > Extend for 2 days to cover Delphi and the cliff-top monasteries of Meteora.
- > Extend in Greece for a stay on the Islands such as Santorini, Mykonos or Naxos. This will be tailored to your interest.



Marsaxlokk, Malta



Victoria, Gozo



Valletta, Malta



Malta Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 6 nights in exquisite 4-star hotels.
- > 6 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided private walking tour of Valletta and entrance into St John's Co-Cathedral.
- > Half day excursion with driver and guide to the Three Cities including a typical Dghajsa boat ride across the Grand Harbour.
- > Full day excursion with driver and guide to the island of Gozo including admission to Ggantija Temple.
- > Full day excursion with driver and guide to explore Malta's archaeological history visiting Hagar Qim and Hypogeum.
- > Visit the Blue Grotto and Marsaxlokk fishing village.
- > Half day excursion with driver and guide to the legendary city of Mdina.
- > Wander the streets of St Julian's with its enchanting seaside restaurants.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Valletta

Welcome to historic Valletta, a UNESCO World Heritage Listed City and Europe's most southern capital. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the evening at leisure.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Palazzo Consiglia 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Valletta (B)

Embark on a half day private guided tour of Valletta, Malta's capital built by the Knights of the Order of St. John. Visit the Barracca Gardens with a breath-taking panorama of the Grand Harbour and tour the magnificent St John's Co-Cathedral including the Caravaggio masterpieces in the Oratory. The afternoon is yours to wander the cobbled streets and take in the beautiful view of the harbour at night.

DAY 3 Valletta – Vittoriosa – Valletta (B)

Discover the Grand Harbour area opposite Valletta known as the Three Cities of Vittoriosa, Cospicua and Senglea. This is where the Knights of St. John first settled in 1530. Transfer with private driver to Vittoriosa for a private walking tour through the narrow streets in the shade of historic buildings. Enjoy a typical dghajsa boat cruise across the Grand Harbour to Valletta Marina. Here, enjoy time for an independent lunch at one of the many restaurants lining the harbour before taking the short stroll back to the Valletta centre for an afternoon of leisure.

DAY 4 Valletta – Gozo – Valletta (B)

Embark on a full day excursion to Gozo, the island of the nymph Calypso. Visit Ggantija prehistoric temples as well as Victoria and its Citadel. On your return to Valletta, you may opt to return on a private boat to circle the Island of Comino to view the Blue Lagoon and Crystal Lagoon.

DAY 5 Valletta – Ancient Malta – St Julian's (B)

Enjoy a full day private tour of Malta's ancient history. You'll visit the Island's most famous sites including Hagar Qim, Malta's main pre-historic site, overlooking the wide expanse of the blue Mediterranean and the islet of Filfla. Also visit Hypogeum, an underground chamber dating more than 6,000 years. Continue to the blue grotto to perhaps take the short boat trip through the sea caves. Finally, visit the ancient fishing village of Marsaxlokk, the Phoenician port dating back to 200BC, before checking into your St Julian's hotel.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Juliani 4-star or similar

DAY 6 St Julian's – Mdina – St Julian's (B)

Enjoy a half day excursion and guided tour of Malta's medieval city of Mdina, Malta's former capital. The narrow, winding streets, dating back to the Arab period, lead to the imposing bastions, commanding a panoramic view of the islands. On the way, discover different styles of architecture, including the medieval Siculo-Norman palaces, and other baroque buildings of great historical importance.

DAY 7 St Julian's (B)

After breakfast, stay for additional leisure time or transfer to the airport for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,690 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to 5-star hotels: recommended – Hotel Phoenicia (Valletta), The Westin Dragonara Resort (St Julian's).
- > Charter boat return from Gozo with a stop at the Blue Lagoon.
- > Extend for an overnight stay in Gozo and/or Mdina.



Sveti Stefan, Montenegro



Zagreb, Croatia

Montenegro Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided walking tour of Kotor.
- > Full day excursion with guided tour of Budva and visit to Sveti Stefan.
- > Full day excursion to Lake Skadar National Park.
- > Visit the charming towns of Perast and Herceg Novi.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers throughout as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Dubrovnik – Perast – Kotor

Venture down the Adriatic coast into Montenegro and visit the picturesque old town of Perast, littered with 17 Grand Palazzo's, 16 churches and two beautiful islands. Continue to Kotor for a relaxing evening.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Boutique Hotel Hippocampus 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Kotor (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of the old Mediterranean port of Kotor, surrounded by fortifications set beneath overhanging limestone cliffs. Kotor dates to 168BC and is a World Heritage Site. The afternoon is yours to relax and enjoy at leisure.

DAY 3 Kotor – Budva – Sveti Stefan - Kotor (B)

Visit the 3,500-year-old town of Budva, making it one of the oldest settlements on the Adriatic coast. Famed for its sandy beaches, diverse nightlife and examples of Mediterranean architecture, take time to explore and acquaint yourself with this charming town with a guided tour. In the afternoon, venture to Sveti Stefan to absorb the breathtaking beach and island village before returning to Kotor.

DAY 4 Kotor – Lake Skadar – Kotor (B)

Enjoy an excursion to the beautiful Lake Skadar and its surrounding National Park. Skadar is an ancient lake that has carried water for over one million years and hosts one of the largest bird reserves in Europe. Enjoy a boat ride on the lake, partake in one of the amazing hiking trails that lead to hidden rock pools or visit one of the 60 monasteries that are littered along its shores.

DAY 5 Kotor – Herceg Novi – Dubrovnik (B)

Return to Dubrovnik airport, stopping for a visit to the charming seaside town of Herceg Novi.

Twin Share per person

from \$2,590 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Aman Sveti Stefan for a unique stay on Sveti Stevan island (Sveti Stefan), Hotel Forza Mare (Dobrota).
- > Extend to explore Durmitor National Park or the towns of Petrovac and Ulcinj: famed for its 8-mile Long Beach, Lake Šas, Ada Bojana Island and its two-millennia-old Ulcinj Castle.
- > Extend for a few days to visit Dubrovnik, Croatia.

Zagreb City Break

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 3 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 3 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Guided walking tour of Zagreb's main sites.
- > Excursion to Plešivica premium wine region with wine tastings and lunch.
- > Entrance to Lotrščak Tower and Mestrovic Atelier Museum.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Zagreb

Welcome to Zagreb, Croatia's capital with a rich history dating to Roman times. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel before spending the rest of the day and evening at your leisure.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Palace Hotel 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Zagreb (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour that visits Zagreb's main attractions. Visit bustling Ban Jelačić Square, Zagreb's heart and soul where locals socialise in the many sidewalk cafés. The square is lined with Habsburg-era buildings and features a statue symbolising Croatia's struggle for independence. Pass through the bustling Dolac market to 'Upper town' – Zagreb's old town for a historical perspective. See the Stone Gate, enjoy the view from Lotrščak Tower, visit popular Tkalčićeva ulica and enter the Mestrovic Atelier Museum, displaying works of Croatia's famed sculptor. Continue to the National Theatre, a neo-baroque architectural masterpiece featuring Mestrovic's wall fountain 'The Source of Life' and finish with Zagreb's impressive Botanical Gardens.



Croatian National Theatre



Park Güell, Barcelona



Sagrada Família Basilica

Barcelona City Break

DAY 3 Zagreb – Plešivica wine region – Zagreb (B, L)

Enjoy a full day excursion with your private driver to the picturesque Plešivica, otherwise known as 'Croatia's Champagne region' and home of Croatian sparkling wines. Discover indigenous grapes varieties like Graševina and Ottonel (for local white wines) and Portugizec (young red wine), Croatia's answer to Beaujolais. The altitude of 500 meters above sea level makes Plešivica a perfect region for Chardonnay, Riesling, Pinot Blanc, Gris, Sauvignon Blanc and Pinot Noir. Enjoy two wineries including and a wine tasting lunch at a family winery.

DAY 4 Zagreb (B)

After breakfast, stay in Zagreb for additional leisure time or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$1,790 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Hotel Esplanade.
- Extend your walking tour with a driver to include a visit to Mirogoj Cemetery, one of Europe's most beautiful.
- Extend for a day to allow for hiking on the walking trails of beautiful Medvednica Nature Park in Mount Medvednica.
- Extend for a few days for a visit and overnight stay in Plitvice Lakes National Park.

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- 4 breakfasts (B).
- Guided walking tour of Gaudi's masterpieces with admission to Sagrada Família and Casa Milà.
- Visit and entrance to the UNESCO Listed Palau de la Música Catalana concert venue.
- Walking tour of Las Ramblas and the Gothic quarter.
- Day excursion to the mountain peaks of Montserrat.
- Wine tasting and tour at a prestigious family winery.
- Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Barcelona

Beautiful, historic and relaxed. Welcome to Barcelona, the capital of Catalonia and Spain's second largest city. On arrival, transfer to your hotel and enjoy the day at leisure. Suggestions include the Picasso Museum, Parc Güell and Hospital de Sant Pau. In the evening, Gaudi's illuminated Casa Batlló may be of interest.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: NH Collection Barcelona Pódium 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Barcelona (B)

Meet your guide to discover Gaudi's architectural and UNESCO World Heritage Listed masterpieces: the unfinished Sagrada Família Basilica, Casa Milà and Casa Batlló. Continue to Palau de la Música Catalana, the amazing concert venue, also a UNESCO Listed site that blends the decorative arts of sculpture, mosaic, stained glass and ironwork.

DAY 3 Barcelona (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of Las Ramblas and the Gothic Quarter. La Ramblas or 'stream' in Arabic is Barcelona's main pedestrian street and is adjacent to the Gothic quarter featuring narrow streets, Art Nouveau storefronts and was the home to a teenage Pablo Picasso. The tour includes visits to the La Boqueria produce market and the Picasso Museum.

DAY 4 Barcelona – Montserrat – Barcelona (B)

Enjoy an excursion with driver to the jagged mountain peaks of Montserrat, home to the Benedictine Abbey, the shrine of the black Virgin of Montserrat, and the location of the famed Holy Grail according to Arthurian myth. In the afternoon, enjoy a wine cellar and tasting tour at a prestigious vineyard before returning to Barcelona.

DAY 5 Barcelona (B)

After breakfast, stay in Barcelona for additional leisure time or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$2,690 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Mercer Hotel, El Palace Hotel, Majestic Hotel & Spa Barcelona.
- Day excursion to Catalonia's beautiful Costa Brava coastline and the village of Girona.
- Small group Catalan food and wine day excursion.
- Visit the textile village of Colonia Güell designed by Gaudi and also see Gaudi's crypt.



Northern Spain Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 5 nights in exquisite 4-star hotels.
- > 5 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Guided walking tour of San Sebastián including funicular to Mount Igeldo.
- > Txakoli wine and Pintxo tastings in San Sebastián.
- > Full day excursion to Pamplona with guided walking tour.
- > Guided tour and entrance to Guggenheim Bilbao Museum.
- > Full day of wine tastings, cellar visits and winery lunch in La Rioja wine region.
- > Deluxe VIP transport with driver as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 San Sebastián

Welcome to northern Spain's mountainous Basque Country on the beautiful Bay of Biscay. On arrival, check into your wonderful hotel and enjoy the day at leisure to explore beautiful Concha Bay, considered one of the best beaches in Europe.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Hotel Villa Soro 4-star or similar

DAY 2 San Sebastián (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of San Sebastián old town, enshrined within city walls until 1863. Visit Plaza de la Constitution, San Vicente church, the Basilica of Santa Maria and San Telmo Museum. Enjoy a glass of Txakoli wine and Pintxo, the Basque version of Tapas. Afterward, take the funicular to visit Mount Igeldo to enjoy an iconic view of the Bay. In the afternoon, enjoy leisure time to perhaps wander the new town including the Plaza de Gipuzkoa, Plaza de Bilbao, the Maria Cristina Bridge and the Victoria Eugenia Theatre.

