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Santorini, Greece



## DISCOVER THE WORLD WITH TRAVELMARVEL

As part of The APT Travel Group, Travelmarvel is a proudly Australian-owned family business, drawing on a century of travel experience and a deep passion for creating memorable moments. This heritage shapes every journey, from carefully crafted itineraries and enriching experiences to the genuine care you'll enjoy along the way.

With Travelmarvel, you can discover more of the world on premium journeys, thoughtfully designed to make travel easy and deliver exceptional value. Whether you're drawn to iconic sights, extraordinary landscapes or authentic cultural encounters, our curated group experiences are balanced with time to explore at your own pace. Enjoy the freedom to travel your way, while knowing every detail is taken care of.

And because the places we visit are at the heart of every journey, we're committed to helping protect them for generations to come. As a Certified B Corporation, we're proud to make a positive impact on the planet and the communities we visit. So you can travel knowing that, together, we're helping support the people, places and cultures that make every journey special.

We invite you to discover the joy of travel with Travelmarvel.



**Lou Tandy (nee McGeary)**
The APT Travel Group Family Principal and Director



# WHY CHOOSE TRAVELMARVEL

Experience premium travel made easy, with exceptional value at every step. Combining carefully crafted journeys, immersive experiences and the freedom to explore your way, Travelmarvel takes care of the details so you can savour every moment.



Wachau Valley, Austria

**TRAVEL MADE EASY**
From the moment you book your tour to the day you return home, every detail is thoughtfully arranged, so you're free to relax and savour the journey.

**OUTSTANDING VALUE**
Enjoy premium travel at exceptional value. Travelmarvel holidays include the unmissable sights, curated experiences, premium stays and local cuisine — while giving you the flexibility to personalise your journey with optional extras.

**EXPLORE, YOUR WAY**
Experience the perfect balance of must-see highlights and the freedom to explore what interests you. Discover iconic landmarks with our expert guides, then wander, relax or uncover hidden treasures at your own pace.

**RELAXED ADVENTURES**
Enjoy a welcoming, easy-going atmosphere where you can unwind, explore and make the most of each day, surrounded by fellow travellers who share your love of discovery.

**FLEXIBLE TRAVEL**
If plans change, flexible booking options and unrivalled service make it easy to cancel or move your holiday to another time. Plus, you can secure your place for up to seven days without paying a deposit with Travelmarvel's Book With Confidence offer^.

**EXPERIENCE YOU CAN TRUST**
As part of the award-winning APT Travel Group with a century of expertise, Travelmarvel gives you the confidence to travel with ease. Our experienced team is here to support you every step of the way, with 24/7 assistance at home and abroad.

You may consider protecting your travel plans with a travel insurance policy that's right for you. Enquire with our Travel Experts for an nib Travel Insurance policy quote*.

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# EVERY DETAIL CONSIDERED

Relax knowing all the details of your journey are taken care of, so you can savour the moments that matter most.



Old Town, Prague, Czech Republic



Local delicacies, Italy



**MEET THE CREW**
**ROLAND, CRUISE DIRECTOR**

"River cruising is my passion. There's something unique about being on a floating hotel, surrounded by a close-knit group of people. The relaxed, welcoming atmosphere makes it easy to form life-long friendships."

### EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE
Enjoy a smooth, easy and effortless experience at every step, supported by a dedicated team that goes above and beyond — reflected in our 98% guest satisfaction rating.

### EXPERTS BY YOUR SIDE
Your Tour and Cruise Directors ensure each day runs seamlessly, always on hand to assist with anything you need and share their insider knowledge. With a high staff-to-guest ratio on every cruise, your experience is truly personalised.

### LOCAL GUIDES, REAL INSIGHT
Friendly local guides bring every destination to life, sharing authentic stories that enrich your journey. Passionate about their countries, they'll introduce you to iconic landmarks, as well as hidden wonders that capture the heart of each place.

### COMPREHENSIVE INCLUSIONS
To make planning easy, most of your holiday costs are covered before you leave home, and everything included in each itinerary is clearly outlined — so you can travel with confidence.

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES ★
Included on your holiday, Insider Experiences are thoughtfully crafted to take you beyond the surface of a region's history and culture, featuring unique stays, special excursions, and memorable events. Look out for the star symbols throughout the itineraries.

### FREEDOM TO EXPLORE
Spend more time your way. Beyond group excursions, enjoy opportunities to explore at your own pace. Join an optional experience that suits your interests or venture out independently, with your Tour or Cruise Director available to guide you. The choice is yours.

# EXPLORE EUROPE




## BUDAPEST



Known as the 'City of Spas', the Hungarian capital of Budapest sits atop more than 100 thermal springs. Split by the Danube River, the city offers grand architecture, vibrant culture, and iconic sights like Heroes' Square and St. Stephen's Cathedral.

## PORTO



Portugal's Porto is a UNESCO World Heritage City famed for its port wine, the scenic Douro River, and the historic Dom Luís I Bridge.



## DUBROVNIK

Widely regarded as the Dalmatian Coast's most picturesque city, Croatia's Dubrovnik is known for its walled Old Town and dramatic coastal setting — earning it the nickname 'Pearl of the Adriatic.'



## LUCERNE

Set beside a glittering lake and framed by mountain peaks, Switzerland's Lucerne captivates with Chapel Bridge and a timeless charm that blends medieval history with alpine beauty.

