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featuring
South East Asia
River Cruising
2025-2026



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Welcome to a world of wonder and vibrant cultures

Embark on the journey of a lifetime as you delve into Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos, along the Mekong River and explore Japan by land in handcrafted luxury.



Be immersed in exclusive Scenic Enrich events that provide deep insights into rich cultural traditions, local cuisine and stunning scenery.



Take a culinary journey through the fresh flavours of Asia and enjoy Scenic Special Stays in unique luxury hotels.



It's more than included touring. It's personalising your journey and choosing how to spend your days based on your passions.





Himeji Castle, Japan

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Scenic Spirit Pool

The Scenic Difference is in the details



Shinkansen bullet train, Japan

- A** Butler service, Scenic Spirit
- B** Hotel de Yama, Hakone, Japan
- C** Expert tour director, Champagne breakfast, Siem Reap, Cambodia
- D** Grand Deluxe Suite, Scenic Spirit

For more information visit scenic.com.au

5-star inclusions, an expertly trained Scenic crew and an enriching journey. With Scenic, the difference is in the details. You'll find it's more than personalised travel, it's putting you, our guest, at the heart of everything we do.

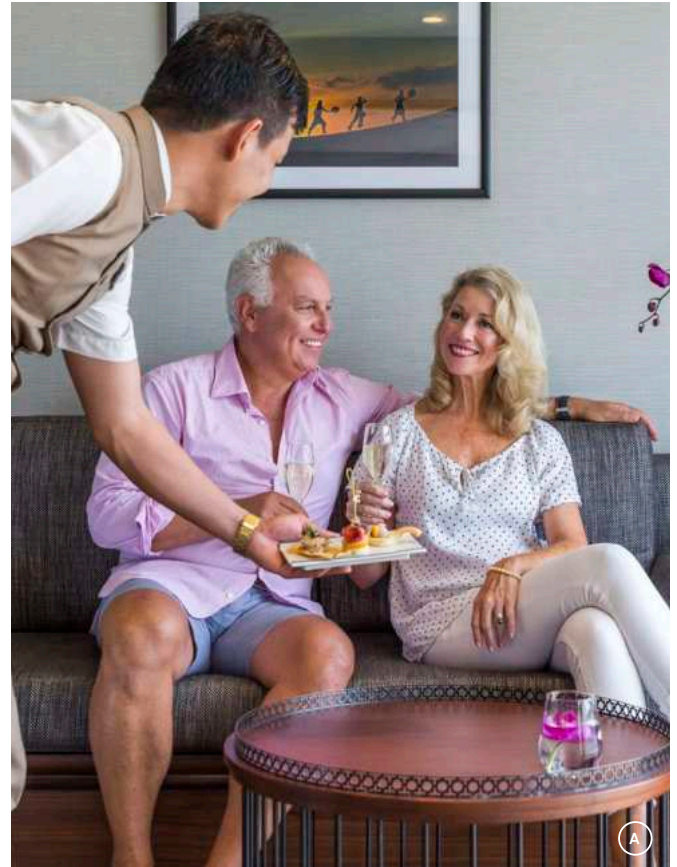
An unmatched journey

Whether cruising South East Asia's historic waterways or discovering the wonders of Japan on a handcrafted land journey, Scenic's signature service means you can relax knowing we'll take care of everything for you.

Relish exclusive and personalised experiences, including Scenic Freechoice excursions and Scenic Enrich events, tailoring your days to your passions and pace.

Every meal is a moment to remember. We'll take you on a culinary journey of authentic local flavours both on board and onshore.

All this is part of the Scenic Nth Degree philosophy. It's more than personalised travel – it's putting you at the heart of everything we do.



Iconic hotels

Look forward to Scenic Special Stays – spectacular accommodation in iconic locations. Enjoy creature comforts and rich heritage in remarkable sanctuaries.



Expert tour directors

Scenic are the experts in handcrafted land journeys and ultra-luxury river cruises, with an award-winning reputation, innovative excursions and passionate Tour Directors.



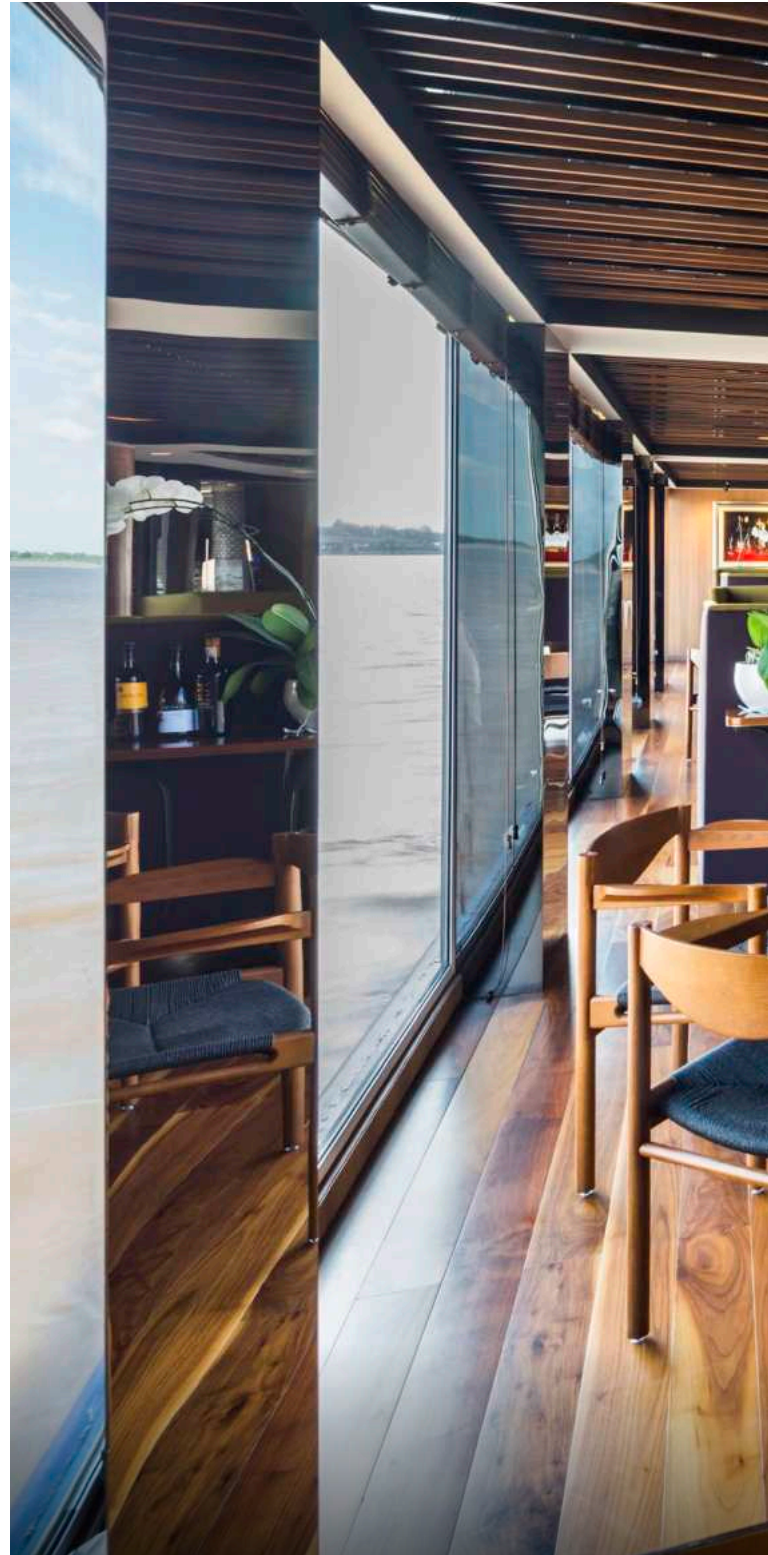
Cruise with confidence

With 38 years of excellence, we are the only cruise line with local offices in the region, so you'll feel our unwavering support every step of the way.

Your ultra-luxury ship experience

We are the experts in creating an intimate, 5-star cruise experience. The spacious custom-built Scenic Spirit will be your haven on the water, enhancing your personalised ultra-luxury journey.

Explore, relax and indulge as the exotic landscapes of the Mekong River float by. You can expect impeccable, truly all-inclusive service, world-class dining across up to four on board options and dedicated wellness areas including a state-of-the-art gym and Vitality Pool.



Catering for only up to 68 guests, the Scenic Spirit experience is more than an ultra-luxury river cruise. It's your sanctuary on the Mekong, offering the comforts of a 5-star hotel as you journey along the waterways of South East Asia.



Crystal Dining, Scenic Spirit

A Scenic Spirit Lounge B Scenic Spirit Gym

5-star luxury, in a class of its own

When you travel with Scenic you can be confident that every detail has been considered. Enjoy a full range of luxurious inclusions that will enhance your experience and make your journey truly carefree.



Scenic Spirit

- 5-star boutique ship experience with up to only 68 guests
- Dedicated butler service for every suite
- One-bedroom balcony suites with separate living room, walk-in wardrobe and Scenic Sun Lounge
- All meals on board Scenic Spirit with up to four dining venues, from casual to fine dining
- Complimentary international beverages^ all day, every day on board Scenic Spirit
- Complimentary in-suite mini-bar replenished every day
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Stretch classes
- Resort style pool
- Wellness Centre and fitness area
- Self-service laundry facilities

Land Journey Inclusions

- Smaller group journeys with a maximum of 25 guests
- Comprehensive range of included meals – see itinerary for specific inclusions
- Scenic Special Stays – iconic hotels remarkable for their location, character and heritage
- All internal flights and rail

Expert Team

- Experienced Cruise Director to guide and assist during your Scenic Spirit river cruise
- Scenic Tour Directors from start to finish on your land and cruise journey
- Expert local guides
- Locally based Scenic staffed offices in Phnom Penh and Ho Chi Minh City to oversee a seamless journey
- A Scenic representative to assist you on arrival and departure

Included Experiences

- Exclusive Scenic Enrich events inaccessible to the ordinary traveller
- A range of Scenic Freechoice experiences to personalise your journey, included always

Your Peace of Mind

- All tipping and gratuities (on board and onshore)
- Return airport transfers upon arrival and departure at your destination

^All on board beverages are included except for a very small number of fine and vintage wines, Champagnes and spirits on 7/9 night river cruise.

2025-2026 Exclusive Offers

Book before 31 March 2025 to secure your 2025/2026 departure for the best availability and offers.



Super Earlybird Offers

Available when you book and pay in full 10 months prior to departure

Save up to \$4,500pp*

enjoy a 9 night cruise for the price of 7 and savings on your land journey, when booking 15 days or longer

Save up to \$2,500pp*

when you book a 7 night cruise and land journey of 13 days or longer

Earlybird Offer

Save \$1,000pp* on selected cruise and land journeys of 13 days or longer.

Save up to \$500pp* when you book a selected Vietnam land only journey or cruise and land journey of 11 to 13 days[^]

Save up to \$900pp* when you book a Japan land only journey



Solo Traveller Offer

Book and pay in full 10 months prior to travel and receive up to 75% off Single Supplement.

Travel with Confidence

We understand the need for flexibility to change your travel plans. Enquire about our Flexible Booking Plan.

For more information visit scenic.com.au/offers

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A journey through South East Asia & Japan full of wonder



Travel throughout Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos and Japan with a selection of 18 itineraries. Choose from an exceptional range of journeys to uncover Asia's iconic destinations and hidden gems.



From the rugged karsts and rice terraces of the north to the centre's golden beaches and fascinating water-world of the Mekong Delta, Vietnam is a dynamic land of contrasts.



Most famous for the temples of Angkor, there's much more to the compact kingdom of Cambodia, from beautiful beaches and emerald jungles to its hip capital city, Phnom Penh.



Embark on a memorable journey of enlightenment and discover the culture and many customs, geological and natural wonders and innovative spirit of the people of Japan.

Your dedicated Scenic team



Scenic Spirit Reception

- A** River Café, Scenic Spirit
- B** Local expert tour directors
- C** Personalised butler service, Scenic Spirit
- D** Culinary staff, Scenic Spirit

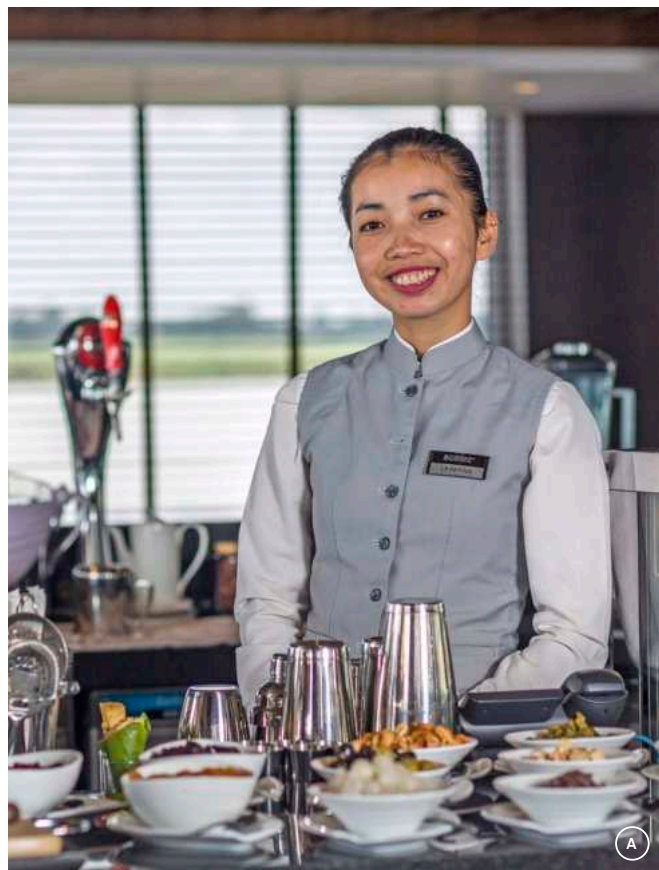
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It's more than just a passion for exceptional service. It's providing an incomparable level of luxury with personal attention to each detail. Our expert team are dedicated to going to the Nth Degree so you can enjoy every moment.

Every detail is expertly managed

On a Scenic journey, your experience is in a class of its own. Our team identify and attend to your wishes before you even know what they are. This is what we call the Scenic Nth Degree – think of it as luxury your way, because everyone is an individual.

With almost one crew member for every guest on Scenic Spirit, our team will go to the Nth Degree to anticipate your every need. Combined with our local expertise, as the only cruise line with local offices in the region, you will feel our unwavering support every step of the way. That way, you can simply relax and enjoy the moment.



Scenic Tour Directors

Your primary point of contact throughout your journey, addressing all questions and details with unwavering commitment and excellence.



Professional Butler

Highly trained and focused on providing 5-star service every day, your personalised butler available throughout your cruise will surpass your expectations.



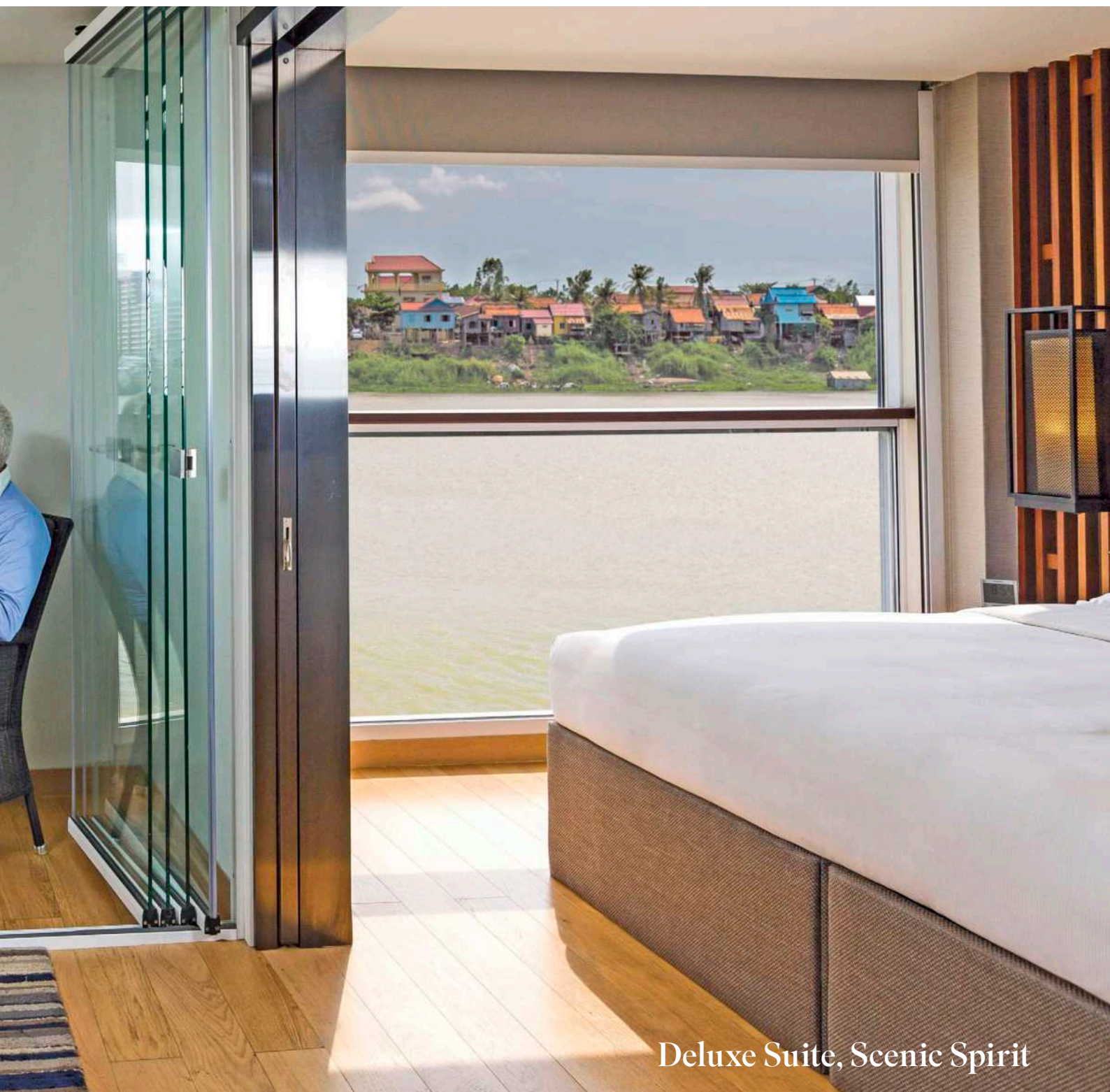
Culinary & Bar Staff

Indulge in the flavours of your destinations with meals, premium beverages on board Scenic Spirit and recommendations from our expert chefs and bartenders.

A floating haven on the Mekong



After an exciting day exploring the mighty Mekong River, return to your personal retreat. Each spacious suite features the finest luxury amenities and butler service. Relax and be immersed in the diverse scenery along this spectacular waterway.



*Your private
sanctuary awaits*



Grand Deluxe Suite, Scenic Spirit

- A** Royal Panorama Suite **B** Grand Deluxe Suite **C** Deluxe Suite **D** Butler drinks service

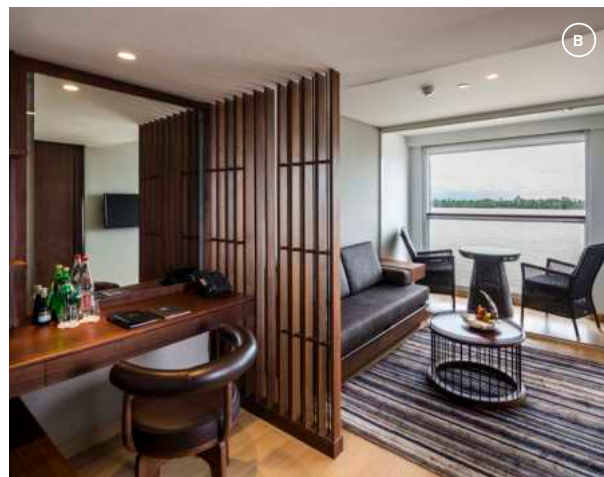
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It's more than your home away from home. Think of your suite as your sanctuary on the Mekong, with a separate bedroom, living room and balcony with an exclusive Scenic Sun Lounge for the space to relax and indulge in maximum comfort.



Royal Panorama Suites

These indulgent 80m² suites offer a stylish lounge area, oversized bathroom with a bath and an outdoor Jacuzzi. In addition to the features of the Grand Deluxe Suite, enjoy private transfers, a bottle of Champagne and unlimited complimentary laundry services.



Grand Deluxe Suites

At 40m², these suites feature a stylish lounge area, spacious bathroom, queen-size Scenic Slumber Bed, and a walk-in wardrobe. Enjoy Club Floor privileges at the Caravelle Saigon and Landmark Rooms at Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor in Siem Reap.



Deluxe Suites

The most spacious lead-in suites available on the Mekong River, our 32m² Deluxe Suites feature a separate bedroom and lounge area, a Scenic Sun Lounge, elegant furnishings and a pillow menu.



Deck Inclusions & Features

On Jewel and Sapphire decks, your butler service includes a shoeshine, drinks service and tea and coffee delivered to your suite. On Diamond Deck, enjoy the above plus breakfast in your suite and two garments pressed daily.

Mindful experiences

Culinary immersion

The culinary journey you'll take is one of the essential elements of your journey. On board Scenic Spirit our Executive Chefs create an irresistible blend of local and international cuisine. Menus are reinvented daily: savour delicious fusion dishes, including regional specialties and beloved classics.

In Japan, you'll taste your way across the islands with a wealth of fantastic Scenic Freechoice Dining options. Enjoy shabu shabu in Kyoto, Japanese BBQ in Sendai or the casual-chic fusion of the world-famous Nobu in Tokyo. The choice is yours.



Your Scenic journey is more than an exploration of South East Asia's historic sites and Japan's exotic locations. It's a deep dive into the regional culinary flavours, expertly prepared to complement the stunning scenery.



Chef's Table, Scenic Spirit

A Dining on board Scenic Spirit **B** Izakaya Nightlife, Tokyo, Japan

Scenic Spirit dining & beverages



Crystal Dining, Scenic Spirit

More than fine dining, it's a whole epicurean experience

Culinary Delights



Each meal on board is crafted by our creative chefs as a tribute to the spectacular regions you're visiting, and adds to your sense of luxury during your river cruise.

Crystal Dining



Our main restaurant offers a relaxed atmosphere, serving all meals with open seating. Enjoy à la carte menus, themed lunches and dinners, including exotic street food.

Chef's Table



Take a culinary journey through South East Asia with a 10-course dégustation dinner, perfectly paired with the finest wines. Designed exclusively for Diamond Deck guests.

In-Suite Dining



Room service is available and included throughout your cruise for lunch and dinner. Dine in the comfort of your suite while enjoying the passing views.

Premium Beverages



Enjoy the largest selection of included premium international beverages on the Mekong. Let your skilled mixologists create fabulous cocktails and mocktails, and for an infusion of goodness, visit the breakfast juice bar.

Scenic Sunset Drinks



Enjoy exclusive hosted evening drinks in memorable locations during your cruise. As the sun sinks, unwind with new friends, marvel at your stunning surrounds and reflect on the day's events over a cool beverage.

Truly all-inclusive wellness

It's more than just staying healthy. It's a holistic experience to nourish your mind, body and soul.



Begin your day with a dip in Scenic Spirit's Vitality Pool and morning exercise of Tai Chi on the Sun Deck.

The gym is equipped with the latest fitness equipment to help with your exercise routine while on holiday.

The relaxing spa in the Wellness Centre offers a wide range of treatments* curated to meet your specific needs. Try a deep tissue traditional Khmer massage or foot reflexology and let our expert wellness staff look after you.



*Spa treatments additional cost

A Tai Chi on the Sun Deck **B** Scenic Spirit massage therapy

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Life on the Mekong

As your 5-star boutique floating hotel cruises along the Mekong, you'll gain true insights into the history, culture and wildlife of the ancient lands that have built a life around these vital rivers.



Rivers and waterways are subject to variations in water levels.

While every effort is made to adhere to the planned itinerary, changes in river conditions, ad hoc local government regulations or local festivities may require journey modifications. These will be made based on the advice of local authorities or for safety reasons.

Through our offices in Phnom Penh and Ho Chi Minh City, we use our local connections to ensure any disruptions can be dealt with in a timely and efficient manner.



A Fishermen on the Mekong **B** Lotus farm, Mekong Delta



*Pool and bar,
Scenic Spirit*





Once-in-a-lifetime Scenic Enrich events



Angkor Temple Gala Dinner, Cambodia

- A** Angkor Temple Gala Dinner, Cambodia **B** Blessing by monks, Angkor Ban, Cambodia **C** Private interactive Taiko drum lesson, Tokyo, Japan
D Private dinner with a geiko, Kyoto, Japan

For more information visit scenic.com.au

Go behind the scenes with Scenic to enjoy extraordinary encounters inaccessible to the ordinary traveller. Our exclusive Scenic Enrich events will elevate your cultural discoveries to the realms of ancient kingdoms, sacred practices, fables and folklore.



Angkor Temple Gala Dinner

Held at Prasat Kravan, a 10th century Angkor temple, the illuminated Gala Dinner includes traditional Khmer cuisine and a magical performance by Apsara dancers. This exclusive event for Scenic guests is a memory you'll treasure forever.



Receive a blessing from a monk

At a Buddhist pagoda in Cambodia, receive a monk's blessing to protect you and bring good fortune to your journey. Then participate in an alms ceremony, contributing to the daily meal of resident monks and gaining insight into their everyday life.



Taiko drum lesson

Take a private group lesson of the traditional taiko drums. Taiko performances are spectacular, full-bodied displays; take up the sticks and learn from the taiko masters in this once-in-a-lifetime experience.



Private dinner with a Geisha

Be immersed in the world of geishas during a private dinner with a geiko (geisha) and maiko (apprentice). These icons of Japan are renowned for their elaborate hairstyles, striking makeup and beautiful outfits.

Truly all-inclusive Scenic Freechoice excursions



Wat Nokor, Kampong Cham, Cambodia

- A** Meiji Shrine, Tokyo, Japan
- B** Hanoi street food, Vietnam
- C** Pottery workshop, Bat Trang, Vietnam
- D** Independence Monument, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

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It's more than a river cruise and handcrafted land journey. It's a broad range of personalised, immersive excursions to suit your passions and pace.

Personalise your journey

Your Scenic journey has been thoughtfully crafted to offer a broad range of personalised, immersive excursions. These meticulously designed moments allow you to tailor your journey to suit your passions and pace.

Choose from a variety of options that will elevate your understanding of your destination. Gain exclusive insights from expert guides, trek to spectacular sights, discover hidden gems off the beaten track or sample local produce as you delve into local life.

Whether you prefer a leisurely time or an action-packed itinerary, Scenic Freechoice offers you diverse options from sightseeing, discovery and culinary experiences. And of course, they're all included.



Local Delicacies

Dine in darkness in one of Ho Chi Minh City's quirkiest restaurants, tour Hanoi's lively local street food scene by Vespa or try shabu shabu in a former sake brewery.



Cultural Encounters

Explore the ancient porcelain community of Bat Trang, learn about daily life on the Mekong, discover the Kirin Brewery and stroll through Shinjuku-Gyoen Gardens.



Historic Moments

Led by expert local guides, discover Hanoi's highlights, delve into the dark past of Phnom Penh and explore the tranquil forest of the Meiji Shrine.

Unique stays in the most spectacular locations



Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor, Siem Reap, Cambodia

A Caravelle Saigon, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam **B** Hanamaki Onsen Kashoen, Iwate, Japan **C** Sofitel Legend Metropole, Hanoi, Vietnam

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You'll find the wonders of Japan and South East Asia are even more enthralling at the region's most luxurious hotels. Every accommodation has been handpicked by our expert Journey Designer to ensure it offers an outstanding location and luxury.

South East Asia

Be pampered at the Almanity Hoi An Resort and Spa with included daily spa treatments, enjoy an overnight stay at the 5-star Senna Hotel in Hue and be immersed in the rich history of Saigon at the iconic Caravelle Saigon*.

Discover Siem Reap's Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor*, a luxurious haven in Cambodia. If travelling on the Sapa extension, retreat to the elegant Silk Path Grand Hotel overlooking the lush valley.



Japan

With a Forbes Travel Guide 5-star luxury award, the Capitol Hotel Tokyu offers rooms in traditional Japanese-style architecture. In the resort city of Beppu, relax during a three night Special Stay at the InterContinental - ANA Beppu Resort & Spa, an IHG Hotel perched in the foothills overlooking Beppu.

At Hanamaki Onsen Kashoen, guests can choose a traditional Futon Japanese or western-style room and be immersed in the full onsen resort experience.



Scenic Special Stays

Throughout your journey, indulge in Scenic Special Stays, a handpicked selection of hotels known for their location, character and heritage.

Iconic destinations like the French Colonial-style Sofitel Legend Metropole in Hanoi's French Quarter and the World Heritage-listed Luang Say Residence offer luxurious accommodations with charming period architecture.



*Guests cruising on Scenic Spirit in RD and RS suites will enjoy Club Floor privileges at the Caravelle Saigon and Landmark Rooms at the Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor.

Discover Japan

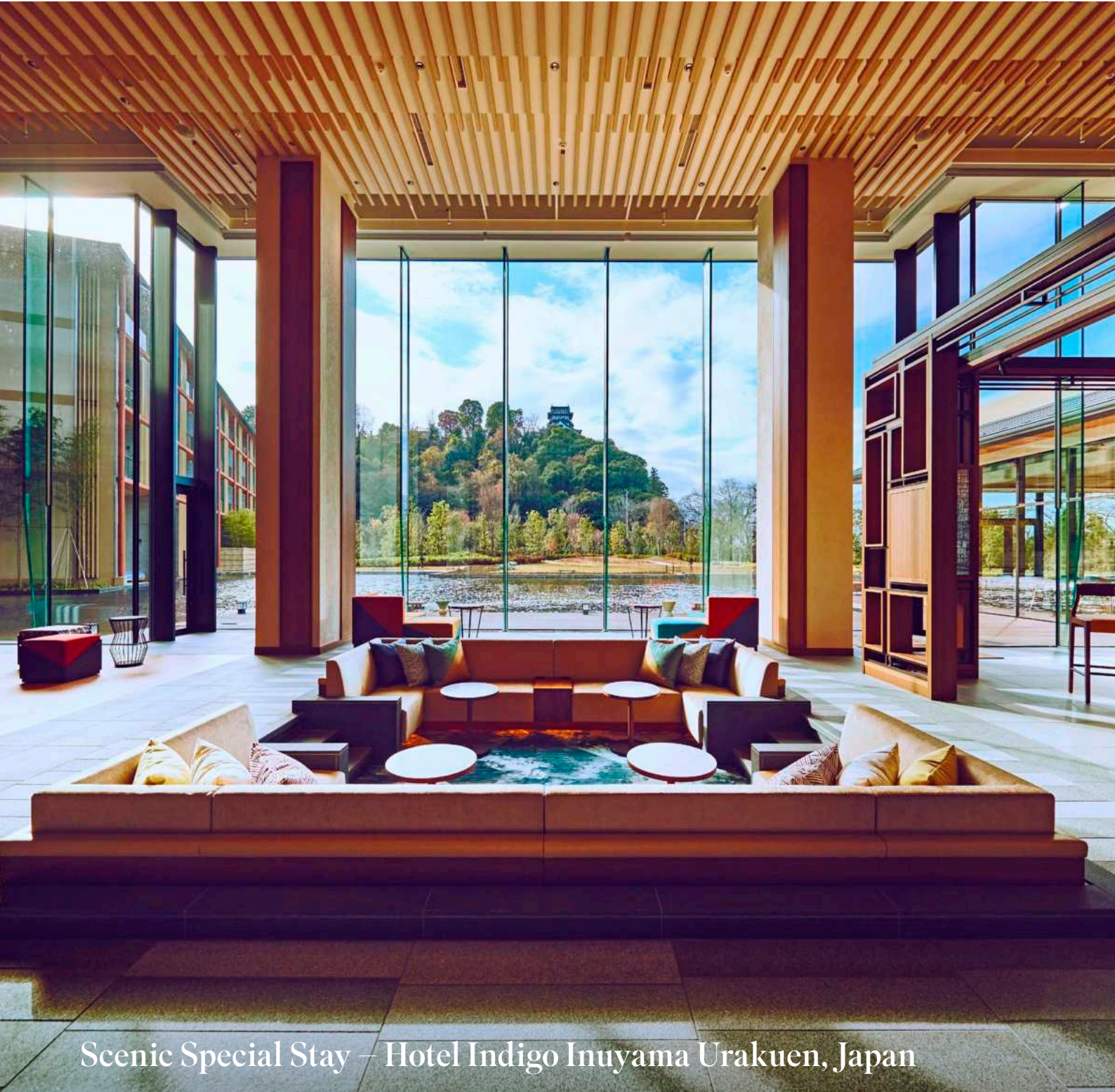


From the days of the samurai to modern day animé, the 'Land of the Rising Sun' has always had its own unmistakable identity. You'll find that uniqueness everywhere you go, whether it's glittering skyscrapers, ancient temples or snow-capped peaks.



Golden Pavilion, Kyoto, Japan

*Experience Japan
in truly immersive 5-star luxury*



Scenic Special Stay – Hotel Indigo Inuyama Urakuen, Japan

Ⓐ Scenic Enrich – Traditional Tea Ceremony, Kyoto, Japan Ⓑ Shinkansen bullet train, Japan

For more information visit scenic.com.au/land/Japan

From the popular Golden Triangle of Tokyo, Kyoto and Osaka to remote villages and untouched national parks, you'll uncover the quintessential spirit of the Land of the Rising Sun and experience the very best of this country.

The Scenic experience

At Scenic, we've combined the Scenic Difference with carefully curated experiences that offer a true insight into the culture with remarkable interactive and hands-on experiences in Japan.

Guided by expert local guides and a dedicated Scenic Tour Director, you'll fall in love with Japan's neon city lights and bustling streets, to tranquil forests and ancient traditions.



Iconic hotels & unforgettable rail journeys

While in Japan, experience a collection of Scenic Special Stays, a choice of remarkable hotels notable for their location, character and heritage.

Another highlight awaiting guests is watching the landscapes of Japan pass by on the state-of-the-art high speed rail and Shinkansen bullet trains while you relax in Business (Green) Class seating.



The special touches come included

- Fully escorted smaller group journeys with a maximum of 24 guests
- Scenic Enrich events – unforgettable and exclusive once-in-a-lifetime experiences
- Scenic Freechoice – a range of included activities and dining options to personalise your journey
- Scenic Special Stays – iconic hotels remarkable for their location, character and heritage
- Famed high speed train travel in Japan in Business Class (Green Class) seating
- All internal flights included
- Welcome and farewell receptions with complimentary drinks
- Handpicked Tour Directors and expert local guides
- Personal audio headsets for commentary
- A Scenic representative to assist you on your arrival and departure
- Return airport transfers



Hirosaki Castle, Hirosaki, Japan

Hidden Wonders of North Japan

🕒 14 Day Land Journey 📍 Tokyo > Sapporo

🗺️ 11 Freechoice excursions & dining 🎧 3 Scenic Enrich events 🏠 3 Scenic Special Stays



Treasures and traditions north of Tokyo

Uncover the northern wonders of Japan that exist off the tourist trail. Explore spectacular natural wonders, be immersed in cultural traditions and feel the power of history that still lives along ancient streets. Each day brings new authentic experiences, from staying in a traditional ryokan and soaking in onsens to learning centuries-old crafts and admiring grand Edo palaces.



To explore this itinerary further, search for JPTS at [scenic.com.au](https://www.scenic.com.au)

Day 01

Tokyo 

Welcome to Tokyo. Check into The Capital Hotel Tokyu for a two-night Special Stay.

Meals: D

Day 02

Tokyo  

Take in the view from above at the 634m Tokyo Sky Tree. Afterwards, visit the epicentre of Tokyo's colourful youth culture as you explore the art, fashion and style of Takeshita Street Harajuku.

Enrich

Join a private, interactive demonstration and lesson in playing the Taiko drums from revered Taiko masters.