DAY 3 San Sebastián – Pamplona – San Sebastián (B)

Enjoy an excursion to Pamplona, best known for the annual 'running of the bulls' held around July 7 to 14. Enjoy a guided tour of the town, holding significance for its military past and its notable religious Gothic buildings. Also walk the route of the running of the bull's event from Arga to the Plaza de Toros bullring before returning to San Sebastian.

DAY 4 San Sebastián – Bilbao – La Rioja region (B)

Depart for Bilbao and a private tour of the Frank Gehry designed Guggenheim Bilbao Museum and its eclectic collection. Afterward, enjoy free time to wander through the town including the bustling Bilbao Ribera market, Parque del Arenal, Church of San Nicolas, Plaza Nueva, Santiago Cathedral and Plaza Miguel de Unamuno. Continue into the La Rioja region to check into your relaxing retreat.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Eurostars Los Agustinos 4-star or similar

DAY 5 La Rioja region (B, L)

Enjoy a full day exploring the amazing wines of the regions with cellar visits and tours and lunch at a winery. The day will be tailored for you, but favourites cellars include Bodegas Muga, Luis Canas, Ysios, Marques de Riscal and Eguren Ugarte.

DAY 6 La Rioja region (B)

Extend for another day of fantastic tastings or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,990 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Hotel Marina Cristina, a Luxury Collection Hotel (San Sebastián), Hotel Marqués de Riscal a Luxury Collection Hotel (Elciego, La Rioja region).
- > Extend in San Sebastián for a day excursion to the fishing village of Hendarribia and the French town of Biarritz, known as the Beach of Kings.
- > Guided scenic half day hike from San Sebastián to San Pedro.
- > La Rioja region extension for more wine tasting, cellar visits and winery lunches.



Cádiz, Spain



Zahara de la Sierra, Spain



Southern Spain Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 5 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 5 breakfasts (B), 2 lunches (L), 1 dinner (D).
- > Guided tours of Jerez de La Frontera, Zahara de la Sierra, Málaga and Antequera.
- > Visit to a Jerez sherry winery with tour, tasting and lunch.
- > Sunset cruise (non-private) with aperitif in Cádiz.
- > Visit the UNESCO World Heritage Listed sites of Antequera.
- > Visit the charming towns of Cádiz and Grazalema.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Jerez de la Frontera

Welcome to Costa de la Luz where the Atlantic meets the Mediterranean in Southern Spain. Join us in Jerez de la Frontera, one of the hidden gems of Andalusia renowned for Sherry wine production, the Royal School of Equestrian Art and the Moto GP motorcycle event that is hosted here annually. Check into your amazing hotel and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

STAY **2** NIGHTS: Casa Palacio Maria Luisa 5-star or similar

DAY 2 Jerez de la Frontera – Cádiz – Jerez de la Frontera (B, L)

Enjoy a guided half day sightseeing tour of Jerez de La Frontera's white narrow streets followed by a visit to a Sherry winery for a tour and tapas light lunch. In the afternoon, visit the Port city of Cádiz, founded by the Phoenicians in 1100BC. Enjoy time to stroll its narrow, cobbled streets connected by striking squares, bordered by the sea and the city walls. Enjoy a sunset boat trip (non-private) and aperitif on Cádiz Bay before returning to Jerez.

DAY 3 Jerez de la Frontera – Zahara de la Sierra – Grazalema – Málaga (B, L)

Visit Zahara de la Sierra, located in the Sierra de Grazalema Natural Park and one of the most picturesque white villages in Andalusia that overlooks a turquoise lake. The town was once a Moorish outpost. Partake in a guided tour with lunch featuring local delicacies before continuing to another delightful white village in Grazalema. The village was originally the site of a Roman Villa. After leisure time to stroll the town, continue to Málaga.

STAY **3** NIGHTS: Room Mate Larios Málaga 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Málaga (B, D)

With a history spanning 2,800 years, Málaga is one of the oldest cities in Europe and one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world. Discover more on a guided tour including a visit and entrance to the Málaga Picasso Museum. The afternoon is available to roam at leisure, before enjoying a typical dinner paired with local wines.

DAY 5 Málaga – Antequera – Málaga (B)

Embark on a day excursion to Antequera, known for ancient burial mounds, its UNESCO World Heritage Listing of its cultural monuments and its natural mountain features. Enjoy a guided tour of the significant sites with admissions and leisure time to explore the town, before returning to Málaga.

DAY 6 Málaga (B)

If you are not continuing for additional leisure time in Málaga, transfer to the airport or train station for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$4,590 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel in Malaga: recommended – Grand Hotel Miramar.
- > Note: guests not combining Southern Spain with our Best of Spain itinerary, we recommend replacing Grazalema with Ronda.



Arc de Triomphe du Carrousel, Paris



Paris, France



Champagne region, France

Paris City Break

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 5 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 5 breakfasts (B), 1 dinner (D).
- > Sightseeing tour of Paris with private driver and guide including the Eiffel Tower.
- > Guided sightseeing tour of the Louvre and admission to Museum d'Orsay.
- > Seine evening river cruise with dinner.
- > Guided walking tour of the Latin Quarter and Saint-Germain including the Luxembourg Gardens and Rodin Museum.
- > Small group excursion to The Champagne region with tastings.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Paris

Romantic, elegant, cosmopolitan and chic. Welcome to wonderful Paris. Transfer to your remarkable hotel and enjoy the day at leisure.

STAY 5 NIGHTS: Hôtel Mansart 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Paris (B)

Enjoy a full day excursion with driver and guide to visit Paris' main attractions including the Eiffel Tower, Arc de Triomphe, Place Vendôme, Place de la Concorde, Les Invalides, Jardin du Luxembourg, Notre Dame, Rue de Rivoli and Galerie des Tuileries. The evening is at leisure, where you may enjoy a show at the Moulin Rouge or Lido or explore the possibility of a concert at the Opera National de Paris.

DAY 3 Paris (B, D)

Enjoy a guided tour of the Louvre. Opened in 1793, the Museum houses impressive collections that include Painting, Sculpture, and Egyptian antiquities as well as renowned pieces such as the Mona Lisa, Venus de Milo and Madonna on the Rocks by Leonardo da Vinci. Afterward, visit the world-class art exhibition at Museum d'Orsay. In the evening, take a cruise on the Seine for a unique view of Paris by night and a three-course dinner of French cuisine.

DAY 4 Paris (B)

Enjoy a guided tour of the Left Bank including the Latin Quarter, Le Jardin du Luxembourg, Saint Germain's trendy streets and the Rodin Museum. Afterward, we recommend strolling the trendy streets of Saint-Germain.

DAY 5 Paris – Champagne region – Paris (B)

Enjoy a full day small group excursion to the Champagne region visiting Epernay, the town of Dom Perignon (Hautvillers) and the surrounding areas. The excursion includes tastings at champagne houses and a saber demonstration for the art of opening champagne bottles.

DAY 6 Paris (B)

Extend your stay in Paris for additional leisure time or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,590 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Four Seasons George V, Scribe Hotel, Relais Christine, Hotel Raphael, Ritz Paris.
- > Extend for a day excursion to Montmartre, Sacré-Coeur and the Art Quarter or to the fashionable Marais District with a private guide.
- > Palace of Versailles excursion.
- > Private photography tour of Paris.
- > Moulin Rouge or Lido show.
- > Mont Saint-Michel day excursion with high speed train.
- > Extend in the Champagne region for additional champagne tastings and cellar visits.



Bonifacio, Corsica



Iles Sanguinaires, Corsica



Corsica Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 7 nights in exquisite 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 7 breakfasts (B), 1 lunch (L).
- > Visit charming Corsican towns of Bonifacio, Sartène, Porto and Saint-Florent.
- > Visit Corsica's Filitosa ruins.
- > Enjoy a lunch and wine tasting at a local winery.
- > Guided walking tour of Ajaccio including Musée Fesch and Napoléon Bonaparte's former home.
- > Visit the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Gulf of Porto.
- > Follow the Strada di l'Artigiani to discover the artist villages of La Balagne.
- > Explore Désert des Agriates' unspoiled beaches of Saleccia by boat.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as indicated including airport transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Bonifacio

Welcome to Corsica! You'll enjoy a private transfer to your hotel with the evening at leisure.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hotel Genovese 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Bonifacio (B)

Enjoy a full day at leisure to explore the breath-taking town of Bonifacio. This cliff-top town known as the "Mediterranean's Sentinel," is arguably one of the most beautiful towns in Europe. Ensure you visit the many shops and restaurants or check out L'Arinella, a secluded beach, reachable via a panoramic coastal hiking route, which is one of the town's highlights.

DAY 3 Bonifacio – Sartène – Filitosa – Ajaccio (B, L)

Visit Sartène, a medieval hilltop town with narrow alleyways surmounted by arches and vaults. The surrounding region boasts some of the best wines in Corsica. Enjoy lunch and wine tasting at a local winery before a guided private tour of the ancient ruins of Filitosa. Accessible through an ancient olive grove, the site features stone carvings from 3300BC. Continue to Ajaccio, the capital of Corsica and the birthplace of Napoléon Bonaparte.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hôtel Les Mouettes 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Ajaccio (B)

Enjoy a half day private guided sightseeing tour including the old town, Place de Gaulle, Cours Napoléon, Maison Bonaparte, the Musée Fesch and the famous markets to taste some of the local specialties.

DAY 5 Ajaccio – Porto – Calvi (B)

Continue north to the charming town of Porto and the UNESCO World Heritage Listed Gulf of Porto with its dramatic sculptured red rock and sweeping bays. The pinnacles and ravines of the red granite Calanches soar out of the beautiful blue seas. Explore by foot or by boat before continuing to Calvi.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Hostellerie De L'Abbaye 4-star or similar

DAY 6 Calvi – Lumio – Sant'Antonino – Pigna – L'Île-Rousse – Calvi (B)

Enjoy the day visiting the beautiful villages of La Balagne. Follow the Artisan's route (Strada di l'Artigiani) along cobbled streets to uncover artists and craftsmen, producing everything from honey and jams to jewellery, basket weaving, essential oils and more.

DAY 7 Calvi – Saint-Florent – Saleccia – Bastia (B)

Continue to the wild Désert des Agriates, an area of arid landscape and savage beauty. Tucked away between mountains and the sea, Saint-Florent is an elegant town of cobbled streets, pink plastered houses, cafes, boutiques and a marina's edge lined with bars and restaurants. Here, travel by boat to discover the inaccessible beach of Saleccia for a picnic lunch (weather permitting). Afterward, head to the beautiful port town of Bastia.

OVERNIGHT: Hôtel Des Gouverneurs 4-star or similar

DAY 8 Bastia (B)

Enjoy a relaxing morning exploring Bastia before being transferred to your departing ferry or flight.

Twin Share per person

from \$5,790 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel near Bonifacio: recommended Hotel & Spa Des Pecheurs.
- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel in Calvi: recommended – Hotel La Villa or La Signoria.
- > Extend a few days for an amazing and unique stay at Domain de Murtoli (Sartène).
- > Extend in Corsica for a stay in medieval Corte. The region is known for its gastronomy including wild boar and cheese.
- > Extend in Corsica for the rugged beauty of Cap Corse peninsula.