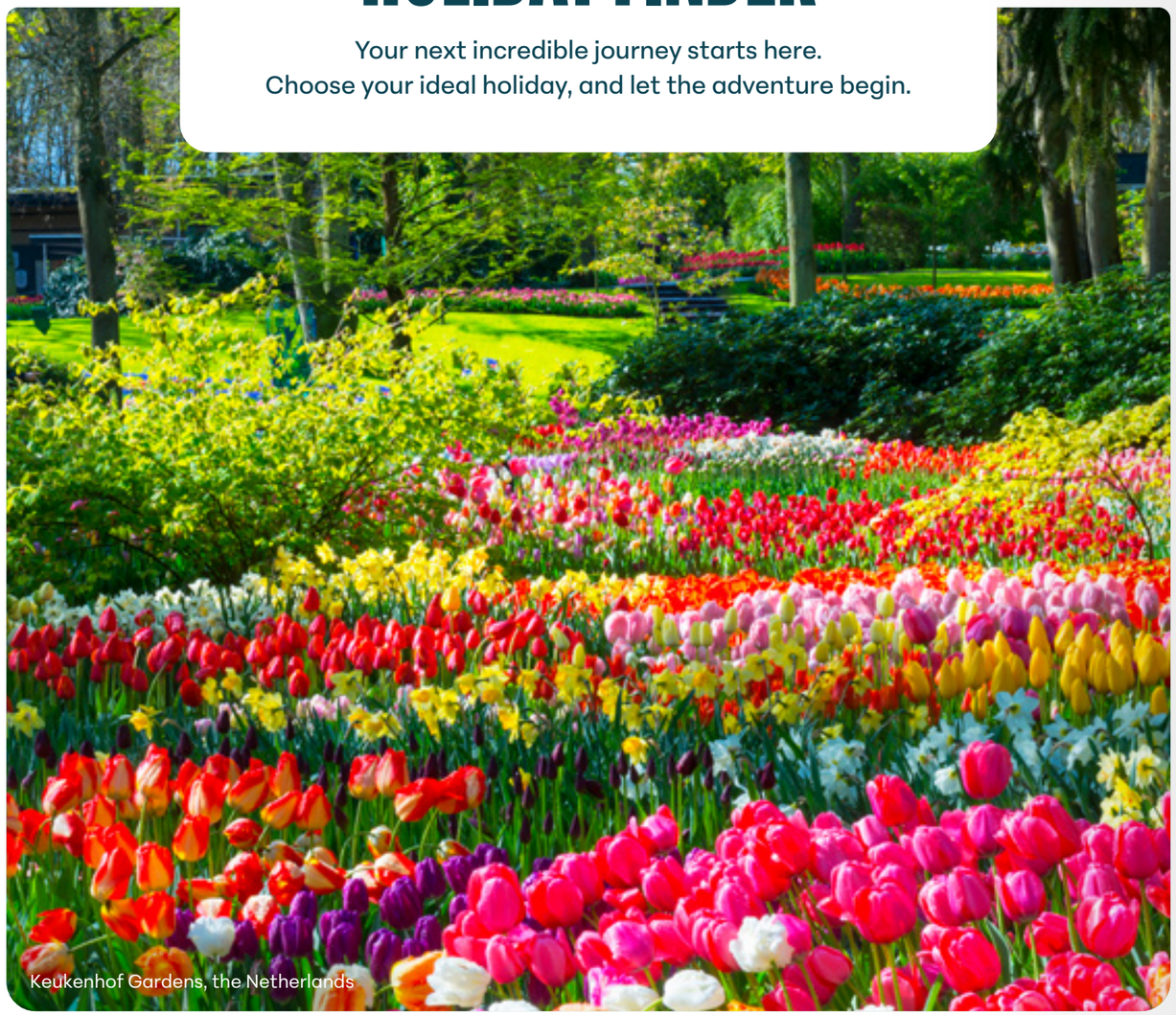


## NORWAY

Towering fjords, cascading waterfalls, epic mountain ranges and glacial beauty meet lush countryside, rolling farmland, charming towns.

# HOLIDAY FINDER

Your next incredible journey starts here.
Choose your ideal holiday, and let the adventure begin.


Keukenhof Gardens, the Netherlands

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Amsterdam to Budapest EUTC15




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Amsterdam Return EUTOAAR10





Church of Saint Sava, Belgrade, Serbia

# EARLYBIRD OFFERS

**STRICTLY LIMITED – SECURE YOUR SAVINGS TODAY**

**BOOK THE OFFERS BELOW BY 19 MARCH 2027 OR UNTIL SOLD OUT**

## SAVE UP TO $4,600 PER COUPLE*

On all 14-night European River Cruises.

## FLIGHTS INCLUDED*
## UP TO THE VALUE OF $2,800 PER PERSON*

On all 14-night European River Cruises.

## SAVE UP TO $1,600 PER COUPLE*

On seven-night European Cruises and Coastal Cruises.

## SOLO TRAVELLERS SAVE UP TO $5,000*

When booking a Category UD on all 14-night European River Cruises.

## FLY PREMIUM ECONOMY FROM $2,295 PER PERSON*

When booking a Category UD or OS on all 14-night European River Cruises.

## FLY BUSINESS CLASS FROM $6,695 PER PERSON*

When booking a Category UD or OS on all 14-night European River Cruises.

THE OFFERS ABOVE CAN BE COMBINED WITH THE FOLLOWING TWO OFFERS:

## EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT OF UP TO $1,000 PER COUPLE*

Book any European holiday and pay in full 10 months prior to departure and you will enjoy additional savings of up to $500 per person.

## TRAVEL WITH FRIENDS AND SAVE UP TO $800 PER COUPLE*

When six or more people are travelling together and book their trip at the same time, Travelmarvel offers additional savings of up to $400 per person.

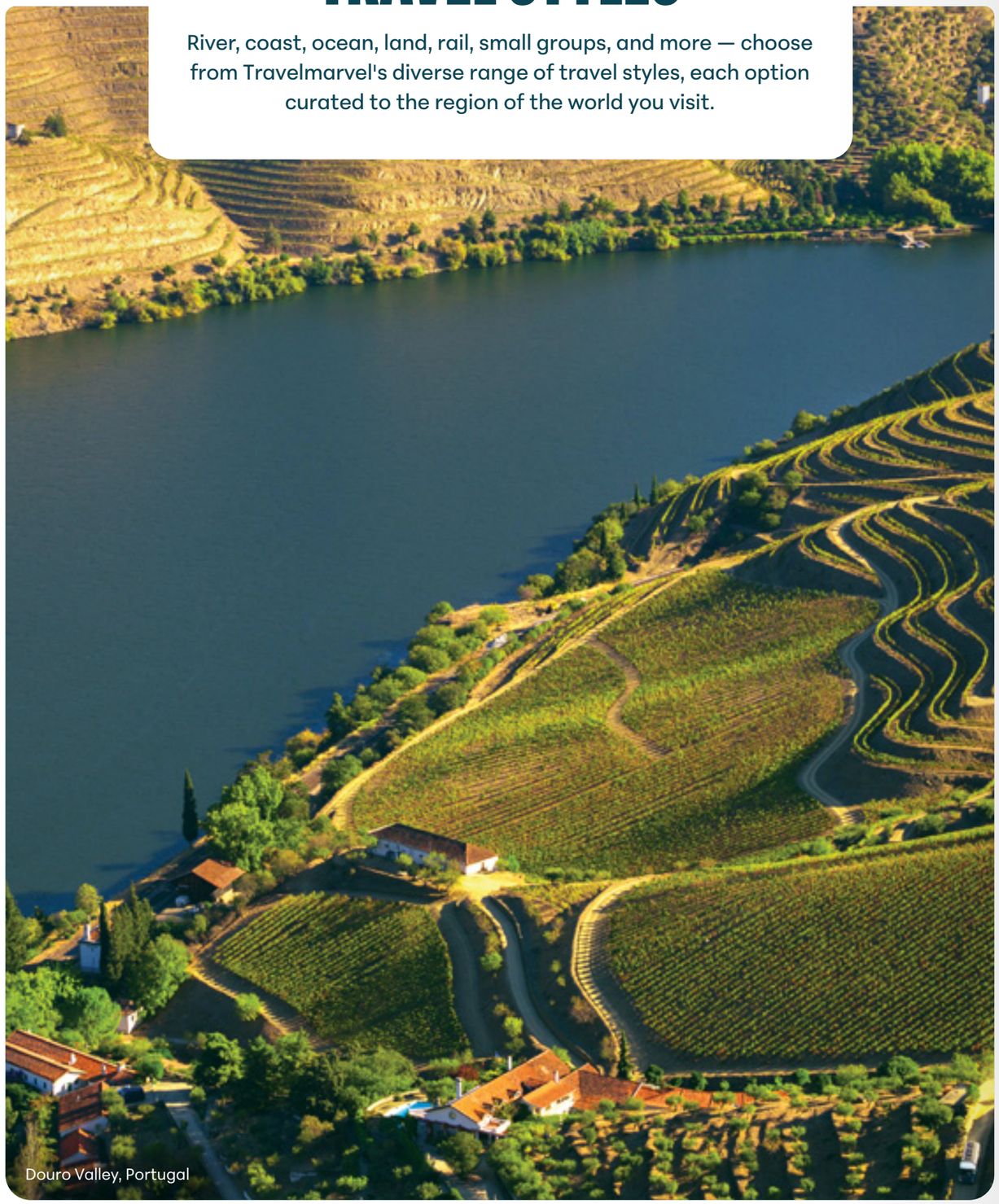
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St. Moritz, Switzerland

# TRAVEL STYLES

River, coast, ocean, land, rail, small groups, and more — choose from Travelmarvel's diverse range of travel styles, each option curated to the region of the world you visit.