Tonight, choose from dinner at a ninja themed restaurant or a traditional Japanese Izakaya bar. Alternatively dine at Nobu Tokyo. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 03

Tokyo > Ouchijiuku > Aizu-Wakamatsu

Hop aboard your first Shinkansen bullet train journey. Visit the well-preserved Edo postal town of Ouchijiku and try local soba noodles for lunch, then learn about sake brewing at the Suehiro Brewery. Tonight, check in to the traditional Keikokubino Yado Kawane Ryokan with your own open air onsen bath. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 04

Aizu-Wakamatsu > Sendai 



Visit a local home to paint your own traditional Akabeko 'red cow' toy. Then step back in time at the rebuilt Aizu Bukeyashiki Samurai Mansion. This afternoon, you can choose to visit the Sendai City Museum of History and Folklore or the Kirin Brewery. Check in to the Westin Sendai for a two-night stay. Tonight, join your Tour Director to explore the local Izakaya bar scene or try Japanese BBQ (Yakiniku). **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 05

Sendai > Matsushima

Drive to Matsushima Bay, celebrated as one of Japan's three most scenic views, and unleash your creativity as you paint a wooden Kokeshi doll. Visit the Zuigangji Temple and Entsuin Temple, then enjoy a lunch of local street food before a private cruise around the stunning bay. **Meals: B.L**

Day 06

Sendai > Nobiru > Hanamaki  

Head north and visit the destroyed Nobiru train station, now a museum dedicated to the devastating 2011 tsunami. Continue on to the scenic Genbikei Gorge before

arriving at Chusonji Temple, established in 850. Tonight, enjoy a Special Stay at Hanamaki Onsen Kashoen.

Enrich

Tonight, put on your yukata (robe) to watch a private performance of Shishiodori during a traditional Kaiseki dinner.

Meals: B.L.D

 **Authentic Japanese Experience**

For tonight's stay, enjoy a unique insight into Japanese culture. Bedding is traditional Japanese inn style with a comfortable thick futon, though you can choose western style bedding, if available, upon request. All rooms have tatami mat flooring with mix Japanese/western style décor, a Japanese cypress bathtub and a provided Yukata. Be sure to also try the onsen hot spring baths.

Day 07

Hanamaki > Towada City > Lake Towada 

En route to Towada City, walk around the rustic hot springs and the volcanic landscapes of the Towada - Hachimantai National Park. Later, admire Towada's street art and visit the excellent Towada Art Centre. Enjoy the picturesque drive toward Lake Towada and your two-night Special Stay at Hoshino Resorts Oirase Keiryu Hotel. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 08

Lake Towada 

Take a walk along the pristine Oirase stream and Deai-bashi Bridge before transferring to Yasumiya for lunch and a relaxing cruise on Lake Towada. This afternoon, choose to create a traditional Mossball Gour Lamp or explore the beauty of Oirase stream up close by venturing along one of the many hiking trails in the area. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 09

Lake Towada > Hirosaki > Aomori

Visit the beautiful Hirosaki Castle. Continue onto Aomori and see the giant papier-mâché doll floats used in the Aomori Nebuta Festival at Rasser Land. Spend tonight at the Hotel Aomori.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 10

Aomori > Hakodate

Explore the Jomon Museum and 5,500-year-old Sannai-Maruyama Archaeological Site. Travel by Shinkansen through the undersea Seikan Tunnel to Hakodate on Hokkaido Island. Walk through the historic Motomachi neighbourhood before checking into Hotel & Spa Century Marina Hakodate for a two-night stay. **Meals: B.D**

Day 11

Hakodate



Visit the Fish Market early to catch some fresh squid for breakfast. Later visit the 107m tall Goryoki Tower to get a bird's eye view of Mt Hakodate, Tsugaru Strait and the Yokotsu mountains. Travel up the Mt Hakodate Ropeway at dusk for sparkling city views. Enjoy dinner in one of Hakodate's beer halls. **Meals: B.D**

Day 12

Hakodate > Sapporo

Travel by train to Sapporo and visit the Historic Village of Hokkaido. Check in to the Sapporo Grand Hotel for a two-night stay, then head to Ramen Yokocho, a narrow lane lined with shops serving Sapporo's famous ramen. **Meals: B.D**

Day 13

Sapporo > Otaru  

Board a local train to Otaru.

Enrich

Learn how to create and cook Japanese traditional sweets known as wagashi.

Spend free time in the historic Otaru Canal area before returning to Sapporo. This afternoon, choose to indulge your sweet tooth at Shiroyo Koibito Park's chocolate factory and museum, or visit the former Winter Olympic site. This evening, enjoy a farewell meal at the Sapporo Beer Museum. **Meals: B.D**



Day 14



Sapporo

Bid a fond farewell to the 'land of the rising sun'. **Meals: B**

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2025 & 2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

Journey code: JPTS  May feature fall colours  May feature cherry blossoms	2025 Apr 09 , May 28	2025 Oct 08 2026 May 27	2026 Apr 15 , Oct 07
	From	From	From
Earlybird	\$15,090	\$15,390	\$15,690
Full Fare	\$15,990	\$16,290	\$16,590

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Ainokura, Gokayama, Japan

Essential Japan

🕒 20 Day Land Journey 📍 Tokyo > Osaka

🍷 12 Freechoice excursions & dining 🏞️ 5 Scenic Enrich events 🏯 3 Scenic Special Stays



Discover the essence of Japan

Experience the very best of the Land of the Rising Sun, from grand feudal castles and glorious gardens to ancient sporting traditions and elegant tea ceremonies; from sake to sushi and everything quintessentially Japanese in-between. Be dazzled by the neon lights of Tokyo and Osaka, then step back in time in historic villages unchanged for centuries.



To explore this itinerary further, search for JPES at [scenic.com.au](https://www.scenic.com.au)

Day 01

Tokyo 🏨

Welcome to Tokyo. Check into The Capital Hotel Tokyu for a three-night Special Stay. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Tokyo 🍷 🍴

Take in the view from above at the 634m Tokyo Sky Tree. Afterwards, visit the epicentre of Tokyo's colourful youth culture as you explore the art, fashion and style of Takeshita Street Harajuku.

Enrich

Join a private, interactive demonstration and lesson in playing the Taiko drums from revered Taiko masters.

Tonight, choose from dinner at a ninja themed restaurant or a traditional Japanese Izakaya bar. Alternatively dine at Nobu Tokyo. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 03

Tokyo 🌸

Visit the historic Asakusa district and pay your respects at Sensoji Temple. Later, choose to visit the Imperial Shinto Meiji Shrine then walk across famous Shibuya Crossing. Alternatively, explore Shinjuku-Gyoen Gardens and the Shinjuku entertainment district. *Meals: B.L*

Day 04

Tokyo > Five Lakes District

Visit teamLab Borderless then make your own sushi lunch with a local chef. Later, drive to the Fuji Five Lakes District and learn about kimono craftsmanship at the Itchiku Kubota Art Museum. Soak in the views of Mt Fuji from the Fuji Marriott Hotel Lake Yamanaka. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 05

Five Lakes District > Hakone

Drive to Hakone and cruise on Lake Ashinoko. Admire the scenery on a cable car ride to the Owakudani hot springs then study the works at the Hakone Open Air Museum. Relax this evening at Odakyu Hotel de Yama. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Hakone > Nagoya > Inuyama 🏨

Travel via Shinkansen train to Nagoya and visit the Shinkansen Train Museum at SCMaglev and Railway Park. Continue to the historic castle town of Inuyama for a two-night Special Stay at Hotel Indigo Inuyama Urakuen Garden. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 07

Inuyama

Learn about the area's ancient history at the Shiro-to-Machi Museum before a rickshaw ride through the old town to Inuyama Castle. Afterwards visit Meiji Mura, a massive outdoor museum for reconstructed buildings. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 08

Inuyama > Tsumago Juku > Takayama 🌸

Head north Tsumago Juku, a fully restored Edo Period post town. In Takayama, enjoy a tasting at Funasaka Shuzo Sake brewery. Check in for a two-night stay at the Associa hotel. Tonight, choose between Bistro Kanzo, known for its Hida Beef, or Sakanaya, a fine Japanese restaurant. Alternatively enjoy local Japanese at Susaki. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 09

Takayama > Gokayama

View the impressive Yatai festival floats, then explore historic villages in the World Heritage-listed Gokayama and try a Washi paper making workshop. Back in Takayama, explore the old quarter and enjoy a free evening. *Meals: B.L*

Day 10

Takayama > Takaoka > Kanazawa

Head to Takaoka via a cruise through Shogawa Gorge, then create your own souvenir at a local copper and tinware workshop. Later visit Zuiryuji Temple. Continue to Kanazawa for a two-night stay at the Hyatt Centric Kanazawa. *Meals: B.L.D*

Meals: B.L.D⊕ *Ryokan Upgrade*

For a unique insight into Japanese culture, choose to stay tonight in a Ryokan (at additional cost, must be pre-booked before departure). This traditional Japanese Inn has futon beds, onsen hot spring baths and private facilities, and includes dinner and breakfast.

Day 11

Kanazawa

Wander around Kenroku-en Garden, one of the Three Great Gardens of Japan. Explore the Higashi-Chaya District tea house district and visit the Kanazawa Gold Leaf craft shop. Later, catch a glimpse of life in Feudal Japan with a visit to former Kaga Clan Samurai houses in the Nagamachi district. *Meals: B.L*



Tokyo, Japan



Tsumago Juku, Japan



Shibuya Crossing, Tokyo, Japan



Hiroshima Peace Park, Japan

Day 12

Kanazawa > Kyoto

Travel by train to Kyoto. Glide through the Arashiyama Bamboo Grove by rickshaw followed by lunch at the World Heritage-listed Tenryu-ji Temple. Visit the famous Golden Pavilion, before settling into the Kyoto Brighton Hotel. Tonight, gather for a Teppanyaki feast. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 13

Kyoto 📍 🍵

Choose to explore the ancient preservation districts or visit the Silver Pavilion before strolling along part of the famous Philosopher's Walk.

Enrich

Partake in a Japanese tea ceremony while dressed in a traditional Japanese kimono.

Enjoy some free time in Nishiki Market. Before dinner, stroll through Gion, Kyoto's famous Geisha District.

Enrich

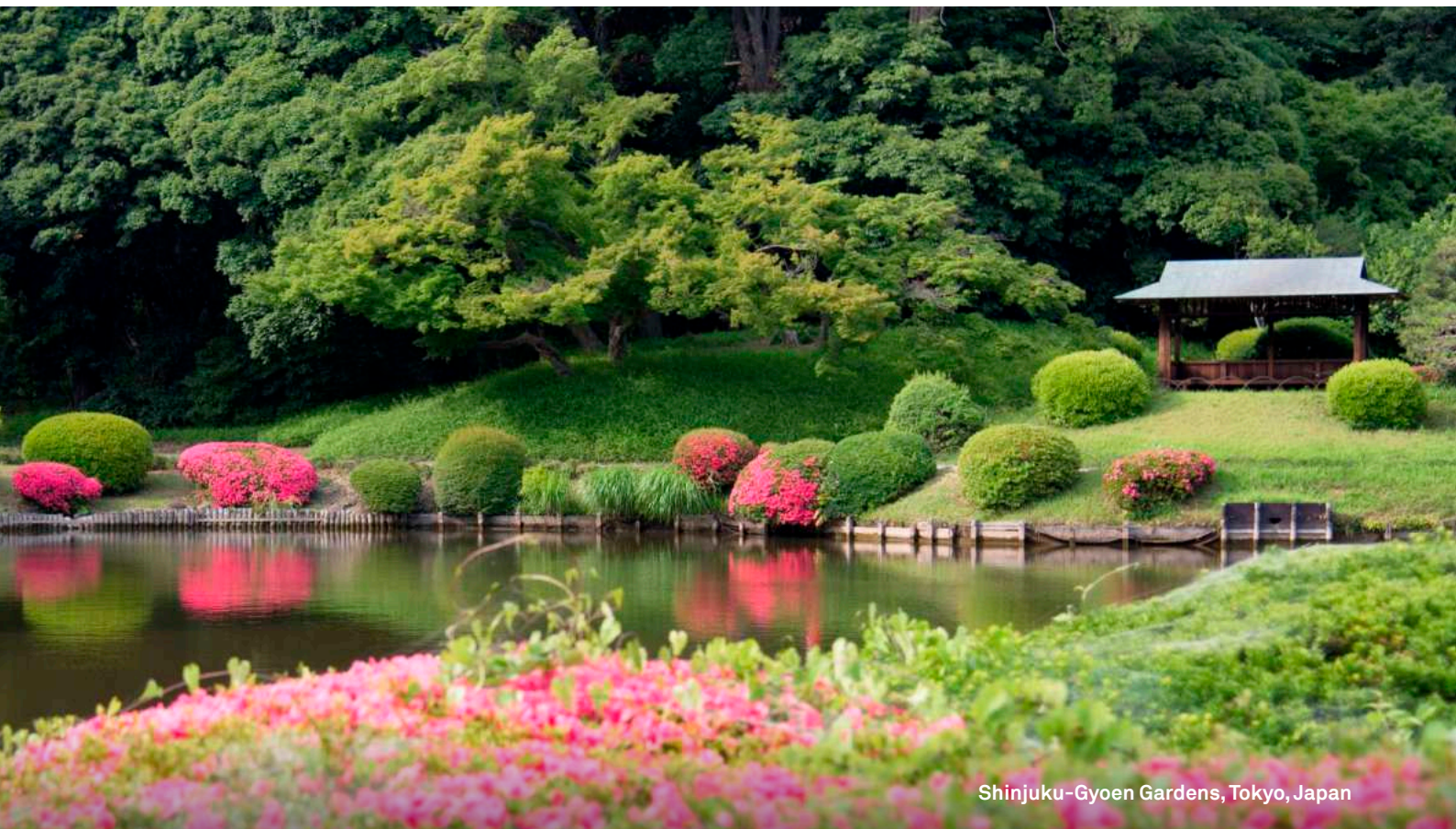
Tonight's dinner will allow you to interact with a Geiko and Maiko, learning about the art of Japanese hospitality. *Meals: B.D*

Day 14

Kyoto > Nara

Begin your day with an early visit to the famed Fushimi Inari Shrine. Continue to Nara to visit Todaiji Temple and see deer in Nara Park. Back in Kyoto, visit Nijo Castle and enjoy the rest of your day at leisure. *Meals: B.L*

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Shinjuku-Gyoen Gardens, Tokyo, Japan

Day 15

Kyoto > Himeji > Hiroshima

Travel by Shinkansen to marvel at Himeji Castle. Continue to Hiroshima and check into the Sheraton hotel for two nights. Tonight, sample Okonomiyaki, a delicious savoury Japanese-style pancake and specialty of the region. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 16

Hiroshima > Miyajima Island

Sail by ferry to Miyajima Island to visit Daisho-in Temple and its famous floating Torii Gate at the Itsukushima Shrine.

Enrich

Experience an emotional visit to the Peace Park and Museum and learn how to create your own origami crane offering for the Orizuru Wall.

This evening is yours at leisure. *Meals: B.L*

Day 17

Hiroshima > Kobe > Osaka

Travel by Shinkansen to Kobe and continue to the Kirin Beer Factory for lunch, tasting and a tour of the factory. Drive to Osaka to enjoy a three-night Special Stay in an Executive Room with full club lounge access at the Hilton Osaka Hotel. This evening ride the Osaka Metro to wander around the lively entertainment area of Dotonbori and Hozenji Yokocho food alley. *Meals: B.L*

Day 18

Osaka > Tondabayashi > Kehayaza

Drive to Tondabayashi to visit a restored Edo era Merchant House before continuing onto a Sumo Museum in Kehayaza, the area where Sumo originated.

Enrich

Learn about the life of a sumo wrestler during your private visit and see the wrestlers in action in the dohyo.

Enjoy your Club Floor benefits before transferring to the Umeda Sky Building for night-time views of the skyline of Osaka, before settling into your dinner with a view. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 19

Osaka

Choose to wander Shinsaibashi-suji shopping avenue followed by Kuromon Ichiba Market or visit the Museum of History and the rebuilt Osaka Castle. The afternoon is at leisure before gathering for your farewell Japanese feast. *Meals: B.D*

Day 20

Osaka

Bid a fond farewell to the 'land of the rising sun'. *Meals: B*

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2025 & 2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

Journey code: JPES ■ May feature fall colours ■ May feature cherry blossoms	2025	2025	2025
	Mar 09 [^] , Apr 05 [^] , May 18 [^]	Sep 14 2026	Mar 15, Apr 12, May 10, 17 Sep 13
	From	From	From
Earlybird	\$20,890	\$24,990	\$25,490
Full Fare	\$21,790	\$25,890	\$26,390

Traditional one night Japanese Ryokan upgrade in Kanazawa from \$860 per person twin share available upon request only.

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Miyajima Island, Japan

Classic Japan

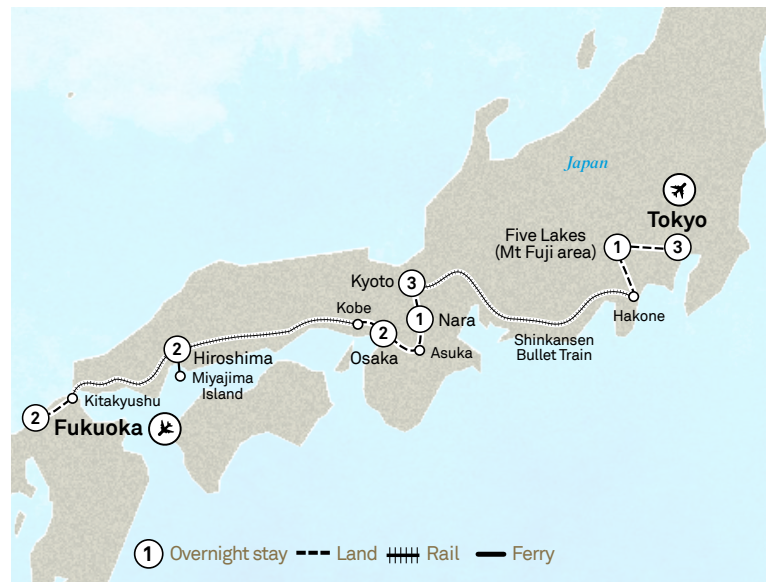
🕒 15 Day Land Journey 📍 Fukuoka > Tokyo

🍴 13 Freechoice excursions & dining 🎒 6 Scenic Enrich events 🏯 2 Scenic Special Stays



The timeless side of Japan

Discover Japan's ancient history, tradition and religious beliefs which still exist side by side with the industrial might and unique cultural quirks that characterise modern Japan. Visit the cradle of Japanese civilisation, Zen temples, traditional villages, extraordinary shrines, historical monuments and glorious gardens and landscapes.



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Day 01

Fukuoka

Welcome to the island of Kyushu, Japan. Enjoy your welcome reception at the Grand Hyatt Fukuoka. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Fukuoka 

Explore Fukuoka with stops at Shofukuji Temple, Kushida Shrine and Hakata Machiya Folk Museum. Choose to drive to Yanagawa, dubbed the 'Venice of Kyushu' for a cruise along its canals and stop at Yanagawa Ohana, the villa of the Tachibana family, who ruled from roughly 1600-1868. Alternatively visit Fukuoka Tower and Fukuoka castle ruins. This evening head down to Fukuoka's open air food stalls (Yatai) to choose your own meal of Yakitori, Oden or Hakata Ramen. *Meals: B.L*

Day 03

Fukuoka > Hiroshima 

Drive to Mt Sarakura lookout for scenic views over the city of Kitakyushu before visiting the iconic TOTO Museum. Then travel by Shinkansen train to Hiroshima.

Enrich

Visit the Peace Park and Museum before visiting Orizuru Tower to create your own special origami donation.

Later check into the Sheraton Grand Hotel Hiroshima for two nights. Sample Okonomiyaki, a delicious savoury Japanese-style pancake. *Meals: B.D*

Day 04

Hiroshima > Miyajima Island 

Sail by ferry to Miyajima Island to visit Daisho-in Temple and its famous floating Torii Gate at the Itsukushima Shrine.

Enrich

Tonight attend a performance of Kagura, a type of Shinto ritual ceremonial dance. *Meals: B.L*

Day 05

Hiroshima > Kobe > Osaka 

Travel by Shinkansen to Kobe and visit the Kirin Beer Factory. Drive to Osaka to enjoy a two-night Special Stay at the Hilton Osaka Hotel. Ascend the Umeda Sky Building for a 360-degree panorama then settle in for dinner with a view. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Osaka

Choose to wander Shinsaibashi-suji shopping avenue followed by Kuromon Ichiba Market or visit the Museum of History and the rebuilt Osaka Castle. This evening ride the Osaka Metro to explore the lively Dotonbori and Hozenji Yokocho food alley. *Meals: B*

Day 07

Osaka > Asuka > Nara 

Drive to Asuka. Wander through the Inabuchi terraced rice paddy fields, the ancient Tobiishi stone bridge and visit Ishibutai tumulus.

Enrich

Learn about the life of a sumo wrestler during a private visit to a Sumo Museum. See a demonstration of Jinku and the wrestlers in action in the dohyo.

Continue to Nara. Spend a night at the JW Marriott Hotel Nara. *Meals: B.L*

Day 08

Nara > Kyoto

Visit Todaiji Temple and see deer in Nara Park. Continue to Kyoto to stop at Fushimi Inari Shrine, then enjoy a tasting at a sake brewery. Check in for a three-night stay at Kyoto Brighton Hotel with a Teppanyaki dinner. *Meals: B.L.D*

 **Ryokan Upgrade**

For a unique insight into Japanese culture, choose to stay tonight in a Ryokan (at additional cost, must be pre-booked before departure). This traditional Japanese Inn has futon beds, onsen hot spring baths and includes dinner and breakfast.

Day 09

Kyoto  

Explore the ancient preservation districts or see the Silver Pavilion before strolling along the Philosopher's Walk.

Enrich

Join a Japanese tea ceremony dressed in a traditional Japanese kimono.

Enrich

Tonight's dinner will allow you to interact with a Geiko and Maiko, learning about the art of Japanese hospitality. *Meals: B.D*

Day 10

Kyoto 

Visit Nijo Castle, built in 1603. Glide through the Arashiyama Bamboo Grove by rickshaw followed by lunch at the World Heritage-listed Tenryu-ji Temple. Visit the famous Kinkaku-ji (Golden Pavilion). Tonight, choose to

dine on Kyoto-French fusion cuisine or traditional Shabu Shabu.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 11

Kyoto > Five Lakes District

Travel by Shinkansen to Hakone and visit the Hakone Open Air Museum. Drive to the Fuji Five Lakes District and soak in the views from the Fuji Marriott Hotel Lake Yamanaka. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 12

Five Lakes District >

Tokyo  

Discover the craftsmanship of kimonos at the Itchiku Kubota Art Museum. Drive to Tokyo and explore the mesmerising light displays at teamLab Borderless. Check into The Capital Hotel Tokyu for a three-night Special Stay. Tonight, choose from dinner at a ninja themed restaurant or a traditional Japanese Izakaya bar. Alternatively dine at Nobu. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 13

Tokyo 

Visit the historic Asakusa district and Sensoji Temple. Later, choose to visit the Imperial Shinto Meiji Shrine and cross Shibuya Crossing. Alternatively, explore Shinjuku-Gyoen Gardens and the Shinjuku entertainment district. *Meals: B.L*

Day 14

Tokyo 

Take in the view from above at the 634m Tokyo Sky Tree. Afterwards, visit the epicentre of Tokyo's colourful youth culture at Takeshita Street Harajuku.

Enrich

Join a private, interactive demonstration and lesson in playing the Taiko drums from revered Taiko masters.

Later enjoy a farewell yakatabune dinner cruise on Tokyo Bay. *Meals: B.L.D*



Day 15

Tokyo



Say farewell to Japan. *Meals: B*

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2025 & 2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

Journey code: JPCL	2025		2026	
	From	From	From	From
 May feature fall colours	2025 Oct 12	2025 Nov 09 2026 Mar 08, May 10, Oct 11	2026 Mar 22, Apr 05, Nov 08	
 May feature cherry blossoms				
Earlybird	\$19,990	\$20,390	\$20,590	
Full Fare	\$20,890	\$21,290	\$21,490	

Traditional one night Japanese Ryokan upgrade in Kyoto from \$925 per person twin share available upon request only.

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Dazaifu Tenman-gu shrine, Japan

Japan's Southern Treasures

🕒 17 Day Land Journey 📍 Osaka > Fukuoka

🌐 10 Freechoice excursions 🎧 3 Scenic Enrich events 🏠 3 Scenic Special Stays



Immerse yourself in southern Japan

Go off the beaten track on this fascinating journey through places few tourists ever see. Concentrating on the southern island of Kyushu, you'll uncover unique European influences, explore ancient shrines and compact castles, learn traditional arts, and admire spectacular natural wonders in Beppu, Nagasaki, Fukuoka and Kitakyushu.



To explore this itinerary further, search for JPOF at [scenic.com.au](https://www.scenic.com.au)

Day 01

Osaka 

Welcome to Osaka, Japan. Upon arrival, transfer to Hilton Osaka Hotel for a one-night Special Stay. Meet your Tour Director, then head to the lively Dotonbori area and Hozenji Yokocho food alley for your welcome dinner. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Osaka > Kobe > Kurashiki

Drive to the Kirin Beer Factory in Kobe for lunch, tasting and a tour of the factory. Travel by Shinkansen to Okayama and visit 300-year-old Korakuen Garden, one of the Three Great Gardens of Japan. Continue to Kurashiki for a two-night stay at the Ivy Square Hotel. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 03

Kurashiki > Naoshima Island



Take the ferry to Naoshima, famed for its modern art museums, architecture and sculptures including Yayoi Kusama's giant pumpkin. Visit the Art House Project, Benesse House, Lee Ufan Museum and Chichu Art Museum. Return to Kurashiki for a night at leisure. *Meals: B.L*

Day 04

Kurashiki > Kitakyushu

Travel by Shinkansen to Kitakyushu. Tour the Yawata Steel Works, then check in to the Rihga Royal Hotel Kokura Fukuoka. Take the cable car up Mt. Sarakura to enjoy dinner with a spectacular view. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 05

Kitakyushu > Dazaifu  

Visit the TOTO Museum and continue to Moji Port District for lunch. Explore the seventh century town of Dazaifu and check in to your Special Stay ryokan, HOTEL CULTIA Dazaifu.

Enrich

Enjoy an evening visit after hours to Dazaifu Tenmangu shrine accompanied by one of the resident priests. Meals: B.L.D

Day 06

Dazaifu > Beppu  

Learn about tea culture at the Hoshino Tea Museum. Continue to Tao Open Air Theatre for lunch at Tao House.

Enrich

Watch a live performance from the world-renowned taiko drumming entertainment group DRUM TAO.

Drive to Konokoe Yume Suspension Bridge and then onto Beppu for your three-night Special Stay at the ANA InterContinental Beppu Resort & Spa. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 07

Beppu 

Visit the Kannawa District, home to the Seven Hells hot springs, and the Beppu Kannawa Jigoku Onsen Museum. Enjoy lunch at Mushichiarou restaurant where food is cooked with geothermal steam. Then choose to take a traditional Beppu sand bath or visit the Nagai Bamboo Factory. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 08

Beppu > Kitsuki 

Travel to Kitsuki, Kyushu's little Kyoto, to visit Japan's smallest castle and its Samurai District. Travel into the forests in Kunisaki Peninsula to visit Monjusenji Temple, opened in 648.

Enrich

Witness a Gomataki Fire Stick ritual and make offerings.

Continue to Futago-ji Temple before a night at leisure to try the hotel's deluxe onsens. *Meals: B.L*

Day 09

Beppu > Kuma Valley


Drive to Yufuin onsen for a rickshaw ride around town and Lake Kinrin. Continue to Kuju Winery for lunch and a tasting, then drive through Aso Kuju National Park to Mt Aso Nakadake Crater, Japan's most active volcano (access permitting). Later, check in to Ryokan Ayunosato, Kuma Valley. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 10

Kuma Valley 

This morning, choose an e-bike tour of the Hidden Valley of Spirits or undertake a local cooking adventure using traditional methods. After lunch visit the 350-year-old Kuma shochu brewery. *Meals: B.L*

Day 11

Kuma Valley > Kumamoto 

Try a Taisharyu Samurai and sword experience at Shinguzenji Temple. Drive to Kumamoto and visit Suizenji Jojuen Garden. Ride the Kumamoto City Tram to ANA Crowne Plaza Kumamoto New Sky, an IHG Hotel for your two-night stay. Tonight, enjoy an Izakaya meal or dine at Suncielo in the hotel. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 12

Kumamoto

Explore Kumamoto Castle. After lunch, create traditional 'wagashi' sweets in a hands-on class. *Meals: B.L*

Day 13

Kumamoto > Nagasaki

Drive to Yamaga and go backstage at a traditional Kabuki theatre. Visit a sake brewery in the Edo Period post town of Kashima. On arrival in Nagasaki, check into the Indigo Nagasaki Graver Street or similar for two nights. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 14

Nagasaki 

Choose to explore the footprint of Christianity left by European powers or visit Peace Park and the Atomic Bomb Museum. Take the cable car to Inasayama Observatory at the top of Mt Inasa to admire the night time view. *Meals: B.D*

Day 15

Nagasaki > Arita > Karatsu > Fukuoka

Visit the world-famous pottery village of Arita and the Kyushi Ceramic Museum. Continue to Karatsu to visit Karatsu Hikiyama Exhibition Hall. Later check in for two nights at the Grand Hyatt Fukuoka. This evening, you can dine at Fukuoka's open air food stalls (Yatai). *Meals: B.L*

Day 16

Fukuoka 

Visit Shofuku-ji, the oldest Zen Temple in Japan, and the sixth century Kushida Shinto Shrine. This afternoon, choose to travel to Yanagawa, dubbed the 'Venice of Kyushu', or visit Fukuoka Tower and Fukuoka castle ruins in Maizuru Park. Gather tonight for your farewell dinner. *Meals: B.L.D*



Day 17



Fukuoka

Depart with memories of Kyushu. *Meals: B*

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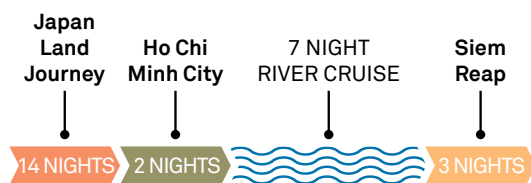
Journey code: JPOF	2025	2026	2026
 May feature fall colours	Oct 26	May 10, Oct 26	Mar 15 , 29
 May feature cherry blossoms			
	From	From	From
Earlybird	\$20,790	\$20,990	\$21,490
Full Fare	\$21,690	\$21,890	\$22,390

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Hiroshima Atomic Bomb Dome, Japan

Classic Japan & Treasures of the Mekong



🕒 27 Day Land Journey & Cruise 📍 Fukuoka > Siem Reap 🌸 34 Freechoice excursions

📍 9 Scenic Enrich events 🍷 3 Scenic Special Stays 🌅 2 Scenic Sunset Drinks



An odyssey through Asia

From the glittering lights of downtown Tokyo to the sleepy fishing villages of the Mekong, this expansive journey will show you the captivating contrasts of Asia by land and river. Embrace ancient traditions, marvel at modern cities, be immersed in fascinating cultures and dine on exquisite cuisine as you travel through Japan, Vietnam and Cambodia.



To explore this itinerary further, search for JPVI at scenic.com.au

Day 01

Fukuoka

Welcome to Fukuoka on the island of Kyushu. Enjoy your welcome reception at the luxurious Grand Hyatt Fukuoka.

Meals: D

Day 02

Fukuoka 

Explore Shofukuji Temple, Japan's first Zen Temple, Kushida Shrine and Hakata Machiya Folk Museum. This afternoon, choose to drive to Yanagawa, dubbed the 'Venice of Kyushu', for a cruise along its canals and visit Yanagawa Ohana, former home of the Tachibana clan. Alternatively visit Fukuoka Tower and the ruins of Fukuoka Castle. This evening, why not try dining at Fukuoka's open air food stalls (Yatai). *Meals: B.L*

Day 03

Fukuoka > Kitakyushu > Hiroshima 

Admire the views of Kitakyushu from Mt Sarakura then visit TOTO Museum. Travel by Shinkansen bullet train to Hiroshima.

Enrich

Experience an emotional visit to the Peace Park and Museum then create your own special origami crane at Orizuru Tower.

Check into the Sheraton Grand Hotel Hiroshima for a two-night stay before a dinner of local specialty Okonomiyaki, a delicious savoury pancake. *Meals: B.D*

Day 04

Hiroshima > Miyajima Island 

Sail by ferry to Miyajima Island to visit Daisho-in Temple and its famous floating Torii Gate at the Itsukushima Shrine. Later, enjoy free time in Hiroshima.

Enrich

Tonight attend a performance of Kagura, a type of Shinto ritual ceremonial dance.

Meals: B.L

Day 05

Hiroshima > Kobe > Osaka 

Travel by Shinkansen to Kobe and visit the Kirin Beer Factory. Drive to Osaka to enjoy a two-night Special Stay at the Hilton Osaka Hotel. Ascend the Umeda Sky Building for a 360-degree panorama then settle in for dinner with a view.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 06

Osaka 

Choose to wander Shinsaibashi-suji shopping avenue followed by Kuromon Ichiba Market or visit the Museum of History and the rebuilt Osaka Castle.

The afternoon is at leisure. This evening ride the Osaka Metro to explore the lively entertainment area of Dotonbori and Hozenji Yokocho food alley. *Meals: B*

Day 07

Osaka > Asuka > Nara 

Drive to Asuka, the birthplace of the Japanese state. Wander through terraced rice paddy fields, past the ancient Tobiishi stone bridge and visit Ishibutai tumulus, Japan's largest megalithic structure.

Enrich

Learn about the life of a sumo wrestler during your private visit and see the wrestlers in action in the dohyo.

Continue to Nara and spend the night at the JW Marriott Hotel Nara. *Meals: B.L*

Day 08

Nara > Kyoto

This morning visit Todaiji Temple and see deer in Nara Park. Continue to Kyoto to stop at Fushimi Inari Shrine, famous for its red torii gates that appeared in 'Memoirs of a Geisha', then enjoy a tasting at a sake brewery. Check in for a three-night stay at Kyoto Brighton Hotel with a Teppanyaki dinner. *Meals: B.L.D*

 **Ryokan Upgrade**

For a unique insight into Japanese culture, choose to stay tonight in a Ryokan (at additional cost, must be pre-booked before departure). This traditional Japanese Inn has tatami mat flooring with futon beds, sliding shoji paper doors, onsen hot spring baths and private facilities, and includes dinner and breakfast.

Day 09

Kyoto  

Choose to explore the ancient preservation districts or visit the Silver Pavilion before strolling along part of the famous Philosopher's Walk.

Enrich

Partake in a Japanese tea ceremony while dressed in a traditional Japanese kimono.

This afternoon, enjoy some free time in Nishiki Market.

Enrich

Tonight's dinner will allow you to interact with a Geiko and Maiko, learning about the art of Japanese hospitality. *Meals: B.D*

Day 10

Kyoto 

Begin the day with a visit Nijo Castle, built in 1603. Glide through the Arashiyama Bamboo Grove by rickshaw followed by lunch at the World Heritage-

listed Tenryu-ji Temple. Visit the famous Kinkaku-ji, or Golden Pavilion. Tonight, choose to dine at Kyoto-French fusion Funatsuru Restaurant or try Japanese Shabu Shabu at Junsei Restaurant.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 11

Kyoto > Five Lakes District

Travel by Shinkansen to Hakone. After lunch, study the art works at the Hakone Open Air Museum. Then drive to the Fuji Five Lakes District, located beneath Mt Fuji. Soak in the views from the Fuji Marriott Hotel Lake Yamanaka.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 12

Five Lakes District > Tokyo  

Discover the craftsmanship of kimonos at the Itchiku Kubota Art Museum. Drive to Tokyo and explore the mesmerising light displays of the teamLab Borderless. Check into The Capital Hotel Tokyu for a three-night Special Stay. Tonight, choose from dinner at a ninja themed restaurant or a traditional Japanese Izakaya bar. Alternatively dine at Nobu. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 13

Tokyo 

Visit the historic Asakusa district and pay your respects at Sensoji temple, the city's oldest Buddhist temple. Later, choose to visit the Imperial Shinto Meiji Shrine and walk across famous Shibuya Crossing. Alternatively, explore Shinjuku-Gyoen Gardens and the Shinjuku entertainment district. *Meals: B.L*

Day 14

Tokyo 

Take in the view from above at the 634m Tokyo Sky Tree, the world's tallest tower. Afterwards, visit the epicentre of Tokyo's colourful youth culture as you explore the art, fashion and style of Takeshita Street Harajuku.

Enrich

Join a private, interactive demonstration and lesson in playing the Taiko drums from revered Taiko masters.