Brecon Beacons, Wales



Cardiff, Wales



Mount Snowdon, Wales

Wales Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 7 nights in charming 4 and 5-star hotels and a hotel on the National Trust.
- > 7 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided tour of Cardiff and Tenby.
- > Visit the Brecon Beacons, Pembrokeshire Coast and Snowdonia National Parks.
- > Visit Llechwedd Slate Caverns and the Sgwd Henrhyd waterfall.
- > Visit the UNESCO World Heritage Listed landscape of Blaenavon.
- > Boat excursions to Caldey Island and Skomer Island.
- > Train ride on the Snowdon Mountain Railway and Vale of Rheidol Steam Railway.
- > Explore incredible rugged coastlines known for wildlife such as puffin, seal and dolphin.
- > Discover amazing castles such as Cardiff, Caerphilly, Manorbier, Caernarfon and Beaumaris.
- > Visit charming villages including Tenby, St Davids, Aberaeron, Portmeirion, Porthmadog and Holyhead.
- > Visit the oldest distillery and oldest pub in Wales and the smallest house in Britain.
- > Visit the Royal Mint, Big Pit Museum, St Fagan's Natural History Museum, Plas Newydd House and Trefriw woollen mills.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as indicated.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Cardiff

Discover Wales, a small country boasting protected landscapes of natural beauty. Discover rugged mountains and coastlines, stunning National Parks and lands inhabited for 29,000 years. On arrival, freshen up for an afternoon sightseeing to cover the main attractions including Cardiff Bay, the Cardiff Castle, Llandaff Cathedral, St Fagan's National History Museum, the Royal Mint and Caerphilly Castle.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Park Plaza Cardiff 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Cardiff – Blaenavon – Abergavenny – Brecon Beacons – Cardiff (B)

Enjoy an excursion to the UNESCO World Heritage listed industrial landscape of Blaenavon. Visit the Big Pit National Museum and Blaenavon Ironworks. Stop in the delightful Abergavenny for lunch and a drink in 'Wales' oldest pub dating to the 1100's, before continuing to the beautiful Brecon Beacons National Park with underground caves and waterfalls. Finish with a visit to 'Wales' oldest distillery for a tasting.

DAY 3 Cardiff – Tenby – St Davids (B)

Visit Tenby, a seaside town with 13th century medieval town walls and beautiful sandy beaches. The town boasts 372 listed historic buildings. Enjoy a guided walk of the main sites including the Tudor Merchant's House, Tenby Castle, Castle Hill and Manorbier Castle. Visit the tidal island of St Catherine's and take a boat ride to Caldey Island for its catholic monastery dating over 1000 years. Continue to St Davids, the smallest city in the world.

OVERNIGHT: Twr y Felin Hotel 4-star or similar

DAY 4 St Davids – Skomer Island – Aberaeron – Aberystwyth (B)

Explore the beautiful Pembrokeshire Coast National Park which contains stunning coastal walks, beaches and amazing wildlife. Take a boat to Skomer Island for the puffin colony before visiting the charming Georgian Port town of Aberaeron, en route to Aberystwyth.

OVERNIGHT: Gwesty Cymru Hotel 5-star or similar

DAY 5 Aberystwyth – Portmeirion – Porthmadog – Llandudno (B)

Enjoy the morning to stroll along the delightful harbour or ride the Vale of Rheidol steam railway before visiting the Italianate village of Portmeirion and the historic maritime Port of Porthmadog. Continuing to your amazing historic hotel of the National Trust in Llandudno. Enjoy the rest of the day absorbing the property set on 200 acres with spectacular views of Snowdonia.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Bodysgallen Hall & Spa 4-star or similar

DAY 6 Llandudno – Caernarfon – Snowdonia – Trefriw – Llandudno (B)

Visit Caernarfon Castle before venturing into Snowdonia National Park to board the Snowdon Mountain Railway to the summit, the highest in Wales and England. Afterward, visit the Llechwedd Slate Caverns and stop in Trefriw for its woollen mills where craftspeople have been hand-spinning for 150 years.



Tower Bridge, London

London City Break

DAY 7 Llandudno – Anglesey Island – Conwy – Llandudno (B)

Today explore Anglesey Island. Cross the Menai Suspension Bridge toward Edward the 1st Beaumaris Castle, designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Listed site. Continue to Lligwy Beach known for seal and dolphin sightings and voted amongst the top 10 picnic spots in Britain. Visit Amlwch to learn about its role as an important copper mine and port before arriving in Holyhead with Roman fortifications, great shopping and stunning views beyond the South Stack Lighthouse. Passing through the capital Llangefni, visit the more stunning coastal views toward Llanddwyn Island before stopping at Plas Newydd House and Gardens for a visit. Return to Llandudno via the small fishing village of Conwy to marvel at the smallest house in Britain.

DAY 8 Llandudno (B)

Stay to relax in the region or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person from \$6,590 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – The Principal St David's Hotel (Cardiff), Cathedral73 (Cardiff), Roch Castle Hotel (St Davids), Penrhiw Hotel (St Davids), St Brides Spa Hotel (Tenby).
- > Stay longer in Aberystwyth to access the stunning unspoilt Llŷn Peninsula.
- > Combine with a London or Dublin City Break.
- > Combine with another UK regional discovery such as The Cotswolds, Oxford, Stonehenge & Bath, Devon & Cornwall, The Yorkshires, Scotland or Ireland.

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 4 nights in an exquisite 4-star hotel.
- > 4 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided walking tour of London's main attractions.
- > Guided tour of Tower Bridge, Tower of London and St Paul's Cathedral using the London Underground.
- > Guided tour of Winston Churchill's war rooms and museum.
- > Guided tour of The East End.
- > Traditional high tea at the Ritz Carlton.
- > Airport VIP transfers on arrival and departure.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 London

Historic, vibrant, iconic and fun. Welcome to London, one of the World's leading global cities. On arrival, enjoy the rest of the day and evening at leisure. Options include shopping in bustling Oxford Street or at Harrods, visit the Tate Modern, stroll through Hyde Park including entertaining Speakers Corner.

STAY 4 NIGHTS: Amba Hotel Charing Cross 4-star or similar

DAY 2 London (B)

Enjoy a half-day guided walking tour of London's main attractions. Discover Trafalgar Square, Leicester Square, Piccadilly Circus, Pall Mall, Buckingham Palace, Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, Big Ben and Downing Street. In the afternoon, dress up for a traditional English high tea at the Ritz Carlton.

DAY 3 London (B)

Enjoy a morning guided sightseeing tour including riding the iconic London Underground to the Tower Bridge, Tower of London, St Paul's Cathedral and the Monument to the Great Fire of London. In the afternoon, enjoy at leisure.

DAY 4 London (B)

Visit Churchill's war rooms, left untouched since 1945. Afterward, enjoy a walking tour of the East End including the Shoreditch art scene, Brick Lane, Whitechapel, cockney culture and Old Spitalfields and Petticoat Lane markets.

DAY 5 London (B)

Stay in London for more exploration or depart for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$3,390 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – The Savoy, The Langham London, The Soho Hotel, Chiltern Firehouse, The Connaught Hotel, Royal Horseguards.
- > Add additional London sightseeing options such as Royal Albert Hall, a small group half day Market and Gin Distillery tour or Underground London tour.
- > Extend your stay for a visit to the Royal Palaces of Hampton Court and Kensington or Wimbledon Tennis grounds and museum tour.
- > Extend your stay for an excursion to Windsor Castle for a guided tour and to incorporate the towns of Windsor and Eton.
- > Combine with a popular UK regional discovery such as Oxford, Stonehenge & Bath or the Cotswolds.



Edinburgh, Scotland



Glasgow Cathedral, Glasgow

Scotland Regional Discovery

Ormina Highlights & Inclusions

- > 10 nights in charming 4 and 5-star hotels.
- > 10 breakfasts (B).
- > Guided tour of Edinburgh including Edinburgh Castle and the Underground Caverns.
- > Edinburgh Scotch Whiskey Experience, tour of beautiful Glengoyne distillery and tasting at Talisker distillery.
- > Excursion to historic Stirling and Stirling Bridge.
- > Guided tour of Glasgow including Tenement House.
- > Scenic drive along Loch Lomond and through Glen Coe.
- > Stay in the exclusive Inverlochy Castle.
- > Panoramic ride on the famous Jacobite steam train.
- > Explore Skye's natural beauty including The Fairy Pools, Trotternish Peninsula, Neist Point and Coral Beach.
- > Guided tour of Skye's Dunvegan Castle including boat excursion on Loch Dunvegan.
- > Guided tour of Inverness including Inverness Castle and group excursion to Loch Ness.
- > Visit charming villages including Millport, Glencoe, Portree, Plockton and Crieff.
- > Deluxe VIP transfers as required.
- > Note: hotel city taxes, if applicable, are not included.

DAY 1 Edinburgh

Discover Scotland, rugged, wild and beautiful. Explore glittering lochs, deep glens surrounded by mountains, the highlands, stunning coastlines and warm hospitality. On arrival in Edinburgh, freshen up and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Fraser Suites Edinburgh 4-star or similar

DAY 2 Edinburgh (B)

Enjoy a guided walking tour of the main attractions including Edinburgh Castle, the Royal Mile, Victoria Street, the Grassmarket and the Underground Caverns. Also partake in the Scotch Whiskey Experience. The afternoon is available for leisure time with options including a visit to Gladstone's Land or Georgian House, two National Trust buildings.

DAY 3 Edinburgh – Linlithgow – Stirling – Glasgow (B)

Visit Linlithgow and its two major landmarks, Linlithgow Palace and the Linlithgow Loch. Continue to historic Stirling, dominated by Stirling Castle. Visit the Castle and Stirling Bridge, the site of the famous battle involving William Wallace. Finish with a visit, tour and tasting at Glengoyne distillery, one of Scotland's most beautiful.

STAY 2 NIGHTS: Dakota Glasgow 4-star or similar

DAY 4 Glasgow (B)

Glasgow is a lively, bustling cosmopolitan city that blends an historical charm with modern influences including some amazing art centres, installations and museums. Enjoy a guided tour of Glasgow's main sites including Tenement House.

DAY 5 Glasgow – Loch Lomond – Glencoe – Fort William (B)

Enjoy a beautiful scenic drive alongside Lochs and through Glens as you approach the highlands. Stop at Loch Lomond for an independent boat tour on the lake before continuing through Glen Coe, a deep valley carved out by glaciers, before arriving at the quaint village of Glencoe situated on the site of the 1692 massacre of Clan Macdonald. The village is surrounded by spectacular mountain scenery and has featured in many movies including Harry Potter and Skyfall. Stop at the Clachaig Inn, serving weary travellers for 300 years. On arrival in Fort William, enjoy a luxurious stay at your Castle overlooking Ben Nevis.

OVERNIGHT: Inverlochy Castle Hotel 5-star or similar

DAY 6 Fort William – Mallaig – Talisker – Portree (Isle of Skye) (B)

Ride the famous Jacobite steam train through scenic beauty including Loch Eil, Glenfinnan Viaduct and Arisaig village. The route is the same as in the Harry Potter films. On arrival, wander the streets of Mallaig Port before taking a ferry to the Isle of Skye to the magnificent vibrant blue and green Fairy Pool waterfalls. Continue to the spectacular Talisker Beach with its impressive cliffs and a sneaky tasting at Talisker Distillery, before arriving at your fantastic Skye hotel.

STAY 3 NIGHTS: Cuillins Hills Hotel 4-star or similar



Trotternish Peninsula



Eilean Donan Castle



DAY 7 Portree – Trotternish Peninsula – Portree (B)

Enjoy a day to discover Skye's spectacular landscape and coastal views of the Trotternish Peninsula. Visit The Old Man of Storr, Brothers Point, Kilt Rock, Staffin Bay, Loch Cleat, Quiraing and the towns of Staffin & Uig. The Quiraing is one of Skye's most iconic landscapes and has featured in films including Snow White and the Huntsman and Macbeth.