Douro Valley, Portugal



MV Princess Eleganza, Croatia



Travelmarvel Rigel, Wachau Valley, Austria



Travel in an intimate group




Bernina Express, Switzerland

## RIVER CRUISING

A River Cruise along Europe's famous waterways offers a unique, immersive way to experience centuries of history, charming riverside towns and ever-changing landscapes. Wake each day to a new destination, stepping ashore with the freedom to explore at your own pace. With Travelmarvel Rigel recently joining our fleet of state-of-the-art river ships in 2026, you can explore Europe in unmatched comfort and style.

## COASTAL CRUISING

Experience Croatia's Adriatic waters aboard MV Princess Eleganza on a Coastal Cruise for an intimate holiday experience. Explore the most spectacular sections of the Croatian shoreline, many of which are inaccessible to larger ships.

## OCEAN CRUISING

Ocean Cruising invites you to journey further in effortless comfort, waking to new horizons as you sail to Norway, the Mediterranean and Aegean Seas, while enjoying exceptional dining, immersive entertainment and enriching experiences on board Holland America Line's MS Rotterdam, MS Zuiderdam and MS Nieuw Amsterdam.

## LAND TOURING

Explore the highlights of Europe on a Land Tour, where world-famous landmarks, timeless culture and breathtaking scenery await. Designed to combine seamlessly with our cruises, these tours offer an ideal blend of must-see sights and authentic encounters. Enjoy premium stays, comfortable travel and mouth-watering local cuisine.

## SMALL GROUP TOURING

Travel in a small group of no more than 24 guests, enjoying personalised service and an intimate adventure. Connect with like-minded travellers and locals as you explore the wonders of Ireland, Scotland, Italy, Malta, Slovenia, Spain, Portugal and Morocco. Throughout your journey, tailored experiences bring you closer to the heart of each incredible destination.

## RAIL TOURING

Return to a time when travelling was an art in itself. Faster and more comfortable than ever, rail is one of the easiest ways to explore Europe. Journey aboard legendary trains through captivating landscapes in the Scottish Highlands, Swiss Alps and Scandinavia.

# INCLUDED SIGHTSEEING

Witness the must-see sights and lesser-known wonders of these astounding countries with Travelmarvel's included sightseeing and special Insider Experiences.



Strasbourg, France



Hungarian State Opera House, Budapest



Flamenco dancer, Spain

## INCREDIBLE HIGHLIGHTS

Europe's most memorable sights are rarely more than a glance away, by river, sea, rail or road. From the deck of your ship, to your coach or train window, we'll make sure you see and experience the best of each region. Cruise through the Rhine Valley, winding along one of Europe's most gorgeous rivers, glide through Amsterdam's charming canals, or board the iconic Glacier Express train. Whatever your preference, there's something for everyone.

## SMALLER GROUPS

On our River Cruises, you'll benefit from more personalised service as you split into smaller groups for sightseeing excursions. Each group is assembled to help you get the most out of your experience, with guests' fitness levels taken into account. Equipped with a lightweight headset, you won't miss any of the commentary as your expert guides show you Europe.

## EUROPE'S FAMOUS SIGHTS

Your Travelmarvel journey includes a range of memorable sightseeing experiences. Ride the cogwheel train to Jungfraujoch, Europe's highest railway station, stroll along Vienna's grand Ringstrasse, tour the Vatican, and explore Dubrovnik's medieval Old Town. Visit the historic battlefields of France and Belgium, and join an excursion to Portugal's elegant Palace of Mateus, a living museum still owned by the Count of Vila Real. Each experience is thoughtfully curated to bring Europe's most celebrated landmarks vividly to life.

## INSIDER EXPERIENCES ★

Designed to elevate your holiday from amazing to extraordinary, the following experiences are just a glimpse of the remarkable moments awaiting you.

### AUGUSTUSBURG PALACE, GERMANY ★

Explore the former residence of Archbishop-Elector Clemens August during a visit to the World Heritage-listed Augustusburg Palace in Brühl.

### OLD TOWN TOUR, FRANCE ★

Discover Strasbourg's medieval Old Town on a guided tour, with tastings of local cheeses and sweets.

### FLAMENCO SHOW, SPAIN ★

Enjoy a fiery flamenco show paired with lunch during your visit to Salamanca.

### STATE OPERA HOUSE, HUNGARY ★

Take a guided tour of the Hungarian State Opera House in Budapest, complete with a private recital and a glass of sparkling wine.

### KRKA NATIONAL PARK, CROATIA ★

Visit Krka National Park and marvel at its dramatic series of cascading waterfalls.

### MUNICIPAL HOUSE, CZECH REPUBLIC ★

Enjoy coffee and cake before visiting Prague's renowned Art Nouveau Municipal House.

### ALDERSBACH BREWERY, GERMANY ★

Enjoy a traditional Bavarian lunch with live music and dancing at this historic brewery.

### DELTA WORKS, THE NETHERLANDS ★

Visit the Delta Works, the world's largest flood protection system.

### MAGYAR COWBOYS, HUNGARY ★

Witness Magyar cowboys display their equestrian skills during a traditional horse show in the Hungarian Puszta.

# RHINE, MAIN AND DANUBE RIVER CRUISING

**From Amsterdam's timeless canals and Vienna's imperial grandeur, to the history of Belgium and the dramatic landscapes of the Balkans, discover the treasures of Europe as they unfold along its legendary rivers with Travelmarvel.**

### RIVERSIDE TREASURES

Nestled along Europe's riverbanks are treasures waiting to be discovered, from ancient castle ruins to grand baroque palaces. Explore charming towns and vibrant cities that will leave you in awe.

### MAJESTIC VIENNA

Steeped in imperial history and a rich classical music heritage, few capitals rival the grandeur of Austria. Discover statues honouring the city's musical greats, or indulge in a slice of Sachertorte and a cup of Viennese coffee after an afternoon spent sightseeing, exploring, and shopping.

### ENCHANTING AMSTERDAM

Amsterdam hums with energy, yet its peaceful, canal-lined streets offer a calm escape from the bustling heart of the Dutch capital. The gentle sound of bicycle bells and the endless rows of gabled houses enhance the city's welcoming charm and laid-back atmosphere.

### GERMAN WONDERS

Germany is brimming with exquisite architecture, medieval villages, and iconic monuments. In Miltenberg, lose yourself amid cobbled lanes and charming buildings. In Würzburg, take in the grandeur of a baroque palace and stroll through impeccably manicured gardens. And in Bamberg, uncover the magic of the past as you explore its UNESCO World Heritage-listed old town.