Later take in the bright lights of Tokyo during your evening farewell dinner cruise on a yakatabune, a traditional houseboat. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 15

Tokyo > Ho Chi Minh City

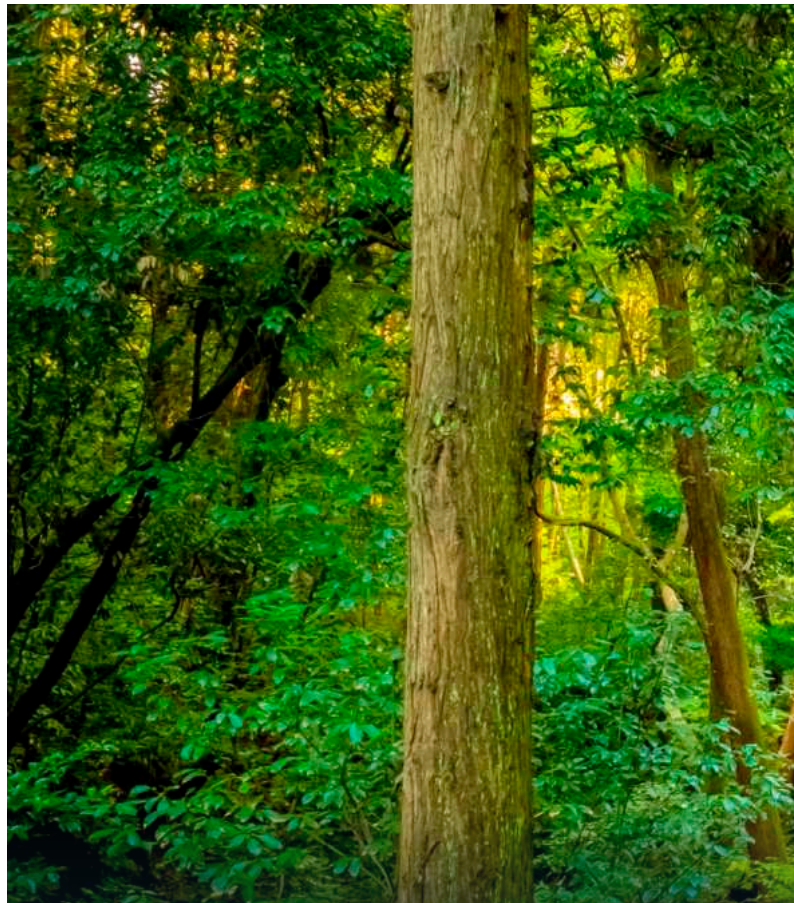
Say farewell to the Land of the Rising Sun, taking with you many wonderful memories. Transfer to the airport for your flight to Vietnam and the next stage of your journey. When you arrive in Ho Chi Minh City, check in to the



Oudong, Cambodia



Jinku Demonstration, Kehayaza, Japan



luxurious Caravelle Saigon hotel and meet your tour director and fellow guests at a welcome dinner.

Day 16

Ho Chi Minh City

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels and learn about the underground labyrinth of wartime passageways. Return to the city for a Pho lunch. Tonight, choose from a Vespa street food tour of Saigon, dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, dine at Mandarin Restaurant or ride through Saigon on a vintage Jeep tour, or dine at Buffet 19 in your hotel. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 17

Ho Chi Minh City > Mekong Cruise

Discover Vietnam's modern history through a visit to the Reunification Palace and War Museum. Travel to My Tho to board the ultra-luxury Scenic Spirit. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 18

Cai Be > Sa Dec

This morning, choose to travel via sampan to the island of Tan Phong, known for its lush fruit orchards. Alternatively, savour delicious afternoon tea at Le Longanier, a French colonial house restaurant, or stay on board Scenic Spirit for a hands-on cocktail/

mocktail making class.

The ship will sail on to Sa Dec this afternoon. Explore the historic town and meet sellers in the lively wet market. See the home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le who inspired Marguerite Duras' novel L'Amant. Back on board watch a lion dance from local performers on the sundeck.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 19

Tan Chau > Border Crossing

Discover the wonders of Tan Chau this morning. Take a tranquil sampan cruise through Tra Su Bird Sanctuary in the Tra Su Forest, home to more than 100 species of water bird. Or visit Evergreen Island to meet local farmers, then ride on a traditional xe loi to Cao Dai temple. You can also choose to take a speedboat to Chau Doc to visit a temple and fish farm. After lunch on board, sail to the Cambodian border. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 20

Phnom Penh

Welcome to Cambodia. Choose how you would like to explore the capital. Visit the moving Killing Fields and Tuol Sleng Prison, learning about the difficult legacy of the Khmer Rouge regime. Enjoy a cooking class including a visit to the market with a local chef, or take a tour of Phnom Penh by remork, a traditional style of tuk tuk to explore the French architecture and history of the

capital. Return to Scenic Spirit for lunch and enjoy an afternoon at leisure.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a Phnom Penh by City Lights tour and an exclusive tasting at a distillery.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 21

Phnom Penh > Oudong

Journey to the ancient capital of Oudong to witness the life of the monks and nuns who reside here at the monastery. Then return to the Royal Palace, featuring the famous Silver Pagoda.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a sunset cocktail reception as the ship cruises from the capital. Meals: B.L.D

Day 22

Silk Island > Angkor Ban

This morning, explore the island of Oknha Tey, dedicated to the art of silk weaving. After lunch, visit Angkor Ban. Explore its historical wooden houses, which survived the Khmer Rouge, and visit a local after school English lesson. Back on board, learn the many ways to wear a traditional Cambodian scarf. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 23

Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham

Meet the novice monks at Wat Hanchey, an ancient hilltop pagoda and monastery.

To explore this itinerary further, search for JPVI at scenic.com.au




Fushimi Inari Taisha Temple, Japan

Enrich

Receive a blessing from a monk and learn how to pray in a Buddhist pagoda before partaking in an alms ceremony.

Continue on to Kampong Cham, where you can explore folklore, history and architecture at two renowned temples. Alternatively, explore the traditional village of Koh Pen or visit a rubber plantation factory and betel nut village. Back on board, admire the glorious Cambodian sunset before your farewell dinner with the crew. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 24**Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap** 

Admire the rural side of Cambodia on your drive to the luxurious Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor for your three-night Special Stay. Tonight, enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare. *Meals: B.L*

Day 25**Siem Reap** 

Discover Banteay Srei Temple and visit the Landmine Museum. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap (seasonal), or visit Senteurs d'Angkor workshop to try your hand at producing your own local craft souvenir, or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent). Later in the afternoon, explore Angkor Wat, the largest religious monument in the world. Tonight, shop at the night markets or explore Pub Street.

Meals: B.L

Day 26**Siem Reap** **Enrich**

Marvel at the sunrise over the magnificent Angkor Wat before moving to a special location for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

Visit the instantly recognisable Ta Prohm Temple, before stopping at Angkor Thom and Bayon Temple.

Enrich

Be wowed by an illuminated Gala Dinner and a show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins.

Meals: B.D



Day 27**Siem Reap**

Depart Cambodia, taking with you many wonderful memories.



Meals: B

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Journey code: JPVI  May feature fall colours  May feature cherry blossoms	2025 Oct 12 2026 Apr 05, Oct 11	2025 Nov 09 2026 Mar 08, Nov 08	2026 Mar 22
	Deluxe Suites C/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$31,035	\$31,435	\$31,635
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$32,535	\$32,935	\$33,135
Full Fare	\$33,535	\$33,935	\$34,135
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$33,925	\$34,325	\$34,525
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$35,425	\$35,825	\$36,025
Full Fare	\$36,425	\$36,825	\$37,025
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$36,315	\$36,715	\$36,915
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Traditional one night Japanese Ryokan upgrade in Kyoto from \$925 per person twin share available upon request only.

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Truly all-inclusive Scenic Freechoice excursions



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Whether you prefer an active, moderate, or relaxed pace, you can tailor your days to your passions and interests. This planning guide, in conjunction with the itinerary pages, will assist you in selecting the perfect journey for you.

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-  Local Delicacies
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Scenic Freechoice

JAPAN

Tokyo

Cultural Shinjuku and Gyoen Gardens 🍃

Stroll through Shinjuku-Gyoen Gardens, one of the most beautiful areas for cherry blossoms in Tokyo. Visit Shinjuku's shopping and entertainment districts. 🍃

Meiji Shrine and Shibuya Crossing 🍃

Explore the tranquil evergreen forest of the Meiji Shrine complex, before walking across the busiest pedestrian crossing in the world and seeing the famous Hachiko dog statue in Shibuya. 🍃

Kyoto

Ancient Kyoto

Revel in the atmosphere of Kyoto's ancient preservation districts on the southern Higashiyama walk, strolling through Ishibei Koji, Sannen-zaka and Ninen-zaka lanes. 🍃

Philosopher's Walk

Visit the Silver Pavilion and then stroll along the Philosopher's Walk, one of Kyoto's best known spots for cherry trees, particularly beautiful during blossom season. 🍃

Sendai

Kirin Brewery 🍷

A historical brewery that has been making beer in Sendai since 1923. Discover the special production methods and the secret taste of Kirin Beer during the KIRIN ICHIBAN brewery tour. Taste the malt, touch the hops and smell its aroma. End the tour with a toast. Kampai! 🍃

Sendai City Museum of History and Folklore

Learn all about the history of the Date Clan in the Edo period including viewing the Date Masamune's armour, weaponry and works of art encompassing 400 years of Sendai history. 🍃

Sapporo

Shiroi Koibito Park

Indulge your sweet tooth at Shiroi Koibito Park, a theme park by Ishiya, a local chocolate company. Visit the Chocolate factory, shop and museum where you can try making one of Sapporo's famous souvenirs, the Shiroi Koibito cookie, which consists of two thin butter cookies and a layer of white chocolate in between. 🍃

Sapporo Olympic Museum

Venture to some of the sites of the 1972 Winter Olympics, including taking a ski lift to the Okurayama Observatory which was the ski jump at the games and wander through the museum highlighting Sapporo's Olympic connection, athletes and history. 🍃

Lake Towada

Oirase Lamp Workshop 🍃

Transform Oirase's natural beauty into a working lamp to bring home. At the Oirase Stream Museum use your creative skills and imagination to create your own Moss ball Gour Lamp, a craft specialty of the region. Using a moss gour grown in the waters of the Oirase River as the lampshade, use your own design to hand create the lamp's light pattern. 🍃

Hike along the Oirase River 🍃

For the more active, explore the beauty of Oirase Stream and Gorge up close by venturing along one of the many hikers trails in the area with your Tour Director. You'll see why the stream and the gorge have inspired painters and poets for centuries. 🍃

Fukuoka

Old and New Fukuoka

Visit Maizuru Park and the castle ruins located within, before enjoying the view of the city from the 234 metre tall Fukuoka Tower. 🍃

Kawakudari boat ride and Yanagawa Ohana

Drive to Yanagawa, dubbed the 'Venice of Kyushu' for a cruise along its canals, viewing the old town's culture and history. Stop at Yanagawa Ohana, the villa of the Tachibana family, which ruled Yanagawa from roughly 1600-1868. 🍃

Osaka

Historical Osaka (JPES & JPCL only)

Learn about the history of the area by visiting the Museum of History and Osaka Castle. Originally built in the late 16th century, but due to war and fires has been rebuilt many times. 🍃

Shinsaibashi and Kuromon Mart (JPES & JPCL only)

After catching the Metro, walk through Shinsaibashi shopping avenue, a 600 metre roofed arcade of countless shops. Move to the nearby Kuromon Ichiba Market, known as Osaka's kitchen. An excellent location for strolling, sampling, and snacking on a delicious variety of fresh market foods. 🍃

Kuma Valley

E-bike ride through the valley 🍷

Cycle through the Hidden Valley of Spirits where you embark on an exhilarating adventure through the picturesque countryside. 🍃

Local Cuisine Cooking Adventure 🍷

Discover the art of creating umami (means delicious savoury taste in Japanese) through traditional fermentation with Secchan. An unforgettable experience with a charismatic local chef. 🍃

Beppu

Sand Bath

This unique experience is only possible in Kyushu. For centuries, Japanese have travelled from all over the country to experience the health benefits of the geothermally heated sand. Dressed in a yukata you will be covered in geothermally heated sand (42 °C) on the beach where you listen to the sound of the waves as the warm sand relaxes your muscles. 🍃

Nagai Bamboo Factory

Take part in the whole process from washing, cutting and shaving the bamboo material to make useful bamboo products. 🍃

Nagasaki

Christianity in Japan

Explore the footprint of Christianity left by the European powers through the Oura Catholic Church, the Shrine to the 26 Martyrs and Glover Garden and House. 🍃

Atomic Legacy

Visit Peace Park and the Atomic Bomb Museum and reflect on a tragic and modern notoriety. 🍃

Scenic Freechoice Dining

JAPAN

Kyoto

Junsei Restaurant

Enjoy Japanese Shabu Shabu at this well-known restaurant. Its thatched roof and extensive garden are remnants from the days when this location served as a medical school dating back to 1839 during the shogun era.

Funatsuru

Funatsuru restaurant, a vestige of Kyoto's past, is 'Kyoto-French' fusion. Inspired by local produce, using the freshest Kyoto vegetables and best domestic beef to create a modern cuisine enjoyed in a picturesque setting by Kamogawa River.

Sendai

Local Izakaya

Venture out with your Tour Director for a night of eating and drinking like a Sendai local down the atmospheric back-alleys of Bunka-yokocho and Iroha-yokocho.

Japanese BBQ at Yakiniku Taizan

This restaurant offers the highest quality Sendai beef yakiniku in a stylish restaurant with an open view kitchen.

Takayama

Bistro Kanzo

A French inspired steakhouse located in the centre of town and is known for their creative and impressive dish, 'Hida Beef Hamburger Steak'.

Sakanaya (Max 8 Guests)

A scenic Japanese restaurant set in a renovated former sake brewery. Try shabu shabu, sukiyaki or steak from locally sourced seasonal ingredients.

Restaurant Susaki

Susaki was founded in 1794 (Kansei 6) during the late Edo period. As the oldest restaurant in Gifu Prefecture, three buildings, including the main house, have been designated as Important Cultural Properties by the national government. Enjoy local regional Japanese cuisine focusing on Hida beef in these historic settings at Restaurant Susaki.

Tokyo

Ninja Akasaka

This popular but unusual restaurant has an underlying ninja theme to create a memorable dining experience.

Nobu Tokyo

Part of the famous International chain of Japanese restaurants by Nobu Matsuhisa, this casual but chic restaurant is known for its fusion cuisine blending traditional Japanese dishes with Peruvian ingredients.

Izakaya Nightlife

Sample a Yaki-tori and Kushiyaki dinner over some drinks at small local bars. This is a chance to mingle and dine in a traditional Japanese way.

Kumamoto

Local fare at Yokobachi

With your Tour Director, explore the local nightlife in the surrounding streets and alleyways around Shimotori Arcade with a meal at Yokobachi, an Izakaya restaurant.

Suncielo

Dine at Suncielo, an Italian restaurant that offers authentic courses made with local seasonal ingredients at ANA Crown Plaza Hotel.

*The captivating wonders
of Vietnam, Cambodia & Laos*



Be fascinated by each of these countries' own natural charm. Enjoy enchanting temples in Cambodia, soak up the melting pot of cultures in Vietnam and unwind in the land of mountains and natural beauty in Laos, as you embark on your Scenic journey.



Repairing fishing nets, the Mekong

The most all-inclusive cruise on the Mekong River



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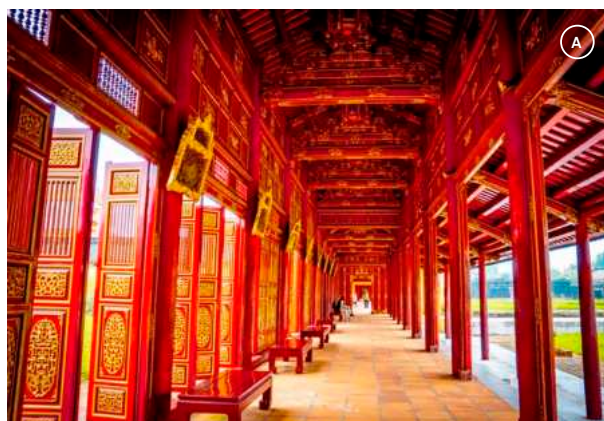
A Imperial City, Hue, Vietnam **B** Scenic Enrich – Angkor Temple Gala Dinner, Cambodia

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Exclusive experiences

When in Siem Reap before or after your Mekong cruise, under the glow of an illuminated temple, the mystical-themed Gala Dinner is exclusively for up to only 68 Scenic guests. Held at Prasat Kravan, a 10th century Angkor Temple in Siem Reap, you'll enjoy a three-course meal of traditional Khmer cuisine with free-flowing drinks and a magical performance from Apsara dancers.



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- 5-star boutique ship experience for only up to 68 guests
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- All meals on board with up to four dining venues, from casual to fine dining
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- Scenic Sunset Drinks – evening drinks in remarkable locations
- Scenic Special Stays – iconic hotels remarkable for their location and heritage
- All internal flights and rail
- Return airport transfers in Asia
- Tipping and gratuities included on board and onshore
- Scenic staffed local offices in region to support your cruise and land touring journey

^All on board beverages are included except for a very small number of fine and vintage wines, Champagnes and spirits on the 7/9 night river cruise. In the event of a deviation some services and inclusions may not be provided in line with these depictions. Please see page 23 for more details.

The Mekong Seasonal Guide



Water lily harvesting, Mekong River, Vietnam

A Flower farm, Sa Dec, Vietnam **B** Tet-Trung-Thu Festival, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam **C** Wet season in Cambodia

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More than a water highway, the mighty Mekong is a life-giving force, flowing through these stunning regions all year round. Our handcrafted itineraries allow you to enjoy the best of every season, each with their own unique delights.

November to April

The 'dry season' is a popular time for river cruising on the Mekong. From December to February, spring flowers are in bloom and the locals are busy trading at the markets. The Vietnamese Lunar New Year, known as Tet Nguyen Dan (or Tet), is the most important time of the year in Vietnam, beginning either in late January or early February. Expect fireworks, pagodas bustling with worshippers, and families gathering in celebration.



May to October

Known as the 'green season', the region's verdant fields are nourished with intermittent monsoonal rain. If you prefer smaller crowds and a more relaxed pace, this is an ideal time of year to join our 9-night Luxury Mekong Cruise which operates towards the end of the green season from July to September. Tet-Trung-Thu (Mid-Autumn Harvest) is also a significant festival for Vietnamese families, especially children.

Drift along the Mekong river during the day and enjoy the vibrant countryside and replenished air that comes with this special time of year.



Rain and shine

For the dry season, expect abundant sunshine, blue skies and little chance of rain. As December to January brings slighter cooler temperatures, cultural and historic treasures can be explored in comfort.

During the green season, the region experiences its main rainfall, but most days you'll likely encounter short downpours in the morning or mid-afternoon, bringing a refreshing respite from the tropical heat. Lush landscapes burst with floral beauty and prominent birdlife, while there are fewer crowds across South East Asia's celebrated landmarks.





Scenic Spirit Lounge

9 Night Ultra-Luxury Mekong Cruise

🕒 10 Day river cruise 📍 Ho Chi Minh City > Siem Reap or Siem Reap > Ho Chi Minh City

🗺️ 12 Freechoice excursions 🎧 1 Scenic Enrich event 🍷 2 Scenic Sunset Drinks



The Mekong in depth

Take a slower journey along the Mekong with 9 nights to discover the history, culture and cuisine of this legendary waterway on board the 5-star Scenic Spirit. This seasonal journey offers less crowds on shore and more time on board so you can enjoy the luxurious amenities. Enjoy a relaxing pace as you cruise past the vibrant countryside each afternoon and anchor at sunset.



Cruise operates July - October and December

Day 01

Ho Chi Minh City >
Mekong Cruise

Welcome to Vietnam and the bustling metropolis of Ho Chi Minh City. Transfer from the airport to the Caravelle Saigon hotel to meet your tour director. Meet your fellow travellers for lunch at an authentic Vietnamese restaurant before setting off to begin your river cruise. A coach will transfer you to My Tho where the elegant, 5-star Scenic Spirit awaits. Start with a cocktail reception hosted by your Cruise Director, then take a stroll around the decks to orient yourself to your new home. After the welcome dinner, settle into your private suite. Your dedicated butler is available at any time and is on hand to deliver a nightcap or your preferred pillow from the menu. A gentle four-hour sail brings you to an anchorage off Cai Be, where the ship will stay overnight. *Meals: L.D*

Day 02

Cai Be 

Start the day with a full gourmet breakfast – complete with champagne – before heading out to explore Cai Be. Choose to travel via sampan to Tan Phong, a small island famed for its rich alluvial soils and leafy orchards that produce tropical fruit all year round. Covering more than 1,000 hectares and surrounded by silted sandbanks and canals, this temperate island has long been a popular eco-tourism destination. Try a hands-on weaving class, transforming water hyacinths into intricate crafts. Take a motorised buggy ride through the orchards to meet the growers and sample fresh fruit, then cruise back to Cai Be to see local cottage industries where families make

rice-paper and sweets from popcorn, pop-rice and coconut. Alternatively, take a sampan to Le Longanier, a French colonial house restaurant, to savour a delicious morning tea. The elegantly dressed staff will welcome you with tea, coffee and a range of local fruit and snacks. Listen to the local band playing music and traditional Vietnamese songs. If you would prefer to enjoy the comforts of your ship, our highly skilled bar team is ready to welcome you to a hands-on cocktail/mocktail making class featuring fresh local ingredients. After your morning activity, head back to the ship for lunch whilst sailing to Sa Dec. Relax and soak in the beauty of the scenery, visit the on board library to read up on future ports, or head to the Scenic Spirit lounge to unwind with fellow guests over a glass of wine. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 03

Sa Dec

This morning, board your sampan once again to explore the lively wet market where you can meet the sellers and marvel at their wares, including live fish, frogs and even snakes. This two-hour exploration will take you deep into the local way of life. You can also see the grand home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le, a Chinese merchant who inspired Marguerite Duras' novel *L'Amant*. Your expert tour director will reveal the secrets behind this passionate tale of tragic love. After returning to the ship, you will sit down for a special show by a lion dance troupe of local performers. Scenic Spirit will then set sail to Tan Chau. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 04

Tan Chau 

You may want to start the day with some exercise in the on board gym, an early morning yoga class or relax your muscles in the sauna. Then set off to discover the areas surrounding Tan Chau.

You could leave the city life behind at Tra Su Bird Sanctuary in Tra Su Forest. Travel by sampan through endless tranquil waterways, flanked by mangroves and lush greenery. This eco reserve spans 850 hectares and is an ecological haven for fauna and flora, home to more than 100 species of waterbirds.

Or experience a traditional way of life on Evergreen Island, joining local farmers for a morning of discovery. Back in Tan Chau, ride in a xe loi, a three-wheeled bicycle rickshaw that was introduced by the French in the 19th century and is a common form of transportation in rural Vietnam. Visit the recently renovated, brightly coloured Cao Dai temple. Caodaism is a new religion, established in 1926 in the southern Vietnamese city of Tây Ninh, and brings together beliefs and practices from Buddhism, Christianity, Taoism and Confucianism. Here, you will learn more about the mix of ideas that form the basis of this fascinating religion.

For your third choice, drive to visit Chau Doc, a major city in the Mekong Delta, and Tay An temple. Set at the foot of Sam Mountain, this elaborate temple is a mixture of Indian and Islamic architecture. Afterwards, board a sampan to visit Vinh Te canal and view life along the riverfront of Chau Doc, before stopping at a family-operated fish farm on your way back to Scenic Spirit.



After lunch on board, set sail to anchor at the border between Vietnam and Cambodia. Make the most of this down time with a visit to the Wellness Centre or Beauty Salon for some well-deserved pampering. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 05

Border Crossing > Phnom Penh 🇰🇲

After clearing the border crossing procedure, the morning is at your leisure. Attend an on board demonstration, enjoy some solitude in the library and observation lounge, or soak in the scenery from your private balcony whilst sailing upstream from the Vietnamese border to Phnom Penh, the capital of Cambodia.

Upon arrival discover the opulence of Phnom Penh's Royal Palace and the famous Silver Pagoda within. Set on the riverfront, this dazzling palace was built in the 1860s and still serves as the official residence of the King of Cambodia.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Later this evening, revel in our Phnom Penh by City Lights tour. You'll get to witness the nightlife of the capital before stopping at a local rum distillery for your exclusive Scenic Sunset Drinks experience, including a private tour and tasting. Meals: B.L.D

Day 06

Phnom Penh 🇰🇲

After breakfast, it will be time to head out and explore Phnom Penh. You can choose to journey to the infamous Killing Fields and take a tour of the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, housed inside a former prison. These sites are a sobering reminder of the terrors unleashed by the Khmer Rouge regime in the 1970s. This moving tour will give you a deeper insight into the tumultuous history of Cambodia and the resilience of its people.

Passionate foodies may like to choose a hands-on cooking class. Take a trip to the bustling market with a local chef to purchase your ingredients, then head back to the kitchen to cook your own lunch, testing out the styles and flavours of Cambodian cuisine.

Alternatively, travel by remork, a local style of tuk tuk, to explore the French architecture and history of Phnom Penh. Finish the tour with shopping at the Central Market, famed for its unique Art Deco design and bright yellow façade.

At the conclusion of your tour, return to Scenic Spirit for lunch. The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure. Before dinner, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 07

Phnom Penh > Oudong > Silk Island 🇰🇲

Board a bus this morning for the short drive to the ancient capital of Cambodia, Oudong. Here, experience the life of the monks and nuns who reside at the peaceful monastery. If you are lucky, you may be able to partake in one of the many festivals and traditional rituals often held here.

After returning to the ship, set sail to the island of Oknha Tey, dedicated to the art of silk weaving. Travel by tuk tuk to the farm, meet the workers and learn about silk production.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Tonight, relax during a sunset cocktail reception on the Sun Deck. Raise a toast with your fellow guests against the last lights of Phnom Penh as the ship sets sail towards Angkor Ban. Meals: B.L.D

Day 08

Angkor Ban

This morning is at leisure. This could be the perfect opportunity to enjoy a swim in the pool with a refreshing cocktail. After lunch, you will call at Angkor Ban, a small settlement where time stands still. Explore its historic wooden houses, which date back over 100 years and survived the destruction of the Khmer Rouge. You can also visit a local class that teaches English to the students alongside their regular lessons. Back on board, learn the many ways to wear a krama, the traditional Cambodian scarf, as the ship sails towards Kampong Cham. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 09

Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham 🇰🇲

Today you can meet the novice monks at Wat Hanchey, an ancient hilltop pagoda and monastery overlooking the Mekong. Walk (or drive) to the top and soak in some of the most spectacular elevated views of the cruise.

Enrich

Receive a traditional blessing from a monk and learn how to pray in a Buddhist pagoda before partaking in an alms ceremony, which contributes to the daily meal of the resident monks.

This afternoon, explore Kampong Cham and its surrounds. Choose to learn about local folklore at Phnom Pros, a mountaintop pagoda that has long been part of a traditional legend. Tragically, in more modern times, the site was used as a Killing Field by the Khmer Rouge. The temple now features a Buddha Garden and is home to a local troop of monkeys. Afterwards, visit Wat Nokor Bachey, a unique architectural experiment that blends an Angkorian era temple with a new temple built inside it. Alternatively, explore Kampong Cham's history and industry with a drive past shop houses, remnants of the French colonial era, and the large Central market. Visit a local rubber plantation established by the French before stopping at a village known for growing betel nut, an important part of Cambodian culture.

Your third option today is a visit to Kho Penh Village. Located on Pen (Bamboo) Island, it's only accessible by local remork after crossing by bamboo bridge or ferry from Kampong Cham. This remote village gives you a fascinating insight into the simple, rural lifestyle of farmers in Cambodia.

Back on board, you will have time to relax and admire the gorgeous sunset over the Cambodian skyline before your engaging farewell dinner with the crew. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 10

Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap

Today we journey to Siem Reap, with stops at the picturesque riverside town of Kampong Tom and the Angkorian bridge in Kampong Kdei, built in the 12th century. Your cruise arrangements end upon arrival in Siem Reap. *Meals: B*

Upstream option is shown. Cruise also operates in reverse direction from Siem Reap to Ho Chi Minh City.



Traditional market, Vietnam

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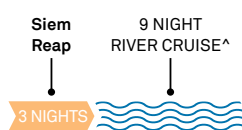
13 Day Temple Discovery & Luxury Mekong

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15 Day Treasures of the Mekong

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20 Day Highlights of Vietnam, Cambodia & Luxury Mekong

Journey Code: VIH.19

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24 Day Essence of Cambodia, Vietnam & Luxury Mekong

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7 Night Ultra-Luxury Mekong Cruise

🕒 8 Day river cruise 📍 Ho Chi Minh City > Siem Reap or Siem Reap > Ho Chi Minh City

🎯 12 Freechoice excursions 📍 1 Scenic Enrich event 🍷 2 Scenic Sunset Drinks



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Cruise operates January-May and October-November

Day 01

Ho Chi Minh City >
Mekong Cruise

Welcome to Vietnam and the bustling metropolis of Ho Chi Minh City. Transfer from the airport to the Caravelle Saigon hotel to meet your tour director. Meet your fellow travellers for lunch at an authentic Vietnamese restaurant before setting off to begin your river cruise. A coach will transfer you to My Tho where the elegant, 5-star Scenic Spirit awaits. Start with a cocktail reception hosted by your Cruise Director, then take a stroll around the decks to orient yourself to your new home. After the welcome dinner, settle into your private suite. Your dedicated butler is available at any time and is on hand to deliver a nightcap or your preferred pillow from the menu. A gentle four-hour sail brings you to an anchorage off Cai Be, where the ship will stay overnight. *Meals: L.D*

Day 02

Cai Be > Sa Dec 

Start the day with a full gourmet breakfast – complete with champagne – before heading out to explore Cai Be. Choose to travel via sampan to Tan Phong, a small island famed for its rich alluvial soils and leafy orchards that produce tropical fruit all year round. Covering more than 1,000 hectares and surrounded by silted sandbanks and canals, this temperate island has long been a popular eco-tourism destination. Try a hands-on weaving class, transforming water hyacinths into intricate crafts. Take a motorised buggy ride through the orchards to meet the growers and sample fresh fruit, then cruise back to Cai Be to see local cottage industries where families make

rice-paper and sweets from popcorn, pop-rice and coconut. Alternatively, take a sampan to Le Longanier, a French colonial house restaurant, to savour a delicious morning tea. The elegantly dressed staff will welcome you with tea, coffee and a range of local fruit and snacks. Listen to the local band playing music and traditional Vietnamese songs. If you would prefer to enjoy the comforts of your ship, our highly skilled bar team is ready to welcome you to a hands-on cocktail/mocktail making class featuring fresh local ingredients. After your morning activity, head back to the ship for lunch whilst sailing to Sa Dec. Relax and soak in the beauty of the scenery, visit the on board library to read up on future ports, or head to the Scenic Spirit lounge to unwind with fellow guests over a glass of wine. When you arrive in Sa Dec, board your sampan once again to explore the lively wet market where you can meet the sellers and marvel at their wares, including live fish, frogs and even snakes. This two-hour exploration will take you deep into the local way of life. You can also see the grand home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le, a Chinese merchant who inspired Marguerite Duras' novel *L'Amant*. Your expert guide will reveal the secrets behind this passionate tale of tragic love. After returning to the ship you will sit down for a special show by a lion dance troupe of local performers. Scenic Spirit will then set sail to Tan Chau. After dinner, retire to your suite and be lulled to sleep by the gentle motion of the river. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 03

Tan Chau > Border Crossing 

You may want to start the day with some exercise in the on board gym, an early morning yoga class or relax your muscles in the sauna. Then set off to discover the areas surrounding Tan Chau.

You could leave the city life behind at Tra Su Bird Sanctuary in Tra Su Forest. Travel by sampan through endless tranquil waterways, flanked by mangroves and lush greenery. This eco reserve spans 850 hectares and is an ecological haven for fauna and flora, home to more than 100 species of waterbirds.

Or experience a traditional way of life on Evergreen Island, joining local farmers for a morning of discovery. Back in Tan Chau, ride in a xe loi, a three-wheeled bicycle rickshaw that was introduced by the French in the 19th century and is a common form of transportation in rural Vietnam. Visit the recently renovated, brightly coloured Cao Dai temple. Caodaism is a new religion, established in 1926 in the southern Vietnamese city of Tây Ninh, and brings together beliefs and practices from Buddhism, Christianity, Taoism and Confucianism. Here, you will learn more about the mix of ideas that form the basis of this fascinating religion.

For your third choice, drive to Chau Doc, a major city in the Mekong Delta, and Tay An temple. Set at the foot of Sam Mountain, this elaborate temple is a mixture of Indian and Islamic architecture. Afterwards, board a sampan to visit Vinh Te canal and view life along the riverfront of Chau Doc, before stopping at a family-operated fish farm on your way back to Scenic Spirit.



Royal Palace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

After lunch on board, set sail for the border between Vietnam and Cambodia. Make the most of this down time with a visit to the Wellness Centre or Beauty Salon for some well-deserved pampering. Then bid farewell to Vietnam and settle in for an overnight sail towards Phnom Penh. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 04

Phnom Penh 🌿 🏰

Welcome to Cambodia. Scenic Spirit will arrive in the capital, Phnom Penh, early this morning. Be immersed in Cambodia's rich culture, from its unique food and welcoming people to the remarkable temples that have stood for over a thousand years. After breakfast, it will be time to head out and explore the city.

You can choose to journey to the infamous Killing Fields and take a tour of the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, housed inside a former prison. These sites are a sobering reminder of the terrors unleashed by the Khmer Rouge regime in the 1970s. This moving tour will give you a deeper insight into the tumultuous history of Cambodia and the resilience of its people.

Passionate foodies may like to choose a hands-on cooking class. Take a trip to the bustling market with a local chef to purchase your ingredients, then head back to the kitchen to cook your own lunch, testing out the styles and flavours of Cambodian cuisine.

Alternatively, travel by remork, a local style of tuk tuk, to explore the French architecture and history of Phnom Penh. Finish the tour with shopping at the Central Market, famed for its unique Art Deco design and bright yellow façade.