DAY 8 Portree – Dunvegan – Claigan Coral Beach – Neist Point – Portree (B)

Continue your exploration of stunning Skye. Built on a rock in an idyllic loch-side setting, Dunvegan Castle is the oldest continuously inhabited castle in Scotland, home to the chiefs of Clan MacLeod for 800 years. Enjoy a tour of the Castle steeped with Clan legend and a boat cruise on Loch Dunvegan. Continue with a stop at one of Skye's most beautiful beaches Claigan Coral Beach and if at low tide, walk across to the island of Lampay. Afterward, visit Neist Point, defined by striking sea cliffs of jutting rock and Scotland's most-photographed lighthouse.

DAY 9 Portree – Plockton – Inverness (B)

Visit Eilean Donan Castle, one of Scotland's most recognisable, located on its own island at the point where three lochs meet. Continue to the seaside village of Plockton with lines of cottages along the bay. The village is known for its mirror-like reflective waters and quality of light, popular with photographers. Continue to Inverness, the highland capital. Here, enjoy a late afternoon tour of the main sites including Inverness Castle and Inverness Cathedral.

STAY **2** NIGHTS: Glenmoriston Townhouse Hotel 4-star or similar

DAY 10 Inverness – Loch Ness – Inverness (B)

Enjoy a group guided excursion to the famous Loch Ness including the Loch Ness Centre, Urquhart Castle and the charming town of Fort Augustus.

DAY 11 Inverness – Edinburgh (B)

Transfer back to Edinburgh by train for your ongoing journey.

Twin Share per person

from \$9,990 AUD

UPGRADE OPTIONS

- > Upgrade to a 5-star hotel: recommended – Kimpton Blythswood Square Hotel (Glasgow), Rocpool Reserve Hotel (Inverness).
- > Extend in Edinburgh for a group excursion to the Forth Rail Bridge, the fishing village of Anstruther, St Andrews & Falkland Palace.
- > Extend a day in Glasgow to permit a day trip to the Isle of Arran and Isle of Cumbrae to visit Brodick Castle, Lochranza Castle, the Arran distillery, Catacol Bay and Millport.
- > Extend from the Isle of Skye into the inspiring natural beauty of the Outer Hebrides.
- > Travel from Inverness to Edinburgh by private transfer to incorporate Cairngorms National Park, tasting at Maitre Chocolatier Iain Burnett, Crieff for the Famous Grouse Experience at Glenturret Distillery and Innerpefferay Library and Perth.
- > Combine with a London or Dublin City Break.
- > Combine with another UK regional discovery such as Ireland, Northern Ireland, the Border District or the Yorkshires.



Urquhart Castle, Loch Ness

Preferred Hotels

From grand palaces to intimate hideaways, from restored monasteries to modern boutique properties, from country chateaus to seaside resorts, all hotels featured in Ormina Tours' itineraries have been meticulously handpicked for their unparalleled hospitality offering, comfort, location and uniqueness.

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ITALY



BENEVELLO – Relais Villa d'Amelia, 4-star

Framed by the unique hills of the Barolo vineyards, and within 7 acres of gardens, this refined hotel offers contemporary style living to complement the building's 18th century classic flair. All rooms offer Travertine marble bathrooms, while the exclusive San Luigi Suite, built in the estate's old Chapel, and the two Deluxe Suites overlooking the Alps, are the most prestigious on the property.



BOLOGNA – Grand Hotel Majestic già' Baglioni, 5-star

This superb five-star deluxe hotel is set in an 18th century Palazzo and is the oldest and most prestigious hotel in Bologna. Located in the heart of the city, within walking distance of Piazza Maggiore and the famous Due Torri, the palazzo is built on an ancient Roman road, part of which can be seen within the hotel. The rooms have a mix of antique furniture with modern amenities, a perfect blend of classic Italian style, elegance and hospitality.



FLORENCE – Hotel Brunelleschi, 4 star

With its distinctive Byzantine tower entrance set in a medieval church dating to 544AD, the Hotel Brunelleschi perfectly blends one of Florence's oldest buildings with exquisitely refurbished interiors to deliver a charming, luxurious and modern boutique hotel, unrivalled in its class. Perfectly located within minutes of Florence's famous Dome and equipped with sparkling antique style furnishings, a gym, two restaurants and a museum with remains of a Roman caldarium, this 96-room property makes for a unique, comfortable and intimate stay.



LAKE COMO – Grand Hotel Tremezzo, 5-star

With over 100 years of history, this authentic Art Nouveau Palace is in the heart of Lake Como, with unparalleled views of Bellagio, adjacent to Villa Carlotta's famed gardens, and facing the stunning, rose-tinted Grigne mountains. The hotel is fitted in exquisite Belle Époque style, with a touch of modernity, for a truly enchanting and regal stay.



MATERA – Le Origini, 4-star

A contemporary designed boutique hotel located on the edge of Matera Old Town, overlooking the breath-taking Sassi and within short walking distance to the main square and all of Matera's attractions. The boutique residence offers a range of rooms from rustic style underground caves equipped with built-in spas, to elegantly furnished and sophisticated lodgings, some with panoramic views of Matera itself.



FLORENCE – Hotel L'Orologio, 4-star

A contemporary hotel with décor inspired by the magical world of Haute Horlogerie. Each floor pays homage to a maison of luxurious wristwatches: including Rolex, Vacheron Constantin and Patek Philippe. Hotel L'Orologio is furnished with refined elegance, and curious themed details that delight. The hotel also overlooks Santa Maria Novella, one of the most beautiful and ancient squares of Florence and offers breath-taking views of the Basilica from the breakfast room in the authentic Renaissance loggia.



LAKE COMO – Grand Hotel Villa Serbelloni, 5-star

One of the world's most luxurious hotels, the Villa Serbelloni is ideally located at the tip of the promontory of Bellagio. This five-star establishment is characterized by old-world charm. Once the holiday retreat for Milanese aristocrats, the villa is situated in a magnificent park facing both the turquoise water of the lake and the Swiss Alps. The hotel's impeccable service and exceptional setting have served to maintain the international acclaim of this more than a century-old palace.



MILAN – Galleria Vik Milano, 5-star

Superbly located in the heart of Milan inside the famous Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II and just a few steps away from Piazza Duomo. The hotel remains true to its history while providing world-class designer accommodations. The 58 rooms and suites, with stunning views into the Galleria, offer an intimate and elegant hideaway in the historical centre of Milan.



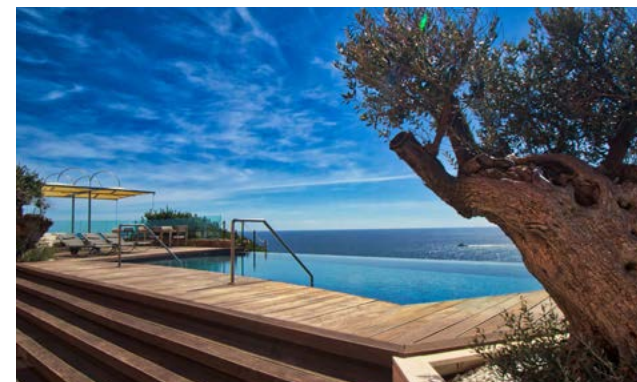
PALERMO – Villa Igiea a Rocco Forte Hotel 5-star

A stunning villa on the coast of Palermo with exceptional views of the blue sea and coastline, offering tranquillity in the heart of Palermo. The sophisticated hotel was restored at the end of the 19th century by famous architect Ernesto Basile and retains its frescoes, original furniture and décor, complemented with modern facilities and gastronomic restaurants.



ROME – Grand Hotel de la Minerve, 5-star

Housed in a magnificent mansion from the 1600's, this hotel offers luxury in the historic centre of Rome. The hotel literally overlooks the Pantheon and is minutes from Piazza Navona, the Trevi Fountain and the Spanish Steps. Completely renovated with a modern sophistication, yet retaining its nobility and elegance with the atmosphere of an aristocratic home.



SARDINIA – Faro Capo Spartivento, 5-star

An Italian lighthouse that offers a truly unique experience, the setting of natural tranquillity on Capo Spartivento's rocky promontory. Built in 1854 by the Italian Navy, the lighthouse has been renovated and restored tastefully with materials and furnishings that provide a fine example of Mediterranean minimalist style with elements of sustainable building.



POSITANO – Covo dei Saraceni, 5-star

This exclusive seafront hotel is located by Positano's jetty, providing an unforgettable view of the sea and Li Galli Island. Its rooftop terrace with swimming pool is spectacular with sweeping views of Positano and the bay. Interiors are true to the typical Mediterranean villa style with original terracotta tiles and classic style furnishings. The ground-floor communal areas feature large windows and climbing pink bougainvillea that lends itself to that idyllic Mediterranean feel.



SANTA MARGHERITA LIGURE – Grand Hotel Miramare, 5-star

The Grand Hotel Miramare's striking white façade, classic interiors featuring trompe l'oeils and floral decorations, stunning location with panoramic seaside views and perfectly manicured gardens, are exquisite. Excellent al fresco dining with a pool bar, intimate piano bar and modern wellness centre complete this elegant hotel that defies the standard of its class.



SCIACCA – Verdura Golf & Spa Resort, 5-star

With 230 hectares of stunning landscape and 1.8km of private coastline for its 203 rooms and suites, the resort redefines the concepts of space and privacy. All rooms have terraces and uninterrupted sea views and the Olga Polizzi-designed interiors combine modern luxury with authentic Sicilian motifs. With an exceptional spa, golf course and dining options, this award-winning resort is breath taking.



SIENA – Grand Hotel Continental, 5-star

The only 5-star hotel located within Siena's historic walls, this property dates to the 16th century and features original frescoes. The rooms are generous, styled with traditional influences and complemented by precious paintings, mirrors, priceless silk and marble and travertine bathrooms. With just 51 rooms in such a delightful and historic city, you are assured of an intimate and romantic stay.



TUSCANY – Belmond Castello di Casole, 5-star

Uncover the wonders of Tuscany in a timeless refuge deep in the Tuscan countryside. Spread across 4,200 acres, this 10th-century estate is the perfect place to experience aristocratic rural life paired with contemporary style. The retreat offers a world of comfort, elegance and world-class dining surrounded by rolling hills and sprawling vineyards. Priceless memories are guaranteed.



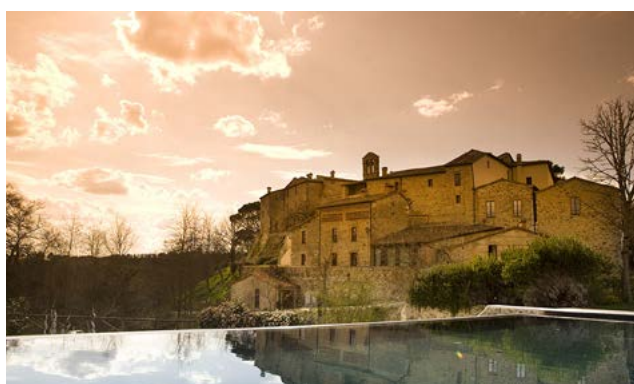
TUSCANY – Hotel Villa Casagrande, 4-star

This historical dwelling, in the centre of Figline Valdarno, was built at the end of the 14th century by renowned Florentine, Ser Ristoro, and became a privileged location for artists and philosophers. An elegant refuge far from the chaos of the city, Hotel Villa Casagrande has preserved the charm and allure of the era. Its rooms and suites are elegantly designed featuring rustic Tuscan décor, surrounded by beautiful landscaped gardens.