### BELGIUM THROUGH TIME

Belgium comes alive with historic cities and poignant stories from the past. The country flourishes with the medieval charm of Ghent and Bruges, with stunning canals, cobbled squares, and soaring bell towers to be explored. Be moved by the striking landscapes of Ypres, where the Memorial Museum Passchendaele, Tyne Cot Cemetery, and Polygon Wood battlefield honour those who fought in World War I.

### BEAUTIFUL BUDAPEST

As you journey between the two districts of Buda and Pest, you'll be captivated by grand buildings, picturesque boulevards, and the vibrant culture of Hungary's remarkable capital.

### THE BREATHTAKING BALKANS

Continue your journey down the lower Danube to the Balkans, a spectacular region brimming with natural wonders, from towering mountains to pristine gorges and rivers. The area is rich in World Heritage sites, and its fascinating history is woven into every corner. Discover medieval castles, ancient towns, and stunning Orthodox churches.

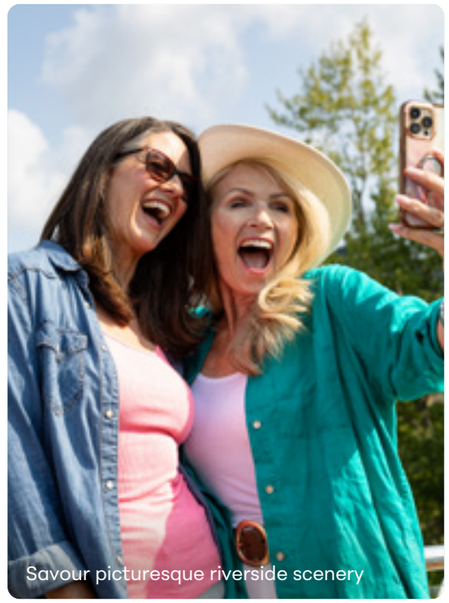
Würzburg, Germany

# YOUR RIVER CRUISING EXPERIENCE

Welcome aboard our state-of-the-art river ships, custom-built for Europe's waterways.



Sun Deck, MS Estrela



Savour picturesque riverside scenery



Enjoy sumptuous flavours

## EUROPE ON YOUR DOORSTEP

Step aboard your river ship and relish a relaxed, welcoming atmosphere, where the convenience of unpacking just once allows you to settle in and fully immerse yourself in the incredible sights of Europe. With an array of stylish public spaces and premium facilities, your time on board promises to be as memorable as your explorations of Europe's charming towns and cities. Take in breathtaking river views from the main lounge and bar, or head up to the Sun Deck for a breath of fresh air.

## PREMIUM RIVER SHIPS

Travelmarvel's fleet of European river ships has never shone brighter. With the recently launched Travelmarvel Rigel now cruising Europe's famed waterways, explore the continent by river in style. Custom-designed to navigate Europe's waterways, Travelmarvel Rigel joins Travelmarvel Polaris, Capella and Vega, sailing the Rhine, Main and Danube.

## ONBOARD FACILITIES

While on board your premium river ship, you'll savour meals in the fine-dining restaurant, with the lounge and bar areas offering the perfect setting to meet new friends. There's always time to stay active in the onboard Fitness Centre, with equipment that caters to all levels of fitness. Stay connected with family and friends back home through our complimentary onboard Wi-Fi. And when it's time to unwind, the Sun Deck provides an ideal spot to relax with a refreshing drink.

## DELECTABLE DINING AND BEVERAGES

As charming towns drift by, you'll enjoy the flavours of Europe. The continent is renowned for its culinary delights, and each meal on board will showcase local dishes. Wine, beer and soft drinks are also included with onboard lunches and dinners during your river cruise. Tea, coffee and water are complimentary, and an onboard barista is on hand to prepare your morning coffee just the way you like it.

## ENTERTAINMENT DAY AND NIGHT

There are plenty of opportunities to come together and enjoy a variety of entertainment and activities aboard your river ship. From captivating performances by local entertainers to lively parties, games, and dancing, each ship offers exciting ways to unwind. Gain deeper insights into the destinations you're visiting with inspiring guest speakers and engaging commentary from your Travelmarvel Cruise Director. With so much on offer, you'll never be short of things to do, ensuring your days are filled with enjoyment and discovery.

## IT'S ALL IN THE DETAILS

Your river cruise is designed to offer an immersive taste of Europe, with every detail carefully crafted to ensure a memorable experience. At the heart of each ship are our social spaces. Whether indoors or alfresco, these areas provide the perfect setting to unwind and enjoy the stunning views. Meet fellow travellers at the bar and forge new friendships as you swap stories of your latest discoveries, all while beautiful scenery glides by. With the wonders of the continent at your fingertips, and the exceptional service of our staff, we'll ensure your holiday is one to remember.

# STATE-OF-THE-ART RIVER SHIPS

Travelmarvel's Polaris, Capella, Vega and Rigel river ships make the most of Europe's waterways. Custom-built, feature-filled and named after the brightest stars in the Northern Hemisphere, these vessels combine state-of-the-art design with ample dining options and social spaces to give you an unparalleled cruising experience.



Travelmarvel Vega, Dürnstein, Austria



Savour four-course fine dining



Owner's Suite

### CRUISE IN STYLE

Exceptionally designed, spacious and better than ever, our ships' state-of-the-art facilities will make your journey truly special. Take to the water on vessels that have revolutionised the art of river cruising, and immerse yourself in the very best Europe has to offer.

### AMPLE AMENITIES

Each stateroom and suite features an en suite bathroom, personal climate control, premium linen, plenty of storage, a TV, safe and mini-fridge. Suites also boast electric slide-down windows that open to a French-style balcony.

### RELAXING LOUNGES

The True North Lounge is just one of the many public spaces where you can relax and unwind. With floor-to-ceiling windows and panoramic views, the adjoining Alfresco Lounge opens out to the verandah thanks to bi-folding windows, connecting you to the ever-changing vistas outside. Enjoy the gentle breeze and admire the grand scenery.

### McGEARY'S BAR

Tuck into good old-fashioned pub fare, grab a beer or two and delight in the friendly atmosphere at McGeary's Bar.

### BARISTA COFFEE

Get your caffeine boost at the onboard barista coffee station. Quality coffee makes for the ultimate morning pick-me-up.

### AMPLE SOCIAL SPACES

Multiple social areas provide relaxing retreats between touring. Head to the Alfresco Lounge and enjoy the fresh air or unwind at the Sky Deck Terrace & Bar.

### ENTERTAINMENT

On select evenings, you'll be joined by local artists such as Hungarian gypsy violinists and members of a Bavarian band. Your Entertainment Hosts will arrange evening entertainment including trivia and games nights, dance lessons and discos.

### EASY ACCESS

An elevator connecting the internal decks makes it easy to move around our state-of-the-art ships.

### SPECTACULAR VIEWS

Keep enjoying the views of Europe's magnificent scenery throughout your journey. The Sky Deck Terrace is open for most of your cruise, while an internal all-weather staircase connects the Lounge with the Sun Deck above.