At the conclusion of your tour, return to Scenic Spirit for lunch. The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Later this evening, revel in our Phnom Penh by City Lights tour. You'll get to witness the nightlife of the capital before stopping at a local rum distillery for your exclusive Scenic Sunset Drinks experience, including a private tour and tasting. Meals: B.L.D

Day 05

Phnom Penh > Oudong 🏰

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After you return to the city, discover the opulence of Phnom Penh's Royal Palace and the famous Silver Pagoda within. Set on the riverfront, this dazzling palace was built in the 1860s and still serves as the official residence of the King of Cambodia. After returning to the ship and before setting sail, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Raise a toast with your fellow guests against the twinkling lights of Phnom Penh as the ship sets sail towards Oknha Tey. Meals: B.L.D

Day 06

Silk Island > Angkor Ban

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Day 07

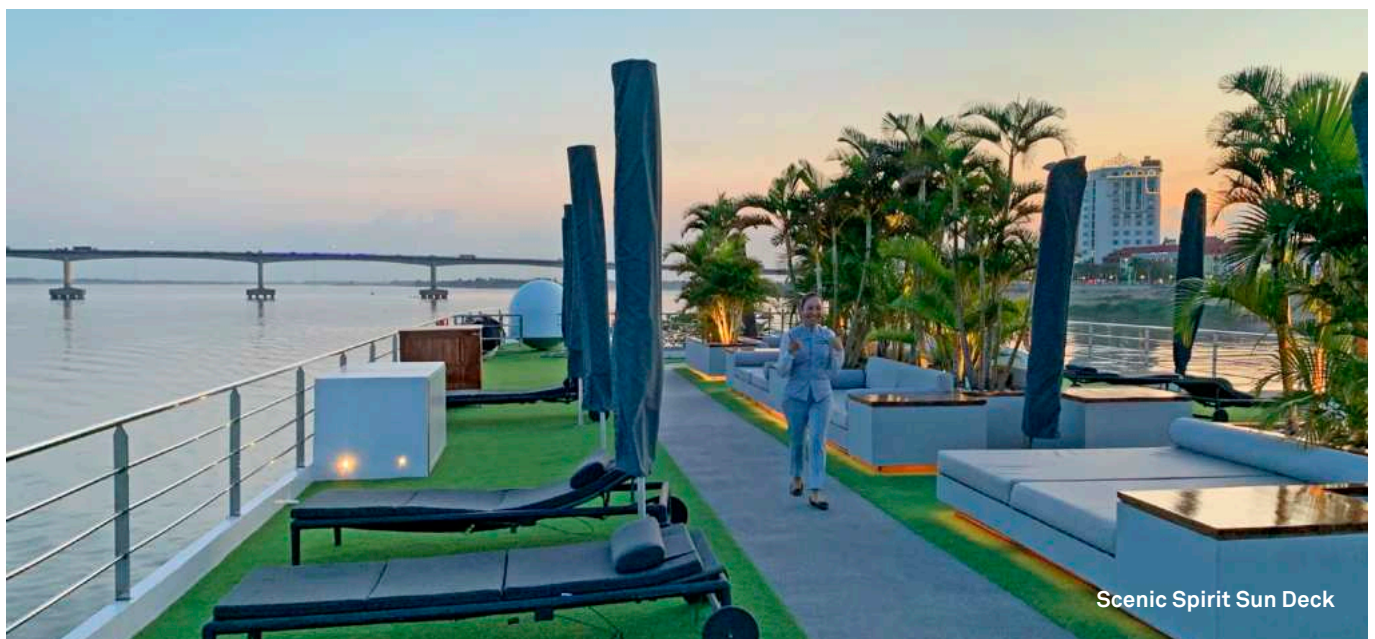
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Scenic Spirit Sun Deck

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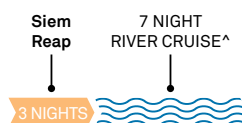
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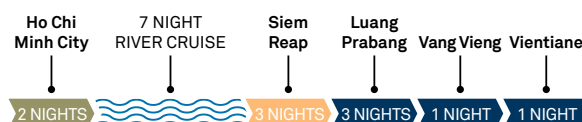
13 Day Treasures of the Mekong

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16/18 Day Journey along the Mekong

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18 Day Highlights of Vietnam, Cambodia & Luxury Mekong

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Journey Code: VIH.2
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22 Day Essence of Cambodia, Vietnam & Luxury Mekong

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23 Day Indochina Explorer & Luxury Mekong Cruise NEW

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25/27 Day Grand Indochina & Luxury Mekong

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Discover Ho Chi Minh City, the Mekong Delta & Siem Reap



Angkor temples, Siem Reap, Cambodia

A Cu Chi Tunnels, Vietnam **B** Mekong Delta, Vietnam **C** Angkor Wat, Cambodia

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From bustling Ho Chi Minh City to quaint riverside villages in the Mekong Delta, be immersed in Vietnam's compelling history and the fascinating culture and beauty of Cambodia's Siem Reap.

Delights of Ho Chi Minh City

One of Asia's most dynamic hubs, Ho Chi Minh City is a vibrant blend of innovation, traditional Vietnamese philosophy and colonial French influence. Take to the eternally bustling streets on a Vespa foodie tour and explore the lively nightlife and delicious street food like a local, learn about the vast network of Cu Chi tunnels hidden underground or reflect on the country's past during a visit to the War Memorial and Reunification Palace.



Flavours of the Mekong

The Mekong Delta is Vietnam's major source of rice and fish production, earning it the title of the nation's 'rice bowl'. As you drift along the winding Mekong and Tonlé rivers, you'll have the chance to view the waterside way of life up close. Wander through flourishing rice and fruit farms and discover hidden villages and towns before returning to the comfort and luxury of Scenic Spirit.



Gateway to Angkor Wat

Journey to the World Heritage-listed temples and ancient hydraulic systems of Angkor via the resort city of Siem Reap, the second largest in Cambodia. Even today, the scores of temples and relics whisper secrets of the once-imposing Khmer Kingdom. Let the sunrise at Angkor Wat take your breath away before enjoying a champagne breakfast at a secluded temple.





Rice field, Vietnam

Luxury Mekong & Temple Discovery Cruise

🕒 11/13 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Ho Chi Minh City > Siem Reap



Mekong magnificence

From the flavour and culture of Vietnam to the colour and history of Cambodia, your senses will be charmed as you cruise along the Mekong. Spend time in Siem Reap, home to the magnificent temples of Angkor that still today whisper secrets of the once-imposing Khmer Kingdom.

- Day 01 Ho Chi Minh City > 7 Night Mekong Cruise
- Day 02 Cai Be > Sa Dec 🏰
- Day 03 Tan Chau 🏰
- Day 04 Tan Chau > Phnom Penh 🏰 🌊
- Day 05 Phnom Penh > Oudong 🌊
- Day 06 Silk Island > Angkor Ban
- Day 07 Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham 📍 🏰
- Day 08 Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap 📍 🏰
- Day 09-11 Siem Reap 📍 🏰

2025-2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

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	2026 Jul 21 Aug 08 26 Sep 13 Dec 08 26		
Deluxe Suites C/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$3,500 Saving*	\$7,385	\$8,285	\$9,385
Earlybird incl \$500 Saving*	\$10,385	\$9,285	\$10,385
Full Fare	\$10,885	\$9,785	\$10,885
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$3,500 Saving*	\$10,275	\$11,175	\$12,275
Earlybird incl \$500 Saving*	\$13,275	\$12,175	\$13,275
Full Fare	\$13,775	\$12,675	\$13,775
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$3,500 Saving*	\$12,665	\$13,565	\$14,665
Earlybird incl \$500 Saving*	\$15,665	\$14,565	\$15,665
Full Fare	\$16,165	\$15,065	\$16,165

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Days 01-08

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Wat Hanchey, Cambodia

Temple Discovery & Luxury Mekong Cruise

🕒 11/13 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Siem Reap > Ho Chi Minh City



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Full Fare	\$13,775	\$12,675	\$13,775
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Captivating charm

Embark on a journey of contrasts as you gain a deeper understanding of Cambodia's and Vietnam's histories and be charmed by the welcoming locals. Sit back and watch the world glide by – the perfect way to enjoy the captivating sights and sounds of the Mekong.

- Day 01-03 Siem Reap 📍 🏰 🌿
- Day 04 Siem Reap > 7 Night Mekong Cruise
- Day 05 Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham 🏰
- Day 06 Angkor Ban > Silk Island > Phnom Penh 📍 🌿
- Day 07 Phnom Penh 🌿 🌿
- Day 08 Phnom Penh > Tan Chau
- Day 09 Tan Chau 🌿
- Day 10 Sa Dec > Cai Be 🌿
- Day 11 Mekong Cruise > Ho Chi Minh City

Days 04-11 🌊

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Royal Palace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Treasures of the Mekong

🕒 13/15 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Ho Chi Minh City > Siem Reap



Inspired by temples and traditions

Breathe in the essence of South East Asia during this enchanting journey from Ho Chi Minh City to Siem Reap, from the ancient hilltop pagoda of Wat Hanchey to the famous Silver Pagoda in Phnom Penh.

- Day 01-02 Ho Chi Minh City 🏰
- Day 03 Ho Chi Minh City > 7 Night Mekong Cruise
- Day 04 Cai Be > Sa Dec 🏰
- Day 05 Tan Chau 🏰
- Day 06 Tan Chau > Phnom Penh 🏰 🌊
- Day 07 Phnom Penh > Oudong
- Day 08 Silk Island > Angkor Ban 🌊
- Day 09 Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham 🏰 🏰
- Day 10 Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap 🏰
- Day 11-13 Siem Reap 🏰 🏰

2025-2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

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Full Fare	\$17,175	\$16,075	\$16,075	\$17,175	\$17,175	\$17,175

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Days 03-10 🌊

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Angkor Thom, Cambodia

Treasures of the Mekong

🕒 13/15 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Siem Reap > Ho Chi Minh City



A waterway unlike any other

Marvel at the 12th century masterpiece of Angkor Wat, before embarking on your cruise. Along the way take in the wonders of Phnom Penh, discover the historic towns of Tan Chau and Sa Dec before winding your way to lively Ho Chi Minh City.

Day 01-03 Siem Reap 📍 🏛️ 🌿

Day 04 Siem Reap >
7 Night Mekong Cruise

Day 05 Wat Hanchey >
Kampong Cham 🌿

Day 06 Angkor Ban > Silk Island >
Phnom Penh 📍 🌿

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Journey code: VIMS.2/29 7 night cruise date ■ 9 night cruise date	2025	2025	2025
	Jul 20, Aug 08, 25 Sep 12, 30, Dec 15	Oct 18, Nov 29 2026	Nov 01, 15 2026
	2026	2026	2026
	Jul 27, Aug 14 Sep 01, Dec 14	Jan 03, Apr 25, May 09, Sep 19, Oct 03, 17, Nov 28	Jan 17, 31, Feb 14, 28, Mar 14, 28, Apr 11, Oct 31, Nov 14
Deluxe Suites C/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$7,395	\$8,295	\$9,395
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$10,895	\$9,795	\$10,895
Full Fare	\$11,895	\$10,795	\$11,895
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$10,285	\$11,185	\$12,285
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$13,785	\$12,685	\$13,785
Full Fare	\$14,785	\$13,685	\$14,785
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$12,675	\$13,575	\$14,675
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$16,175	\$15,075	\$16,175
Full Fare	\$17,175	\$16,075	\$17,175

■ 9 Night Cruise: VIMS.29. *Super EarlyBird Offer: Full payment is due 10 months prior to departure. If booking within 10 months of departure, if the Super Earlybird is available, full payment is due within 30 days of booking. Offers are subject to availability. Deposit per person (required within 7 days of booking): \$1,000. All prices are per person, twin share in AUD and include taxes and charges. Single supplement on application. For full terms and conditions please refer to pages 118-123. For details of our suite categories and deck plans, see pages 124-129.

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Discover Halong Bay, Hanoi, Hue and Hoi An



Hoi An, Vietnam

- A** The new Bhaya Soul, Halong Bay, Vietnam **B** Scenic Enrich – Water Puppets, Hanoi, Vietnam **C** Meridian Gate, Hue, Vietnam

For more information visit scenic.com.au/river/vietnam-cambodia-laos

Experience the breathtaking beauty of Halong Bay, explore the tranquil cities of Hue and Hoi An and be immersed in Hanoi's vibrant culture, from its French colonial architecture to its bustling markets and captivating Water Puppet Show.

Enter the 'Bay of Dragons'

Halong, or 'descending dragon' is a magnificent seascape of lush limestone islands, isles and karsts sprinkled across brilliant emerald waters. Scenic and Bhaya Cruises have partnered to present Halong Bay in ultra-luxury. Discover the 'Bay of Dragons' on the brand new Bhaya Soul, an elegant 20-cabin ship mindfully crafted for unrivalled comfort.



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Hello Hanoi

Vietnam's sparkling and atmospheric capital is known for its French colonial buildings, laid-back pace and compact bars and restaurants. From watching the endearing Water Puppet Show and visiting the Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum to wandering the shore of the Red River and whizzing through night food markets on a Vespa, Hanoi is bursting with must-see experiences.



Hoi An and Hue

For a quiet and relaxing break in Vietnam, segue into the old cities of Hue and Hoi An and their many World Heritage sites. Vietnam's former capital, Hue is known for its Perfume River, ancient palace and mausoleums of the Imperial dynasties. In Hoi An, the blend of Japanese, Chinese and Vietnamese old-world architecture is as beautiful as it is historic. Shop Hoi An's famous tailors, relax along its charming riverbanks and take a late-night stroll through streets lit with old fashioned lanterns.





Bayon Temple, Cambodia

Highlights of Vietnam, Cambodia & Luxury Mekong



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Ancient wonders and vibrant cities

This unforgettable journey will immerse you in the essence of Vietnam and Cambodia. Begin in Hanoi, a city that blends modernity with deep historical roots. Weave through the World Heritage-listed Halong Bay. Cruise the Mekong on the ultra-luxury Scenic Spirit, engaging with villagers and monks. Contrast this with the vibrant energy of Ho Chi Minh City.

To explore this itinerary further, search for VIHH at [scenic.com.au](https://www.scenic.com.au)

Day 01

Hanoi 🏰

Welcome to Vietnam. Enjoy the day at leisure and settle into a two-night Special Stay at Sofitel Legend Metropole. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Hanoi 🏰🏠

Choose to visit the History Museum and Hoa Lo Prison, or the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community. Alternatively, explore the Ho Chi Minh Quarter and his Mausoleum, including a visit to the Temple of Literature. Enjoy a 'green' electric car tour through the old quarter.

Enrich

Enjoy a Hanoi Water Puppet performance and unlock its secrets with a special backstage pass. *Meals: B.D*

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise

Embark on a two-night cruise on board the new luxurious Bhaya Soul. Enjoy an awe-inspiring journey through the picturesque waters of Halong Bay, a spectacular World Heritage-listed icon.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 🏰

Start your day with a Tai Chi lesson. Cruising deeper into the National Park, try some kayaking, explore a cave and discover Cat Ba Island.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting framed by the Karst Islands at sunset. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise >

Hanoi 🏰🏰

Relax during your morning cruise before travelling back to Hanoi for a Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole and undertake a historical bunker tour at the hotel. Tonight, enjoy a Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter or dine at the La Terrace at Sofitel. Alternatively, indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Hanoi > Ho Chi Minh City

After a morning at leisure, fly to Ho Chi Minh City. Relax for the next two nights at the Caravelle Hotel Saigon. *Meals: B.D*

Day 07

Ho Chi Minh City 🏰🏰

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels and learn about the underground labyrinth of

wartime passageways. Return to the city for a Pho lunch with the remainder of the afternoon at leisure. Tonight, choose from a Vespa street food tour of Saigon, dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, experience the street food and bars of Saigon on a Vintage Jeep tour or dine at Buffet 19 in your hotel.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 08

Ho Chi Minh City > Mekong Cruise

Discover Vietnam's modern history through a visit to the Reunification Palace and War Museum. Travel to My Tho to board the ultra-luxury Scenic Spirit. *Meals: B.L.D*

Days 09-14/16 🌊

7/9 Night Luxury Mekong River Cruise



Choose to cruise the Mekong River on a seven or nine-night cruise. Refer to the full seven-night cruise itinerary on pages 62-65 and the full nine-night cruise itinerary on pages 58-61.

Day 15/17

Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap 🏰

Discover the rural side of Cambodia on your drive to the Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor, your three-night Special Stay. Tonight, enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare.

Meals: B.L

Day 16/18

Siem Reap 🏰

Discover Banteay Srei Temple and visit the Landmine Museum or visit Senteurs d'Angkor workshop to try your hand at producing your own local craft souvenir. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap (seasonal) or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent). Later in the afternoon, explore Angkor Wat, the largest religious monument in the world. *Meals: B.L*

Day 17/19

Siem Reap 🏰

Enrich

Marvel at the sunrise over the magnificent Angkor Wat before moving to a special location for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

After breakfast, you'll visit the jungle-covered Ta Prohm Temple before stopping at Angkor Thom and the Bayon Temple. The remainder of the afternoon is at your leisure.

Enrich

At night, enjoy a Gala Dinner with included drinks and a show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins. *Meals: B.D*

Day 18/20

Siem Reap

Depart Cambodia, taking many wonderful memories with you. *Meals: B*

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2025-2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

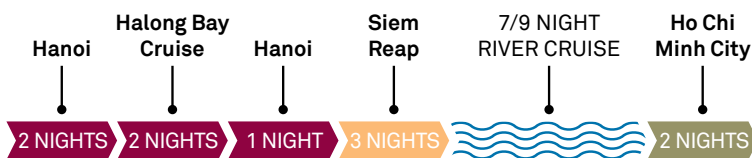
Journey code: VIHH.1/19 7 night cruise date ■ 9 night cruise date	2025 Aug 12 Sep 17 Dec 02 2026 Jul 14 Aug 19 Dec 01		2026 Apr 28, Sep 22	2025 Oct 21, Nov 04, 18 2026 Jan 20, Feb 03, Mar 03, 17, 31, Oct 20, Nov 03, 17
	From	From	From	From
Deluxe Suites c/CA/BA/BB/B/A				
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$11,875	\$12,775	\$13,875	\$13,875
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$15,375	\$14,275	\$15,375	\$15,375
Full Fare	\$16,375	\$15,275	\$16,375	\$16,375
Grand Deluxe RD				
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$14,765	\$15,665	\$16,765	\$16,765
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$18,265	\$17,165	\$18,265	\$18,265
Full Fare	\$19,265	\$18,165	\$19,265	\$19,265
Royal Panorama RS				
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$17,155	\$18,055	\$19,155	\$19,155
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$20,655	\$19,555	\$20,655	\$20,655
Full Fare	\$21,655	\$20,555	\$21,655	\$21,655

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Mekong Delta, Vietnam

Highlights of Vietnam, Cambodia & Luxury Mekong



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The essence of South East Asia

Sail into Halong Bay and explore Hanoi's hidden food spots on a vintage Vespa. Experience the magnificence of ancient Angkor temples with exclusive Scenic Enrich events. Cruise the Mekong on the ultra-luxury Scenic Spirit, engaging with villagers and soaking in the colourful local life. Enjoy the vibrant energy and rich history of Ho Chi Minh City, leaving lasting memories.



To explore this itinerary further, search for VIHH at scenic.com.au

Day 01

Hanoi 

Welcome to Vietnam. Settle into a two-night Special Stay at Sofitel Legend Metropole. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Hanoi  

Choose to visit the History Museum and Hoa Lo Prison, or the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community. Alternatively, explore the Ho Chi Minh Quarter and his Mausoleum, including a visit to the Temple of Literature. Enjoy a 'green' electric car tour through the old quarter.

Enrich

Enjoy a Hanoi Water Puppet performance and unlock its secrets with a special backstage pass. Meals: B.D

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise

Embark on a two-night cruise on board the new luxurious Bhaya Soul. Enjoy an awe-inspiring journey through the picturesque waters of Halong Bay, a spectacular World Heritage-listed icon. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 

Start your day with a Tai Chi lesson. Cruising deeper into the National Park, try some kayaking, explore a cave and discover Cat Ba Island.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting framed by the Karst Islands at sunset. Meals: B.L.D

Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise > Hanoi  

Relax during your morning cruise before travelling back to Hanoi for a Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole and undertake a historical bunker tour at the hotel. Tonight, enjoy a Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter or dine at the La Terrace at Sofitel. Alternatively, indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Hanoi > Siem Reap 

Fly to Siem Reap. Relax for the next three nights at the Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor. *Meals: B*

Day 07

Siem Reap 

Discover Banteay Srei Temple and visit the Landmine Museum. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap (seasonal), visit the Satcha Cambodian Handicraft Incubation Centre or take a tethered

balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent). Later in the afternoon, explore Angkor Wat, the largest religious monument in the world. Tonight, enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare. *Meals: B.L*

Day 08

Siem Reap **Enrich**

Marvel at sunrise over magnificent Angkor Wat before a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by an NGO-supported local bakery school. After breakfast, you'll visit the jungle-covered Ta Prohm Temple before stopping at Angkor Thom and the Bayon Temple. Afternoon is at leisure.

Enrich

At night, enjoy a Gala Dinner with included drinks and a show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins. Meals: B.D

Day 09

Siem Reap > Mekong Cruise

Discover the rural side of Cambodia as you're transferred to Kampong Cham, where the ultra-luxury Scenic Spirit awaits. *Meals: B.L.D*

Days 10-15/17 

7/9 Night Luxury

Mekong River Cruise



Choose to cruise the Mekong River on a seven or nine-night cruise. Refer to the full seven-night cruise itinerary on pages 62-65 and the full nine-night cruise itinerary on pages 58-61.

Day 16/18

Mekong Cruise >

Ho Chi Minh City 

Bid farewell to the Scenic Spirit crew before being transferred to Ho Chi Minh City. Upon arrival, visit the War Museum before checking in at the historic Caravelle Hotel Saigon for a two-night stay. Tonight, choose from a Vespa street food tour of Saigon, dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community or experience the street food and bars of Saigon on a Vintage Jeep tour. Alternatively, dine at Mandarine Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court or dine at Buffet 19 in your hotel. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 17/19

Ho Chi Minh City

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels and learn about the underground labyrinth of wartime passageways. Return to the city for a Pho lunch with the remainder of the afternoon at leisure. Tonight, enjoy a delicious farewell dinner. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 18/20

Ho Chi Minh City

Depart after breakfast, taking many wonderful memories with you. *Meals: B*


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Extend your journey

Add a Sapa extension before the start of this itinerary.

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Journey code: VIH.H.2./29 7 night cruise date  9 night cruise date	2025 Jul 15 Sep 07 2026	2025 Oct 13, Nov 24 2026 May 04, Sep 14, Oct 12, Nov 23	2026 Jan 26, Feb 09, Mar 09, Apr 06
	Jul 22 Aug 27		
Deluxe Suites C/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$11,875	\$12,775	\$13,875
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$15,375	\$14,275	\$15,375
Full Fare	\$16,375	\$15,275	\$16,375
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$14,765	\$15,665	\$16,765
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Full Fare	\$19,265	\$18,165	\$19,265
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$17,155	\$18,055	\$19,155
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Full Fare	\$21,655	\$20,555	\$21,655

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Temple of Literature, Hanoi, Vietnam

Essence of Vietnam, Cambodia & Luxury Mekong Cruise



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📍 5 Scenic Enrich events 🏠 2 Scenic Special Stays 🌅 4 Scenic Sunset Drinks




A sensory celebration

Celebrate the cultural and geographic diversity of Vietnam and Cambodia on a rich and rewarding journey by land and river. Marvel at the jagged rocks and emerald waters of Halong Bay, uncover the ancient history of Hue, and be charmed by Hoi An's treasures. Enjoy a luxurious cruise along the Mekong on board Scenic Spirit before witnessing a captivating sunrise at Angkor Wat.



To explore this itinerary further, search for VIMC at scenic.com.au

Day 01

Hanoi 

Welcome to Hanoi, the charismatic and captivating capital of Vietnam. Settle into a two-night Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole, an icon of the city that dates back to 1901. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Hanoi  

Today, you can explore the city and uncover its fascinating stories. Choose to visit the History Museum and Hoa Lo Prison, which was nicknamed the 'Hanoi Hilton' by American POWs. Or visit the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community on the banks of the Red River. Alternatively, explore Ho Chi Minh Quarter, including a visit to the Mausoleum of its eponymous President and the Temple of Literature. Then enjoy a 'green' electric car tour through the old quarter.

Enrich

Attend a performance of Hanoi's famous Water Puppets and learn their secrets with a special backstage pass. Meals: B.D

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise

Set out this morning for Halong Bay, driving through the picturesque farming country of the Red River Delta. Halong Bay is a true natural wonder famed for its emerald green waters and the thousands of limestone karsts that rise dramatically from it. Board the new luxurious Bhaya Soul vessel for a two-night cruise through this World Heritage-listed icon.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 

Today you'll cruise deeper into the National Park, discovering some of the more than 1,000 picturesque islands that dot its secluded bays. You'll have the opportunity to kayak through a cave system and explore Cat Ba Island, the largest in Halong Bay, by bicycle.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting against the backdrop of the Karst Islands at sunset.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise > Hanoi  

Enjoy a final relaxed morning of cruising before you return to Hanoi for another Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole. This afternoon, enjoy a guided tour of this historic hotel including a visit to the wartime bunker. In the evening, you can set out on an amazing Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter or dine at La Terrace restaurant at your hotel. Alternatively, indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 06

Hanoi > Hoi An 

Fly to Da Nang, in the centre of Vietnam, and continue by road to the ancient city of Hoi An. Here you'll check in for a three-night stay at Almanity Hoi An Wellness Resort. This leafy oasis is close to the city's famed Old Town and has a philosophy of holistic wellness,

which includes an indulgent daily spa journey during your stay. Tonight dine on Vietnamese street food style dishes at Morning Glory Signature Restaurant or choose Mango Mango Restaurant nestled in the heart of Hoi An's Ancient Town. Alternatively, nestled amongst the surrounding farmland, dine overlooking fields of rice paddies in a cosy and romantic setting whilst enjoying traditional Vietnamese and fusion cuisine at The Field Hoi An Restaurant and Bar. *Meals: B.D*

Day 07

Hoi An 

Step back in time on a walking tour of Hoi An's World Heritage-listed Old Quarter, including the 15th century Central Market. This beautifully-preserved part of the city is home to grand houses, colourful pagodas and charming bridges, with vibrant bursts of green vines, hanging flowers and paper lanterns. Then try some local street food, including famous local dishes like banh mi baguettes, cao lau noodles, banh xeo crispy pancakes and white rose dumplings.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Relax at a reception in the Blue Bar with included beer and wine. Meals: B.L

Day 08

Hoi An 

Today you will have more time to explore the city and surrounding regions. Choose to visit the ancient temple ruins of My Son, dating back to the 4th century, or try lantern making at Reaching Out, a local NGO. Alternatively, enjoy a short



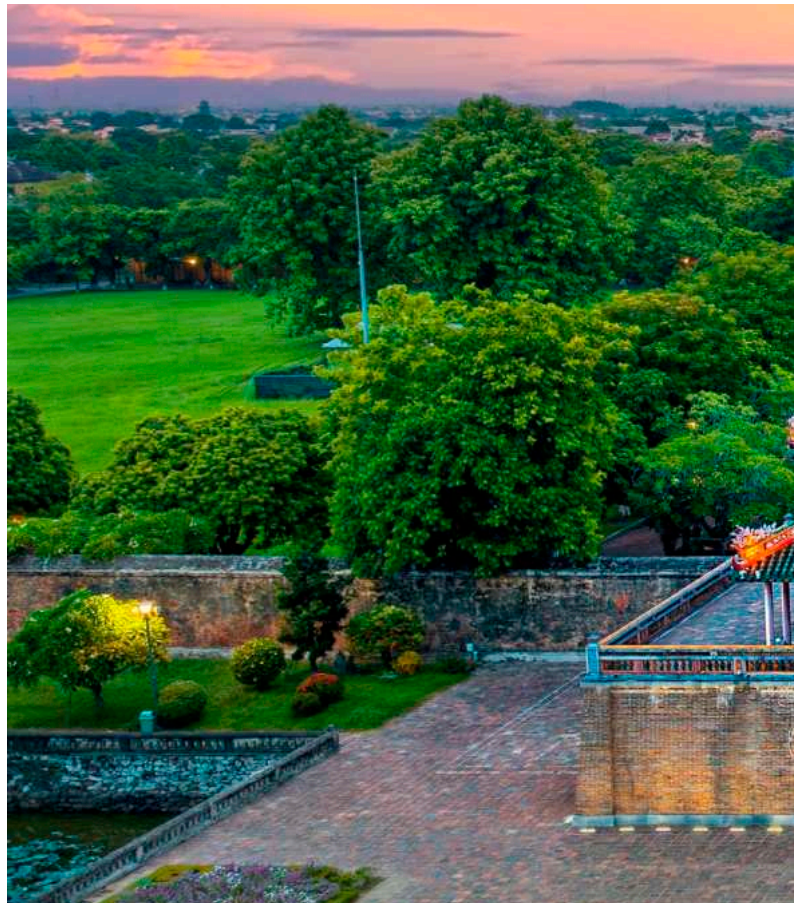
Banteay Srei Temple, Cambodia



Scenic Enrich – Champagne breakfast, Siem Reap, Cambodia




Mekong Delta, Vietnam



cycle to a village to cast a net with local fishermen or cycle to Tra Que Village to admire the vegetable gardens and prepare fresh 'tam huu' spring rolls.

Meals: B.L

Day 09

Hoi An > Hue 

Travel via the stunning Hai Van Pass, one of the most famous roads in Vietnam, to Hue, the former Imperial capital. Visit Duc Son Pagoda and meet nuns who run a local orphanage. Then enjoy a cyclo ride to the Imperial Citadel, Vietnam's version of the Forbidden City in Beijing. Wander through this imposing World Heritage site before checking into the Senna Hotel, your home for the night.

Enrich

This evening's Royal Dinner is held in a traditional private garden house accompanied by Hue Royal Court music.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 10

Hue > Ho Chi Minh City

This morning, visit the imposing Mausoleum of Emperor Tu Duc, one of the many tombs of past Emperors located in Hue. Fly to Ho Chi Minh City for a two-night stay at the Caravelle Saigon, a luxurious property in the heart of the city. Before dinner, take a leisurely guided walk of nearby historic sites including the Opera House and Notre Dame Cathedral. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 11

Ho Chi Minh City 

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an underground labyrinth of wartime passageways that stretch from the Saigon River as far as the Cambodian border. Learn about their fascinating history and the important role they played in the Vietnam War, sheltering Viet Cong soldiers for months on end. Return to the city for lunch at an authentic Pho restaurant and enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Tonight, set out on a unique tandem Vespa street food tour of Saigon where you'll sample beloved local dishes. Alternatively, you can dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, or dine at Mandarin Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court. Other choices include a vintage Jeep tour or the hotel's Buffet 19. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 12

Ho Chi Minh City > Mekong Cruise

This morning, visit the Reunification Palace, a striking 1960s building that was the site of the infamous Fall of Saigon in 1975, and the fascinating War Remnants Museum. Then travel by coach to My Tho to board the luxurious Scenic Spirit. **Meals: B.L.D**

Days 13-18/20 

7/9 Night Luxury Mekong River Cruise



Choose to cruise the Mekong River on a seven or nine-night cruise. Refer to the full seven-night cruise itinerary on pages 62-65 and the full nine-night cruise itinerary on pages 58-61.

Day 19/21

Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap 

Your five-star river cruise comes to an end this morning. Stop at Kampong Tom and the Angkorian bridge in Kampong Kdei on your way to the historic Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor in Siem Reap for a three-night Special Stay. This iconic 1930s Art Deco property has been a favourite of royalty and celebrities for almost a century. Later tonight enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare. This visually captivating show is more than just a circus; it's a valuable social enterprise that provides training and employment to underprivileged youth. **Meals: B.L**

To explore this itinerary further, search for VIMC at scenic.com.au



Meridian Gate, Imperial Citadel, Hue, Vietnam


Day 20/22

Siem Reap 

Today, discover Siem Reap, the gateway to the legendary Angkor Wat. Choose to explore the 10th century Banteay Srei Temple and the Landmine Museum or visit Senteurs d'Angkor workshop to produce your own souvenir with local artisans. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap Lake (seasonal) or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent). Later, visit the spectacular temple complex of Angkor Wat, the largest religious structure in the world, before visiting a Lotus Flower workshop.

Meals: B.L

Day 21/23

Siem Reap **Enrich**

It's an early start this morning for a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Marvel as the sun rises over the spires of Angkor Wat before moving to a special location for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

Later on, visit Ta Prohm, one of the most recognisable temples – it looks as if it is being swallowed up by the jungle. Then stop at Angkor Thom and Bayon Temple, famed for its giant faces. The remainder of the afternoon is at your leisure.

Enrich

*Tonight, be wowed by an illuminated Gala Dinner and show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins. **Meals: B.D***

Day 22/24

Siem Reap

Your journey concludes this morning in Siem Reap. Farewell your fellow travellers and guide as you depart Cambodia, taking with you many wonderful memories. **Meals: B**

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	From	From	From
Deluxe Suites C/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$13,715	\$14,615	\$15,715
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$17,215	\$16,115	\$17,215
Full Fare	\$18,215	\$17,115	\$18,215
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$16,605	\$17,505	\$18,605
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$20,105	\$19,005	\$20,105
Full Fare	\$21,105	\$20,005	\$21,105
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$18,995	\$19,895	\$20,995
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$22,495	\$21,395	\$22,495
Full Fare	\$23,495	\$22,395	\$23,495

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Fruit seller, Hoi An, Vietnam

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South East Asia comes alive

Weaving a beautiful tapestry to delight your every sense, Cambodia and Vietnam will leave you spellbound. Cruise through the emerald waters of Halong Bay, experience centuries of royal history in Hue, step into the World Heritage-listed streets of Hoi An and enjoy a remarkable Temple Gala Dinner in Siem Reap. Finish with a luxurious journey along the Mekong on board Scenic Spirit.



To explore this itinerary further, search for VIMC at scenic.com.au

Day 01

Hanoi 🏰

Welcome to Hanoi, the charismatic and captivating capital of Vietnam. Settle into a two-night Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole, an icon of the city that dates back to 1901. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Hanoi 🌸🍷

Today, you can explore the city and uncover its fascinating stories. Choose to visit the History Museum and Hoa Lo Prison, which was nicknamed the 'Hanoi Hilton' by American POWs. Or visit the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community on the banks of the Red River. Alternatively, explore Ho Chi Minh Quarter, including a visit to the Mausoleum of its eponymous President and the Temple of Literature. Then enjoy a 'green' electric car tour through the old quarter.

Enrich

Attend a performance of Hanoi's famous Water Puppets and learn their secrets with a special backstage pass. Meals: B.D

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise

Set out this morning for Halong Bay, driving through the picturesque farming country of the Red River Delta. Halong Bay is a true natural wonder famed for its emerald green waters and the thousands of limestone karsts that rise dramatically from it. Board the new luxurious Bhaya Soul vessel for a two-night cruise through this World Heritage-listed icon.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 🚢

Today you'll cruise deeper into the National Park, discovering some of the more than 1,000 picturesque islands that dot its secluded bays. You'll have the opportunity to kayak through a cave system and explore Cat Ba Island, the largest in Halong Bay, by bicycle.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting against the backdrop of the Karst Islands at sunset.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise > Hanoi 🏰🚢

Enjoy a final relaxed morning of cruising before you return to Hanoi for another Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole. This afternoon, enjoy a guided tour of this historic hotel including a visit to the wartime bunker. In the evening, you can set out on an amazing Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter or dine at La Terrace restaurant at your hotel. Alternatively, indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 06

Hanoi > Hue 🍷

Spend this morning at leisure, perhaps sipping a strong Vietnamese coffee at the hotel's French-inspired sidewalk café. Then fly to Hue, the former Imperial capital of Vietnam, and check into the Senna Hotel.

Enrich

This evening's Royal Dinner is held in a traditional private garden house accompanied by Hue Royal Court music.

Meals: B.D

Day 07

Hue > Hoi An

This morning, visit the imposing Mausoleum of Emperor Tu Duc, one of the many tombs of past Emperors located in Hue. Then admire the grandeur of the World Heritage-listed Imperial Citadel. Later today, travel along the stunning Hai Van Pass, one of the most famous roads in Vietnam, to the ancient city of Hoi An. Here you'll check in for a three-night stay at Almanity Hoi An Wellness Resort. This leafy oasis is close to the city's famed Old Town and has a philosophy of holistic wellness, which includes an indulgent daily spa journey during your stay.

Meals: B.L

Day 08

Hoi An 🏰🌸

Step back in time on a walking tour of Hoi An's World Heritage-listed Old Quarter, including the 15th century Central Market. This beautifully-preserved part of the city is home to grand houses, colourful pagodas and charming bridges, with vibrant bursts of green vines, hanging flowers and paper lanterns. Then try some local street food, including famous local dishes like banh mi baguettes, cao lau noodles, banh xeo crispy pancakes and white rose dumplings.



Scenic Enrich – Water Puppets, Hanoi, Vietnam



Traditional pottery, Bat Trang, Vietnam



Ta Prohm, Cambodia



Scenic Sunset Drinks

Relax at a reception in the Blue Bar with included beer and wine.

Tonight dine on Vietnamese street food style dishes at Morning Glory Signature Restaurant or choose Mango Mango Restaurant nestled in the heart of Hoi An's Ancient Town. Alternatively, nestled amongst the surrounding farmland, dine overlooking fields of rice paddies in a cosy and romantic setting whilst enjoying traditional Vietnamese and fusion cuisine at The Field Hoi An Restaurant and Bar. *Meals: B.D*

Day 09

Hoi An 🏠

Today you will have more time to explore the city and surrounding regions. Visit the ancient temple ruins of My Son, dating back to the 4th century, or try lantern making at Reaching Out, a local NGO. Alternatively, enjoy a short cycle to a village to cast a net with local fishermen or cycle to Tra Que Village to admire the vegetable gardens and prepare fresh 'tam huu' spring rolls. *Meals: B.L*

Day 10

Hoi An > Siem Reap 🏰

Fly to Siem Reap, Cambodia, for your three-night Special Stay at the historic Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor. This iconic 1930s Art Deco property has been a favourite of royalty and celebrities for

almost a century, and its swimming pool is one of the most famous in South East Asia. *Meals: B.L*

Day 11

Siem Reap 🏰

Today, discover the ancient city of Siem Reap, the heart of Cambodian culture and gateway to the legendary Angkor Wat. Choose to explore the 10th century Banteay Srei Temple and the Landmine Museum. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap Lake (seasonal) or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent). Later, visit the spectacular temple complex of Angkor Wat, the largest religious structure in the world. Tonight, enjoy your VIP seat at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare. This visually captivating show is more than just a circus; it's a valuable social enterprise that provides training and employment to underprivileged youth. *Meals: B.L*

Day 12

Siem Reap 🏰

Enrich

It's an early start this morning for a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Marvel as the sun rises over the spires of Angkor Wat before moving to a special location near a temple for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

Later on, visit Ta Prohm, one of the most recognisable temples – it looks as if it is being swallowed up by the jungle. Then stop at Angkor Thom and Bayon Temple, famed for its giant faces. The remainder of the afternoon is at your leisure.