SYRACUSE – Ortea Palace Luxury Hotel, 5-star

Situated in a magnificent twentieth-century palace, the building was designed in 1920 by architect Fichera in the Art Nouveau style. The property reopened as a hotel after a five-year renovation and restoration that preserved the history, elegance and charm of the original structure. Located in the historic centre of Syracuse in Ortigia, the hotel is surrounded by the extraordinary beauty of the Gulf of Syracuse and the Ionian Sea.



TUSCANY – Castel Monastero Resort & Spa, 5-star

Nestled between Tuscany's rolling hills and vineyards this enchanting 11th century monastery and Medieval village has been beautifully restored into a refined Tuscan retreat and spa. Boasting 74 spacious rooms and suites in an elegant and rustic Tuscan style with spectacular views of the surroundings. Featuring its own Piazza, indoor and outdoor pool, spa and massage facilities, impressive cantina and gourmet restaurants.



VENICE – Hotel Danieli, 5-star

A patrimony of Venetian excellence, the hotel alludes a palatial atmosphere. With its idyllic setting on Venice's iconic Riva degli Schiavoni, the hotel dominates the Venetian lagoon. The suites and rooms house a rich collection of precious art and antiques that play witness to the city's history, artfully blended with contemporary comforts to indulge guests. This luxurious waterfront hotel is a five-minute walk to Piazza San Marco and boasts a spectacular rooftop restaurant with stunning views.

HOTELS OUTSIDE OF ITALY



BERLIN – Hotel de Rome, a Rocco Forte Hotel, 5-star

Centrally located just a short walk from Unter den Linden, Rocco Forte's luxury hotel is housed in the impressive former headquarters of the Dresdner Bank. Preserving the original ornate and classic design, the 146-room hotel maintains its architectural splendour with contemporary furnishings. Highlights include an indoor pool in the original bank vault, bathrooms with mosaic marble detail and a rooftop restaurant with spectacular views.



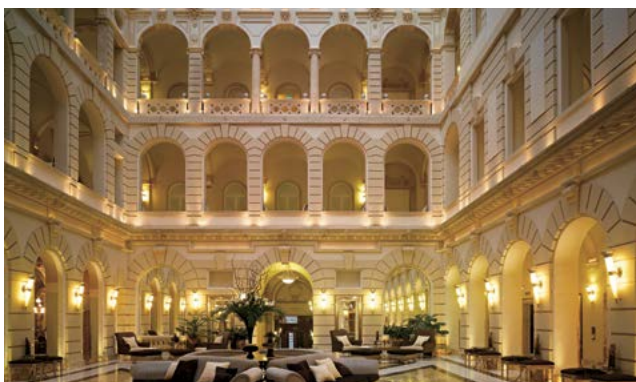
CORSICA – Domain de Murtoli (Sartène), 5-star

An ultimate destination in southernmost Corsica, Murtoli's primary vocation lies in its farming activity, where guests are offered premium natural products straight from the surrounding land. The property offers rustic-chic cottages on a beautiful, beach fringed private estate. Ranging from villa estates to shepherd's houses, the beautifully simplistic stone-built structures are reminiscent of true 17th century Corsican architecture.



LONDON – The Soho Hotel, 5-star

This property is ideally located in the heart of the entertainment district, surrounded by London's best restaurants, bars, vibrant café's and culture. The hotel boasts individually designed rooms and suites, characterised by Kit Kemp's notorious flair and modern English style – bursting with colour, floor to ceiling windows and offering a hive of activity to this corner of London.



BUDAPEST – New York Palace, The Dedica Anthology 5-star

Quite simply the hotel's lobby and New York Café, complete with frescoed ceilings, Venetian chandeliers and golden Stucco decorations, is breath taking. Constructed in 1894 and restored in 2006, the hotel contains a spa, swimming pool and 185 spacious rooms that feature contemporary design and marble bathrooms. Exemplifying the grandeur of the Austrian-Hungarian empire, the hotel is the perfect base for your visit to Budapest.



DUBROVNIK – Hotel Excelsior, 5-star

With panoramic views of the Adriatic and Dubrovnik's old town from its cliff side location, the hotel has been dubbed one of the finest in the Mediterranean. Its 158 luxuriously appointed rooms are stylish, with modern furnishings and spacious bathrooms. The property boasts a private beach, 4 restaurants, indoor pool, hot tubs and sauna. Whether you prefer to relax in the hotel or access the Old Town, the hotel is ideal to experience Dubrovnik up close.



LUGANO – THE VIEW, 5-star

Located on a hillside with sweeping views of the city and Lake Lugano, this polished all-suite hotel takes advantage of the picturesque natural beauty of the lake and its surrounds. All sixteen Suites offer stunning views from private balconies and are designed with sophistication and creativity, with marine teak floors, design furnishings, free standing bath tubs as well as showers. The luxurious spa and complimentary electric vehicles for guests to drive around Lake Lugano top off this incredibly exclusive and romantic stay.



PORTO – Hotel Carris Porto Ribeira, 4-star

With amazing views of the Douro River and located in the heart of Porto's lively Ribeira district, this sophisticated hotel blends modern functionality with the grandeur of original stonework. As the former residence of the Prince Henry the Navigator from the 15th century, the lobby areas retain the significance of its history and feel of a well-maintained Roman ruin whilst the rooms are modern and contemporary.



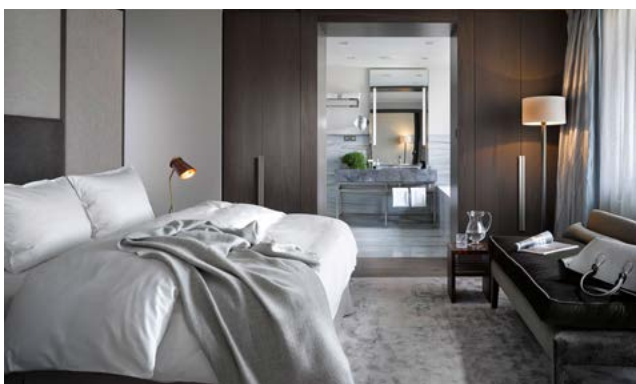
SCOTLAND, FORT WILLIAM – Inverlochy Castle Hotel, 5-star

Queen Victoria pronounced in 1873 that she never saw a lovelier or romantic spot than Inverlochy Castle and nothing has changed. This beautiful 19th century castle is surrounded by a landscape rich in Scotland's history and beauty, lying at the foot of Ben Nevis and within easy reach of the falls at Glen Nevis, the monument at Glenfinnan and the mountains of Glencoe. Each of the 17 bedrooms and suites retain their own individual design and character along with spectacular views of the grounds and private loch. A great hotel aging gracefully which guarantees a unique and memorable stay.



VALLETTA – Palazzo Consiglia, 4-star

A traditional Maltese townhouse that portrays Malta's rich history through flawless architecture and a mix of Baroque design in the lower floors with Roman and Arabic features in the others. The restoration of this property preserved its essence and exposed the grandeur of the limestone present in its interior. Situated in the heart of Valletta, just a few metres from the St Rocco's church and other attractions, it is perfectly located.



PRAGUE – The Emblem Hotel, 5-star

Located in the heart of Prague within the gates of the old town and just a short walk to the city's landmark attractions, this modern boutique 59 room hotel is designed as a home-away-from-home featuring comfortable and well-appointed rooms, generous living spaces, spa and a fantastic rooftop terrace. The hotel's restaurant, George Prime Steak, is one of Prague's finest. With all this plus its exemplary service levels, you are assured an indulgent and relaxing stay.



SEVILLE – Hotel Colón Gran Meliá, 5-star

Located in the historical heart of Seville, combining timeless luxury with an avant-garde flair, the hotel is considered by locals as one of the city's major landmarks attracting generations of bullfighters and personalities from around the globe. Majestic red and golden tones are merged with carefully chosen, modern designer furniture. With an aesthetic of rich contrasts, the hotel design combines intelligent historical features with contemporary touches to create a warm and elegant environment.



VIENNA – The Guest House, 5-star

Superbly located in the heart of Vienna adjacent to the State Opera, this 39-room hotel is intimate and stylishly decorated in a classic modern Viennese design. Rooms and Suites are well appointed with modern amenities such as espresso machines, hair dryers, high speed internet and complimentary wine, beer, soft drinks and snacks. Made to feel like a home-away-from-home, The Guest House Vienna is assured to deliver a comfortable and convenient stay.



Feedback from our Guests

We believe travel is a celebration of life and we are excited to share the celebration with you through the discovery of awe-inspiring new destinations and experiences. Here's some of the feedback we've received from our delighted guests.



Piazza San Marco, Venice

"We wanted to thank you for organising our tour of Sardinia... We had a wonderful time! In particular, our driver was fantastic, his service was above and beyond what was expected, and we thank him sincerely for his care and contributions to making this a memorable holiday."

Greg and Cheryel – Sardinia Regional Discovery, June 2019

"The flexibility and personal service from Ormina Tours when booking was exceptional. They were able to meet all our requirements and gain access and very good rates at our requested hotels. The drivers and guides on tour exceeded all our expectations!"

Carmel – Malta Regional Discovery and Italian Lakes & Swiss Mountains, May 2019

"Our holiday was absolutely amazing! Every Ormina representative we met along the way were exceptionally professional and friendly. They made us feel welcome from the moment we arrived, and because they did all the hard work in arranging the details of our trip, there was nothing for us to do except enjoy the experience!"

Mark & Jacinda – Private Spain & Portugal Itinerary 2019

"We can't recommend Ormina Tours highly enough. They laid out Malta in all its glory for us, with the best of local staff and hotels. We felt thoroughly looked after for the entirety of our travel."

Lorelle – Malta Regional Discovery, August 2019

"The itinerary was comprehensive and all the arrangements Ormina made worked like clockwork. We had great tour guides and drivers who were always on time and very friendly and cooperative."

Denis and Barbara - Malta and Puglia Regional Discovery, April 2019

Thank you Ormina tours, the Sicily Bella tour was amazing! Our driver, tour guides, hotels and food were incredible, and we loved every minute of the experience. Fantastic!

Alfia – Sicily Bella, October 2019

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Here are indicative answers to frequently asked questions, however, please refer to our terms and conditions, visit our website or contact us at info@orminatours.com if you have any queries.



GENERAL

What services do you provide?

Ormina Tours is a tour operator that provides land services in Europe. We offer Small Group Journeys with a maximum group size of 10 on set departure dates and we curate tailored private journeys for guests across Europe. We are also a wholesaler of hotels and have access to over 2000 properties in Italy alone. Essentially, if you need any service from when you land in Europe until you leave, except for flights, we can arrange it.

Do you provide services in all countries across Europe?

We cover most of Europe and we continue to expand our capability and expertise across new regions and countries. If you have an unusual destination, please contact us to confirm we have it covered.

Where is the company based?

Ormina Tours is an Australian company with a head office in Sydney, an office in Perth and a presence in New York, USA. We also have a team on the ground in Europe to guide you along your journey and ensure the best delivery of our services.

Do you offer your expertise and services only in Australia or worldwide?

While our head office is based in Australia and we are represented in over 350 travel agents across Australia, New Zealand and the USA, we offer our European services to guests worldwide.

Can we take your Small Group Journeys as private journeys and is there any minimum booking for a tailored private journey?

We curate any type of private journey whether it is based on our popular small group itineraries, our range of recommended city breaks and regional discoveries or service such as an airport transfers and guided experiences. There are no minimums with private journeys – in guest numbers or number of services provided the total value is above or equal to AUD\$500. Our experience in Europe is unrivalled and we have been operating for over 20 years, so our team has the skills and experience to recommend a complete, wonderful and seamless journey across Europe from start to finish.