### EXPLORE BY BIKE

For a more active way to explore beyond included walking tours, bicycles are available on board and free to use for shore excursions. They're ideal for wandering European streets, following riverside paths and covering more ground when you have free time ashore.

### GET ACTIVE

Keep moving on board with a fully equipped fitness room, walking track and whirlpool. Whether you prefer a morning workout or a leisurely stroll, there are plenty of ways to stay active throughout your cruise.

# EUROPEAN GEMS

## EUTC15 ▪ AMSTERDAM TO BUDAPEST

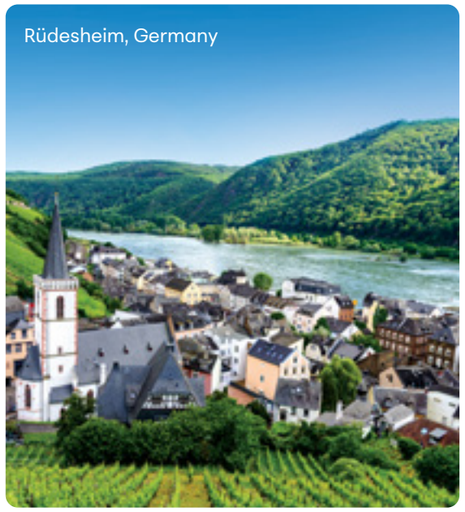

Amsterdam, the Netherlands

**SAVE UP TO $5,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.

## 15 DAYS ▪ 14-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Explore World Heritage-listed Augustusburg Palace in Brühl
- ★ Enjoy a festive night of Bavarian cuisine, music and folk dancing aboard your river ship
- ★ Take a guided tour of the Hungarian State Opera House in Budapest, and enjoy a private recital with a glass of sparkling wine


Rüdesheim, Germany

### REVERSE ITINERARY

This tour is available in reverse. For more information, search **EUTCR15** on travelmarvel.com.au

### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ 14 nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 41 meals – 14 breakfasts (B), 13 lunches (L) and 14 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore 15 towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ See Amsterdam's network of canals aboard a glass-top boat
- ✔ Cruise the beautiful Rhine Gorge and Wachau Valley
- ✔ Discover magnificent Melk Abbey on a guided tour
- ✔ Join a local guide for a walking tour of Regensburg
- ✔ Explore the historic towns and cities of Rüdesheim, Würzburg, Bamberg and Nuremberg






**Day 1. Arrive Amsterdam, Embark Ship** Arrive in Amsterdam and transfer to your river ship. This evening, meet your Cruise Director and fellow passengers at a Welcome Reception. **14 Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. D

**Day 2. Amsterdam, Utrecht** Board a glass-top boat and glide through Amsterdam's maze of waterways with a local guide, before enjoying time at leisure. Afterwards, drive to Utrecht to rejoin your vessel for tonight's special Gala Welcome Dinner. BLD

**Day 3. Cologne, Brühl** ★
Learn how the twin spires of Cologne's famous cathedral, the Kölner Dom, took over six centuries to complete as you cruise into this picturesque city. Disembark and take the short drive to Brühl. **Step back in time during a visit to the World Heritage-listed Augustusburg Palace.** This afternoon, enjoy free time to explore the centre of Cologne at your leisure. BLD

**Day 4. Rhine Gorge, Rüdesheim** Cruise through the stunning Rhine Gorge. Dock in Rüdesheim, where you will board the Winzerexpress mini road train, bound for Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum. BLD

**Day 5. Miltenberg** Discover Miltenberg's half-timbered buildings dating from the 15th to 18th centuries. Enjoy free time to wander the town with its Renaissance-style Marktplatz. Perhaps take a stroll along the Main River promenade past the many cafes and hidden medieval corners. BLD

**Day 6. Würzburg** Board a coach and travel to Würzburg. See the baroque Würzburg Residence and walk through the Court Gardens. Later, take an optional visit to Rothenburg (additional expense — refer to website for details). BLD

**Day 7. Bamberg** Embark on a leisurely cruise along the final stretch of the Main River to picturesque Bamberg, where a guided tour reveals the town's treasures. As twilight falls, continue your journey along the Main-Danube Canal. BLD

**Day 8. Nuremberg** Explore Nuremberg, the site of Hitler's infamous rallies. Finish your day cruising through the Main-Danube Canal. BLD

**Day 9. Regensburg** ★
Discover Regensburg's historic sights on a guided walking tour. **Tonight, enjoy a Bavarian experience on board featuring folk music, song and dance.** BLD

**Day 10. Passau, Linz** Arrive in Passau, where the rivers Inn and Ilz join the Danube. Perhaps join an optional tour to Český Krumlov in the Czech Republic or see the sights of Salzburg (additional expense). BLD

**Day 11. Melk, Dürnstein** After cruising into Austria, dock in Melk for a tour of Melk Abbey with a local guide. Later, cruise through the picturesque Wachau Valley to Dürnstein. BLD

**Day 12. Vienna** Take in Vienna's elegance along the Ringstrasse before a walking tour, where you will see St. Stephen's Cathedral, the Graben and Hofburg Palace. This evening, perhaps attend an optional concert featuring music from Mozart to *The Sound of Music* (additional expense). BLD

**Day 13. Vienna** Today is yours to explore. Perhaps visit the Hofburg area, visit Schloss Hof or head to Bratislava in Slovakia (additional expense). Later, set sail for Hungary. Tonight, celebrate your River Cruise with a Captain's Farewell Dinner. BLD

**Day 14. Budapest** ★
After breakfast, join a local guide for a tour of Budapest. **Then visit the Hungarian State Opera House for a guided tour, complete with a glass of sparkling wine and a private opera recital.** You may wish to join an optional tour to the Hospital in the Rock Nuclear Bunker Museum (additional expense). BLD

**Day 15. Disembark Ship, Depart Budapest** After breakfast, disembark and transfer to the airport for your onward flight. B

## FROM $5,395 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

15 DAYS – AMSTERDAM TO BUDAPEST (EUTC15)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Mar. 7, **7** | $5,495 | $8,295 |
| Apr. 4, **4** | $7,895 | $10,695 |
| Apr. 13, **13**, 18, **18**, 27, **27** | $8,495 | $11,295 |
| May 2, **2**, 11, **11**, 16, **16**, 25, **25**; Jun. 8, **8** | $9,195 | $11,995 |
| Jun. 22, **22** | $8,595 | $11,395 |
| Jul. 6, **6**, 20, **20**, Aug. 3, **3** | $7,895 | $10,695 |
| Aug. 8, **8**, 17, **17** | $8,595 | $11,395 |
| Aug. 22, **22** | $8,895 | $11,695 |
| Aug. 31, **31**; Sep. 5, **5**, 14, **14**, 19, **19** | $9,195 | $11,995 |
| Sep. 28, **28** | $8,695 | $11,495 |
| Oct. 3, **3**, 12, **12** | $8,295 | $11,095 |
| Oct. 26, **26** | $6,795 | $9,595 |
| Oct. 31, **31** | $6,495 | $9,295 |
| Nov. 9, **9** | $5,395 | $8,195 |
| Nov. 14, **14** | $5,795 | $8,595 |
| Nov. 23, **23** | $6,995 | $9,795 |
| Dec. 7, **7** | $7,795 | $10,595 |
| Dec. 21, **21** | $8,195 | $10,995 |

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### CRUISE UPGRADES

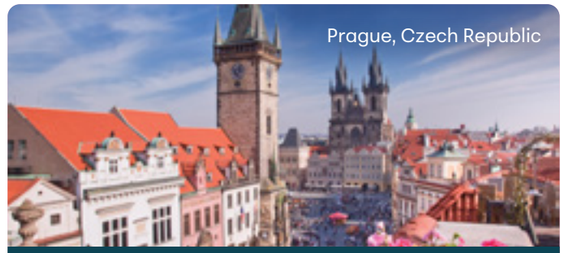
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Prague, Czech Republic

### EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Extend your journey with three-night stays in Paris and Prague — two timeless cities steeped in romance, history and charm.