Enrich

Tonight, be wowed by an illuminated Gala Dinner and show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins. Meals: B.D

Day 13

Siem Reap > Mekong Cruise

This morning, drive to Kampong Cham on the banks of the Mekong River where your luxurious vessel Scenic Spirit awaits. *Meals: B.L.D*

Days 14-19/21 🌊

7/9 Night Luxury Mekong River Cruise



Choose to cruise the Mekong River on a seven or nine-night cruise. Refer to the full seven-night cruise itinerary on pages 62-65 and the full nine-night cruise itinerary on pages 58-61.

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Tra Su Bird Sanctuary, Chau Doc, Vietnam

Day 20/22

Mekong Cruise > Ho Chi Minh City

Your five-star river cruise comes to an end this morning. After you disembark, drive to Ho Chi Minh City. The largest city in Vietnam, this sprawling metropolis is still commonly referred to as Saigon. Visit the fascinating War Remnants Museum before your two-night stay at the luxurious Caravelle Saigon. Tonight, set out on a unique tandem Vespa street food tour of Saigon where you'll sample beloved local dishes. Alternatively, you can dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, or dine at Mandarine Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court. Other choices include a vintage Jeep tour or the hotel's Buffet 19. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 21/23

Ho Chi Minh City

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an underground labyrinth of wartime passageways that stretch from the Saigon River as far as the Cambodian border. Learn about their fascinating history and the important role they played in the Vietnam War, sheltering Viet

Cong soldiers for months on end. Return to the city to visit the Reunification Palace, a striking 1960s building that was the site of the infamous Fall of Saigon in 1975. Tonight, enjoy a delicious farewell dinner. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 22/24

Ho Chi Minh City

Your journey concludes this morning in Ho Chi Minh City. Farewell your fellow travellers and guide as you depart Vietnam, taking with you many wonderful memories. *Meals: B*

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Extend your journey

Combine a Vung Tau/Nui Dat/Ho Tràm Beach extension to create your ultimate journey.

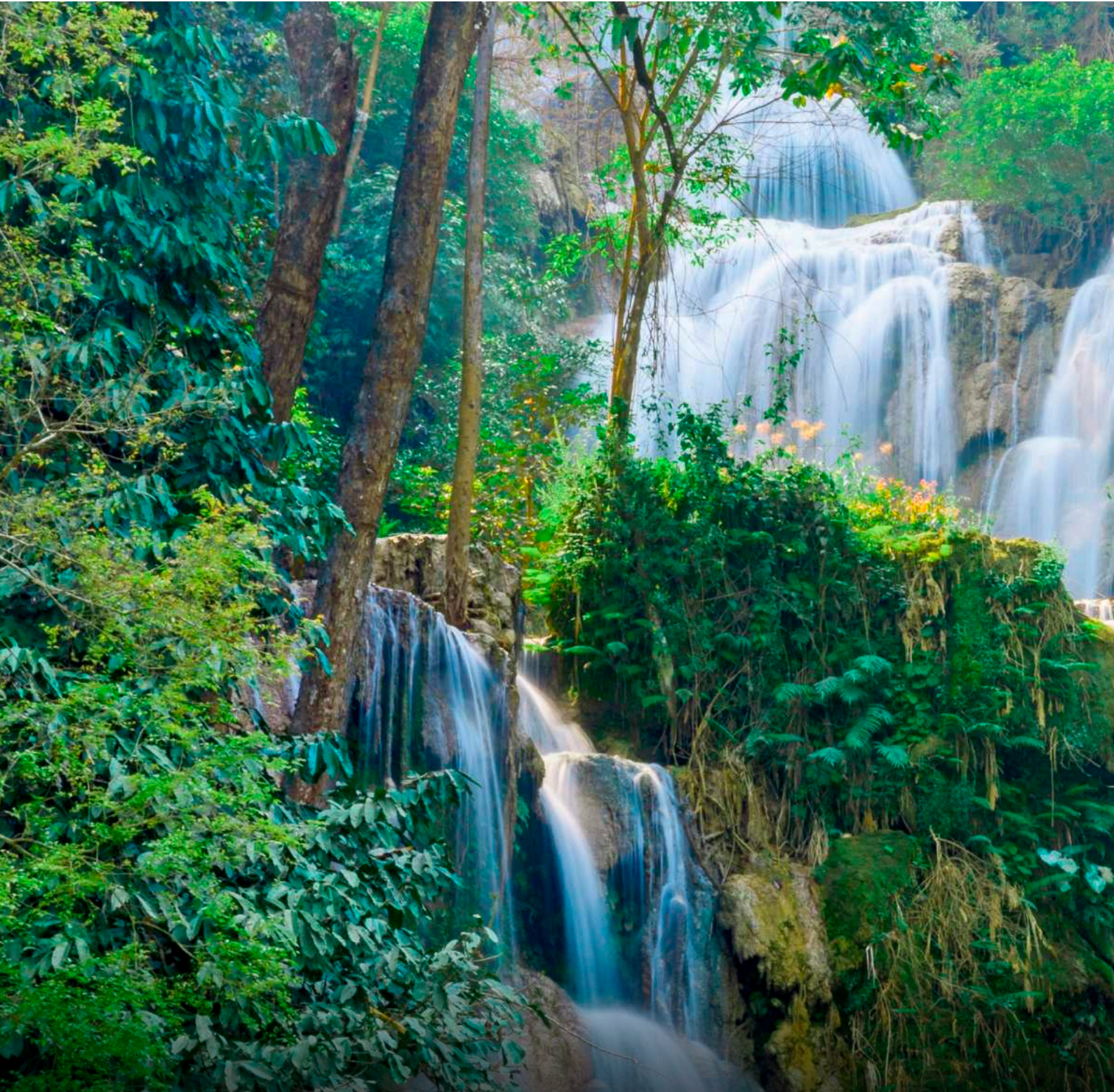
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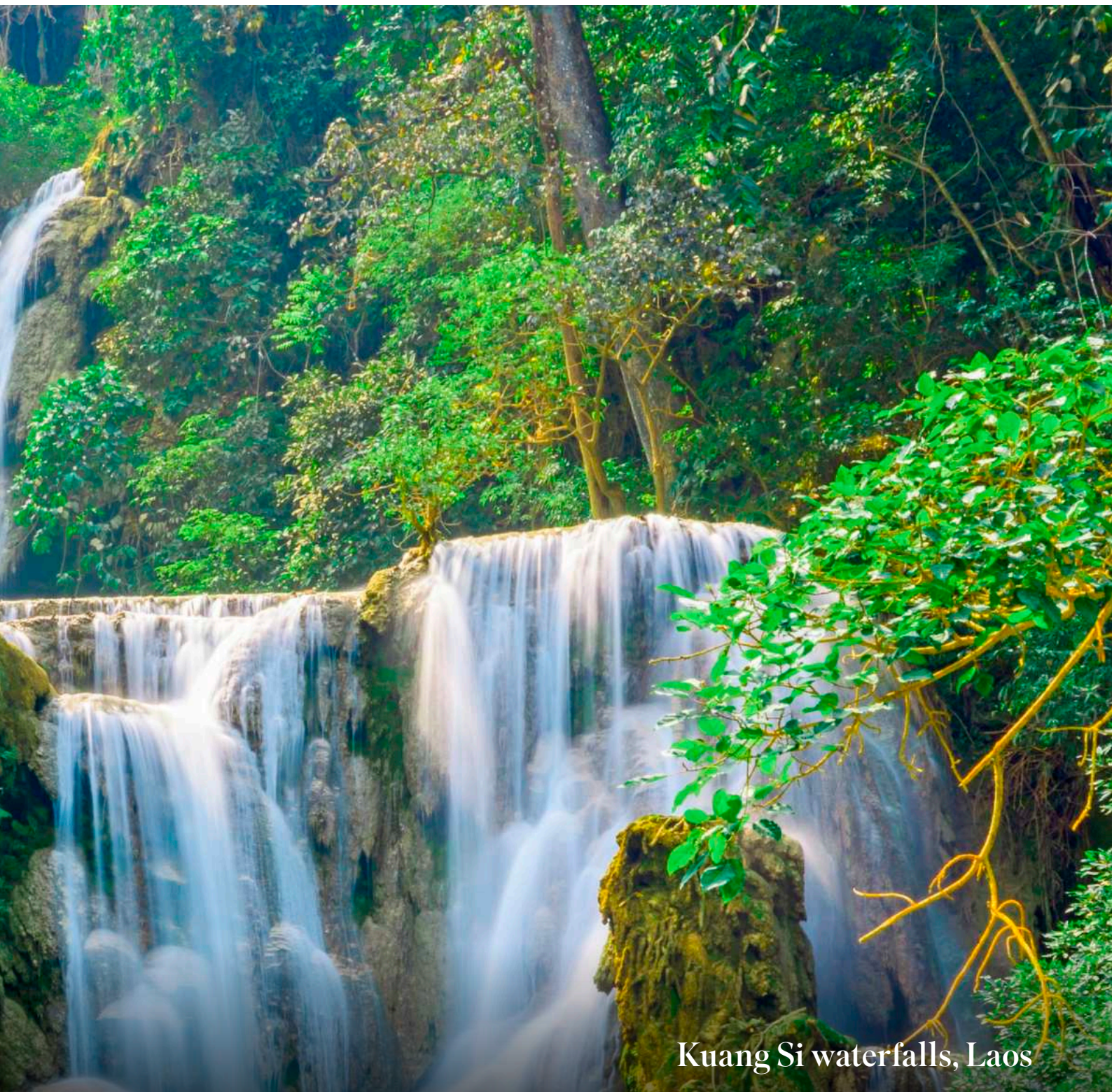
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Deluxe Suites c/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$13,715	\$15,115	\$15,715
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$17,215	\$16,615	\$17,215
Full Fare	\$18,215	\$17,615	\$18,215
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$16,605	\$18,005	\$18,605
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$20,105	\$19,505	\$20,105
Full Fare	\$21,105	\$20,505	\$21,105
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$4,500 Saving*	\$18,995	\$20,395	\$20,995
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$22,495	\$21,895	\$22,495
Full Fare	\$23,495	\$22,895	\$23,495

9 Night Cruise: VIMC.29. *Super EarlyBird Offer: Full payment is due 10 months prior to departure. If booking within 10 months of departure, if the Super Earlybird is available, full payment is due within 30 days of booking. Offers are subject to availability. Deposit per person (required within 7 days of booking): \$1,000. Hotels are indicative and subject to change. All prices are per person, twin share in AUD and include taxes and charges. Single supplement on application. For full terms and conditions please refer to pages 118-123. For details of our suite categories and deck plans, see pages 124-129.

Discover Laos



Landlocked Laos is one of Asia's best kept secrets. With a rich history stretching back thousands of years, the country offers plenty for travellers, from its spirituality, pristine nature and charming local villages.



Kuang Si waterfalls, Laos



Novice monks, Phnom Pros, Cambodia

Indochina Explorer & Luxury Mekong Cruise



🕒 23 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Hanoi > Ho Chi Minh City 🗺️ 27 Freechoice excursions

📍 5 Scenic Enrich events 🏛️ 3 Scenic Special Stays 🌅 3 Scenic Sunset Drinks




The true spirit of South East Asia

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Day 01

Hanoi 

Welcome to vibrant Vietnam and its capital Hanoi, a world of colour, culture and food. Settle into a two-night Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole. This 'grand old lady' is an icon of the city and dates back to 1901. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Hanoi  

Spend today exploring Hanoi. Choose to visit the National Museum of Vietnamese History and the legendary Hoa La Prison, nicknamed the 'Hilton Hanoi' by American POWs. Alternatively, visit Ho Chi Minh Quarter with the Mausoleum and Temple of Literature, or the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community. Later, take a 'green' electric car tour through Hanoi's old quarter.

Enrich

Enjoy a Hanoi Water Puppet performance and unlock its secrets with a special backstage pass. Meals: B.D

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise

Set out this morning for Halong Bay, driving through the prosperous farmlands of the Red River Delta. Board the luxurious new Bhaya Soul for a two-night cruise through this World Heritage-listed icon, a true natural wonder famed for its emerald green waters and the thousands of limestone karsts that rise dramatically from it.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 

Start the day with a Tai Chi lesson on the Sun Deck as the ship sails deeper into the National Park. Jump into a kayak to paddle through a limestone cave system then take a bike ride on beautiful Cat Ba Island.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting against the backdrop of the Karst Islands at sunset.

Later, enjoy fine local cuisine in the on board restaurant then try your hand at squid fishing from the boat. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise >

Hanoi  

Spend a relaxed morning cruising before you return to Hanoi, stopping for lunch and shopping along the way. Tonight, enjoy another Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole, including a tour and visit to the wartime bunker.

Tonight, you have a choice of three options for dinner. Set out on an adventurous Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter, dine at La Terrace restaurant at your hotel, or indulge in fine French dishes at La Table Hanoi. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Hanoi > Vientiane


After a morning at leisure, bid farewell to Hanoi and fly to Vientiane, the capital of Laos. Visit the Cooperative Orthotic and Prosthetic Enterprise (COPE), then check into the stylish Crowne Plaza for the night. *Meals: B.D*

Day 07

Vientiane > Vang Vieng

Take a morning tour of the capital including the iconic Pha That Luang temple and Patuxay Monument, dedicated to those who fought in the struggle for independence from France. After lunch drive to Vang Vieng and check into the Riverside Boutique Resort. The afternoon is at leisure, admiring the dramatic mountain vistas and rolling countryside from the pool lounge or your balcony. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 08

Vang Vieng > Luang Prabang 

Discover Vang Vieng's spectacular natural landmarks, visiting the striking Blue Lagoons and Chang Caves, discovered by villagers seeking refuge deep in the forest during the wars. After lunch, catch the new high-speed train to the World Heritage-listed town of Luang Prabang, the spiritual capital of Laos. Check in for a three-night Special Stay at the Luang Say Residence. Later take in sweeping views of the town and river from the 100m tall Mt Phousi. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 09

Luang Prabang

Today, explore Luang Prabang's sites, including the former Royal Palace, now the National Museum, and Wat Xieng Thong and Wat Mai temples. Later, cruise along the Mekong River to the mysterious Pak Ou Caves filled with thousands of gold Buddha statues. Tonight, shop for treasures in the well-known night market. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 10

Luang Prabang 

Experience a beautiful and empowering moment on the streets of Luang Prabang this morning as you partake in the traditional giving of alms for the local monks. After breakfast, set out for the picturesque Kuang Si waterfalls amongst the dense jungle. Then visit a

small village to learn about its traditions and culture.

Enrich

Immerse yourself in local spirituality during a traditional Baci ceremony that pays respect to the ancient traditions of Laos. Meals: B.D

Day 11

Luang Prabang >
Siem Reap 

After a morning at leisure, fly to Siem Reap in Cambodia, a city of contrasts where traditional architecture is woven amongst modern developments. Check in for a three-night Special Stay at Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor. This iconic 1930s Art Deco property has been a favourite of royalty and celebrities for almost a century, promising luxurious accommodation and impeccable service. *Meals: B.L*

Day 12

Siem Reap 

Start the day with a delicious champagne buffet breakfast then set out to see Siem Reap. Choose to explore the 10th century Banteay Srei Temple and moving Landmine Museum or visit Satcha Cambodian Handicraft Incubation Centre. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap Lake (seasonal) or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent), before visiting a Lotus Flower workshop. Later this afternoon, explore Angkor Wat, the largest religious monument in the world dating back to the 12th century. This evening, enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare. This visually captivating show is more than just a circus; it's a valuable social enterprise that provides training and employment to underprivileged youth while telling uniquely Cambodian stories. *Meals: B.L*

Day 13

Siem Reap **Enrich**

It's an early start this morning for a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Marvel as the sun rises over the spires of Angkor Wat before moving to a special location near a temple for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

Visit the atmospheric, jungle-covered Ta Prohm Temple, before stopping at Angkor Thom and the multi-faced Bayon Temple. Spend the afternoon at leisure, perhaps exploring the Siem Reap markets or relaxing by the glorious pool at your luxury hotel.



Kayaking, Halong Bay, Vietnam



On board Lion Dance, Scenic Spirit

**Enrich**

Tonight, be wowed by an illuminated Gala Dinner and show (including free flow drinks) featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins. **Meals: B.D**

Day 14**Siem Reap > Kampong Cham**

Travel by coach through charming rural Cambodia, with stops along the way at the Khmer bridge at Kampong Kdei, Kampong Thom and a stone cutters village. Arrive at the town of Kampong Cham where your five-star vessel Scenic Spirit awaits. Begin your cruise in style with a cocktail reception hosted by your Cruise Director and a welcome dinner. Settle into your luxurious suite and remember that your butler is always on hand to deliver a nightcap or the perfect pillow. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 15**Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham** 🏯

Visit Wat Hanchey, an ancient hilltop pagoda and monastery, to learn about life as a novice monk. Back in Kampong Cham, explore folklore, history and architecture at two temples – Phnom Pros and Wat Nokor Bachey. Alternatively, admire the town's colonial shop houses and Central market before visiting a rubber plantation and betel nut factory, or discover the simple charms of rural life at Kho Penh Village. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 16**Angkor Ban > Silk Island > Phnom Penh** 🗺️ 🏯

Explore Angkor Ban's historic wooden houses, which survived the Khmer Rouge, and visit a classroom that teaches English to the local students and a Buddhist pagoda.

Enrich

Receive a blessing from a monk and donate towards the daily meal of the resident nuns and monks.

Afterwards re board Scenic Spirit for lunch and sail downstream to the island of Oknha Tey, dedicated to the art of silk weaving.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a sunset cocktail reception as the ship cruises into the sparkling capital, Phnom Penh.

Upon arrival enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 17**Phnom Penh** 🗺️ 🏯

Today you can choose how you explore the Cambodian capital. Explore the moving Killing Fields and Tuol Sleng Prison, learning about the difficult legacy of the Khmer Rouge regime. You can also choose to enjoy a cooking class including a visit to the market with a local chef, or take a tour of Phnom Penh by remork, a traditional style of tuk tuk. Return to Scenic Spirit for lunch and enjoy an afternoon at leisure.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a Phnom Penh by City Lights tour and an exclusive tasting at a distillery.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 18**Phnom Penh > Border Crossing > Tan Chau**

Be dazzled by the opulence of the Royal Palace and Silver Pagoda, then return to your ship to sail for the Vietnamese border. Enjoy a relaxing afternoon on board Scenic Spirit. Tonight, experience an elaborately themed dinner on board complete with a lion dance performed by local dancers. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 19**Tan Chau** 🏯

Discover the wonders of Tan Chau today. Take a tranquil sampan cruise through Tra Su Bird Sanctuary in the Tra Su Forest, home to more than 100 species of water bird. Or visit Evergreen Island to meet local farmers, then ride on a traditional xe loi to Cao Dai temple. You can also choose to take a speedboat to Chau Doc, a major city in the Mekong Delta, to visit a temple and fish farm. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 20**Sa Dec > Cai Be** 🏯

Explore the historic town of Sa Dec and meet sellers in the lively wet market. See the home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le who

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Wat Xieng Thong, Luang Prabang, Laos

inspired Marguerite Duras' novel *L'Amant*. This afternoon, choose to travel via sampan to the island of Tan Phong, known for its lush fruit orchards. Alternatively, savour delicious afternoon tea at Le Longanier, a French colonial house restaurant, or stay on board Scenic Spirit for a hands-on cocktail/mocktail making class. Soak in one final Mekong sunset before your delicious farewell dinner with the crew as you sail to My Tho. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 21

Mekong Cruise > Ho Chi Minh City

Bid farewell to Scenic Spirit and travel to bustling Ho Chi Minh City. Visit the fascinating War Remnants Museum before checking in to the luxurious Caravelle Saigon for a two-night stay. Before dinner, take a leisurely guided walk of nearby historic sites including the Opera House and Notre Dame Cathedral. Tonight, set out on a unique tandem Vespa street food tour of Saigon where you'll sample beloved local dishes, craft beer and cocktails. Alternatively, you can dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, or dine at Mandarine Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court. Other choices include a vintage Jeep tour or the hotel's Buffet 19. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 22

Ho Chi Minh City

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an underground labyrinth of wartime passageways that stretch from the Saigon River as far as the Cambodian border. Learn about their fascinating history and the important role they played in the Vietnam War, sheltering Viet Cong soldiers for months on end. Return to the city for lunch at an authentic Pho restaurant and enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Later, visit the Reunification Palace, a striking 1960s building that was

the site of the infamous Fall of Saigon in 1975. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow travellers. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 23

Ho Chi Minh City

Your journey concludes this morning. Depart Vietnam with a full camera and a lifetime of memories to treasure. **Meals: B**

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Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$16,825	\$17,425
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$18,325	\$18,925
Full Fare	\$19,325	\$19,925
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$19,715	\$20,315
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$21,215	\$21,815
Full Fare	\$22,215	\$22,815
Royal Panorama RS	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$22,105	\$22,705
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$23,605	\$24,205
Full Fare	\$24,605	\$25,205

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Village along the Mekong, Vietnam

Journey along the Mekong



🕒 16/18 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Ho Chi Minh City > Bangkok 🌐 21 Freechoice excursions
 📍 4 Scenic Enrich events 🏛️ 2 Scenic Special Stays 🍷 2 Scenic Sunset Drinks



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Day 01

Ho Chi Minh City

Welcome to Vietnam. Relax for the next two nights at the Caravelle Saigon.

Meals: D

Day 02

Ho Chi Minh City

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an underground labyrinth of wartime passageways. Return to the city for lunch at a Pho restaurant. Tonight, enjoy a tandem Vespa street food tour of Saigon, dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, or dine at Mandarine Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court. Other choices include a vintage Jeep tour or the hotel's Buffet 19.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 03

Ho Chi Minh City > Mekong Cruise

Discover Vietnam's modern history on a visit to the Reunification Palace and War Museum. Then travel by coach to My Tho to board the luxurious Scenic Spirit.

Meals: B.L.D

Days 04-09

7 Night Luxury Mekong River Cruise



Embark on a seven-night cruise along the Mekong River. Refer to the full seven-night cruise itinerary on pages 62-65.

Day 10

Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap

Admire rural Cambodia on your way to the historic Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor, your Scenic Special Stay for the next three nights. Later this evening, enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare. **Meals: B.L**

Day 11

Siem Reap

Today you can choose to explore Banteay Srei Temple and the Landmine Museum or visit Senteurs d'Angkor workshop with local artisans. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap Lake (seasonal) or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent), before visiting a Lotus Flower workshop. Later, visit Angkor Wat. **Meals: B.L**

Day 12

Siem Reap

Enrich

Marvel at sunrise over Angkor Wat before moving to a special location near a temple for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

Visit Ta Prohm Temple, before stopping at Angkor Thom and Bayon Temple.

Enrich

Be wowed by an illuminated Gala Dinner and a show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins.

Meals: B.D

Day 13

Siem Reap > Luang Prabang

Fly to Luang Prabang, the spiritual capital of Laos, for a three-night Special Stay at the Luang Say Residence.

Meals: B.D

Day 14

Luang Prabang

Explore the former Royal Palace, now the National Museum, and Wat Xieng Thong and Wat Mai temples. Later cruise up the Mekong River to visit the mysterious Pak Ou Caves. Tonight, shop for treasure in the well-known night market. **Meals: B.L**

Day 15

Luang Prabang

Partake in early morning alms where you'll offer food to the local monks. Later this morning, journey to Kuang Si waterfalls and enjoy the beautiful natural surroundings. Then visit a small village to learn about its traditions and culture.

Enrich

Immerse yourself in local spirituality during a traditional Baci ceremony and pay respects to ancient traditions. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 16

Luang Prabang > Vang Vieng

Take in the sweeping views of the town and river from Mt Phousi.

Guests on the 16-day version of the tour are transferred to Luang Prabang airport for your flight to Bangkok to conclude your tour.

Travel to Vang Vieng by the new high speed train before checking in to the Riverside Boutique Resort. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 17

Vang Vieng > Vientiane

Visit the beautiful Blue Lagoon and Chang Caves. Later, travel to the capital, Vientiane, and visit the Cooperative Orthotic and Prosthetic Enterprise (COPE). Later check into the Crown Plaza for an overnight stay before enjoying your farewell dinner. **Meals: B.L.D**

Day 18

Vientiane > Bangkok

Explore Pha That Luang and Patuxay Monument. Say farewell to Laos and fly to Bangkok where your journey ends upon arrival. **Meals: B.L**

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Extend your journey

Add a Bangkok Stopover to create your ultimate journey.

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Journey code: VIML 7 night cruise/3 nights in Laos 7 night cruise/5 nights in Laos	2025 Nov 23 2026	2026 Sep 27	2025 Oct 26 Nov 09 2026 Jan 25 Feb 22 Mar 22 Oct 25 Nov 22
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Deluxe Suites C/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$11,630	\$13,325	\$13,925
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$13,130	\$14,825	\$15,425
Full Fare	\$14,130	\$15,825	\$16,425
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$14,520	\$16,215	\$16,815
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$16,020	\$17,715	\$18,315
Full Fare	\$17,020	\$18,715	\$19,315
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$16,910	\$18,605	\$19,205
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$18,410	\$20,105	\$20,705
Full Fare	\$19,410	\$21,105	\$21,705

5 nights in Laos. *Super EarlyBird Offer: Full payment is due 10 months prior to departure. If booking within 10 months of departure, if the Super Earlybird is available, full payment is due within 30 days of booking. Offers are subject to availability. Deposit per person (required within 7 days of booking): \$1,000. Hotels are indicative and subject to change. All prices are per person, twin share in AUD and include taxes and charges. Single supplement on application. For full terms and conditions please refer to pages 118-123. For details of our suite categories and deck plans, see page 124-129.



Angkor Wat, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Grand Indochina & Luxury Mekong



🕒 25/27 Day Cruise & Land Journey 📍 Hanoi > Bangkok 🎒 34 Freechoice excursions

📍 6 Scenic Enrich events 🏛️ 3 Scenic Special Stays 🌅 4 Scenic Sunset Drinks



The charm of Indochina

Let the romance of these three beautiful countries sweep you off your feet on a seamless land and river journey through Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos. Marvel at the sheer magnificence of Halong Bay, spoil yourself with incredible cuisine, explore sobering relics of war, discover powerful initiatives creating change and wander the astounding World Heritage-listed temples of Angkor Wat.



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Day 01

Hanoi 🏯

Welcome to Hanoi, the charismatic and captivating capital of Vietnam. Settle into a two-night Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole. *Meals: D*

Day 02

Hanoi 🌸🏡

Today, you can choose to visit the History Museum and Hoa Lo Prison, or the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community. Alternatively, explore Ho Chi Minh Quarter, the Mausoleum and Temple of Literature. Then enjoy a 'green' electric car tour through the old quarter.

Enrich

Attend a performance of Hanoi's famous Water Puppets and learn their secrets with a special backstage pass. Meals: B.D

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise

Set out this morning for Halong Bay, to board the luxurious new Bhaya Soul for a two-night cruise through this World Heritage-listed icon. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 🚤

Today you'll cruise deeper into the National Park, kayak through a cave system and explore Cat Ba Island, the largest in Halong Bay, by bicycle.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting against the backdrop of the Karst Islands at sunset. Meals: B.L.D

Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise > Hanoi 🌸🏯

Return to Hanoi for another Special Stay at the Sofitel Legend Metropole, including a visit to the wartime bunker. This evening, you can set out on a Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter or dine at La Terrace restaurant at your hotel. Alternatively, indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Hanoi > Hoi An 🌸

Travel to Hoi An for a three-night stay at Almanity Hoi An Wellness Resort, which includes an indulgent daily spa journey. Tonight dine on Vietnamese street food style dishes at Morning Glory Signature Restaurant or Mango Mango Restaurant nestled in the heart of Hoi An's Ancient Town. Alternatively, dine overlooking fields of rice paddies in a cosy and romantic setting at The Field Hoi An Restaurant and Bar. *Meals: B.D*

Day 07

Hoi An 🌅

Step back in time on a walking tour of Hoi An's World Heritage-listed Old Quarter, including the 15th century Central Market, then try some local street food.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Relax at a reception in the Blue Bar with included beer and wine. Meals: B.D

Day 08

Hoi An 🏯

Visit the ancient temple ruins of My Son or try lantern making at Reaching

Out, a local NGO. Alternatively, enjoy a short cycle to a village to cast a net with fishermen or cycle to Tra Que Village to admire the vegetable gardens and prepare fresh 'tam huu' spring rolls. The afternoon is at leisure. *Meals: B.L*

Day 09

Hoi An > Hue 🏯

Travel to Hue, the former Imperial capital. Wander through the grandeur of Hue's Imperial Citadel ruins before enjoying a cyclo ride to your hotel. Check into the Senna Hotel.

Enrich

This evening's Royal Dinner is held in a traditional private garden house accompanied by Hue Royal Court music. Meals: B.L.D

Day 10

Hue > Ho Chi Minh City

Visit the elaborate Mausoleum of Emperor Tu Duc. Then fly to bustling Ho Chi Minh City for a two-night stay at the Caravelle Saigon. Before dinner, take a leisurely guided walk of nearby historic sites. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 11

Ho Chi Minh City 🌸

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels before returning to the city for lunch. Tonight, take a tandem Vespa street food tour of Saigon, dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, or dine at Mandarin Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court. Other choices include a vintage Jeep tour or the hotel's Buffet 19. *Meals: B.L.D*



Morning alms procession, Luang Prabang, Laos



Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, Hanoi, Vietnam



Local man, Phnom Pros, Cambodia



Day 12

Ho Chi Minh City > Mekong Cruise

Visit the Reunification Palace and War Remnants Museum. Travel by coach to board the luxurious Scenic Spirit.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 13

Cai Be > Sa Dec

Choose to board a sampan to visit Cai Be or savour morning tea at the colonial French home, Le Longanier. Later, explore the historic town of Sa Dec and meet sellers in the lively market.

See the home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le who inspired Marguerite Duras' novel *L'Amant*.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 14

Tan Chau > Border Crossing

Today you can admire the local Cao Dai Temple, ride on a xe loi and meet the locals on Evergreen Island, or visit Tra Su Bird Sanctuary. Alternatively, visit Tây An Temple and a family fish farm in Chau Doc. Sail to the border, cross over into Cambodia and continue on to Phnom Penh. **Meals:** B.L.D

Day 15

Phnom Penh

Today, choose to tour the Killing Fields and Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, join a hands-on Khmer cooking demonstration, or explore Phnom Penh's colonial

buildings and Central Market by remark. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a Phnom Penh by City Lights tour and an exclusive tasting at a distillery.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 16

Phnom Penh > Oudong

Journey to the ancient capital of Oudong and marvel at the Royal Palace, featuring the famous Silver Pagoda.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a sunset cocktail reception as the ship cruises from the capital. **Meals:** B.L.D

Day 17

Silk Island > Angkor Ban

Visit Koh Dach Island, known as Silk Island. Travel on to Angkor Ban to explore its historical wooden houses, and visit an English class for local students.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 18

Wat Hanchey > Kampong Cham

Enrich

Receive a blessing from a monk and learn how to pray in a Buddhist pagoda before partaking in an alms ceremony.

Cruise downstream to Kampong Cham. Choose to visit Phnom Pros (Man Hill) and Wat Nokor. Alternatively, explore the traditional village of Koh Pen or visit a rubber plantation factory and betel nut village. **Meals:** B.D

Day 19

Mekong Cruise > Siem Reap

Drive to the historic Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor for a three-night Special Stay. Later tonight enjoy premium seating at the colourful Cambodian Circus, Phare.

Meals: B.L

Day 20

Siem Reap

Explore the 10th century Banteay Srei Temple and the Landmine Museum or visit Senteurs d'Angkor workshop with local artisans. Alternatively, cruise on Tonlé Sap Lake (seasonal) or take a tethered balloon ride above Angkor Wat (weather dependent). Later, visit the spectacular Angkor Wat. **Meals:** B.L

Day 21

Siem Reap

Enrich

Marvel as the sun rises over the spires of Angkor Wat before moving to a special location near a temple for a Champagne breakfast with food prepared by a Scenic sponsored, NGO supported local bakery school.

Visit the instantly recognisable Ta Prohm Temple, before stopping at Angkor Thom and Bayon Temple.

Enrich

Be wowed by an illuminated Gala Dinner and a show featuring Apsara dancers in front of candlelit Angkor temple ruins.


Meals: B.D

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Countryside surrounding Vang Vieng, Laos

Day 22

Siem Reap > Luang Prabang 

Fly to Luang Prabang, the spiritual capital of Laos, for a three-night Special Stay at Luang Say Residence. *Meals: B.D*

Day 23

Luang Prabang

Explore the former Royal Palace, now the National Museum, and Wat Xieng Thong and Wat Mai temples. Later cruise up the Mekong River to visit the mysterious Pak Ou Caves. Tonight you will visit a night market. *Meals: B.L*

Day 24

Luang Prabang 

Partake in early morning alms where you'll offer food to the local monks. Later this morning, journey to Kuang Si waterfalls and enjoy the beautiful natural surroundings. Then visit a small village to learn about its traditions and culture.

Enrich

Immerse yourself in local spirituality during a traditional Baci ceremony and pay respects to ancient traditions. Meals: B.L.D

Day 25

Luang Prabang > Vang Vieng

Take in the sweeping views of the town and river from Mt Phousi.

Guests undertaking the 25-day version of the tour are transferred to Luang Prabang airport for your flight to Bangkok to conclude your tour.

Travel to Vang Vieng by the new high speed train before checking into the Riverside Boutique Resort. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 26

Vang Vieng > Vientiane

Visit the beautiful Blue Lagoon and Chang Caves. Later, travel to the capital, Vientiane, and visit the Cooperative Orthotic and Prosthetic Enterprise (COPE). Later check into the Crowne Plaza for an overnight stay before your farewell dinner. *Meals: B.L.D*


Day 27


Vientiane > Bangkok

This morning, explore the capital with stops at Pha That Luang and Patuxay Monument. Fly to Bangkok where your journey ends. *Meals: B.L*

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2025-2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

Journey code: VMCL 7 night cruise/3 nights in Laos  7 night cruise/5 nights in Laos	2025 Nov 14	2026 Sep 18	2025 Oct 17/31
	2026 Jan 02, 30, Feb 27, Apr 10, May 08, Oct 02		2026 Jan 16 Feb 13 Mar 13 Oct 16 Nov 13
Deluxe Suites c/CA/BA/BB/B/A	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$17,950	\$19,645	\$20,245
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$19,450	\$21,145	\$21,745
Full Fare	\$20,450	\$22,145	\$22,745
Grand Deluxe RD	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$20,840	\$22,535	\$23,135
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$22,340	\$24,035	\$24,635
Full Fare	\$23,340	\$25,035	\$25,635
Royal Panorama RS	From	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$2,500 Saving*	\$23,230	\$24,925	\$25,525
Earlybird incl \$1,000 Saving*	\$24,730	\$26,425	\$27,025
Full Fare	\$25,730	\$27,425	\$28,025

 5 nights in Laos. *Super EarlyBird Offer: Full payment is due 10 months prior to departure. If booking within 10 months of departure, if the Super Earlybird is available, full payment is due within 30 days of booking. Offers are subject to availability. Deposit per person (required within 7 days of booking): \$1,000. Hotels are indicative and subject to change. All prices are per person, twin share in AUD and include taxes and charges. Single supplement on application. For full terms and conditions please refer to pages 118-123. For details of our suite categories and deck plans, see page 124-129.



Hoi An Old Quarter, Vietnam

Vietnam Explorer

🕒 12 Day Land Journey 📍 Hanoi > Ho Chi Minh City ✈️ 18 Freechoice excursions

📍 2 Scenic Enrich events 🏠 1 Scenic Special Stay 🍷 2 Scenic Sunset Drinks




The true spirit of Vietnam

Discover the diversity of Vietnam's regions on this compact journey. In the north, you'll explore the vertiginous limestone karsts of Halong Bay and the ancient capital of Hanoi. Travel along the coast to marvel at the World Heritage sites of Hue and Hoi An. Finish in Vietnam's most vibrant and lively city, Ho Chi Minh City, commonly referred to as Saigon.