When is the best time to visit Europe?

It is always a great time to visit Europe but there is no planning for unexpected weather which varies by country, month to month. August is particularly busy for beach locations as many Europeans flock there during their summer holidays. Areas such as the Amalfi Coast typically become heavily booked 6 months prior and hotels in all locations generally increase their rates as their capacity reduces so it is always best to reach out to us as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

Do your tours operate all year?

Most of our set departure tours operate between April and October but there are exceptions. Please refer to our brochure, website or contact us or your travel agent to confirm. Our tours can also be taken as a Private Journey on any date that you choose.

Do I need travel insurance?

Yes, we require all clients travelling on our Small Group Journeys to have travel insurance. We highly recommend clients travelling on private journey's to also take out travel insurance. If you need assistance arranging insurance, just ask.

Do you cater to clients with mobility challenges?

We tailor all journeys to our client's travel preferences and needs, including any mobility challenges whether it is special vehicles, travel scooters, hotel rooms with accessible showers and hoists. We also have expertise on most attractions and towns to know which are more accessible than others.

With our Small Group Journeys, any significant mobility challenge requires an accompanying minder/helper to attend on the tour as it is not always possible for our Tour Directors, drivers and guides to offer continuous care in a group environment. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us.



For more information, tours, itineraries and inspiration, please visit our website, blog or social media pages.

www.orminatours.com

Instagram: [@OrminaTours](https://www.instagram.com/OrminaTours)

Facebook: [/OrminaTours](https://www.facebook.com/OrminaTours)



SMALL GROUP JOURNEYS

How many people are on your set date departure tours?

Unless otherwise indicated, we guarantee to operate our tours with a minimum of 2 people to give you confidence it will not be cancelled. We operate the groups with a maximum group size of just 10 passengers, making for an intimate and seamless experience.

What is the style of your Small Group Journeys?

Our tours typically involve stops of 2 or 3-night stays to make for a leisurely pace. While we escort you, we also provide ample leisure time for self-discovery. We typically include special meals at wineries, hidden restaurants you need to know about to find or popular restaurants where walk-ins are impossible. We also tailor our Small Group Journeys so if you would like more structure in your leisure time, we can pre-arrange scheduled activities that suit your interests.

Will there be a Tour Director?

Tour Directors are only used for tours where there are 7 or more guests in order to help provide a more fluid journey when there is a slightly larger group to coordinate. Instead, we use a mixture of local expert drivers and guides who are always able to help give you recommendations for things to do during your down time.

Do I need to tip on tour?

Tips on tours are not compulsory, however if you feel that services for guides, drivers or Tour Directors have been exceptional and you wish to leave a gratuity, these will be appreciated by the recipient.

What is included in the Small Group Journeys?

Our land journeys are fully inclusive as indicated in your itinerary. Your transportation is arranged including airport transfers on the start and end day of the tour. Breakfast is always included with lunches and dinners as indicated. These are marked within the itinerary with either a B, L or D. Your hotels, transportation, admissions as indicated are prearranged so you can relax and enjoy the journey.

What is excluded in the Small Group Journeys?

Essentially, all items that are not stated as included. Our tours are land only so do not include flights. Certain city's charge city tax on hotels which must be paid in person, on checkout and are therefore excluded. Obviously, meals including alcohol drinks that are not indicated are excluded as are any personal expenses.

Can I choose my room type?

All rooms included in the tour are standard level. If you would like to upgrade for more space or a better view, please advise at the time of booking to ensure your expectations are met. Additional costs will apply for room upgrades.

How much luggage can I bring?

While we travel in Mercedes vehicles, space is limited to one standard check-in luggage plus one standard carry-on item per person. If this is likely to be exceeded or you must travel with additional items, please discuss this with us at the time of booking.

What happens if the tour only has 2 people booked?

Ormina Tours guarantees departure on most Small Group Journeys with just 2 people. However, if you and your travelling companion are the only party booked on the tour and you do not want to travel alone, please advise us at the time of booking and we may agree to allow you to cancel the booking by a certain date.

PRIVATE JOURNEYS

Are private journeys tours?

No, our private itineraries, including Regional Discoveries and City Breaks, are not tours. These experiences are customised trips that are built to enable your own independent discovery with selected prearranged services. As part of your tailored itinerary you may choose private guided tours of sites, or join a third-party group sightseeing tour.

Is it better to take a Private or Group tour on my Private itinerary?

This is dependent on your travel style and the location, which your Ormina representative can advise at the time of booking. Private touring means that you are the only people participating in the tour. Private guiding offers a more personable and tailored experience, with guides being flexible to suit your needs on the day. Alternatively, joining a group tour can be a cost-effective alternative, however, group sightseeing tours are run by third party operators not Ormina Tours. While we request that these tours are kept to a minimum number, we cannot confirm the number of people on tour or whether the tour is guaranteed to operate.

Do we have to use the recommended hotel on the itinerary?

While we highly recommend the hotels that we place in our Regional Discovery & City Break itineraries, we are completely flexible to work with any hotel you may choose.

PRICING & PAYMENT

What currency are your tours priced in?

The tours are quoted in Australian Dollars (AUD) for Australian residents, New Zealand Dollars (NZD) for New Zealand residents and US Dollars (USD) for US residents. Price lists can be found on our website in these currencies. All other nationalities should pay in AUD, unless we agree a price in an alternate currency at time of booking.

Will prices fluctuate with currency movements?

We aim to keep our prices both competitive and stable. Once a tour price is paid in full, the price you have paid cannot change. There are exceptional circumstances where due to significant currency fluctuations we need to amend our price if you have not paid in full. If this occurs, we will contact you or your travel agent to advise you and you will have the option to either pay the full tour price by a certain date or accept the increase.

Do you accept credit cards?

We may accept payment by credit card but charges we incur from credit card companies or payment intermediary's may be passed on. Otherwise, we accept wire transfers payable in your local currency for most countries and currencies.

What deposit is required at booking?

Our deposit amounts vary depending on the size of the booking, whether it is for a Small Group Journey or a private journey and the currency of the tour price. As a guide and assuming an AUD denominated tour price, the deposits are:

Booking Amount per person	Deposit per Person*
\$2,000 or less	\$200
\$2,000-\$6,000	\$750
\$6,000 or more	\$1000

*Singles supplement on Small Group Journey is an additional \$250 per person for most tours. In all cases, the total price must be paid at least 3 months before the date of the first service.

What happens if I cancel my trip?

Any cancellation made by you prior to your tour (including any changes to your departure date) will result in the following cancellation fee:

Days of notice prior to Cancellation charge:	
91 days and over	Loss of deposit
90 to 75days	Loss of 50% of Tour Price
75 days or less	Loss of 100% of Tour Price

*Tour price includes booking deposit.

We always advise our clients to purchase comprehensive travel insurance to cover any unforeseen cancellations. Please contact us if you would like assistance with arranging travel insurance or have any questions regarding your current policy coverage.

Terms & Conditions

1 Brochure Validity

The Tour Brochure and these Terms and Conditions are valid for Tour Departure Dates from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2022 unless otherwise indicated in Your Itinerary, and supersedes all previous brochures.

2 Interpretation and Definitions

2.1 Interpretation

In these Terms and Conditions, unless the context otherwise indicates a contrary intention:

- (a) headings are for convenience only and do not affect interpretation;
- (b) singular includes the plural and vice versa;
- (c) a reference to a party includes its successors, permitted assigns, administrators and substitutes;
- (d) where a word or phrase is defined, its other grammatical forms have the corresponding meaning;
- (e) the word 'include' in any form is not a word of limitation;
- (f) no rules of construction apply to Our disadvantage on the basis that these Terms and Conditions were prepared by Us;
- (g) a reference to a natural person includes their personal representatives; and
- (h) a reference to a body (including institute, association or authority) which cease to exist or whose powers or functions are transferred to another body is a reference to the body which replaces it or which substantially succeeds to its powers or functions.

2.2 Definitions used in the Terms and Conditions

Booking Deposit means the mandatory deposit to be paid by you to reserve Your booking, in the amount We notify You at the time You place Your booking. Any amount received in excess of the stated Booking Deposit is a contribution to the balance of the Tour Price payable, not an overpayment of the Booking Deposit.

Force Majeure Event means any act of God, war, terrorism, fire, floods or any other extreme weather conditions, loss of power, epidemics or pandemics, industrial disputes, slow-downs or other strike activities, riots or civil disturbances, acts of government, semi government or other authorities, inability to obtain any necessary license or consent and delays caused by sub-contractors, suppliers or other third parties (including telecommunications carriers), material shortages or other disruption to the Tour.

Itinerary means Your personalised Itinerary for Your Tour as amended from time to time by Us in accordance with the Contract.

Service Provider means any independent contractor or third party engaged by Us to provide services on a Tour. Single Supplement Rates means the additional cost We will inform You of before You place Your Booking, which You must pay as part of Your Tour Price if You choose not to share a room with another passenger during the Tour. Tour means the tour You have booked with Us outlined in Your Itinerary (that we organised), as amended in accordance with these Terms and Conditions for the number of days durations stated in Your Itinerary including the Tour Departure Date and the day of return. For private journeys, Tour refers only to the sum of the services arranged by Us for You and not any intermittent periods. In addition, where services are acquired from a third party where We act as a reseller, such services (e.g. group sightseeing tours) are subject to the terms and conditions of that provider. Tour Brochure means the current brochure for the relevant Tour as published on Our Website or if not published on Our Website, sent by Us to You. Tour Departure Date means the Tour departure date listed in Your Itinerary. For private journeys, the Tour departure date is the date agreed between You and Us being the first date when services have been arranged by Us for You. Tour Director means Our driver and/or Our guide on Your Tour who maybe either Our employee or the employee or independent contractor of a Service Provider.

Tour Price means the total amount payable by You to Us for participation in the Tour and includes Your Booking Deposit or any additional fees or charges as set out in the Contract. Website means Ormina's website at www.orminator.com. You/Your means each individual who books to conduct a Tour with Us and a separate contract will apply between each individual and Us.

3 The Contract

3.1 The contract between Dial and Travel Pty Ltd trading as Ormina Tours includes: these Terms and Conditions and Your Itinerary.

3.2 "Ormina", "We", "Us" or "Our" means Dial and Travel Pty Ltd trading as Ormina Tours.

3.3 It is important that you read the Contract as You will be bound by it once You have signed these Terms and Conditions or otherwise paid the earlier of Your Booking Deposit or Tour Price.

4 What You need to know

4.1 Who is providing the Tour?

We will either provide the Tour through Our staff, or arrange for the Tour to be provided by Service Providers.

4.2 What's included in the Tour Price?

Where indicated as an inclusion in Your Itinerary, Your Tour Price includes (a) Coach, train and cruise travel (b) Services of a Tour Director as appropriate, as determined by Us. (c) airport transfers at the start and end date of the Tour and if Your escorted group tour Itinerary includes a train ride during the Tour, transfers at the origin and destination of that train departure (refer to clause 6.9) (d) specified meals but not alcoholic drinks unless specified € accommodation (f) sightseeing and admission where stated.

4.3 What's not included in the Tour Price?

(a) Unless expressly listed in Your Itinerary as an inclusion, other costs will not be included in the Tour Price. In particular the following costs are not included in the Tour Price: (1) airfares (2) airline taxes (3) gratuities and shore excursions (4) accommodation upgrades (5) meals not specified in Your Itinerary (6) drinks (7) laundry (8) passport fees (9) visas (10) vaccinations (11) government taxes and charges including city taxes (12) city taxes on hotel accommodation and (13) items of a personal nature.