For more information, search **EUTCPP21** or **EUTCRPP21** on travelmarvel.com.au

# WESTERN FRONT ADVENTURE

**EUTCS15 ▪ AMSTERDAM RETURN**



Tyne Cot Cemetery, Ypres, Belgium

**SAVE UP TO $5,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.

## 15 DAYS ▪ 14-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

## INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Discover the Western Front, visiting the V.C. Corner Australian Cemetery and Memorial, the 1st Division Memorial and Gibraltar Blockhouse, Hitler's bunker, and the Battle of Fromelles Museum
- ★ Tour the Somme battlefields , including the 1st and 2nd Australian Division Memorials, Victoria School, Australian National Memorial, and Sir John Monash Centre
- ★ Visit Menin Gate, Passchendaele Museum, Tyne Cot Cemetery and the Polygon Wood battlefield on a moving WWI journey
- ★ Immerse yourself in Amsterdam's Rijksmuseum

## INCLUSIONS

- ✔ 14 nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ Be accompanied by historian Hugh Dolan and delve into the history of the Western Front (June departure only)
- ✔ 41 meals – 14 breakfasts (B), 13 lunches (L) and 14 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore 15 towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping



Ghent, Belgium




## TRAVEL WITH HISTORIAN HUGH DOLAN

Accompanied throughout by historian and author Hugh Dolan, this tour is brought to life through his expert commentary and storytelling, offering a unique discovery of the Western Front (June departure only).

**Day 1. Arrive Amsterdam** Arrive in Amsterdam and transfer to your river ship. This evening, join your Cruise Director and fellow travellers for a Welcome Reception.
**14 Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. D

**Day 2. Amsterdam** Board a glass-top boat and glide through Amsterdam's maze of canals with a local guide before enjoying free time to explore this eclectic, lively city. Perhaps join an optional tour to Muiderslot Castle (additional expense — refer to website for details). BLD

**Day 3. Arnhem** Immerse yourself in a sombre chapter of wartime history in Arnhem with a visit to the Airborne Museum. See a vivid depiction of the Battle of Arnhem, a pivotal moment in World War II when Allied Forces attempted to seize and hold a bridgehead over the Rhine in September 1944. BLD

**Day 4. Nijmegen** Enjoy a guided tour of Nijmegen, the oldest city in the Netherlands. Admire its beautiful historic buildings and landmarks, and be sure to stop at a local bar to soak up a slice of authentic Dutch charm. BLD

**Day 5. Maastricht** Set out on a guided tour of Maastricht. Take in the stunning Basilica of Our Lady and see traces of the Middle Ages in the city walls. You may also choose to join an optional excursion to sample wines at a historic cellar (additional expense). BLD

**Day 6. Antwerp, Waterloo** Explore the Waterloo battlefield, following the path of Napoleon and the Imperial Guard, before visiting the immersive museum. Continue to Antwerp for free time this afternoon. BLD

**Day 7. Antwerp** In Antwerp, discover the lively Grote Markt, see the historic Het Steen fortress and visit the impressive Cathedral of Our Lady on a guided walking tour. Food lovers may wish to join a Belgian chocolate tour to savour the city's famous sweet treats (additional expense). BLD

**Day 8. Ghent, Ypres** ★
This morning, delve into the history of the Western Front Visit the V.C. Corner Australian Cemetery and Memorial, the 1st Division Memorial and Gibraltar Blockhouse, and explore Hitler's bunker. Later, explore the Passchendaele Museum, dedicated to the 1917 battle, then pay your respects at Tyne Cot Cemetery. This evening, you may choose to attend the moving Last Post daily tribute at Menin Gate. (On the June departure, this experience is led by historian Hugh Dolan). BLD

**Day 9. Ghent** Take a guided tour of Ghent, then cruise along its historic canals. This afternoon, you may wish to join an excursion to soak up the historic wonders of Bruges, including the Markt Plaza and medieval bell tower. Perhaps end your visit with a scenic canal cruise, gliding through Bruges' charming waterways and enjoying the city from a unique waterside perspective (additional expense). BLD

**Day 10. Ghent, Somme Battlefields** ★
Explore the moving battlefields of the Somme, visiting the 1st and 2nd Australian Division Memorials and the Australian National Memorial at Villers-Bretonneux.
See the Victoria School and visit the Sir John Monash Centre, where immersive multimedia brings Australia's Western Front story to life. BLD

**Day 11. Veere, Delta Works** ★
Visit the Delta Works, one of the world's most complex modern engineering feats, and learn about the flood protection system that took more than 30 years to complete. BLD

**Day 12. Willemstad, Kinderdijk** Head to the historic town of Willemstad before sailing to Kinderdijk. Explore this World Heritage Site, famed for its remarkable collection of 18th-century windmills — the largest concentration in the Netherlands. BLD

**Day 13. Rotterdam** Take in Rotterdam's striking skyline and tilted cube houses, pausing at a local market to sample some Dutch stroopwafel. Enjoy free time to explore the city at your own pace, or join an optional excursion to The Hague to see the Binnenhof complex and the Peace Palace (additional expense). BLD

**Day 14. Amsterdam** Explore Amsterdam's striking Rijksmuseum, home to immersive collections showcasing works by Dutch masters including Rembrandt, Vermeer and Vincent van Gogh. BLD

**Day 15. Disembark Ship, Depart Amsterdam** Today, your journey draws to its end. Say your farewells, disembark your ship and be transferred to the airport. B



Somme battlefields, France

## EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Enjoy a Battlefield Land Tour led by Hugh Dolan to complement your River Cruise with visits to Bayeux and Normandy, exploring the D-Day landing beaches and memorials.