To explore this itinerary further, search for VIHS at scenic.com.au

Day 01

Hanoi 

Welcome to Hanoi, the 1,000-year-old capital of Vietnam. Enjoy the day at leisure and settle into a two-night Special Stay at Sofitel Legend Metropole. Tonight join your Tour Director and fellow travellers for a welcome dinner. *Meals: D*

Day 02


Hanoi  

Today, you can choose to visit the History Museum and Hoa Lo Prison, or the ancient village of Bat Trang, a traditional porcelain and pottery community. Alternatively, explore Ho Chi Minh Quarter and Mausoleum, including the Temple of Literature. Then enjoy a 'green' electric car tour through the old quarter.

Enrich

Attend a performance of Hanoi's famous Water Puppets and learn their secrets with a special backstage pass. Meals: B.D

Day 03

Hanoi > Halong Bay Cruise 

Journey to Halong Bay and board the new luxury Bhaya Soul vessel for an awe-inspiring two-night cruise through the picturesque waters of this spectacular World Heritage-listed icon. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 04

Halong Bay Cruise 

Begin the day with a Tai Chi lesson on the Sun Deck. Cruising deeper into the National Park, kayak through a cave system and explore beautiful Cat Ba Island by bicycle.

Scenic Sunset Drinks

Enjoy a wine tasting against the backdrop of the Karst Islands at sunset.

Meals: B.L.D


Day 05

Halong Bay Cruise >

Hanoi  

After a morning cruising, return to Hanoi and the Sofitel Legend Metropole. Take a guided tour of the hotel and visit its wartime bunker. Tonight, enjoy an amazing Vespa foodie tour of Hanoi's Old Quarter, or dine at La Terrace restaurant at your hotel. Alternatively, indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 06

Hanoi > Hoi An 

Fly to Da Nang and continue to Hoi An for a three-night stay at Almanity Hoi An Wellness Resort, which includes a daily spa journey.

Tonight dine on Vietnamese street food style dishes at Morning Glory Signature Restaurant or choose Mango Mango Restaurant situated in the heart of Hoi An's Ancient Town. Alternatively, nestled amongst the surrounding farmland, dine overlooking fields of rice paddies in a cosy and romantic setting whilst enjoying traditional Vietnamese and fusion cuisine at The Field Hoi An Restaurant and Bar. *Meals: B.D*

Day 07

Hoi An 

Step back in time on a walking tour of Hoi An's World Heritage-listed Old Quarter, including the 15th century Central Market, then try local street food.

Scenic Sunset Drinks


Relax at a reception in the Blue Bar with included beer and wine. Meals: B.L

Day 08

Hoi An 

This morning, you may like to visit the ancient temple ruins of My Son or try lantern making at Reaching Out, a local NGO. Alternatively, enjoy a short cycle to a village to cast a net with fishermen or cycle to Tra Que Village to admire the vegetable gardens and prepare fresh 'tam huu' spring rolls. *Meals: B.L*

Day 09

Hoi An > Hue 

Travel via the stunning Hai Van Pass to Hue, the former Imperial capital. Visit Duc Son Pagoda and meet nuns who run a local orphanage. Then enjoy a cyclo ride to the Imperial Citadel, Vietnam's version of the Forbidden City in Beijing, before checking into the Senna Hotel.

Enrich

This evening's Royal Dinner is held in a traditional private garden house accompanied by Hue Royal Court music.

Meals: B.L.D

Day 10

Hue > Ho Chi Minh City

This morning, visit the Mausoleum of Emperor Tu Duc, one of the many tombs of past Emperors located in Hue. Fly to Ho Chi Minh City for a two-night stay at the Caravelle Saigon. Before dinner, take a leisurely guided walk of nearby historic sites. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 11

Ho Chi Minh City 

Travel to the Cu Chi Tunnels, an underground labyrinth of wartime passageways. Return to the city for lunch at a Pho restaurant and an afternoon at leisure. Tonight, you can choose to enjoy a tandem Vespa street food tour of Saigon, dine in the dark at a restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community, or dine at Mandarine Restaurant, designed in the style of the Hue imperial court. Other choices include a vintage Jeep tour or the hotel's Buffet 19. *Meals: B.L.D*

Day 12

Ho Chi Minh City

It is time to bid farewell to your fellow travellers and Scenic team. Transfer to the airport and leave with a full camera and stunning memories to treasure.

Meals: B.L

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Extend your journey

Add a Sapa extension before the start of this itinerary.

See page 106.

2025-2026 PRICING AND SPECIAL OFFERS

Journey code: VIHS	2025	2026
	Jul 21, Aug 26, Oct 01, 17, 31, Nov 14, 28, Dec 16	Jan 02, 16, 30, Feb 13, 27, Mar 13, Apr 10, May 08, Jul 28, Sep 02, 18, Oct 02, 16, Nov 13, 27, Dec 15
Land Journey	From	From
Super Earlybird incl up to \$500 Saving*	\$7,295	\$7,295
Earlybird incl \$200 Saving*	\$7,595	\$7,595
Full Fare	\$7,795	\$7,795


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Truly all-inclusive Scenic Freechoice excursions



Your Scenic river cruise and land journey is thoughtfully designed to provide you with a range of experiences to personalise your journey. Whether you prefer an active, moderate, or relaxed pace, or wish to tailor your days to your passions and interests, this planning guide, to be used in conjunction with the itinerary page, will assist you in selecting the perfect cruise for you.

- **Active** – A longer or more demanding journey for those keen to explore further afield.
- **Moderate** – A comfortable pace to explore a beautiful city on a walking tour.
- **Relaxed** – A slower pace taking in a museum or sightseeing tour.

 Guests' Picks are the most highly rated Scenic Freechoice excursions from the 2023/2024 season.

-  Local Delicacies
-  Cultural Encounters
-  Historic Moments

A Cao Dai temple visit, Vietnam **B** Bamboo fishing basket, Hoi An, Vietnam

Vietnam

Ho Chi Minh City

Saigon After Dark by Vintage Jeep 🚗

Ho Chi Minh City shines at night and there is no better way to see and taste the street food of Vietnam's commercial centre than by a vintage US Army Jeep. Try street food at local restaurants with drinks, visit the night flower market and conclude the evening with a visit to a rooftop bar to enjoy a panoramic view of the city for a final nightcap. 🍷🍷



Guests' Pick

Vespa Foodie Tour of Saigon After Dark

A foodie night out on the back of a vintage Vespa. Sample some of Saigon's best authentic street food. Includes flowing drinks. 🍷🍷

Mandarine Restaurant **NEW** 🍴

Designed to reflect the style of the Hue imperial court and nestled in an exquisite inner city town-house, this fine dining restaurant serves individual Vietnamese dishes in a luxurious dining ambience. 🍷🍷

Noir Dining in the Dark, Saigon 🍴

A restaurant dedicated to helping the blind and visually impaired community. Take away sight, and our other senses emerge to interpret the world from another perspective. Smell becomes more subtle. Taste becomes more acute. Experience a culinary journey through taste, smell, touch and sound through dining in the dark. This is not simply dining, but rather a uniquely mind-altering experience where smell, taste, touch and hearing unite to bring you a completely new sensory experience. 🍷🍷



buffet NINETEEN, Ho Chi Minh City

Buffet NINETEEN 🍴

Dine at Buffet NINETEEN located at Caravelle Saigon, one of the city's most popular seafood buffet and 5-star dining experiences. Compliment your evening with free-flowing house wines, cocktails and beers. 🍷🍷

Hanoi

History Museum and Hoa Lu Prison 🏰

Discover the stories of Vietnamese history in Hanoi – a city rich in history. 🍷🍷



Traditional pottery, Bat Trang

Ancient Village of Bat Trang 🏡

The ancient village of Bat Trang is a traditional porcelain and pottery community. Learn the intricate steps involved in making ceramic works of art during an interactive workshop. Afterwards, visit a local residence where elders will share the unique aspects of Vietnamese culture and their spiritual beliefs. Learn about Bánh Cuốn or rice pancakes, a dish of northern Vietnam as part of a tasty self-made lunch of local specialties. 🍷🍷

Hanoi Highlights 🏰

Explore city highlights such as Ho Chi Minh's Quarter and Mausoleum, Presidential Palace, and Hanoi's first university, the Temple of Literature. Finish your tour in a local cafe with one of Hanoi's famous traditional egg coffees. 🍷🍷

Vespa Foodie Tour of Hanoi After Dark 🚗

Ride pillion on the back of a vintage Vespa as you explore Hanoi's authentic local street food scene after dark. Sample local delicacies across several food venues. Includes flowing drinks. 🍷🍷



La Terrace at Sofitel Legend Metropole

La Terrace at Sofitel Legend Metropole 🍴

Inspired by Parisian cafés, enjoy a taste of France right in the heart of Hanoi's bustling street life. 🍷🍷

Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant **NEW** 🍴

Indulge in Vietnamese dishes with a refined Indochine style at Ha Thanh Mansion Restaurant, housed within a century-old villa that stands as a testament to the rich history of Tonkin. Enjoy a complete experience of Northern Vietnam through the authentic flavours of traditional dishes and refined delicacies handed down through generations. 🍷🍷



Temple Ruins of My Son, Hoi An

Hoi An

Temple Ruins of My Son 🏰

Tour the World Heritage-listed site of My Son, a set of ruins from the ancient Cham Empire. 🍷🍷

NGO Lantern-Making Class 🏠

Meet with the team at Reaching Out, an NGO established in 2000. Gain an insight into their efforts to provide opportunities for people with disabilities to learn skills and gain meaningful employment. Undertake a Lantern-Making Class at their workshop located in an old merchant house. 🍷🍷



Tra Que Village

Tra Que Village 🏡

Ride a bicycle to a local farm in Tra Que Village. Tour the vegetable garden and join the farmers as they prepare the land and fertilise it with seaweed. Assist with raking, sowing seeds, watering and picking greens. Afterwards prepare 'Tam Huu', a local delicacy, before sitting down for a home cooked meal including 'Bánh Xèo' a specialty savoury pancake wrapped in rice paper. 🍷🍷

From Farming to Fishing 🏡

Ride a bicycle to a village to learn about the lives of Hoi An's fishermen. Climb into a small, round bamboo fishing basket and learn to cast a fishing net the traditional way. Continue to an area filled with water palms and coconut trees and learn about the history of this part of Hoi An. Round off the adventure with a scenic boat trip back to Hoi An, savouring lunch on board. 🍷🍷

Morning Glory Signature Restaurant 🍴

Dine on Vietnamese street food-style dishes made from fresh ingredients at this modern restaurant, opposite the night markets. 🍷🍷

Mango Mango Restaurant

Located opposite Hoi An's Ancient Town with views of the Japanese Bridge and Thu Bon River from the outdoor terrace, sit back, relax and enjoy original Vietnamese dishes by Chef Duc. 🍷🍷

The Field Restaurant **NEW** 🍴

Nestled amongst the surrounding farmland near Hoi An, dine overlooking fields of rice paddies in a cosy and romantic setting. Enjoy traditional Vietnamese and fusion cuisine created using sustainable development based on indigenous values and local ingredients. 🍷🍷

Vietnam



French Colonial House, Cai Be

Cai Be

Colonial Tea and Cultural Demonstration 🏠
Travel by sampan to Le Longanier, a French colonial house restaurant, to savour a delicious morning or afternoon tea. Here staff will welcome you with tea, coffee and a range of local fruit and snacks for your tasting. Sit back and relax whilst listening to a local band playing music and performing traditional Vietnamese songs. 🍵🍵

Local industries in Cai Be and Tan Phong 🏠
Board a sampan to visit Tan Phong Island near Cai Be. Travel by electric buggy to visit typical local homes in the Mekong Delta where you will sample some exotic fruits and try your hand at water hyacinth weaving before re boarding your sampan to learn about the local sweet industries in Cai Be. A perfect opportunity to stock up on snacks for the remainder of your journey. 🍪🍪



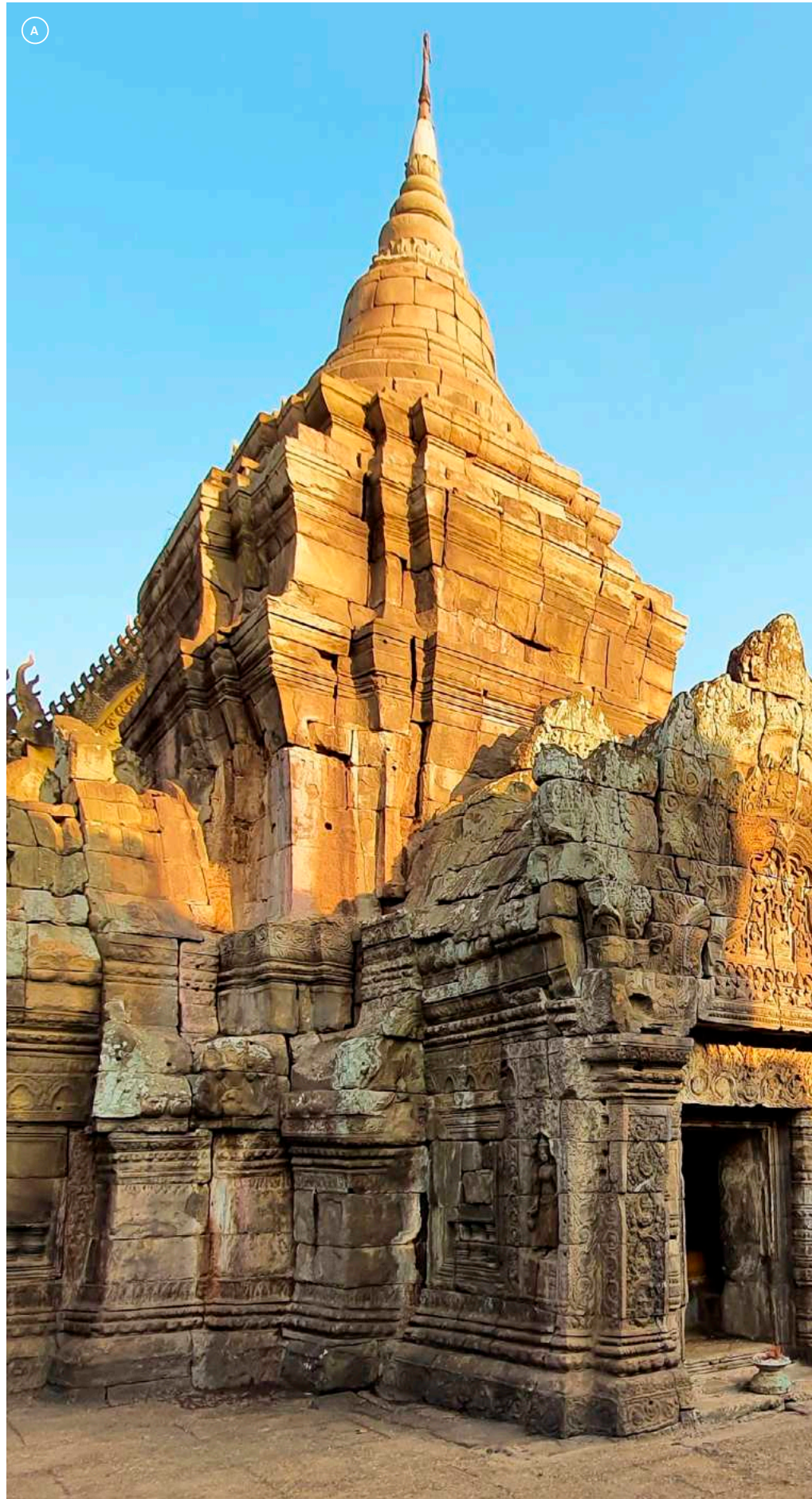
Cao Dai Temple

Tan Chau

River Life (Chau Doc) 🏠
Travel by coach to Tay An temple. Located at the foot of Sam Mountain, this temple is the best place for you to discover Indian and Islamic style architecture. Afterwards, board a sampan to cruise along the peaceful Vinh Te canal, visit a family-operated fish farm and enjoy the buzzing activity around the waterfront of Tan Chau. Return to Scenic Spirit by local speedboat through the local canals. 🍵🍵

Bird Sanctuary (Chau Doc) 🏠
Cruise by speedboat to Victoria Chau Doc pier and upon arrival continue by bus to Tra Su Forest. Here travel by paddle sampan through endless waterways flanked by mangroves and lush greenery. This eco reserve spans 850 hectares and is an ecological haven for fauna and flora, with more than 100 species of water birds and colonies of bats. 🍵🍵

Evergreen Island and Tan Chau 🏠
Board a sampan to visit the nearby Evergreen Island for a walk through the local village for an insight into the lives of the local farming community. Return to the town of Tan Chau where you will have the option to experience a ride in a Xe Loi. This is a commonly used form of transportation in rural Vietnam and will lead you to the recently renovated Cao Dai temple. The religion of Cao Dai is a syncretic, monotheistic religion established in southern Vietnam in the city of Tây Ninh in 1926. Here, you will learn more about the mix of ideas that form the basis of this fascinating religion. 🍵🍵



Cambodia



Guests' Pick

Killing Fields, Phnom Penh

Phnom Penh

Killing Fields 🏰

Visit the Killing Fields and tour the school used as a prison by the Khmer Rouge. 🍷🍷

Markets and Colonial Phnom Penh 🏰

Explore Phnom Penh's colonial buildings as well as its modern architecture by tuk tuk, and shop at the Central Market. 🍷🍷

Cooking Class 🍴

Take a guided tour of the local market before joining a hands-on cooking class. 🍷🍷



Banteay Srei Temple, Siem Reap

Siem Reap

Temple and Mines 🏰

Explore the 10th century Banteay Srei Temple, a temple commonly referred to as the Ladies Temple because of its pinkish sandstone and dedication to the Hindu god Shiva. Afterwards visit the Landmine Museum, founded in 1997 with the aim of making the country safe through the removal of mines. 🍷🍷



Senteurs d'Angkor workshop

Senteurs d'Angkor Workshop (Upstream only) 🏰

Visit this botanical garden to learn all about Cambodia's herbs, spices and fruits and see locals at work in workshops dedicated to the preservation of the arts and crafts of Cambodia. Through the different workshop stations, be guided by the scents and flavours of Cambodia as local artisans create handmade soap with coconut oil, natural cosmetics, subtly scented balms and aromatic candles. Try your hand at making your own candle and packaging to take home as a keepsake. 🍷🍷

Satcha Cambodian Handicraft Incubation Centre (Downstream only) 🏰

Visit the workshops of Satcha. The aim of Satcha is to create the first Cambodian handicraft centre that incubates local artisans, mixing traditional knowledge with contemporary design to showcase Cambodian talents. The aim is to help these artisans gain the know-how to develop their own business, thereby having a sustainable social, economic, and environmental impact on the local community. 🍷🍷

Tonlé Sap Lake Cruise 🏰

Cruise on the UNESCO biosphere reserve, Tonlé Sap Lake and discover the way of life of a floating village. (Jul to early March only). 🍷🍷



Tethered Balloon, Siem Reap

Tethered Balloon Ride and Lotus Textiles 🏰

Take a tethered balloon ride for aerial views over Angkor Wat (weather dependent), then visit a local Cambodian handicraft factory, Samato Lotus Textiles. 🍷🍷



Bamboo bridge, Kampong Cham

Kampong Cham

Local Folklore 🏰

Learn about the history and folklore of the area with a visit to Phnom Pros (Man Hill) and Wat Nokor, an 11th century temple with a modern pagoda built within. 🍷🍷

Kho Pen Village 🏰

Accessible by local remork and located on Pen (Bamboo) Island, across the bamboo bridge/ferry from Kampong Cham, this remote village gives a good insight into the simple rural lifestyle of farmers in Cambodia. 🍷🍷

Local Industries 🏰

Visit a rubber plantation and stop at a betel nut village outside of Kampong Cham. 🍷🍷

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Royal Panorama Suite Lounge, Scenic Spirit

Explore More Vietnam & Japan



A Ninh Binh, Vietnam

Sapa



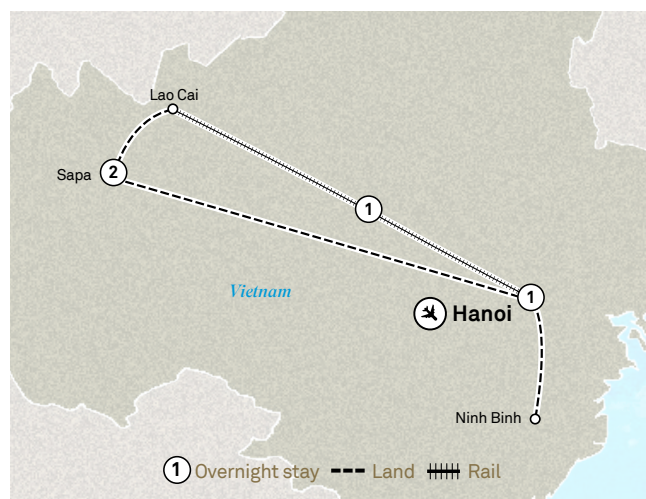
Sapa is a charming mountain town and home to a number of local minority tribes. Marvel at the stunning vistas of this former hill station; dramatic landscapes, picturesque villages and rice terraces and interact with the friendly hill tribe locals.

5 Day Hanoi > Sapa > Hanoi

From \$1,640pp*

This itinerary can be operated before your Scenic cruise and tour as a 5 day extension.

Independent extension, not escorted by a Scenic Tour Director. Guests must be capable of walking moderate distances over walking tracks to undertake this extension.



Extend your stay and be rewarded with unique encounters in Vietnam. Visit former French hill stations and meet minority tribes, gain insights into Australian war history or visit the Ibaraki Prefecture from Tokyo.

Ho Trám & Vung Tau Beach Escape



The beach resort towns of Ho Trám and Vung Tau are some of the most beautiful beach areas in Vietnam. This region also played a role in Australia's and New Zealand's war history in Vietnam. Spend two nights at the Meliá Ho Trám Beach Resort, providing that perfect getaway from Ho Chi Minh City.

4 Day Ho Chi Minh City > Vung Tau > Ho Trám > Ho Chi Minh City

From \$1,190pp*

This itinerary can be added after your Scenic cruise and tour by removing the first night in Ho Chi Minh City (Day 1) and becoming a 3 day itinerary with your transfer on Day 3 finishing at Ho Chi Minh City airport.



Ibaraki Prefecture Extension



Japan's Ibaraki Prefecture, is home to the Japanese space exploration organisation, the country's premier science centre and fields of majestic flowers, including the stunning blue nemophila flowers in spring and bright red kochia bushes in autumn.

3 Day Tokyo > Tokyo

From \$4,130pp*

This itinerary can be operated before or after your Scenic Land Journey as a 3 day independent extension, not escorted by a Scenic Tour Director.



*All prices are a from price, per person twin share and include taxes and charges. Single room price on application. Prices are correct as of 02 September 2024. For full terms and conditions please refer to pages 118-123 or visit our website.

The finest hotels South East Asia



Scenic accommodation is all about the details. You can choose to stay in the finest hotels both before and after your river cruise, to ensure you are well rested for the next stage of your journey.

Location	Description
Hanoi, Vietnam	Sofitel Legend Metropole Located close to the iconic Opera House, this Hanoi landmark has welcomed ambassadors, writers and heads of state, mixing modern luxury and Asian service with French colonial elegance. From \$350 per person
Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam	Caravelle Saigon The heart of Saigon showcases the ultimate combination of history and luxury. Located in the city centre, you have iconic landmarks and bustling city life just a short walk away. Enjoy all the luxuries of the modern traveller with a range of rooms and suite types. From \$180 per person
Luang Prabang, Laos	Luangsay Residence This beautifully decorated hotel is a Colonial-style retreat. Located within easy reach of Luang Prabang's heritage area showcasing traditional Lao wooden houses and colonial architecture. From \$235 per person

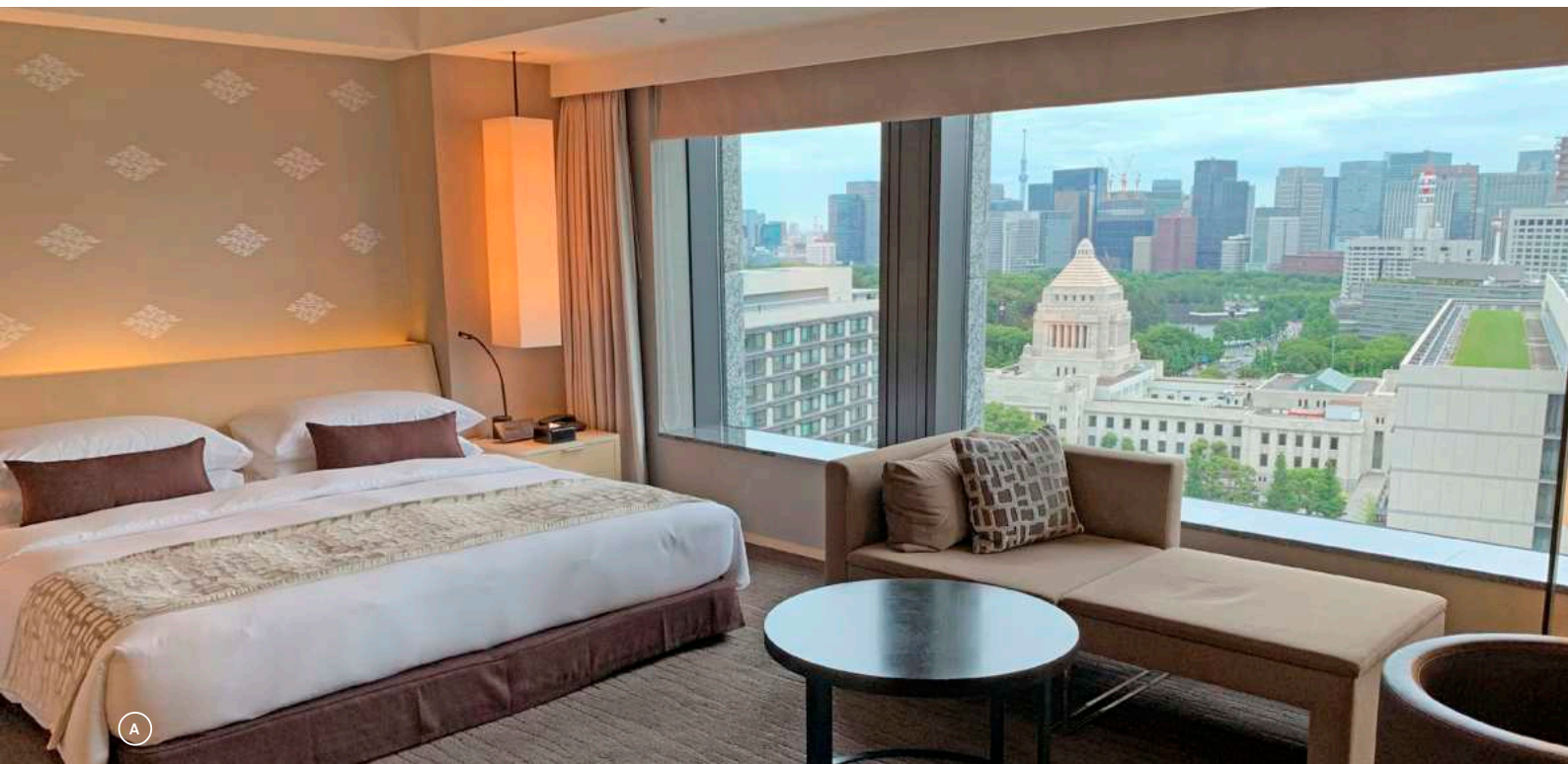
Location	Description
Vientiane, Laos	Crowne Plaza Located in the city centre, this luxurious 1932 Colonial-style hotel is walking distance to Vientiane's best sites. The hotel features a classic French restaurant, a stately wood bar and a formal lounge, terrace cafe and outdoor pool, while the elegant rooms offer four-poster beds, free Wi-Fi, satellite TV and marble bathrooms with rainfall showers. From \$150 per person
Siem Reap, Cambodia	Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor This 5-star luxury hotel in Siem Reap offers an authentic Cambodian experience and a fresh take on century-old stylings with a modern and elegant touch. A truly remarkable stay allows easy access to this fascinating town with a melting pot of experiences on offer. From \$205 per person

A Sofitel Legend Metropole, Hanoi, Vietnam

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The finest hotels Japan



Scenic's carefully chosen accommodations are all about combining luxury with a unique atmosphere. We offer best-in-class service so you can relax, wherever your journey takes you.

Location	Description
Tokyo, Japan	<p>Capitol Hotel Tokyu</p> <p>A tranquil haven located in the heart of Tokyo and recently rated in the Forbes Travel Guide as Tokyo's Exclusive Japanese decor 5-star luxury hotel. The Capitol Hotel Tokyu offers a modern take intertwined with traditional Japanese furnishings and features a wide range of facilities including restaurants/bars, a spa, fitness club and a large swimming pool.</p> <p>From \$540 per person</p>
Osaka, Japan	<p>Hilton Osaka</p> <p>Situated in the heart of the business district, connected to a large shopping mall, the Hilton Osaka offers modern amenities, large windows and beautiful views over the city from your Executive Club Room.</p> <p>From \$570 per person</p>

Location	Description
Sapporo, Japan	<p>Sapporo Grand Hotel</p> <p>A Western-style hotel with a large range of accommodations and amenities and located amongst Chuo's most iconic landmarks including Hanamaru JR Tower Stellar Place. Guests are spoiled for choice amongst the wide range of places to visit as well as delicious cuisine options within the hotel.</p> <p>From \$345 per person</p>
Fukuoka, Japan	<p>Grand Hyatt Fukuoka</p> <p>Connected to Canal City Hakata entertainment and shopping complex, the Grand Hyatt Fukuoka offers modern design and a range of services including fitness centre and spa, complimentary Wi-Fi and handy smartphone. The hotel is also walking distance to the Nakasu yatai food stalls.</p> <p>From \$460 per person</p>

^A Capitol Hotel Tokyu, Tokyo, Japan

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Scenic special stays



With Scenic Special Stays, you will enjoy iconic properties remarkable for their location, character and heritage, a truly luxurious experience unlike any other.

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Beppu, Japan	ANA InterContinental Beppu Resort & Spa Perched in the foothills overlooking Beppu, this hotel is a luxury resort with stunning views over the mountains, the expansive bay, and steaming natural hot springs. As an IHG Hotel, this hotel features spacious rooms with a calming Japanese-inspired design and modern amenities to meet every need for an immersive relaxation experience.

Location	Description
Osaka, Japan	Hilton Osaka Situated in the heart of the business district, connected to a large shopping mall, the Hilton Osaka offers modern amenities, large windows and beautiful views over the city from your Executive Room. Relaxing in the Club Lounge with a wide range of luxury amenities is the perfect way to unwind after an exciting day in Osaka.
Tokyo, Japan	Capitol Hotel Tokyu A tranquil haven located in the heart of Tokyo and recently rated in the Forbes Travel Guide as Tokyo's Exclusive Japanese decor 5-star luxury hotel.
Iwate, Japan	Hanamaki Onsen Kashoen An untouched gem located amid the mountains and ornate green Akamatsu pine trees. This hotel is like no other – meticulously appointed traditional Japanese and western rooms offer the luxuries suitable for all travellers.
Lake Towada, Japan	Hoshino Resorts Oirase Keiryu Hotel Known as one of the most picturesque locations in Japan, guests can soak up the awe-inspiring facilities and modern rooms of this luxurious hotel surrounded with the natural hot springs.

4 Hanamaki Onsen Kashoen, Iwate, Japan

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Bangkok stopovers

Immerse yourself in Bangkok. From the delicacies of its busy street markets to moments of quiet reflection inside its serene monasteries, the city is a melting pot of new experiences.

Banyan Tree Bangkok



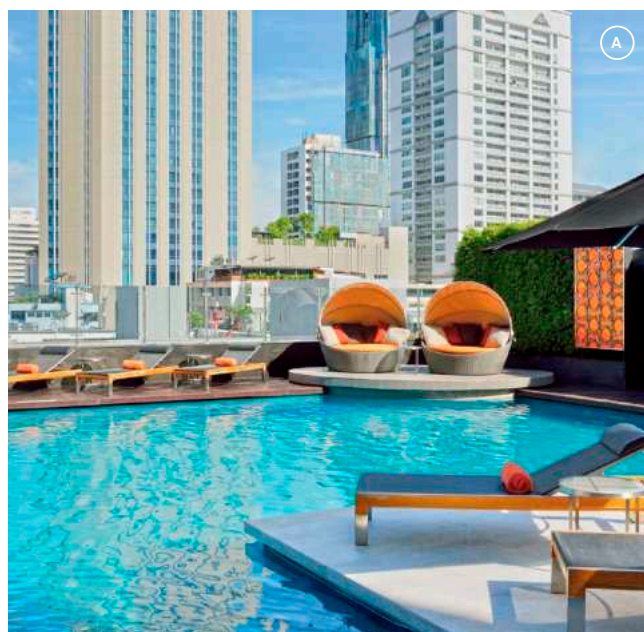
Banyan Tree Bangkok is located just 10-minutes' walk from the excitement of the Silom area. This hotel is a prime example of the marriage of luxury and comfort in the heart of Bangkok offering a wide range of facilities including a rooftop swimming pool, two brilliantly appointed rooftop bars with stunning views of the Bangkok skyline, world-class dining experiences and an award-winning spa.

Value added inclusions

- Complimentary drink upon arrival
- Complimentary club lounge access for all bookings
- Return airport transfers
- Breakfast daily

2 night package: Twin share from \$600 per person

Hyatt Regency Sukhumvit Bangkok



Experience a vibrant and luxurious stay at the Hyatt Regency Sukhumvit Bangkok. Guests can enjoy a variety of dining experiences as well as swimming and exercise facilities. Situated in the centre of the main shopping district Sukhumvit, wander various malls and street stalls or try some of the local cuisines on the streets of Bangkok.

Value added inclusions

- Return airport transfers
- Breakfast daily

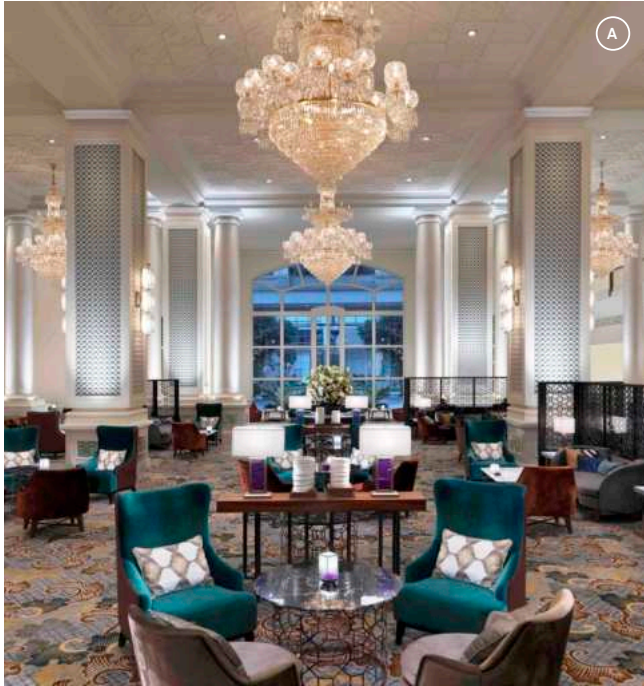
2 night package: Twin share from \$575 per person

A Banyan Tree Bangkok, Thailand **B** Hyatt Regency Sukhumvit Bangkok, Thailand

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Singapore stopovers

InterContinental® Singapore



A luxury landmark set in the heart of a historic precinct, InterContinental® Singapore is deeply rooted in the heritage of the arts and cultural districts of Bugis and Bras Basah, and the hotel architecture encompasses an elegant blend of modern touches with Peranakan undertones representative of colourful shop houses, once home to a multi-ethnic community of settlers known as Bugis from Indonesia.

The hotel's central location offers convenient accessibility to the diverse attractions around Singapore.

As a gourmet dining destination, the hotel offers guests a collection of award-winning restaurants presenting a diverse selection of cuisine for the refined palate.

Value added inclusions

- Lounge Access for minimum 2 night package
- Complimentary high tea (2 and 5 night package)
- Complimentary dinner for two at LUCE (3 night package)
- Complimentary dinner for two at LUCE (5 night package)
- Return airport transfers
- Breakfast daily

1 night package twin share from \$585 per person
2 night package twin share from \$1,750 per person
3 night package twin share from \$2,545 per person
5 night package twin share from \$3,995 per person



- A** The Lobby Lounge, InterContinental® Singapore
- B** Swimming Pool, InterContinental® Singapore
- C** Classic Room InterContinental® Singapore

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A cosmopolitan mix of contrasts, Singapore is home to people of Chinese, Malay and Indian descent, offering visitors unique sightseeing and culinary opportunities. The shopping district of Orchard Road offers high fashion, high-tech gadgets and numerous dining options.