(b) Overnight accommodation to meet your Tour and any flight connections are not included in the Tour Price and will be at Your expense.

4.4 How do you pay?

(a) You must pay the Booking Deposit within 7 days of making Your Booking.

(b) For Small Group Journeys, any accommodation, sightseeing, flights or other services We book for You separately to those stated in Your Itinerary are not included in the Booking Deposit or Tour Price and You must pay both the deposit and full costs for such additional services separately to the Booking Deposit and Tour Price. Any request for such additional service will not be processed until your Booking Deposit is paid in full.

(c) Your Booking may be automatically cancelled by Us if We do not receive Your Booking Deposit by the due date.

(d) Booking Deposits are not refundable and non-transferable to others tours or third parties.

(e) If you place Your Booking with Us within 90 days or less of Your chosen Tour Departure Date You must pay for Your Booking Deposit before We can process Your booking and confirm Your Tour Price. If You do not accept the Tour Price, we will refund Your Booking Deposit. If you accept Your Tour Price, you must pay the outstanding Tour Price within 24 hours of Us notifying You of Your Tour Price, or We will cancel Your booking and retain Your Booking Deposit.

(f) Final Payment: You must pay the balance of the Tour Price to Us no later than 90 days before the Tour

Departure Date. For private journeys, final payment terms may vary as advised at time of booking.

(g) All prices are quoted in Australian dollars, unless otherwise indicated.

(h) If You have booked through a travel agent, Your travel agent should forward Your Booking Deposit or Tour Price to Us on Your behalf. Payments by You to Your travel agent are not considered to be payments by You to Us. We will consider payment has been received by Us from You when we receive payment from Your travel agent. If you have booked directly with us and wish to transfer the booking to a travel agent, it must be done within 30 days of the original booking, unless otherwise agreed by Us.

(i) If we accept a credit card payment, a surcharge may apply.

4.5 Fees

(a) If You vary Your booking, You must pay a variation fee of AUD\$300 plus additional costs charged by third parties including service providers. The variation fee is on account of administrative expenses incurred by Us in varying Your Tour and is a genuine and reasonable pre-estimate of Our expenses.

(b) We will accept or reject Your request for variation at Our discretion.

(c) Any cancellation made by You prior to Your Tour Departure Date (including any changes to Your Departure Date) will result in the following cancellation fee:

Days of notice prior to Cancellation charge	(per person)
91 days and over	Loss of deposit
90 to 75days	50% of Tour Price
75 days or less	100% of Tour Price

(d) We will not consider accepting a cancellation until We have received, during office hours, a written cancellation notice from You or your travel agent.

(e) You may also be liable for cancellation or change fees to airlines and other third parties.

(f) You must pay for any additional overnight accommodation required as a result of changes to Your flights.

(g) You must pay for all expenses, which arise due to changes to Your Itinerary after Your Tour Departure Date. This includes changes due to illness or other personal reasons.

4.6 What are Our Tour obligations?

We will use reasonable endeavours to provide the Tour You have booked in accordance with Your Itinerary however, due to the nature of travel, it may not always be possible for Us to adhere strictly to Your itinerary. Where, due to circumstances outside of Our control, We are unable to provide the Tour in accordance with Your itinerary, We will use reasonable endeavours to provide or arrange appropriate alternatives.

4.7 What are Your Tour obligations?

(a) You must follow the Tour Director's instructions at all times to ensure Tour safety. You acknowledge that failure to do so will result in restricted access to areas on Tour, or if necessary, for Your own safety and that of the other passengers, withdrawal from the Tour.

(b) If We, or Our Staff or Service Providers are of the view that You are negatively affecting Your own health, safety or enjoyment, or that of other passengers, We can terminate the Contract immediately and we are not liable to You for any loss, cost or damage resulting from Your exclusion from the Tour. If you are excluded from the Tour, You must make your own travel arrangements at Your own expense.

(c) You must make Your own enquires regarding Your Tour, including being aware of the relevant government safety warnings.

(d) You must have a valid passport with at least six (6) months validity from Your Tour return date.

(e) You must ensure that all required entry visas for countries to be visited are obtained prior to departure as failure to obtain correct documentation may affect Your participation in certain excursions and entry to certain countries whilst on Tour.

(f) If You do not have the correct visa or other documentation necessary to enter a country or participate in any aspect of a Tour ("Documentation"): (1) We will not refund to You all or any portion of the Tour Price and (2) You will be responsible for any cost You incur as a result of Your failure to obtain the required Documentation, including any cost associated with rejoining the Tour.

4.8 What happens if we need to cancel or delay the Tour?

(a) Your booking is conditional on Us receiving a minimal number of tour bookings to operate the Tour. Where sufficient numbers cannot be achieved, We may cancel or delay a scheduled Tour or Tour Departure Date. The minimum number is typically 2 guests, although this depends on the specific Tour and is at Our sole discretion. Where minimum numbers are achieved, You accept your expectation of the experience is not compromised due to the number of guests.

(b) We will endeavour to make any decision to cancel or delay a Tour at least 45 days prior to the scheduled Tour Departure Date.

(c) Where We cancel a Tour, for whatever reason, before departure, We will use reasonable endeavours to offer the closest available tour departure.

(d) Where the proposed alternate tour is: (1) cheaper than Your original Tour Price, We will refund the difference to you or (2) more expensive than Your original Tour Price, You must pay the difference to Us.

(e) If you accept the proposed alternative tour, You will be bound by the new contract made up of these Terms and Condition and Your amended Itinerary.

(f) If You do not have the correct visa or other documentation necessary or are denied permission to travel to the relevant country affecting your ability to participate in any aspect of a Tour ("Documentation"): (1) We will not refund to You all or any portion of the Tour Price and (2) You will be responsible for any cost You incur as a result of Your failure to obtain the required Documentation, including any cost associated with rejoining the Tour.

(g) We are not liable for any third party cost You may incur, which we have not booked on Your behalf, for example airfares or other arrangements booked independently through or paid to a travel agent.

4.9 Tour delay

Where We delay a departure of a Tour, for whatever reason, for more than 7 days, You may terminate this Contract and We will either: (1) provide You with a full refund for all monies paid to Us or (2) provide You with a credit for future tours with Us, which will be valid for 24 months from the date You notify Us of the termination of this Contract.

4.10 How can We vary this Contract?

Subject to clauses 4.9, 4.11, 4.12 and 4.13, We may amend the Terms and Condition at any time.

4.11 Tour Price

(a) We may vary Your Tour Price at any time where there is an increase to the Tour costs for reasons outside Our control including fuel, government taxes and charges, exchange rate fluctuations or other Tour related cost or tariffs.

(b) If you have not paid Your full Tour Price and We must vary Your Tour Price due to an increase in Tour cost outside Our control, any increase We apply to the Tour Price will be only to the extent required to meet such additional costs.

4.12 Tour Variations

(a) We may change or vary Your Itinerary.

(b) Although We will use reasonable efforts to operate the Tour as close as possible to Your Itinerary, changes or substitutions may be necessary for reasons outside Our control. These circumstances may include, but are not limited to: (1) road, river or weather conditions; (2) national or local holidays affecting the closure of public buildings and attractions; (3) strikes; (4) civil disturbances and advices by government or other Force Majeure Events; or (5) supplier availability.

(c) Cruise itineraries may be varied due to high or low water levels, floodings, lock closures, unscheduled vessel maintenance or for any other circumstances beyond Our control.

(d) We may substitute (at the nearest reasonable standard) any vessel, train or Coach for all or part of the Itinerary and provide alternative accommodation, where necessary.

(e) Where We make a variation to the Itinerary, We are not liable to You for such variations.

4.13 How do We tell You about variations to the Contract?

(a) Any changes to the Terms and Conditions will be posted on Our Website or advised to You directly.

(b) Any changes to Your Itinerary will be notified to You: (1) if prior to Your Departure Date, by phone, email or post or If you have booked through a travel agent, to your travel agent; or (2) if during Your Tour, personally by Your Tour Director.

4.14 Notification of General Risk

(a) You acknowledge and agree that there are general risks associated with travelling, which are beyond Our control and We are not liable to You for any loss, cost or damage You may incur as a result of these general risk, such general risks include: (1) Tour variations or interruptions caused by road, river or weather conditions; national or local holidays affecting the closure of public buildings and attractions; strikes, civil disturbances and advices by governments; Force Majeure Events; hazards associated with travelling in undeveloped areas; travel by boat, train, automobile, aircraft or other means of transportation; high water levels; low water levels; flooding; lock closures; unscheduled vessel or vehicle maintenance; (2) Forces of nature; illness, flight schedule changes or cancellation; loss of luggage; epidemics, pandemics or illness in regions without means of rapid evacuations or medical facilities; political unrest; accidents; acts of terrorism or other criminal acts; changes to government visa or travel requirements; or (3) any other circumstances beyond Our control.

(b) You acknowledge and agree that where the Tour, part of the Tour, accommodation, flights or any other goods or services is not directly provided by Us or Our staff, but is provided by a Service Provider, in the event of any dispute or claim including for loss, damage, breach of contract or negligence arising from the conduct of the Service Provider, You must pursue Your claim directly against the relevant Service Provider.

4.15 Limitation of Liability

(a) You acknowledge and agree that We accept no responsibility and will not be liable to You (or any third party) for any loss, cost or damage (including loss of enjoyment) suffered directly or indirectly in connection with: (1) any Tour risk or other aspects of the Tour notified to You in the Contract; (2) any change to Your Itinerary or delay in departure or arrival times of aircraft or otherwise during the conduct of the Tour; (3) any loss or damage to Your baggage; (4) any personal injury or death from the acts

- or omissions or negligence of any third parties providing goods or services to You during the Tour, including air carriers, hotels, shore excursions operators, restaurateurs, transportation providers, Service Providers and medical personnel; or (5) any loss to Your enjoyment due to circumstances outlined in the Contract or otherwise beyond Our control;
- (b) Despite any other provisions of the Contract, and to the extent permitted by law, Our maximum liability to You or any third party (including any claims of negligence by Us) is limited to the Tour Price You have paid to Us.
- (c) You acknowledge and agree that We are not liable to You, under any circumstances, for any loss of enjoyment, opportunity, profit, saving, revenue or interest or any other consequential or indirect, incidental, special or punitive loss, damage or expenses.
- (d) You acknowledge and agree that We are not liable for any delay or failure by Us or a Service Provider to perform Our obligations under the Contract, resulting from or as a consequence of a Force Majeure Event.
- (e) If a failure or event occurs or is anticipated due to a Force Majeure Event, Our obligations are suspended for the duration of the Force Majeure Event.
- (f) We may immediately terminate the Contract, if the Force Majeure Events delay performance of the Tour by Us or a Service Provider for a period of 7 days or more, calculated from the date We notify You of the Force Majeure Event.

4.16 Warranties

- (a) To the extent permitted by law, all express or implied warranties, guarantees, representations, or terms are expressly excluded.
- (b) Where the law implies any guarantee, condition or warranty which cannot be excluded, Our liability to You for breach of such an implied guarantee, condition or warranty is limited, to one or more of the following: (1) in the case of goods: repair of goods, replacement of goods, the supply of equivalent goods or the cost of repair, replacements or supply of equivalent goods; or (2) in the case of services: supplying the services again or payment of the cost of supplying the services again.

4.17 Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth)

Nothing in these Terms and Conditions operates to exclude, restrict or modify the application of any provision of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth) or any equivalent State and Territory legislation, the exercise of a right conferred by such a provision, or any of Our liability for breach of a guarantee, condition or warranty implied by such a provision, where it is unlawful to do so.