For more information, search **EUTCSB23** on travelmarvel.com.au

## FROM $6,795 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

15 DAYS – AMSTERDAM RETURN (EUTCS15)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Mar. 16 | $6,795 | $9,595 |
| Mar. 30 | $7,195 | $9,995 |
| Jun. 27 | $7,895 | $10,695 |

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# THE RHINE AND MOSELLE

**EUTCT08 ▪ AMSTERDAM TO BASEL**



Strasbourg, France

**SAVE UP TO $1,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.

## 8 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

## INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Explore World Heritage-listed Augustusburg Palace in Brühl
- ★ Enjoy a guided tour and produce tasting in Strasbourg
- ★ Discover the Black Forest Open Air Museum, followed by a tasting of the region's famous Black Forest gateau (cake)



Amsterdam, the Netherlands

## REVERSE ITINERARY

This tour is available in reverse.
For more information, search **EUTCRT08** on travelmarvel.com.au

## INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 20 meals – 7 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore seven towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Experience the fairytale town of Cochem on an immersive guided tour
- ✔ Discover Amsterdam's canals aboard a glass-top boat




**Day 1. Arrive Amsterdam, Embark Ship** Be met on arrival in Amsterdam and transferred to your river ship. This evening, meet your Cruise Director and fellow passengers at a Welcome Reception.
**Seven Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. D

**Day 2. Amsterdam** With historic houses lining its banks and low bridges spanning its waterways, Amsterdam's network of 17th-century canals lends the city its nickname, the 'Venice of the North'. Today, you'll board a glass-top boat and glide past the city's waterside sights with a local guide. Back on land, enjoy some free time to explore before saying goodbye to Amsterdam. Later tonight, enjoy a special Welcome Dinner on board. BLD

**Day 3. Cologne, Brühl** ★
Learn how the twin spires of Cologne's famous cathedral, the Kölner Dom, took over six centuries to complete as you cruise into this picturesque city. Disembark and take the short drive to Brühl. **Here, discover the former residence of Archbishop-Elector Clemens August, the World Heritage-listed Augustusburg Palace in Brühl. Listen to enthralling stories and enjoy a walk through the stunning landscaped parks and gardens between the castle and the Falkenlust hunting lodge. The palace and lodge are some of the finest examples of rococo architecture from 18th-century Germany.** This afternoon, enjoy free time to explore the centre of Cologne at your leisure. BLD

**Day 4. Cochem** Sit back and soak up the scenery as you cruise through some of Europe's most scenic stretches along the Moselle River. Discover Cochem on a walking tour, exploring the narrow alleyways with their half-timbered houses. Perched high above the Moselle River, admire Cochem Castle's exterior, which rises like something from the pages of a fairy tale. BLD

**Day 5. Rüdesheim** Cruise through the Rhine Gorge — considered the most beautiful section of the Rhine River. Dock in Rüdesheim and ride the Winzerexpress mini road train through the town to Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum. Here, discover a collection of more than 400 self-playing instruments. Wander through the town and call in to the famous Käthe Wohlfahrt Christmas store for decorations and gifts. BLD

**Day 6. Strasbourg** ★
Arrive in Strasbourg, the Alsatian city that lies on the border between France and Germany. **Discover its picturesque sites on a guided tour and sample some local produce.** After time at leisure, return to your river ship for a Farewell Dinner. BLD

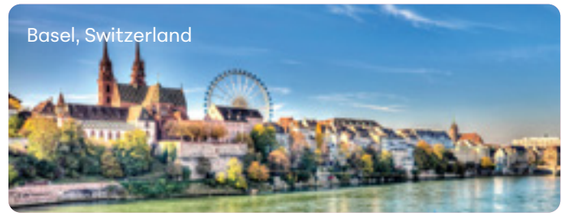
**Day 7. Breisach** ★
Disembark your ship in Breisach and journey through the enchanting Black Forest. Travel by coach amid lush pine and birch forests that cover the mountainsides before arriving in the charming village of Triberg. **Visit the Black Forest Open Air Museum and indulge in a tasting of the region's famous Black Forest gateau (cake).** BLD

**Day 8. Disembark Ship, Basel** Your journey comes to an end today. After breakfast on board, disembark and be transferred to the airport for your onward flight. B

## EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Combine your River Cruise with an 11-day Rail Tour through Switzerland for the ultimate adventure. Travel through alpine scenery on legendary trains including the GoldenPass Express, Gotthard Panorama Express, Glacier Express and Bernina Express.

For more information, search **EUTCTST18** on travelmarvel.com.au



Basel, Switzerland

## FROM $4,295 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

8 DAYS – AMSTERDAM TO BASEL (EUTCT08)

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|---|---|---|
| Mar. 21, **28** | $4,295 | $5,095 |
| May 30; Jun. **6**, 13, **20** | $4,695 | $5,495 |
| Jul. 11, **18**, 25; Aug. **1** | $4,495 | $5,295 |
| Oct. 17, **24** | $4,295 | $5,095 |

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# HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DANUBE

**EUTCH08 ▪ MUNICH TO BUDAPEST**



Vienna's Hofburg Palace, Austria

**SAVE UP TO $1,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.

## 8 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

## INSIDER EXPERIENCE

- ★ Visit Aldersbach brewery in Passau and enjoy a traditional Bavarian lunch, live music and dancing



Passau, Germany

## REVERSE ITINERARY

This tour is available in reverse.
For more information, search **EUTCRH08** on travelmarvel.com.au

## INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 20 meals – 7 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
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- ✔ Explore seven towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Join a local guide for tours of Passau, Vienna, Bratislava and Budapest
- ✔ Visit the magnificent Melk Abbey
- ✔ Cruise through the scenic Wachau Valley in Austria




**Day 1. Arrive Munich, Passau, Embark Ship** Arrive in Munich, where you will be met and transferred to your river ship, docked on the enchanting Danube River. Meet your Cruise Director and fellow passengers at a Welcome Reception. **Seven Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. D

**Day 2. Passau** ★
In the beautiful city of Passau, enjoy a guided walking tour, taking in the historic sites as you roam the cobblestone lanes of the Altstadt. **Travel by coach to nearby Aldersbach brewery, founded in 1268, where you'll be welcomed by local musicians and taken on a tour of the brewery. Enter the festival hall for locally brewed beer and a traditional Bavarian lunch, all in the spirit of Oktoberfest, with live music and singing.** BLD

**Day 3. Linz** Today, you can choose to join an optional tour to the city of Český Krumlov in the Czech Republic, home to more than 300 historical buildings (additional expense — refer to website for details). Or, take a trip through the stunning scenery of Austria. Visit Mondsee, where you may recognise the famous Wedding Church from *The Sound of Music*. Continue to Salzburg and be guided through the town Mozart called home. Enjoy some free time to explore at your leisure before returning to your ship (additional expense). Alternatively, enjoy time at leisure in Linz. BLD

**Day 4. Melk, Dürnstein** Join a local guide to see Melk Abbey, an active Benedictine monastery since 1089. Cruise through the picturesque Wachau Valley, then continue to Dürnstein, where you have a free afternoon to explore. Perhaps join an optional tour to taste some of the region's wine. Visit Dürnstein Abbey, where you'll savour a glass of the local Grüner Veltliner or riesling produced in the region, as well as delicious brandy (additional expense). BLD

**Day 5. Vienna** Embrace the elegance of Vienna as you drive around the Ringstrasse, taking in some of the city's most famous buildings. On arrival in the city centre, a walking tour will provide an insider's view of sights such as St. Stephen's Cathedral, the Graben and Hofburg Palace. Afterwards, you may visit the Naschmarkt and browse the stalls. This evening, enjoy an optional concert at one of Vienna's palaces, featuring music from Mozart to *The Sound of Music* (additional expense), followed by an evening drive around the Ringstrasse. BLD