Swissotel The Stamford Singapore



Set in the heart of Singapore, with the MRT at its doorstep, Swissotel The Stamford provides an ideal base to explore. One of the tallest hotels in South East Asia, offering contemporary guest rooms with cutting-edge technology, ergonomic seats and spacious desks. Luxuriate at the spa, try the fitness facilities, or dine on innovative cuisines at one of the 15 restaurants and bars.

Value added inclusions

- Return airport transfers
- Breakfast daily

1 night package twin share from \$475 per person

Fairmont Singapore



The Fairmont Singapore is ideally situated at the crossroads of Singapore's cultural, entertainment and shopping districts. Enjoy this captivating city by staying in unrivalled elegance and luxury. Indulge in gastronomic delights at one of the 15 restaurants and bars, sip artisan cocktails by the pool or pamper yourself at Willow Stream Spa.

Value added inclusions

- Return airport transfers
- Breakfast daily

1 night package twin share from \$520 per person

A Swissotel the Stamford Singapore **B** Lobby, Fairmont Singapore

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SCENIC°CLUB

Membership & Benefits



The Scenic Club loyalty program rewards you for pursuing your passion for travel. Gain access to exclusive offers and savings, like private transfers, priority access on pre-released handcrafted land journeys and ultra-luxury cruises, complimentary pre- or post-cruise hotel stays, and more.

SCENIC°CLUB — GOLD —

Upon returning from your first cruise or land journey, you'll automatically become a Scenic Club Gold member. **Gold benefits include:** Welcome home voucher to be redeemed on your next ultra-luxury cruise or land journey*, priority booking on pre-release land journey or cruises, Scenic Club members-only events and early access to Scenic Wonder eMagazine.

SCENIC°CLUB — PLATINUM —

Members who collect 5,000 status points will be upgraded to Scenic Club Platinum. In addition to the benefits of Gold, your **Platinum benefits include:** Private transfers and a complimentary pre- or post-hotel stay^.

SCENIC°CLUB — DIAMOND —

Members who collect 10,000 status points will be upgraded to Scenic Club Diamond. In addition to the benefits of Platinum, your **Diamond benefits include:** Invitation to premium events, on board booking priority and private transfers.

SCENIC°CLUB — EMERALD —

Members who collect 25,000 status points will be upgraded to Scenic Club Emerald. In addition to all the benefits of Diamond, your **Emerald benefits include:** Upgraded hotel^^, invitations to premium events and a welcome home hamper after every Scenic journey.



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Our commitment to a sustainable future



Scenic's Cherish the Planet ethos is more than sustainability. It's a commitment to creating positive change, sustainable practices and rich community partnerships, leaving as small a footprint as possible.

Our Cherish the Planet ethos is built in accordance with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. The sustainability agenda reinforces our commitment to environmentally responsible tourism and protecting the places we visit.

We aim to leave as small a footprint as possible while proudly forming positive and enriching associations with the communities we visit.

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Canada & Alaska

Discover the untamed beauty of Alaska and marvel at Canada's Rocky Mountains. On our land journeys, enjoy stays at Fairmont Hotels and Rocky Mountaineer GoldLeaf service for a luxurious experience.

Ocean Cruising 2 countries
Land Journeys 2 countries



USA & The Caribbean

Access small ports in Bermuda and The Bahamas, cross the legendary Panama Canal and explore USA's East Coast, including New York.

Ocean Cruising 8 countries
Land Journeys 1 country



South America

From beautifully preserved colonial cities to ancient vibrant cultures, majestic fjords and alluring beaches, see what South America has to offer.

Ocean Cruising 7 countries
Land Journeys 1 country



The Arctic & Greenland

From Iceland to Svalbard and beyond the Arctic Circle, discover stunning landscapes and abundant wildlife.

Ocean Cruising
 2 countries



Antarctic Peninsula

Explore the Peninsula's highlights or travel further into the Weddell Sea in search of the emperor penguin. Be one of few to have gone beyond the Antarctic Circle or explore the teeming wildlife of South Georgia and the Falkland Islands' history.

Ocean Cruising 1 continent






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Discover the world of Scenic

For more than 38 years, Scenic has set the standard for worldwide exploration. Our ultra-luxury cruises and handcrafted land journeys will take you to the heart of each destination's culture, history, and natural wonders across all seven continents.

Whether you are cruising along the majestic waterways of Europe, South East Asia or the Pacific, or discovering the pristine landscapes of the polar regions, every moment is designed to create stories for life.

-  Ultra-Luxury River Cruising
-  Ultra-Luxury Ocean Cruising
-  Luxury Land Journeys

Europe

Whether on a land journey, ocean or river cruise, explore major capitals like London, Lisbon and Paris to places off the beaten track. Discover medieval cities, idyllic villages and stunning coastal and country landscapes.

- River Cruising** 15 countries
- Ocean Cruising** 17 countries
- Land Journeys** 11 countries



South East & North Asia

Explore ancient traditions and futuristic cities of Japan and Korea or the stunning nature and cultures of South East Asia.

- Ocean Cruising** 7 countries
- River Cruising** 2 countries
- Land Journeys** 4 countries



Australia & Oceania

Experience ultra-luxury cruising in Western Australia, the Top End and the Great Barrier Reef. Explore Norfolk Island and Tasmania on a handcrafted land journey.

- Ocean Cruising** 11 countries
- Land Journeys** 1 country



Africa & Middle East

From Kenya's savannahs to Egypt's Nile wonders, South Africa, Tanzania and Zimbabwe's wildlife, be immersed in a remarkable journey.

- Ocean Cruising** 2 countries
- Land Journeys** 6 countries



East Antarctica & Ross Sea

Explore this seldom-visited region from Hobart and New Zealand. Limited to a few guests annually. Witness abundant wildlife and stunning landscapes.

- Ocean Cruising** 1 continent



New Zealand

Cruise the stunning Milford Sound, experience Queenstown's allure, and discover Hobbiton's charm.

- Ocean Cruising** 1 country
- Land Journeys** 1 country



Terms & Conditions

1. Contract

1.1 These terms and conditions (Conditions) form the basis of the contract between You and Scenic Tours Pty Ltd (ABN 85 002 715 602) (We, Us or Our) (Contract). It is important that You read the Contract carefully to ensure that You understand Your rights and obligations. Certain clauses in these Conditions may apply only to either the Scenic Brand or the Emerald Brand Journeys (as applicable). If a clause only applies to the Scenic Brand or the Emerald Brand (as applicable), this is expressly stated in the relevant clause. Your Contract may also include additional terms and conditions applicable to a special offer or promotion, and/or, depending on Your Journey, Destination Specific Terms.

1.2 If Your Journey includes a Cruise, You will also be subject to the Passenger Ticket Terms and Conditions, being the conditions of carriage for the Cruise Vessel, which are available on our Website and otherwise on request to Us.

1.3 You confirm Your understanding and acceptance of these Conditions and the Contract by paying Your Booking Deposit or otherwise paying any part of Your Journey Price. If You do not understand and accept these Conditions and the terms of the Contract, You should not make any payment to Us and in this case, We will cancel Your Booking in accordance with clause 3.3 of these Conditions.

1.4 If You make a Booking on behalf of any other person, You represent to Us that You have their authority to make the Booking on their behalf and to legally bind them to the terms of the Contract, including these Conditions. Each reference to You, Your, Guest or Passenger means the person who makes the Booking and each other person covered by the Booking.

1.5 Your Itinerary does not form part of the Contract. It may be necessary for us to make changes to Your Itinerary and we do not guarantee any Itinerary that is provided to You.

1.6 We may amend our published Conditions from time to time. If We amend the published Conditions, We will publish the amended version on Our Website. We will also provide the current version of the Conditions to You upon request. You will be bound by the current version of the Conditions at the time You make Your Booking.

1.7 You acknowledge that in order to participate in Your Journey, You may need to sign up to and comply with the terms and conditions of Service Providers, and where reasonably practicable, We will provide such terms and conditions to you prior to or during Your Journey.

1.8 Travel Insurance:

(a) All travel involves risks. We strongly recommend You take out comprehensive travel insurance with a reputable insurance company to cover You against risks associated with Your Journey, including cover for loss of luggage, medical expenses and costs and expenses incurred due to cancellations, delays or other disruptions.

(b) If you do not obtain adequate travel insurance, You accept that You may not be able to recover costs in relation to Your Journey Price in the event of cancellation or material changes made to Your Journey or Itinerary.

2. Meaning of Words

In these Conditions, the following words and expressions have the following meanings:

- (a) Booking means the booking You have made with Us for the Journey.
- (b) Booking Deposit means a booking deposit in an amount which We have notified to You before You made Your Booking.
- (c) Captain means the captain of a Cruise Vessel.
- (d) Cruise means a cruise constituting or forming part of Your Journey.
- (e) Cruise Director means any person designated by Us as the cruise director for any Cruise.
- (f) Cruise Vessel means a vessel used for the purpose of providing a Cruise.
- (g) Customer Service Contact Address means the details for contacting Us set out in clause 13.7 of these Conditions.
- (h) Departure Time means the earlier of:
 - (i) the beginning of the boarding process of any vehicle (such as the embarkation of a Cruise Vessel) that is part of Your Journey; and
 - (ii) You checking into any accommodation that is part of Your Journey.
- (i) Destination Specific Terms means terms and conditions specific to a particular Journey, as published in the Journey Brochure or on Our Website for the relevant Journey, or, where applicable, set out in clause 14 of these Conditions.
- (j) Documentation has the meaning given to it in clause 6.6.
- (k) Drone means an unmanned aerial vehicle or UAV, being an aircraft of any size that operates without a pilot on board.
- (l) Emerald Brand means the "Emerald Cruises" brand, associated with the Emerald Website.
- (m) Emerald Website means the website at <https://www.emeraldcrises.com.au>.
- (n) Discovery Team Leader means any person designated by Us as the discovery team leader for any Cruise.
- (o) Force Majeure Event means any act of God, war, terrorism, fire, flood or any other extreme weather conditions or act of nature, loss of power, epidemics, pandemics or declared public health emergencies, industrial disputes, slow-downs or other strike activities, political unrest, riots or civil disturbances, prohibitions or acts of Federal, State, Territory, or Local government or, quasi-governments bodies or other authorities (including, in each case, their duly constituted or appointed agents), inability to obtain any necessary licence or consent and delays caused by sub-contractors, suppliers or other third parties (including telecommunications carriers), material shortages, any border closure by any country or any relevant Government authority.
- (p) Future Travel Credit means a credit that may be issued by Us to You and which may be redeemed against a future booking in accordance with clause 9 of these Conditions.

(q) Guest Contact Details means Your contact details which You have provided to Us at the time of making Your Booking, as amended by any written notice You may provide to Us from time to time in accordance with clause 13.10 of these Conditions.

(r) Itinerary means the itinerary for Your Journey issued by Us, subject to any amendments made by Us from time to time in accordance with this Contract.

(s) Journey means a journey or journey package offered or provided by Us.

(t) Journey Brochure means the brochure for Your Journey published by Us in hard copy or electronically, as amended from time to time by notification on Our Website.

(u) Journey Departure Date means the scheduled departure date for the Journey set out in Your Itinerary.

(v) Journey Price means the total amount payable by You for the Journey. It includes the Booking Deposit.

(w) Minor Change has the meaning given to it in clause 5.4.

(x) Operator means the owner or operator of a Cruise Vessel, who is a separate legal entity and business, whether or not related to Us.

(y) Personal Information means information about You and any other person for whom You make a Booking, including a name, address, phone number and other contact details, details of next of kin, passport number, credit or debit card details, and information about health, medical needs, dietary requirements and any disabilities or other special requirements.

(z) Scenic Brand means the "Scenic" brand, associated with the Scenic Website.

(aa) Scenic Website means the website at www.scenic.com.au.

(bb) Service Provider means any contractor engaged by Us to provide a Journey or any part of a Journey, and includes an Operator. Service Providers are separate legal entities that may be related to Us.

(cc) Tour Director means any person designated by Us as the Tour Director for Your Journey.

(dd) Validity Period means in respect of a Journey Brochure, the validity period stated in that brochure.

(ee) Website means the Scenic Website or the Emerald Website (as applicable).

(ff) Your Journey means the Journey You have booked with Us, as outlined in Your Itinerary and (if applicable) as amended.

3 Booking and Payment

3.1 You may make a Booking directly with Us or through a travel advisor / agent. Your Booking will be confirmed only when We have received:

(a) Your Booking Deposit; or

(b) if Your Booking is made 90/ 120 (see clause 4.9 (a)) days or less before the Journey Departure Date, the Journey Price and all other amounts payable under the Contract.

3.2 Except as indicated in clause 3.8, We will notify You of the Journey Price and provide You with Your Itinerary at the time of making Your Booking.

3.3 You must pay Your Booking Deposit within 7 days after making Your Booking. If We do not receive Your Booking Deposit within 7 days after You make Your Booking, We will automatically cancel Your Booking without further notice to You.

3.4 The Booking deposit amount is 20% of the Journey price for Ocean Cruises and AUD 1'000 for all other Journeys.

3.5 If You have made Your Booking through a travel agent, Your travel agent should forward Your Booking Deposit or Journey Price to Us on Your behalf. However, 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 only when We receive payment from Your travel agent.

3.6 Any accommodation, sightseeing or flights We book for You separately to those stated in Your Itinerary are not included in the Booking Deposit or Journey Price, and You must pay both the deposit and full costs for such additional services separately to the Booking Deposit and Journey Price at the time which We notify to You at or before You make Your Booking. Any requests for such additional services will not be processed until Your Booking Deposit is paid in full.

3.7 For some special offers, We may require payment of a further deposit before the balance of the Journey Price is due. We will notify You of any such requirement before You complete Your Booking and will confirm the payment details when We confirm Your Booking. You must make payment by the date notified by Us.

3.8 Except as required by law or as otherwise provided in the Contract, Booking Deposits are not refundable and are not transferable to other Journeys or Bookings.

3.9 If You make Your Booking within 90/ 120 (see clause 4.9 (a)) days of Your Journey Departure Date, You must pay Your Booking Deposit before We can process Your Booking and confirm Your Journey Price. Your Booking is not confirmed until You have paid the Journey Price. We will notify You of the Journey Price promptly after We have calculated it. If You do not confirm Your acceptance of the Journey Price in writing within 7 days of receipt of notification from Us, You will be deemed to have rejected the Journey Price. If You notify Us that You have rejected the Journey Price or if You are deemed to have rejected the Journey Price, We will cancel Your Booking and refund Your Booking Deposit. If You accept the Journey Price, You must pay the outstanding Journey Price within 72 hours of Us notifying You of the Journey Price, or We will cancel Your Booking and retain Your Booking Deposit.

3.10 If clause 3.8 does not apply, You must pay to Us the balance of the Journey Price and all other amounts payable under the Contract no later than 90/ 120 (see clause 4.9 (a)) days before the Journey Departure Date.

3.11 If You wish to change any incidental component of Your Booking, such as any pre or post Journey accommodation or add-ons, You must contact Us. We may accept or reject Your request. If We accept, We will notify You of additional costs (if any) resulting from the change (such as additional cost associated with

additional days of accommodation requested by You or resulting from a change to Your flights that You requested).

- (a) If there are no additional costs, You must pay a change fee to Us for each change in accordance with clause 4.7 of these Conditions.
- (b) If there are additional costs and You reject these, Your Booking will not be changed.
- (c) If there are additional costs and You accept these, You must pay a change fee to Us for each change in accordance with clause 4.7 of these Conditions and the additional costs resulting from the change.

3.12 You may cancel a Booking by sending Us written notice of cancellation at the Customer Service Contact Address. If You cancel a Booking You will be liable to pay a cancellation fee in accordance with clause 4.8 of these Conditions.

3.13 A name change for a Guest or a change to the Journey Departure Date is considered a cancellation of the original Booking.

4 Prices, inclusions and fees

4.1 All Journey Prices are quoted in Australian Dollars.

4.2 If You pay Us by credit card, a surcharge may be added, please enquire for details. There is no surcharge for payments made by cash, cheque or direct transfer to Our nominated bank account.

4.3 Your Journey Price includes all coach, rail and cruise travel set out in the Itinerary, the services of a Cruise Director (if applicable) and/or Tour Director, airport transfers outside Australia, meals as specified in Your Itinerary, economy class group flights and air taxes as set out in Your Itinerary, accommodation, sightseeing and admissions, where stated in Your Itinerary, port charges, all gratuities and tipping on land Journeys and any other specific inclusions identified in Your Itinerary.

4.4 Unless expressly listed in Your Itinerary as an inclusion, Your Journey Price does not include airfares, airline taxes, shore excursions, additional optional activities, accommodation upgrades, meals not specified in Your Itinerary, drinks, laundry, spa and beauty treatments, medical services (only available on Scenic Eclipse), helicopter (Ocean), submersible (Ocean), travel between train stations, passport fees, visas, vaccinations, medical assistance, government taxes and charges (excluding GST) or any items or expenses of a personal nature.

4.5 Discovery Experiences (Ocean) can only be booked whilst on-board including Zodiac, kayak, helicopter and submersible. Helicopter and submersible are at an additional cost.

4.6 Unless stated as an inclusion in Your Itinerary, overnight accommodation required to meet Your Journey and/or any flight connections are not included in the Journey Price and will be at Your expense.

4.7 We reserve the right not to honour any published prices that were erroneous due to printing, electronic, or clerical error. If You make a Booking based on erroneous pricing, We will offer You the option of cancelling the Booking and receiving a refund of any amount paid by You or confirming the Booking by paying the difference between the erroneous price and the correct price, as determined by Us.

4.8 The following Fees are payable in addition to the Journey Price: If You change Your Booking, other than by varying the Journey Departure Date, You must pay a change fee of \$50.00 per Booking. This fee is on account of administrative expenses incurred by Us in changing Your Journey and is a genuine and reasonable estimate of Our expenses.

4.9 Cancellation fees payable by You:

(a) If You cancel Your Journey for any reason prior to Your Journey Departure Date (including by changing Your Journey Departure Date or the name of a Guest), You will be liable for the following cancellation fee:

European and Asian River cruises, Japan, North America, Australia and New Zealand land tours:		Ocean cruises, Africa, Egypt & Jordan land tours:	
Days of notice prior to Journey commencement	Cancellation charge (per person)	Days of notice prior to Journey commencement	Cancellation charge (per person)
Over 90 days	Loss of Booking Deposit	120 days and over	Loss of Booking Deposit
89 to 61 days	50% of Journey Price	119 to 91 days	50% of Journey Price
60 to 0 days	100% of Journey Price	90 days and less	100% of Journey Price

You may also be liable to pay cancellation fees to airlines, hotels and other third parties.

(b) If using a Future Travel Credit and You cancel Your Journey for any reason prior to Your Journey Departure Date (including by changing Your Journey Departure Date or the name of a Guest), You will lose a portion of the Future Travel Credit equivalent to the cancellation fee that You would otherwise be liable for under clause 4.9(a). For the avoidance of doubt:

- (i) if You seek to cancel Your Journey prior to 91 (river) or 120 (ocean) days before the Journey Departure Date, You will be liable for a cancellation charge against your Future Travel Credit that is equivalent to the amount of the Booking Deposit that would have been payable by You at the time of making Your Booking if you were using a payment method other than a Future Travel Credit; and
- (ii) regardless of when you cancel, You will be notified of the relevant cancellation amount prior to the processing of your proposed cancellation. You may also be liable to pay cancellation fees to airlines and other third parties. Any portion of the Journey Price that has been paid by You to Us in the form of the Future Travel Credit in excess of the applicable cancellation charge will be refunded to You in

the form of a Future Travel Credit and must be used by You within 24 months of the date on which You originally obtained the relevant Future Travel Credit.

4.10 We may vary Your Journey Price at any time before You have paid the Journey Price in full to the extent necessary to meet any increase in the Journey costs for reasons outside of Our control, including airfares, fuel, government taxes and charges, exchange rate fluctuations or other Journey related costs or tariffs. If We make such changes to Your Journey Price, We will notify You using Your Guest Contact details or via Your travel agent and give You a right to have Your Journey cancelled and receive a refund for the portion of the Journey Price that You paid directly to Us. We will not vary the Journey Price after We have received the total Journey Price from You, regardless of any increases in the costs incurred by Us.

4.11 You are responsible for and must pay for all costs and expenses incurred by You as a result of any change made by You to Your Itinerary after the Departure Time. This includes changes due to illness or other personal reasons.

4.12 Discover More shore excursion: Once on board, excursions cancelled at least 48 hours prior to the day of the excursion will be refunded in full. Any refunds will be either refunded to your credit card (for bookings made pre cruise) or to your on board account (for bookings made on board). You may cancel your excursion booking within 48 hours; however, no refund will be provided. Any exceptions to this rule will be clearly outlined in the excursion booking form. Excursion tickets must be returned to the Shore Excursions Desk at the time of cancellation.

5 Cancellation and changes to Your Journey and Itinerary

5.1 Your acknowledgement:

(a) Subject to any rights you may have under the Australian Consumer Law and subject to clause 7.8, you acknowledge that:

- (i) there are general risks associated with travelling which are outside of Our control (in addition to Force Majeure Events) including Journey variations or interruptions caused by road, river, ocean or sea, weather conditions, public holidays, port or lock closures, unscheduled vessel or vehicle maintenance or emergency situations. We are not liable to You for any loss, cost or damage You may incur as a result of these general risks, except to the extent that such risks are a result of Our negligence, fraud or wilful misconduct; and
- (ii) We will not have any liability to You in relation to the cancellation of Your Journey by Us, or changes to Your Journey or Itinerary (including the costs of any affected travel arrangements and personal expenses, such as food) other than as set out in this clause.

(b) Your rights and remedies in this clause are subject to clause 8 (Force Majeure Event).

5.2 Notice: If We cancel or make any changes to your Journey or Itinerary at any time for reasons in or outside of Our control, We will use reasonable endeavours to give You reasonable notice of the cancellation or change (as applicable). If the cancellation or change occurs prior to the Departure Time, We will notify You using Your Guest Contact details or via Your travel agent. If the cancellation or change occurs after the Departure Time, You will be notified personally by the Cruise Director or Tour Director. You acknowledge that there may be circumstances outside of Our control and knowledge in which case We may only provide You with little or no advance notice of the cancellation or change.

5.3 Cancellation: We may cancel Your Journey for any reason (separate to Force Majeure Events), at any time (including prior to and after the Departure Time). For example, We may cancel Your Journey prior to the Departure Time if We do not receive a minimum number of Journey or Cruise passenger bookings to operate the Journey and ensure an enjoyable group atmosphere. If We cancel Your Journey prior to the Departure Time under this clause, You will be entitled to a refund of the Journey Price that You paid directly to Us (excluding agent / travel advisor fees). If We cancel Your Journey after the Departure Time under this clause, You will be entitled to a pro rata refund of the Journey Price that You paid directly to Us and that directly relates to the cancelled part of the Journey.

5.4 Discover More shore excursion cancellation: We may cancel a shore excursion if the minimum participation number is not reached. In this event, we will offer an alternative excursion or a full refund. We reserve the right to cancel or amend a shore excursion for any reason including upon operational or commercial grounds and if we cancel an excursion for this reason we will issue a full refund.

5.5 Minor changes to Your Journey or Itinerary: We may make certain non-material changes to Your Journey and/or Itinerary (separately to changes as a result of Force Majeure Events) at any time (including prior to and after the Departure Time) (Minor Changes). Minor Changes may include an inability to sail for part of a day, the use of coaches to transfer You to an alternative Cruise Vessel, changes in ports of embarkation or disembarkation, changes to Your cabin on the Cruise Vessel, changes to sightseeing activities, changes to Your Itinerary on board a Cruise Vessel and changes to the amount of time spent at a particular location. We have no liability to you for a Minor Change and You will not be entitled to a refund or any other remedy in the event of a Minor Change.

5.6 Other changes to Your Journey or Itinerary prior to the Departure Time: We may make any changes to Your Journey and Itinerary prior to the Departure Time (separately to changes as a result of Force Majeure Events), including changes to the planned departure date. If We make such changes, We may offer you an alternative Journey or Itinerary and notify you of any applicable difference in the Journey Price. If You accept the alternative Journey or Itinerary (as applicable) within 7 days of being notified by Us and:

- (a) the original Journey Price exceeds the alternative Journey Price, then We will refund You the difference; or
- (b) the alternative Journey Price exceeds the original Journey Price, then You must pay us the difference.

If You do not accept the alternative Journey or Itinerary (as applicable) within 7 days of being notified by Us, We will cancel Your Journey and refund You the Journey Price that You paid directly to Us.

5.7 Other changes to Your Journey or Itinerary after the Departure Time:

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(a) We may also be required to make other changes to Your Journey after the Departure Time for reasons outside of Our control (and separately to changes as a result of Force Majeure Events). Such changes may include cancellation of sightseeing activities, continuous cruising without stopping, operating part of the Journey by coach and provision of off-ship accommodation in hotels or other accommodation.

(b) If We make a material change to Your Journey or Itinerary under this clause but provide You with a reasonably appropriate and equivalent alternative arrangement, then You may not be entitled to a refund and our liability to You will be limited to the arrangements offered under this clause, subject to clause 5.7(c).

(c) To the extent We make a material change to Your Journey under this clause and We do not offer You a reasonably appropriate and equivalent alternative arrangement, You may be entitled to a proportionate refund of the Journey Price that You paid directly to Us (as determined by Us, acting reasonably).

6. Your Journey obligations

6.1 For the comfort and safety of You and Your fellow passengers and other people, You must follow the Tour Director's, Discovery Team Leader, Captain's and Cruise Director's instructions at all times.

6.2 If We, the Captain or Cruise Director, the Tour Director or Our staff or any Service Provider consider that You are negatively affecting Your own health, safety or enjoyment, or that of other passengers, including by refusing to comply with instructions of the Tour Director, Captain or the Cruise Director, We may terminate the Contract and withdraw You from the Journey with immediate effect. If it is reasonably practicable to do so, the Tour Director, Captain or Cruise Director will provide a warning to You and allow You an opportunity to rectify Your behaviour before We withdraw You from the Journey.

6.3 If You are withdrawn from the Journey under clause 6.2, You must make Your own travel and other arrangements at Your own expense and We are not liable to You for any loss, cost or damage You may suffer or incur as a result.

6.4 You must have a valid passport with an expiry date of at least six (6) months after the last scheduled day of Your Journey.

6.5 You must ensure that You obtain prior to the Journey Departure Date all required entry visas for all countries to be visited during the Journey, as failure to obtain correct documentation may affect Your participation in certain shore excursions and entry to certain countries during the Journey.

6.6 If You do not have the correct visa or other documentation necessary to enter a country or participate in any aspect of a Journey (Documentation):

(a) We will not refund to You any portion of the Journey Price; and
(b) You will be responsible for all costs You incur as a result of Your failure to obtain the required Documentation, including any costs associated with re-joining the Journey.

6.7 If You are unhappy with something that does or does not happen on Your Journey, You must first use all reasonable endeavours to negotiate with Us in good faith to settle the dispute before commencing proceedings in any court or tribunal, including your participation in any class action purported or proposed class action or any other representative action.

6.8 In the first instance, You should raise any concern with the Tour Director or the Cruise Director as soon as reasonably practicable, as it may be possible for them to take steps to resolve Your concern with minimal delay.

6.9 You must make Your own enquiries regarding Your Journey, including being aware of any relevant government travel safety warnings.

7. Liability

7.1 Nothing in these Conditions or the Contract operates to exclude, restrict or modify the application of any provision of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth), including the Australian Consumer Law, or any equivalent State or 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. All exclusions and limitations of Our liability under the Contract must be read subject to this clause.

7.2 To the maximum extent permitted by law and subject to clause 7.1, 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), except to the extent that such loss, cost or damage is a result of Our negligence, fraud or wilful misconduct, suffered directly or indirectly in connection with:

(a) any Journey risks or other aspects of the Journey disclosed to You in the Contract;
(b) subject to any remedies You may have under clause 5, delays in departure or arrival times of aircraft, vessels or otherwise during Your Journey;
(c) any loss or damage to Your luggage or belongings;
(d) any personal injury or death resulting from the acts or omissions or negligence of any third parties providing goods or services to You during the Journey, including air carriers, hotels, shore excursion operators, restaurateurs, transportation providers and medical personnel; or
(e) any disappointment or loss of enjoyment due to circumstances outlined in the Contract or otherwise outside of Our control.

7.3 Subject to clause 7.1, but despite any other provision of the Contract, and to the extent permitted by law, Our maximum liability to You or any third party is limited to the Journey Price You have paid to Us, except to the extent that such liability is a result of Our negligence, fraud or wilful misconduct.

7.4 To the maximum extent permitted by law and subject to clause 7.1, You acknowledge and agree We are not liable to You, under any circumstances, for any loss of enjoyment, opportunity, profit, savings, revenue or interest or any other consequential or indirect, incidental, special or punitive loss, damage or expenses, except to the extent that such loss, damage or expense is a result of Our negligence, fraud or wilful misconduct.

7.5 You acknowledge and agree that We are not liable for any delay or failure by Us or any Service Provider to perform Our obligations under the Contract, resulting from or as a consequence of a Force Majeure Event.

7.6 To the extent permitted by law and subject to any rights you may have under the Australian Consumer Law, all express or implied warranties, guarantees, representations, or terms are expressly excluded. Where the law implies any guarantee, condition or warranty which cannot be excluded, to the maximum extent possible, Our liability to You for breach of such an implied guarantee, condition or warranty is limited, to one or more of the following at Our option:

(a) in the case of goods: the repair of goods, replacement of goods, the supply of equivalent goods or the cost of repair, replacement or supply of equivalent goods; or

(b) in the case of services: supplying the services again or payment of the cost of supplying the services again.

7.7 Subject to clause 7.1, You acknowledge and agree that where Your Journey, any part of Your Journey, accommodation, flights or any other good or service are not directly provided by Us, but are 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.

7.8 Notwithstanding any other provision in these terms, Our services come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. For major failures with the service, You are entitled:

(a) to cancel Your service contract with Us; and

(b) to a refund for the unused portion, or to compensation for its reduced value. You are also entitled to be compensated for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. If the failure does not amount to a major failure, You are entitled to have problems with the service rectified in a reasonable time and, if this is not done, to cancel Your contract and obtain a refund for the unused portion of the contract.

8. Force Majeure Event

8.1 Force Majeure Events are events outside of Our control. As set out in clause 1.8(b), we strongly recommend that you obtain travel insurance that adequately protects you against these risks.

8.2 If the performance of Our or a Service Provider's obligations is hindered, prevented, delayed or affected by the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event, those obligations are suspended for the duration of the Force Majeure Event.

8.3 We will use reasonable endeavours to give You notice as soon as reasonably practicable of the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event that prevents, materially affects or delays, or is likely to prevent, materially affect or delay, the performance by Us or a Service Provider of Our obligations under the Contract.

8.4 We may cancel, redirect, delay or amend a Journey as a result of the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event which prevents, materially affects or delays, or which We reasonably determine is likely to prevent, materially affect or delay, Our or a Service Provider's ability to provide the Journey:

(a) in accordance with the Contract; or

(b) to a standard which We consider will meet the reasonable expectations of the Journey participants.

8.5 If We cancel Your Journey or make any changes to Your Journey or Itinerary (including changes to the planned departure date, change to the mode of transport or provision of onshore instead of onboard accommodation) as a result of a Force Majeure Event:

(a) We will not have any liability to You; and

(b) You may not be able to exercise the rights and claim the remedies that would otherwise be available to You under this Contract, including any right You may otherwise have to a full or partial refund of Your Journey Price.

8.6 You acknowledge that this clause 8 is reasonably necessary to protect Our legitimate business interests and that We are unlikely to be able to recover our costs and expenses on the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event.

9. Future Travel Credits

9.1 Without limiting anything in clause 5 (Cancellations and changes to your Journey and Itinerary) or clause 8 (Force Majeure Events), We may elect to, but are in no way obliged to, provide you with a Future Travel Credit, upon the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event.

9.2 If You are provided with a Future Travel Credit, the following rules apply to the use of Your Future Travel Credit:

(a) You may apply it towards any future booking for a Journey with a Journey Departure Date within 24 months after the date on which We cancel Your Booking, subject to availability and any Future Travel Credit capacity limits applicable to Your selected Journey or cruise;

(b) If We provide You with a refund by way of a Future Travel Credit, then You must apply all amounts to any future booking for a Journey with a Journey Departure Date within 24 months of the date on which We provided you the refund by way of the Future Travel Credit;

(c) If Your original booking was for an ocean or river cruise, the Future Travel Credit can only be applied to available ocean and river cruises within the following brands within Our corporate group: Scenic Luxury Cruises & Tours, Emerald Cruises & Tours;

(d) If Your original booking was for a land Journey, the Future Travel Credit can be applied to available land Journeys or ocean and river cruises within the following brands within Our corporate group: Scenic Luxury Cruises & Tours, Emerald Cruises & Tours;

(e) You may, with Our prior written consent, which We will not unreasonably refuse, transfer it to another person to apply towards any future Booking for a Journey with a Journey Departure Date within 24 months after the date on which

We cancel Your Booking;

- (f) its use for any future booking is subject to availability;
- (g) It cannot be applied against stand-alone products or upgrades from third parties or Service Providers in conjunction with the standard Journey Itinerary;
- (h) It is not redeemable in whole or in part for cash and will expire to the extent it is not used; and
- (i) You (or the person to whom it is transferred) must pay any shortfall between the value of the Future Travel Credit and the Journey Price for the new Booking in accordance with clause 3 of these Conditions.

10. Privacy and Data Protection

10.1 In order for Us to process Your Booking and provide the Journey to You, You will need to provide to Us, and We will need to use Personal Information. We will need to provide Your Personal Information to Service Providers, as well as customs and immigration authorities. We may also provide Your Personal Information to security and credit checking organisations. Some of the persons to whom We provide Your Personal Information are located overseas, including in countries that may not provide the same level of protection of Personal Information as Australia. By making a Booking You give Us Your consent to use and disclose Your Personal Information in the manner described in this clause 10.1.

10.2 We will otherwise deal with Your Personal Information in accordance with Our privacy policy, which can be found on Our Website or provided on request. For the avoidance of doubt, the Privacy Policy does not form part of this Contract.

11. General Provisions

11.1 We may only waive a right or remedy created under these Conditions in writing. 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 or remedy.

11.2 The Contract is governed by the laws in force in New South Wales, Australia.

11.3 The parties submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of New South Wales, Australia and any courts competent to hear appeals from those courts.

11.4 Any term which is, by its nature, intended to survive termination of the Contract survives termination.

11.5 In these 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 Conditions or the Contract 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 ceases 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.
- 11.6** If a provision of the Contract, or a right or remedy of a party under this Contract is invalid or unenforceable in a particular jurisdiction, it is read down or severed in that jurisdiction only to the extent of the invalidity or unenforceability and it does not affect the validity or enforceability of that provision in another jurisdiction or the remaining provisions in any jurisdiction.

11.7 The Journey Brochure is valid for the Journey Departure Dates within the Validity Period, unless otherwise indicated in Your Itinerary, and supersedes all previous brochures.

12 Important notices about Your Journey

12.1 Journey Participation

(a) Expedition/ remote location: Given the potentially extreme conditions and remote locations we may visit, You must complete a mandatory full medical questionnaire, we will provide prior to departure, to enable us to assess the risks involved. This questionnaire must be verified and signed by Your medical practitioner between 90 and 60 days prior to the Journey departure date and must be provided to Us not later than 60 days prior to the Journey departure date. Any medical questionnaire that is signed by your medical practitioner earlier than 90 days before the Journey departure date will not be accepted and a revised one will be required. If You do not complete and return Your verified and signed medical questionnaire, You will not be cleared for embarkation and Your Booking will be deemed to have been cancelled by You in which case You will be liable to pay a cancellation fee in accordance with clause 4.8 of these Conditions.

(b) Special needs: We welcome You if have any medical condition, pregnancy, 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 or Cruise Director will have the right to refuse Your participation if the Tour Director or Cruise Director believes Your health and safety or the health and safety of any other person 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 and notify Us of any changes or deterioration in the disability or medical condition or development of any disability, pregnancy, or medical condition after booking.