4.18 Travel Insurance

You are required to arrange comprehensive travel insurance to cover any unforeseen circumstances that may occur during the Tour. Proof of coverage must be provided to us immediately on request.

4.19 What if you are unhappy with something on Your Tour?

If You are unhappy with something that does or does not happen on Your Tour, you must notify Us at the time so we may investigate and remedy it. If unresolved, you must first use reasonable endeavours to negotiate with Us in good faith to settle the dispute before commencing proceedings in any court or tribunal.

4.20 General Provisions

- (a) The Contract, and any variations or amendments to the Contract made by Us in accordance with these Terms and Conditions, constitutes the entire agreement between You and Us about its subject matter and any previous agreements (whether oral or in writing), understandings and negotiations on that subject matter have no effect.

- (b) We may only waive a right or remedy created under these Terms and Conditions in writing.
- (c) Our delay in exercising a right or remedy does not constitute a waiver of that right or remedy, nor does any waiver by Us (either wholly or in part) operate as a subsequent waiver of the same or any other right.
- (d) These Terms and Conditions are governed by the laws in force in Western Australia, Australia. Subject to Clause 7, the Courts of Western Australia shall have exclusive jurisdiction to deal with all disputes arising out of, or in connection with, this Contract.
- (e) Any terms, which is, by its nature, intended to survive termination of these Terms and Conditions survives termination.

5 Important notices about Your Tour

5.1 Tour Participation

- (a) We may refuse to accept Your booking or participation on the Tour if We, or Our Service Providers, are of the view You are unable to fully care for Yourself. Unfortunately, We are unable to assist you with walking, dining, getting on and off Coaches or other transportation vehicles, or any of Your other personal needs.
- (b) We welcome You if You have a disability or other special need, provided You are accompanied by a companion capable of providing all the assistance You require. Please note that although We will use reasonable endeavours to provide You with all the activities on Your Itinerary, depending on Your disability, You may not be able to participate in every activity and the Tour Director will have the right to refuse Your participation if the Tour Director believes Your health and safety or the health and safety of other passengers may be impacted by Your participation. You must advise Us (or Your travel agent) of any disability, medical condition or dietary requirement at the time of booking.
- (c) It is important to note that: (1) Coaches may not be equipped with elevators; (2) wheelchair passengers should be aware that doors and rest rooms may not be wide enough to provide access to standard wheelchairs; (3) requests for disabled rooms must be made at the time of booking and are subject to availability; (4) for safety reasons, passengers on wheelchairs cannot be carried on boarding ramps (which may be steep due to water levels) whilst the vessel is tied up, or at anchor, or onto Coaches; and (5) wheelchairs and walkers may not be carried in the luggage compartment of Coaches subject to space limitations.
- (d) We may, in Our absolute discretion, decline Your booking if We are of the view that: (1) We cannot provide for any or all of Your special needs; (2) Your health, safety or enjoyment, or that of any other passengers attending the Tour may be at risk; or (3) You cannot or will not abide by any reasonable directions of the Tour Director.

5.2 Tours

- (a) Noise, Vibration and Odour Whilst We take reasonable steps to minimize noise, vibrations and odours on coaches and on cruises, You acknowledge and accept that some noise, vibrations and intermittent odours may be experienced and that We will not be liable to You in relation to any such noise, vibration or odours.
- (b) Photography We cannot guarantee that every scene or highlight featured in a Tour Brochure or Itinerary will be available on each Tour. No refund will be available for any resulting missed scene or photographic "opportunity". Similarly, hotel rooms featured in the brochure may not be the same standard of room used on tour.
- (c) Smoking (1) Smoking is not permitted on coaches or such other places nominated by Us from time to time. (2) Smoking is limited to designated smoking areas on vessels

- (if any). (3) You acknowledge that We may restrict smoking to specific times and locations during Your Tour for the comfort of all passengers. (4) Although We will use reasonable endeavours to ensure there are opportunities for You to smoke during the Tour, We cannot guarantee such opportunities will be available.
- (d) Language The language on the Tour is English and all announcements and lectures will be made in English, except in relation to third party group sightseeing tours that may include other languages as well as English.
- (e) Medical Services We are not, and Our Service Providers are not, liable regarding the provision of any medical care. You may require or choose to accept during the Tour. Due to a large number of passengers, We cannot provide a personal escort for such medical visits.
- (f) Electricity Requirements may vary between countries visited. A power plug adaptor may be required to use Your appliances such as electric shavers, clocks, mobile phone charges etc. We do not provide required adaptors, nor take responsibility for any incorrect adaptors or faulty adaptors that you may choose to use.

5.3 Travel Sickness

If You suffer from travel sickness, You must arrange medication or other alternate to treat symptoms, as we cannot make allowance for this.

5.4 Group sizes

The number of participations on our escorted set departure tours will be limited to 10 guests, unless we otherwise advise you in writing.

6 Additional Important Information

6.1 Airfare Conditions

- (a) The prices in the Tour exclude airfares or other transport required to arrive at the city where the Tour commences and for transport for your ongoing journey once the tour ends.
- (b) Some airfares have conditions, which make them unsuitable to be used in conjunction with Our tours. Full details and conditions can be obtained from Your travel agent or airline.

6.2 Tour Maps

Maps or tour depictions contained in the Tour Brochure or any others brochures We issue are intended as an indication only and should not be relied as the actual route taken during the Tour.

6.3 Pictures Images and Information

All images in Tour Brochures represent typical scenes and descriptive details for each Tour, however it is possible that the subject matter may not be seen or experienced on Tour. Also, some pictures may have been digitally enhanced.

6.4 Sightseeing on Tour

Sightseeing in many historic towns and cities can only be undertaken as walking tours as Coach access is not possible. An appropriate level of fitness is required as the sightseeing tour may involve steps and extensive walking over uneven surfaces and You should be in appropriate physical condition to participate in the Tour.

6.5 Mountain Excursions

Some tours may include mountain excursions in high altitudes. Please consult Your own doctor to ensure that You have an appropriate level of fitness and are in good health before participating in these included excursions.

6.6 Special Diets

You must advise Us in writing of any or all special request and dietary requirements at the time of booking. We will make every reasonable effort to accommodate your dietary request but cannot guarantee that such request can be met.

6.7 Solo Passengers and Single Accommodation

- (a) Prices quoted in Tour Brochures are on a twin share basis. If Your booking is not a twin share booking We will notify you of an applicable Single Supplement,

either in the Brochure or otherwise, and You must pay the Single Supplement Rate for the Tour, at the time of booking.

- (b) If you are willing to share a room with another single traveller of the same gender, You must pay the Single Supplement Rate. If you remained matched throughout the entire Tour, You will be refunded the Single Supplement Rate within two weeks of completion of the Tour.
- (c) We accept no responsibility for the suitability of the allocated rooming partner. It may not always be possible to share passengers and is hotel grade dependent.
- (d) If at any time during the Tour, You consider your rooming partner unsuitable, We will use reasonable endeavours to arrange single accommodation for You for the remainder of the Tour, subject to availability, using the pre-paid Single Supplement Rate.
- (e) A limited number of rooms are available at a Single Supplement Rate for each Tour. In some locations, single rooms are smaller than twin rooms and may not be available. You acknowledge that if there is no availability of single accommodation for the remainder of the Tour, You will be required to continue to share with Your nominated rooming partner for the remainder of the Tour.

6.8 Young Passengers

- (a) Passengers under the age of 18 years (as at the Tour Departure Date) must be accompanied by an adult and share their accommodation with an adult.
- (b) Children under the age of 12 years are not encouraged and are accepted or rejected at Our sole discretion.

6.9 Airport Transfers

The following applies to airport transfers that are for escorted group tours (ie: not independent journeys):

- (a) Airport transfers are only available on the first and last day of Your Tour and at times We designate.
- (b) Transfers outside these times will be at Your own expense and must be secured by Your own arrangements.
- (c) Passengers who have purchased from Us, additional pre and post Tour Hotel accommodation will require their own transfers.
- (d) If You do not book Your flights with Us, you must ensure Your flight details are provided to Us at least 60 days before the Tour Departure Date (or if a Booking is made less than 60 days from Tour Departure Date, within 7 days after the time of booking) by advising us in writing.
- (e) No refund will be given for unused transfers.
- (f) Transfers cannot be rerouted to other pick-up points or destinations.
- (g) If You miss the pre-booked transfers You will be responsible for making Your own way to the Tour departure point, at Your own expense.
- (h) Airport transfers may be group transfers scheduled to coincide with multiple flight departure times.

For Tours designated as private journey's including City Breaks, we provide airport transfers (if these have been requested in advance) at a pre-arranged time as agreed and 6.9 (e), (f) and (g) above applies.

6.10 Hotel Accommodation

- (a) We may substitute hotel accommodation in the place of the advertised hotel.
- (b) Although We have taken reasonable steps to secure the most suitable accommodation of the Tour, We are not liable to You for the quality, size or fitness of hotel rooms.

6.11 Luggage

- (a) Tour participants are entitled to one suitcase and one travel bag per person.
- (b) Your suitcase must not exceed 76 x 53 x 28cms (30" x

21" x 11") and most not weigh more than 23kgs.

- (c) Personal items should be carried in a travel bag, which does not exceed 7kgs of weight. In addition, airline passengers should consult with their airline as size and weight restriction may vary from airline to airline and according to the class booked.
- (d) You must comply with all airlines and airport luggage safety regulations.
- (e) It is Your responsibility to ensure Your luggage complies with these requirements and You acknowledge that We, contracted carriers or Service Providers may elect not to carry overweight items.
- (f) You will be responsible for any excess baggage charges imposed by airlines or other carriers including our Service Providers.

6.12 Carriers

The carriers (including airlines, rail and sea carriers used in association with the tours) are not responsible for statements or features in Tour Brochures. The conditions of sale of each carrier constitute a separate contract between You and the carrier and We have no responsibility in relation to contracts between You and the carriers.

6.13 Additional optional extras

Additional activities taken by you such as sightseeing Tours purchased by You in addition to those activities outlined in the Tour Brochure during Your Tour are not included in the Your Tour Price and incur an additional cost. Additional activities are subjected to availabilities, seasonal and operational factors and weather conditions. Some activities require a minimum and maximum number of participants to operate.

6.14 Clothing

We recommend comfortable clothing. Please bring comfortable walking shoes as You will need this daily whilst sightseeing, which include walking over rough and uneven ground. Dinner attire is at your discretion but should be appropriate to the establishment. For winter months we recommend warm coats, gloves water resistant footwear and umbrella.

6.15 Currency and Credit Cards

Most countries visited in Europe will use the Euro although some will still have their own currency (e.g. Scandinavia, Baltic States and the UK). Many locations accept major credit cards, ATM machines are in most cities. Prior to departure You should confirm Your ATM card and PIN will work overseas.

6.16 Help understanding this Contract

If You do not understand the Terms and Conditions, or any aspect of this Contract, please seek advice from an appropriately qualified professional. In Australia, for communication assistance, please call the National Relay on 133 677. If You require an interpreter, the Translating and Interpreting Service may be able to assist on 131 450.

7 Dispute Resolution

- 7.1 Any dispute or difference arising out of or in connection with this Contract shall be submitted to arbitration in accordance with, and subject to, the Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia Fast Track Arbitration Rules. There shall be one arbitrator, the language of the arbitration shall be English, the place of the arbitration shall be Perth, Western Australia.
- 7.2 This clause does not affect the right of any party to seek at any time urgent injunctive relief from a court of competent jurisdiction.
- 7.3 In any arbitration a certificate in writing signed by a director of Ormina Tours as to any facts or matters in dispute shall be prima facie evidence as to the truth of the facts or matters so certified.
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