(c) Special needs (Ocean cruises only):

(i) It is very important that You tell us of the condition and of any medical or mobility equipment that You will need to bring with You in writing before you

confirm your booking so that we can assist You in considering the suitability of the arrangements and/or making the booking.

(ii) In the event that You require assistance with embarking or disembarking as a result of Your reduced mobility or disability, please advise Us at the time of booking and in any event no later than 48 hours before the assistance is required. Please also note that assistance is not always available when embarking or disembarking at all ports of call. It is important to note in relation to the Scenic Eclipse that:

- For safety reasons, passengers in wheelchairs cannot be carried on tenders or Discovery experiences including but not limited to Zodiacs, kayaks and submersible; and
- Collapsible walkers may be taken onto tender vessels for transfer to shore for the included touring. Walkers are however unable to be taken on the Zodiacs at any time due to space restrictions. All walkers must be stored in Your suite as there is no additional storage space on board.
- Embarking and disembarking the tenders, Zodiacs, kayaks and submersible are via a mud room/change room with steps leading to a marina platform and requires the ability to step into and out of these vessels unaided.

(d) Facilities: It is important to note that:

- (i) elevators may not access all decks and cabins;
 - (ii) wheelchair passengers should be aware that cabin doors, rest rooms and corridors may not be wide enough to provide access for standard wheelchairs and may have significant thresholds and cabin doors which limit access;
 - (iii) You must be able to walk up/down stairs in the event of an emergency to reach emergency evacuation points; and
 - (iv) motorised scooters cannot be used on board.
- (e) Other reasons for which Your Booking may be declined: We may decline Your Booking if We are of the view that:
- (i) We cannot adequately provide for any of Your special needs;
 - (ii) Your health, safety or enjoyment, or that of any other passengers attending the Journey may be at risk; or
 - (iii) You cannot or will not abide by any reasonable directions of the Tour Director or Cruise Director.

12.2 Cruises

If Your Journey includes a Cruise, the following provisions apply:

- (a) Deckplan: The deck plan, cabin sizes, images, inclusions and layout in the Journey Brochure are indicative only and may vary. Pictured representations of cabins or rooms in Journey Brochures are not drawn to scale. Suite dimensions within each category may vary in size depending on their location on each deck. Suite measurements are based on gross calculations and include internal technical spaces.
- (b) Cruise Cabins: Your Journey Price is based on the Cabin category indicated in the Journey Brochure. Upgrades are subject to availability and will be at an additional cost.
- (c) Port Arrival and departure times: arrival and departure times are an indication only and are always subject to change without notice.
- (d) Shore Excursions: Shore excursions provided by Service Providers are at Your own expense and can be purchased prior to Your Journey Departure Date. We recommend booking shore excursions at least 120 days prior to Your Journey Departure Date.
- (e) Dinner Reservations: Dinner times are scheduled on board. Preferred meal times may be requested at the time of booking and are subject to availability.
- (f) Photography: Our Journeys offer some of the most spectacular and beautiful photographic scenery in the world. However, We cannot guarantee that every scene or highlighted featured in a Journey Brochure or Itinerary will be available on each Journey. No refund or other compensation will be available for any missed scene or photographic 'opportunity'.
- (g) Smoking: Smoking is limited to designated smoking areas during Your Cruise and may be limited to designated smoking areas during other parts of Your Journey.
- (i) You acknowledge that We may restrict smoking to specific times and locations during Your Cruise for the comfort of all passengers.
- (ii) Smoking is not permitted on coaches or such other places as nominated by Us from time to time.
- (iii) Although We will use reasonable endeavours to ensure there are opportunities for You to smoke during the Journey, We cannot guarantee such opportunities will be available.
- (h) Noise, vibration and odour: While the Operators take reasonable steps to minimise noise, vibration and odours on the cruise vessels, You acknowledge and accept that some noise, vibration and intermittent odours may be experienced on the Cruise Vessel, and that We accept no responsibility, and will not be liable to You in relation to any such noise, vibration or odour.
- (i) Docking Position: During port stops, vessels may dock side by side, obstructing views and requiring You to pass through other vessels to embark and disembark. You agree and acknowledge that You will have no claim in respect of any such matters.
- (j) Medical Services:
 - (i) River cruise vessels do not carry a doctor on board, however medical services may be called at Your own expense.
 - (ii) Ocean cruises only: A medical centre is available on board of Scenic Eclipse and will be staffed according to the destination. You acknowledge that Antarctica, the Americas, Transatlantic crossings, Arctic & Fjords regions are remote areas with limited medical facilities available. Due to the large number of passengers on board, We cannot provide a personal escort for medical visits.
 - (iii) We are not liable in connection with the provision of any medical care You may require or choose to accept during Your Journey.
- (k) Currency and credit cards:

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(i) All purchases on board will be charges to Your shipboard account. The on-board currency on river cruises is the Euro. The on-board currency on ocean cruises is the US Dollar.

(ii) Shipboard accounts may be paid by Euro (river) or US Dollar (Ocean) or credit card.

(l) Internet Service: Internet facilities are available on board the Cruise Vessel at no additional charge.

(i) Complimentary Internet service may not apply to third-party suppliers that are not related to Us.

(ii) Internet availability and quality may vary from country to country and can also be affected by technical issues, weather or unfavourable terrain and other factors outside of Our control.

(iii) We do not guarantee the availability or quality of Internet connections or services.

(m) All-inclusive beverages (Scenic Ocean, Scenic River and Emerald Ocean Brands only): If Your Journey includes an all-inclusive beverage package, the following provisions apply:

(i) All standard beverages are included in the Journey Price whilst You are on board the Cruise Vessel. This includes beer, wine, soft drinks and standard spirits. It also includes daily replenishment of the suite minibars.

(ii) Selected items such as high-end spirits, including malt whiskey, French champagne and selected wines are not included in the package and may be available at an additional charge.

(iii) We reserve the right to refuse service of alcohol for the purposes of adhering to responsible service of alcohol.

(iv) The all-inclusive beverages package may not apply to third-party suppliers that are not related to Us.

(n) All-inclusive beverages (Emerald River Brand only): If Your Journey includes an all-inclusive beverage package, the following provisions apply:

(i) Beer, wine and soft drinks are available with meals while cruising on board the Cruise Vessel.

(ii) Any additional drinks may be purchased on board. Beverage packages will also be available for purchase on board.

(iii) We reserve the right to refuse service of alcohol for the purposes of adhering to responsible service of alcohol.

(iv) The all-inclusive beverages package may not apply to third-party suppliers that are not part of Our corporate group.

12.3 Drones

(a) General prohibition: Unless provided by Us or an Operator as part of an organised activity during Your Journey, the use of Drones is strictly prohibited at all times on Your Journey.

(b) Legal restrictions: You should also be aware that, in addition to the prohibition in paragraph 12.3(a), the use of Drones is regulated or prohibited by law in many locations and unlawful use may result in arrest or prosecution by the relevant authorities.

(c) Organised Activities: If We or an Operator allow You to operate a Drone as part of an organised activity during Your Journey, You must strictly comply with all instructions of the activity leader.

12.4 Coaches

(a) Seat rotation: To ensure all passengers have the opportunity to enjoy front and window seats, a daily seat rotation system is employed on all of Our coaches and You must follow the seat rotation system.

(b) Travel sickness: If You suffer from travel sickness, We strongly recommend that You arrange medication or other alternatives to treat Your symptoms, as We cannot make allowances for this.

12.5 Videography and Photography

(a) We may capture photographs and video footage throughout Your Journey, including to capture highlights and activities of Your Journey (Journey Video). Although we will use reasonable endeavours to ensure that the photographs and video footage captured are general in nature and do not focus on any specific individual, You acknowledge that we may capture photographs and video footage of You throughout the Journey.

(b) The Journey Video may be prepared and made available online to You and all other passengers following the Journey. We may also use the Journey Video (and any still images from it) for marketing, training and promotional purposes and you waive any right to claim any payment or other compensation for such use.

(c) A Journey Video is provided to You for personal use only and you must not use it for any commercial or unlawful purpose.

(d) We may decline to produce, or make available to You, a Journey Video in our absolute discretion.

(e) You acknowledge and agree that We have no ability to restrict or control the further publication or distribution of the Journey Video by other passengers.

(f) If You do not wish to appear in the Journey Video, you must inform Us at the commencement of the Journey by completing and returning to reception on the Cruise Vessel Our 'opt-out' form, in which case we will use reasonable endeavours to ensure you do not appear, or are not able to be identified, in the Journey Video.

13. Additional Important Information

13.1 Air Travel and luggage

(a) Airfare Conditions

(i) All airfares are subject to availability and conditions apply.

(ii) Our reservations consultant will book an appropriate fare for Your Journey.

(iii) Some discounted airfares have conditions which make them unsuitable to be used in conjunction with Our Journeys. Full details and conditions may be obtained from Our reservations consultant or Your travel agent. If You have any

questions or concerns, please contact Us or Your travel agent.

(iv) Airfares booked as part of Your Journey may not be a direct flight and some included flights are unescorted. If You request a customised route or direct flight, You will be responsible for all additional costs.

(v) Depending on departure date and time of booking, the required booking class for airfare offer may be too far in advance to book with the appropriate airline.

If the required booking class is unavailable, air surcharges may apply. The flight quote including air taxes and surcharges will be confirmed once all air sectors are booked and confirmed.

(vi) Taxes (including all airline and government taxes and surcharges) are subject to change and will be advised at the time of flight reservation.

(vii) All flights are subject to schedule changes and class downgrades, as determined by the operating airline. You acknowledge and agree that We accept no responsibility and will not be liable to You for any costs associated with these changes.

(viii) All airfares are subject to availability and scheduled for travel to meet the Journey Departure Dates set out in the Journey Brochure. Any requests outside of the Journey dates may incur seasonal surcharges, as enforced by the airline.

(b) Airport Transfers

(i) Airport transfers are only available on the first and last day of Your Journey and at times We designate. Transfers outside these times will be at Your expense and must be secured by Your own arrangements.

(ii) Passengers who have purchased Our pre and / or post Journey hotel accommodation and airfares will be provided with airport transfers to and / or from their hotel in the Journey start or end city only (applicable), on the day of the pre or post accommodation booking (as applicable).

(iii) 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 Journey Departure Date by:

(A) entering Your flight details at the trip personaliser on the Website; or

(B) contacting Us at the Customer Service Contact Address.

(iv) No refund will be given for unused transfers. Transfers cannot be routed to other pick-up points or destinations.

(v) If You miss the pre-booked transfer, You will be responsible for making Your own way to the Journey departure point, at Your own expense.

(vi) Unless expressly stated in Your Itinerary, airport transfers may be group transfers scheduled to coincide with multiple flight arrival and departure times. Private transfers, including Royal Suites transfers (available for Scenic Brand only) are not available in all locations. Please enquire for further details.

(c) Carriers: The carriers (including airlines, rail and sea carriers used in association with the Journeys) are not responsible for statements or features in Journey 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.

(d) Luggage

(i) Journey participants are entitled to one suitcase per person. Your suitcase must not exceed 76 x 53 x 28cms (30" x 21" x 11") and must not weigh more than 23kg (50lbs). All luggage must be stored in Your suite while on the Cruise Vessel, there are no additional luggage storage facilities available.

(ii) when You are travelling in Kenya and Tanzania there are luggage restrictions due to limited luggage space on flights and four wheel drive safari vehicles. We recommend You use a soft bag (sports bag or alternative) to pack essential items into during this portion of the Tour. Suitcases are unable to be taken with You whilst Tour throughout Kenya and will be delivered back to You at Nairobi Airport. Our Service Provider will take reasonable steps to ensure the safety and security of the remainder of Your luggage during this portion of the Tour.

(iii) Japan: Due to limited luggage space on trains, your main luggage will be transferred on a separate luggage vehicle and may not arrive at your hotel until after your arrival. We therefore recommend that you have a small bag you are able to keep essential items with you that you are able to carry by yourself onto the trains.

(iv) Airline passengers should consult with their airline as size and weight restrictions on luggage may vary from airline to airline and according to the class booked.

(v) It is Your responsibility to ensure Your luggage complies with these requirements and You acknowledge that We, contracted airlines or Service Providers may elect not to carry overweight items.

(vi) You will be responsible for any excess luggage charges.

13.2 Sightseeing, Excursions and Special Activities on Journey

(a) Sightseeing: Sightseeing in many historic villages, towns and cities can only be undertaken by walking as motorcoach access is not possible. Sightseeing may involve stairs and extensive walking over uneven surfaces. Consequently, a reasonable level of fitness is required.

(b) Mountain Excursions: Some Journeys include mountain excursions involving high altitudes. Please consult with Your doctor to ensure that You have an adequate level of fitness and are in good health before participating in these excursions.

(c) Scenic Freechoice (Scenic Brand only): All Scenic Freechoice activities and Scenic Freechoice Dining can be booked during Your Journey with Your Cruise Director or Tour Director (unless otherwise stated) but are subject to availability, seasonal and operational factors. Some activities require a minimum or maximum number of participants to operate.

(d) Scenic Enrich (Scenic Brand only): It may not always be possible to offer every Scenic Enrich activity in the Journey Brochure on Your Journey. Wherever possible, suitable alternatives will be provided without liability to You.

(e) DiscoverMORE Optional Tours (Emerald Brand only): Additional activities

undertaken by You such as sightseeing tours purchased by You in addition to those activities outlined in the Journey Brochure during Your Journey are not included in Your Journey Price and incur an additional cost. Additional activities are subject to availability, seasonal and operational factors and must be pre-booked prior to Your Journey Departure Date. Some activities require a minimum and maximum number of participants to operate.

13.3 Passenger Requirements

(a) **Special Diets:** You must advise Us in writing of any and all special requests and dietary requirements at the time of Booking. We will make every reasonable effort to accommodate Your dietary requests but cannot guarantee that such requests will be met.

(b) **Vaccinations:** It is Your responsibility to ensure You have all required vaccinations for Your Journey and We recommend You refer to www.smarttraveller.gov.au for full details and also consult Your doctor. Travellers to certain areas in Africa may be refused entry if they do not hold a Yellow Fever International Vaccination Certificate, You will not receive a refund if You are unable to be vaccinated and if as a result decide not to complete the Tour.

(c) **Medical Conditions:** We strongly recommend a visit to Your doctor prior to Your Journey.

(d) **Solo Passengers and Single Accommodation**

(i) Prices quoted in Journey Brochures are on a twin share per person basis. If Your Booking is not a twin share booking, We will notify You of the applicable single supplement rate for Your Journey (Single Supplement Rate), and You must pay such Single Supplement Rate in addition to the price quoted on a twin share per person basis at the time of Booking.

(ii) If You are willing to share a room with another single traveller of the same gender, You must pay the Single Supplement Rate and We will use reasonable endeavours to match You with another single traveller of the same gender, but We cannot guarantee availability. If We are able to match You with another traveller and You remain matched throughout the entire Journey, You will be refunded Your Single Supplement Rate within two (2) weeks of Your Journey completion. We accept no responsibility for the suitability of the allocated rooming partner.

(iii) If at any time during the Journey, You consider Your rooming partner unsuitable, You may notify Us and We will use reasonable endeavours to arrange single accommodation for You for the remainder of the Journey, subject to availability, and at Your own cost.

(iv) A limited number of single rooms and/or cabins are available at a Single Supplement Rate for each Journey. 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 Journey, You will be required to continue to share with Your nominated rooming partner for the remainder of the Journey.

(e) **Young Passengers:**

(i) Passengers under the age of 18 years (as at the Journey Departure Date) must be accompanied by an adult and share their accommodation with an adult.

(ii) Children under the age of 12 years are not encouraged (with the exception of Christmas Journeys and Cruises) and are accepted or rejected at Our discretion.

13.4 Maps, Pictures and Images

(a) **Maps:** Maps or Journey depictions contained in Journey Brochures or any other brochures We issue are intended as an indication only and should not be relied upon as the actual route to be taken during the Journey.

(b) **Images:** All images in Journey Brochures represent typical scenes and descriptive detail for each Journey, however it is possible that the particular subject matter may not be seen or experienced on Your Journey. Also, some pictures may have been digitally enhanced.

13.5 Hotel Accommodation

(a) **Substitution:** We may substitute hotel accommodation of a similar standard in place of the advertised hotel due to hotel availability issues. Any changes will be notified once confirmed with the hotel.

(b) **Responsibility:** Although We have taken reasonable steps to secure the most suitable hotel accommodation in the area of the Journey, We are not liable to You for the quality, size or fitness of hotel rooms.

14 Destination Specific Terms

14.1 European River Cruises

(a) **Scenic Culinaire (Scenic brand only):** Scenic Culinaire is offered on board Scenic Diamond and Scenic Sapphire cruise vessels only whilst sailing in France. Scenic Culinaire cooking school has limited capacity and may not be able to accommodate every guest on every cruise. Cooking classes held in Scenic Culinaire will be hosted by the onboard culinary team.

(b) **Table La Rive & Table d'Or dining (Scenic brand only):** Table La Rive is available on board of all Scenic cruise vessels cruising Rhine, Main and Danube rivers and France and Portugal. Table La Rive and Table d'Or is exclusive to guests on Diamond Deck only for cruises of 10 nights or more. Table La Rive and Table d'Or is exclusive to guests in Royal and Junior Suites for cruises of 9 nights or less.

(c) **Royal Suite on board credit (Scenic brand only):** Guests travelling in Royal Suites will receive 200 Euros per suite to their shipboard account which can be used in the Wellness Centre. This is not applicable to other services whilst on board and is not redeemable for cash.

(d) **Palais Liechtenstein (Scenic brand only):** If for any reason Palais Liechtenstein is not available, another suitable venue will be substituted without any liability to You.

(e) **Salt Therapy Lounge:** Salt Therapy Lounge is offered on the Scenic Diamond and Scenic Sapphire as well as the Scenic Brand vessels that cruise along the Rhine, Main and Danube Rivers.

(f) **Danube Delta:** Small boat exploration of the Danube Delta is subject to weather conditions, and disruptions may occur.

(g) The waterways of the Bordeaux region are a part of a tidal river system which results in changing water levels in the region and based on tides the itinerary will be amended or modified as required.

14.2 Antarctica, the Americas, Transatlantic crossings, Arctic & Fjords and other remote Regions:

(a) Highlights and wildlife encounters as outlined in the Itinerary are possible experiences only and cannot be guaranteed. Your Captain, Discovery Team Leader or Cruise Director will determine opportunities for exploration taking into account the prevailing weather, wildlife activity and ice conditions.

(b) Laundry and internet facilities may be limited whilst cruising in these regions.

(c) Complimentary Polar Parka and special Polar boot use is included for all Cruises to Antarctica, South Georgia and the Arctic & Fjords.

(d) As a condition of travelling to Antarctica or Arctic & Fjords on a Journey, You must provide to Us, at least 10 days before the Journey departure date:

(i) evidence that You hold comprehensive insurance, including medical evacuation coverage; or

(ii) evidence that You have access to available funds of not less than \$150,000 USD; or

(iii) a bond or other security, satisfactory to Us, in Our absolute discretion, to cover the cost of medical evacuation in the event of a medical emergency.

(e) Without limiting anything in clause 8, if a charter flight from any starting point to the point of embarkation for the ship voyage is delayed due to adverse weather conditions, We will attempt, for a period of up to 72 hours from the proposed departure time of the charter flight, to arrange a later charter flight. We will attempt to do so at no extra charge to You, but if an additional charge does apply, You will be liable to pay that additional charge.

(f) **Discovery Experiences:** a reasonable level of mobility is required to participate in most discovery experiences. Specific discovery experiences will be advised on full release. Discovery experiences including Zodiac, kayak, helicopter, e-bikes and submersible are subject to regulatory approval, availability, weight restrictions, medical approval and prevailing weather, marine and ice conditions and may be cancelled at short notice. We cannot guarantee their availability, even if You have made an on-board booking. Discovery experiences can be booked whilst on Cruise with Your Cruise Director or Discovery Team Leader (unless otherwise stated) and are subject to availability, seasonal and operational factors. Some activities require a minimum and maximum number of participants to operate.

14.3 Asia and Africa, Egypt and Jordan

(a) Due to dusty and/or unsealed road conditions in Kenya and Kruger National Park on the private concessions, You need to be in good physical condition. Travel in Kenya is by 4WD safari vehicle and it is highly recommended if You suffer a back injury to consult Your doctor prior to participation. If You have contact lenses, You should bring glasses in case dust causes irritation.

(b) Africa, Egypt and Jordan and Asian Journeys include walking on steps, uneven ground and surfaces whilst visiting monuments and antiquities for lengths of between 1-5 kilometres and full mobility may be required. If you choose to participate You should be in an appropriate physical condition to complete any sightseeing expeditions forming part of the Tour.

(c) **Hotel accommodation Asia:** Double beds in Asia are not the normal bed configuration and may not always be available.

(d) **Japan:** Airport Transfers are scheduled shuttle bus transfers to coincide with multiple flight arrival and departure times.

14.4 Australian land tours

(a) Due to the distance between some attractions in Western Australia, there may be days with extended coach travel.

(b) In some regional areas porterage may not be available and You will be required to carry Your luggage upon arrival and departure

15 Contact Details

To make, change or cancel a Booking or to make any enquiries regarding a Booking or to otherwise give Us any notice in accordance with the Contract, You should contact Our customer service centre as follows:

For the Scenic Brand:

Email: info@scenic.com.au

Telephone: 1300 170 588

Postal: PO Box 807, Newcastle, NSW 2300 Australia

For the Emerald Brand:

Email: info@emeraldcruires.com.au

Telephone: 1300 286 110

Postal: PO Box 807, Newcastle, NSW 2300 Australia

15.1 Our customer service centre is open from 7.30am to 6.00pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 1.00pm Saturday (excluding public holidays in New South Wales) (Australian Eastern Standard Time). Although We hope You won't need it, Our after-hours emergency number when calling in Australia is freecall 1800 620 105. Other emergency contact details are included in Your travel documents.

15.2 If You need to contact Us during Your Journey, We recommend that if it is practicable to do so, in the first instance, You should try to contact the Tour Director or Cruise Director. Depending on the purpose of Your contact, they may be able to assist You, but otherwise they may direct You to contact Our customer service centre.

15.3 We will use the Guest Contact Details if We need to contact You before the Journey Departure Date. It is therefore very important that You keep the Guest Contact Details up to date and notify Us immediately of any changes. To update Your Guest Contact Details, please contact Us at the Customer Service Contact Address.

Scenic Spirit



Royal Panorama Suite

Sun Deck

*Observation
Lounge & Library*

Wellness Area

With only up to 68 guests on board, the Scenic Spirit experience is more than a 5-star river cruise. It's your sanctuary on the Mekong, so you can explore, relax and indulge as the exotic landscapes float by.



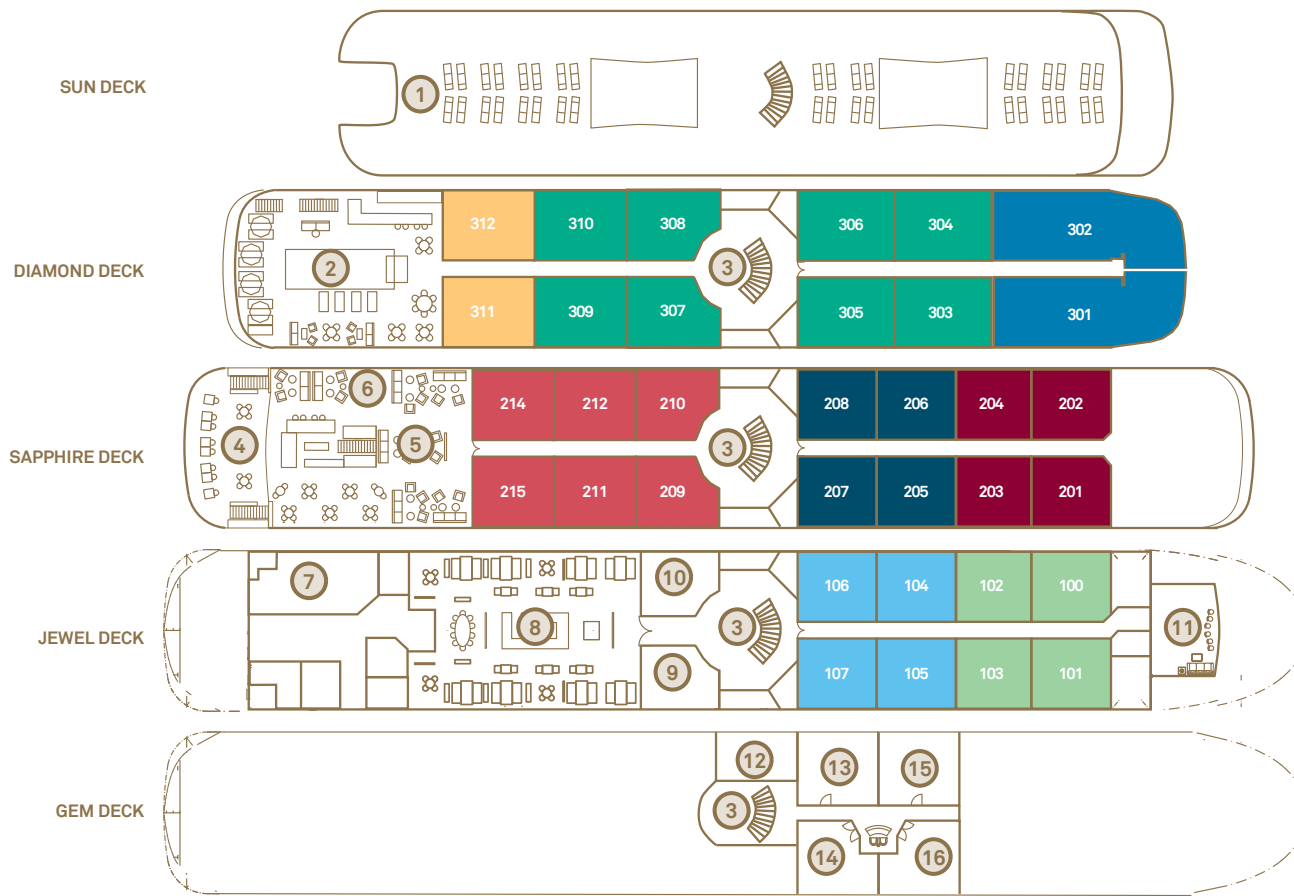
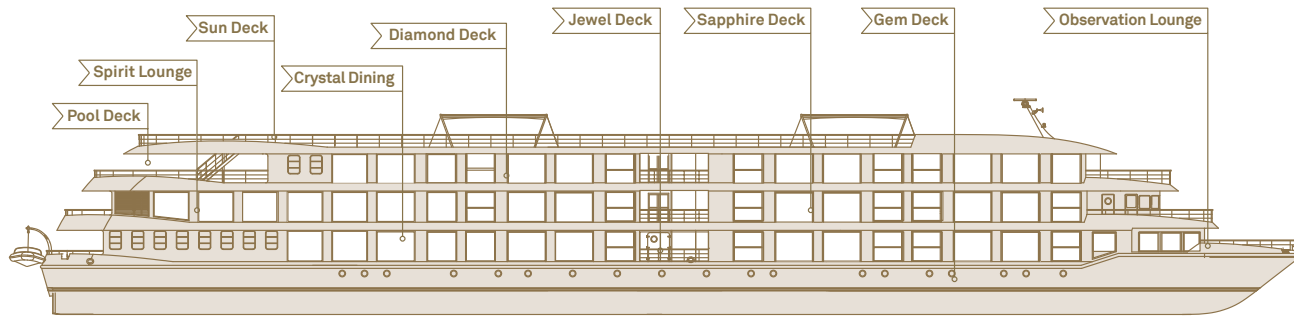


*Lion Dance,
Scenic Spirit*



Scenic Spirit

Built 2016 | Passengers 68 | Suites 34 | Crew 50 | Length 85 metres

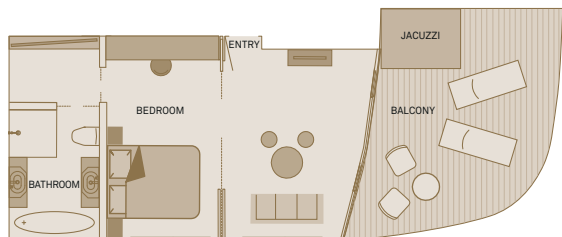


Deck Plan

- ① Sun Deck and Open Air Cinema
- ② Pool and Bar
- ③ Elevator
- ④ Outdoor Lounge
- ⑤ Spirit Lounge
- ⑥ River Café
- ⑦ Galley
- ⑧ Crystal Dining
- ⑨ Gift Shop
- ⑩ Reception
- ⑪ Library
- ⑫ Guest Laundry
- ⑬ Gym
- ⑭ Beauty Salon
- ⑮ Steam Sauna
- ⑯ Wellness Centre

Cabin Categories

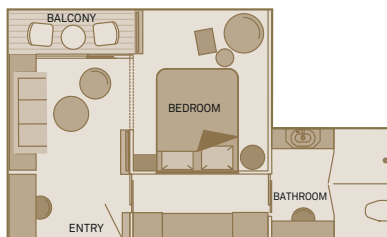
Diamond Deck		Sapphire Deck		Jewel Deck	
RS	Royal Panorama Suite	B	Deluxe Suite	C	Deluxe Suite
RD	Grand Deluxe Suite	BB	Deluxe Suite	CA	Deluxe Suite
A	Deluxe Suite	BA	Deluxe Suite		



Royal Panorama Suite

Including Private Outdoor Terrace
80m²/861ft²

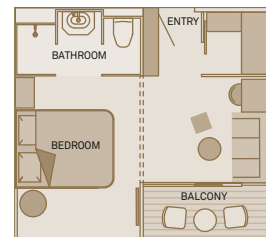
RS



Grand Deluxe Suite

Including Scenic Sun Lounge
40m²/430ft²

RD



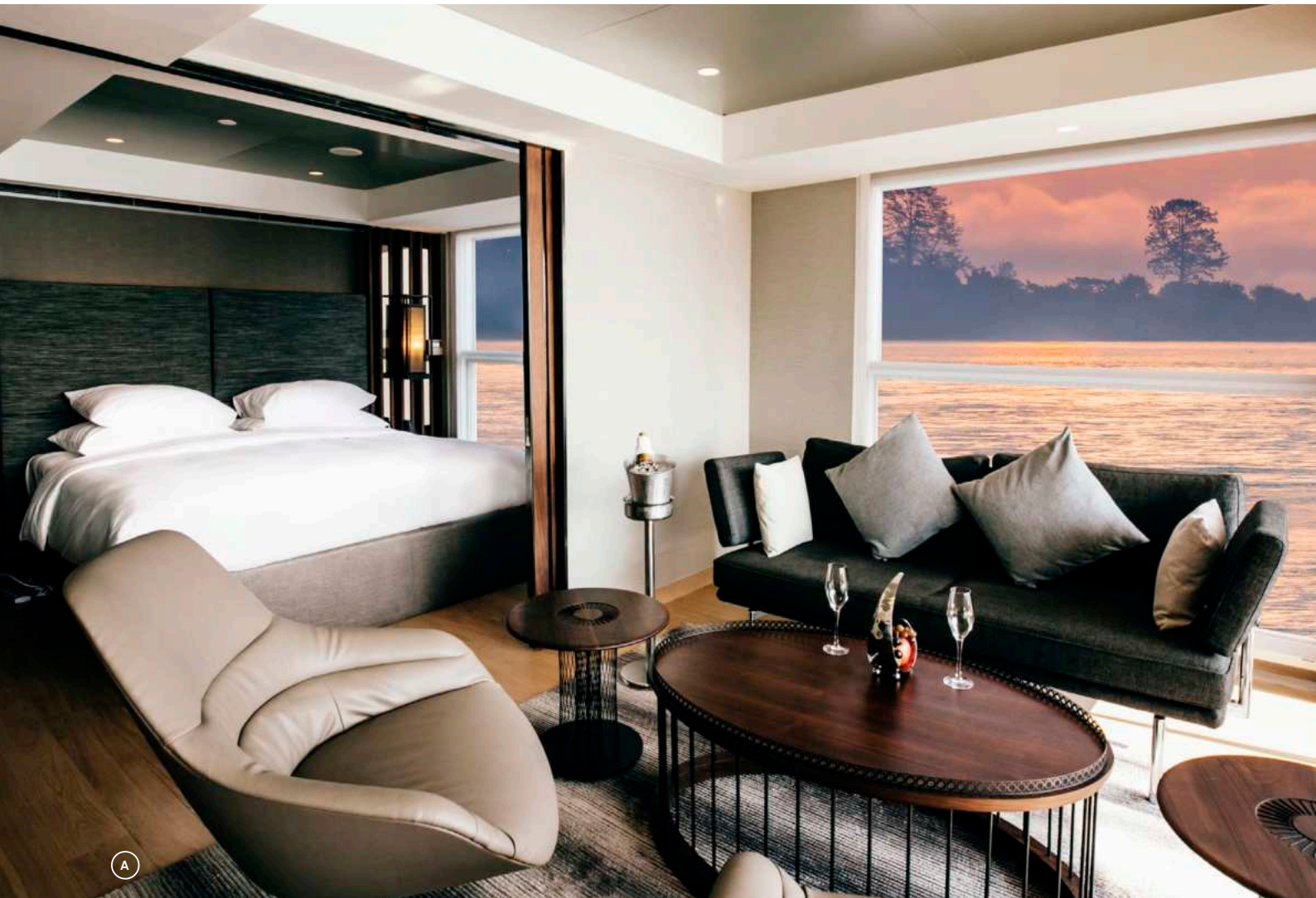
Deluxe Suite

Including Scenic Sun Lounge
32m²/344ft²

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The deckplan and cabin layout images are an indication only and may vary.

Your suite inclusions at a glance



Featuring the largest lead-in suites on the Mekong, all suites on Scenic Spirit are one-bedroom balcony suites with separate living room, walk-in wardrobe and Scenic Sun Lounge. With a mini-bar restocked daily, luxury queen-sized Scenic Slumber Bed, and personalised butler service, you're assured an exceptional experience in every suite. Enjoy nightly turndown service with gifts, complimentary Wi-Fi, in-suite safes and self-service laundry facilities. Diamond Deck suites also include special privileges as detailed.

A Scenic Spirit Royal Panorama Suite

B Scenic Spirit Grand Deluxe Suite Dressing Room

For more information visit [scenic.com.au/river/ship-experience](https://www.scenic.com.au/river/ship-experience)

Dive into the details of inclusions and styles to find the suite that aligns with your preferences. The table below highlights all included features and suite categories, guiding you to the ideal choice for your travel experience.

	Deluxe Suites	Grand Deluxe Suites	Royal Panorama Suites
Truly all-inclusive suite inclusions			
Unlimited all-day drinks	●	●	●
Airport transfers to and from the ship	●	●	–
Private airport transfers to and from the ship	–	–	●
Complimentary mini-bar, restocked daily	●	●	●
Complimentary Wi-Fi internet	●	●	●
Luxury Scenic Slumber Bed (Queen Size)	●	●	●
Pillow menu	●	●	●
Upgraded bathroom amenities	–	–	●
Walk-in wardrobe	●	●	●
In room television and safe	●	●	●
Nightly turndown service	●	●	●
Private balcony with Scenic Sun Lounge	●	●	●
Separate living and sleeping area	●	●	●
Private terrace with outdoor jacuzzi	–	–	●
Daily delivery of canapes or fruit	–	●	●
Invitation to the Chef's Table	● Diamond Deck	●	●
Welcome bottle of Champagne	–	–	●
Morning delivery of newspaper (guests choice)	–	–	●
US\$100 per couple on board Wellness Centre credit	–	–	●
Complimentary laundry service - 2 pieces per day	● Diamond Deck	●	–
Unlimited complimentary laundry service	–	–	●
Complimentary self-service laundry	●	●	●
Complimentary pressing service - 2 pieces per day	●	●	–
Unlimited complimentary pressing service	–	–	●
Access to Club Floor rooms at Caravelle Hotel in Ho Chi Minh City and Landmark rooms in Raffles Grand D'Angkor in Siem Reap on accompanying land journey	–	●	●
Early morning tea and coffee service	●	●	●
Shoeshine service	●	●	●
In-suite dining	●	●	●
Packing and unpacking your luggage	–	–	●



Scenic Destinations

Scenic Eclipse Ocean Voyages

Antarctica
The Arctic & Fjords
Europe & The Mediterranean
North America
South & Central America
Australia, New Zealand & The Pacific
South East Asia
Japan & South Korea

Scenic River Cruises

Europe
South East Asia
Egypt

Scenic Land Journeys

Canada, Alaska & USA
United Kingdom & Europe
Japan & South Korea
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