**Day 6. Bratislava** Today, discover Slovakia's capital Bratislava on a walking tour through the Old Town, where you will see St Martin's Cathedral, Primatial Palace and Main Square. You'll also visit the only surviving example of the original four entrances to the city, Michael's Gate. Tonight, celebrate the end of your River Cruise with a Captain's Farewell Dinner. BLD

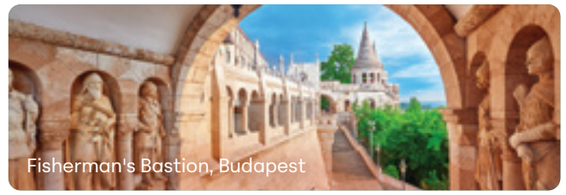
**Day 7. Budapest** Wake to views of one of the Danube's most enchanting cities this morning. Disembark and learn about the vibrant history of Budapest as your local guide takes you to a host of impressive sights, including Heroes' Square and St. Stephen's Cathedral. Enjoy free time this afternoon to explore Budapest at your leisure, or join an optional excursion to the Hospital in the Rock Nuclear Bunker Museum (additional expense). Tour the museum, once a World War II hospital, located in the caves beneath Buda Castle. BLD

**Day 8. Budapest, Disembark Ship** After breakfast, disembark your river ship and transfer to the airport for your onward flight. B

## EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Combine your Europe River Cruise with a Rail Tour through Switzerland's alpine icons including Zürich, Lucerne and Zermatt. Travel through Salzburg and Munich, visiting fairytale Neuschwanstein Castle.

For more information, search **EUTCHAT20** on travelmarvel.com.au



Fisherman's Bastion, Budapest

## FROM $4,395 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

8 DAYS – MUNICH TO BUDAPEST (EUTCH08)

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| Jun. **13**, 20; Jul. **11**, 18 | $4,595 | $5,395 |

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# BEST OF THE BALKANS

**EUTCBB15 ▪ BUDAPEST RETURN**



Mraconia Monastery, Romania

**SAVE UP TO $5,600** per couple. See pages 12-13

## 15 DAYS ▪ 14-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Visit a local Serbian family at their village in Belgrade, and learn about the daily rituals of traditional farm life
- ★ Enjoy a traditional horse show featuring Magyar cowboys and fine equestrian skills in Puszta, Hungary



Brandenburg Gate, Berlin, Germany

### EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY IN CENTRAL EUROPE

Extend your journey with a nine-day discovery of Central Europe. Explore Prague's Old Town, uncover Berlin's layered history, stroll through Potsdam's palaces, and experience Warsaw and Kraków.

For more information, search **EUTCBBE24** on travelmarvel.com.au

### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ 14 nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 40 meals – 14 breakfasts (B), 12 lunches (L) and 14 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore 15 towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Enjoy guided tours of Budapest, Belgrade, Bucharest, Novi Sad and more
- ✔ Cruise through the spectacular Iron Gates
- ✔ Tour the cobblestone lanes of Veliko Tarnovo
- ✔ Explore Belogradchik's ancient fortress and unique rock formations






**Day 1. Arrive Budapest, Embark Ship** Welcome to Budapest, Hungary's capital. Arrive at the airport and be transferred to your ship, docked on the Danube River.
**14 Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. D

**Day 2. Budapest** After breakfast, join a local guide to explore the city. Tonight, delight in a Gala Welcome Dinner on board before your ship sets sail. Marvel at the sight of Budapest as its famous monuments are illuminated, creating a mesmerising spectacle around you. BLD

**Day 3. Mohács, Pécs** From the port town of Mohács, history buffs will delight in the chance to visit the ancient city of Pécs. With the afternoon at leisure, you may wish to join an optional tour to Hungary's renowned wine region in Villány for a wine tasting (additional expense — refer to website for details). BLD

**Day 4. Osijek** Tour the dynamic city of Osijek, wandering its cobblestone streets and admiring 18th-century architecture. Visit landmarks like Holy Trinity Square and St. Michael's Church, then head to Vukovar for a regional specialty tasting. Reboard your ship for a relaxing afternoon cruise to Serbia. BLD

**Day 5. Belgrade** ★
In Serbia's capital, join a guided tour through the city. See the Belgrade Fortress and the Serbian Orthodox Temple of Saint Sava. **Discover the traditional Serbian way of life with a local family at their village, taking a tour of their home and barn to meet the resident farm animals. Stroll through the family's fruit orchards to learn about the brewing process of slivovitz. This plum brandy is the national drink of choice.** BLD

**Day 6. Iron Gates** Get ready to witness nature at its finest today as your ship cruises through the Iron Gates. This stunning natural gorge on the Danube River forms part of the border between Serbia and Romania, offering an unforgettable cruising experience. BLD

**Day 7. Ruse** Arrive in Ruse, one of Bulgaria's most elegant cities. Join a walking tour and admire the Belle Époque architecture, and manicured garden squares, which evoke the charm of Vienna. You'll also pass by Liberty Square, the courthouse, the Ruse Opera House and Alexander Battenberg Square. The afternoon is yours to enjoy at leisure in this charming city. BLD



Old Town, Prague, Czech Republic

### EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY IN PRAGUE

Extend your adventure with three nights in Prague, including a guided tour of the World Heritage-listed Old Town and a visit to Strahov Monastery.

For more information, search **EUTCPBB18** on travelmarvel.com.au

**Day 8. Giurgiu, Bucharest** Spend the entire day in Bucharest, Romania's vibrant capital. Join a guided tour of the city and take in the wide tree-lined boulevards, then walk through the Old City centre to the Royal Court, Stavropoleos Church and the Lipscani district. The afternoon is yours to spend at leisure. Perhaps you would like to wander the open-air Village Museum and gain an insight into traditional Romanian life. BD

**Day 9. Ruse, Veliko Tarnovo, Arbanasi** Today you'll discover the fortified walls and cobblestone lanes of Veliko Tarnovo with a local expert. At its centre, see the restored Tsarevets Fortress, citadel of the Second Bulgarian Empire. Afterwards, head to the hilltops to visit the historic village of Arbanasi. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant before rejoining your ship. BLD

**Day 10. Vidin, Belogradchik** Explore Baba Vida Fortress, a medieval castle. Head to Belogradchik to visit its ancient fortress on the northern side of the Balkan Mountains. While you're here, see the town's unique rock formations. BLD

**Day 11. Scenic Cruising** The day is yours to spend on board. Relax, taking in postcard-perfect views from the Sun Deck as you cruise. BLD

**Day 12. Novi Sad** Explore Novi Sad, Serbia's second-largest city, on a guided tour. Afterwards, spend your free time relaxing or perhaps visit Petrovaradin Fortress and explore its catacombs. BLD

**Day 13. Kalocsa, Puszta** ★
Dock in Kalocsa, a charming Hungarian town rich in history, located just a short distance from the mighty Danube. **In Puszta, enjoy a traditional horse show featuring Magyar cowboys and fine equestrian skills.** BLD

**Day 14. Budapest** Spend the day exploring Budapest at leisure. You may wish to join an optional tour to discover the marvellous Budapest Great Market Hall, or discover the Hospital in the Rock Nuclear Bunker Museum (additional expense). BLD

**Day 15. Disembark Ship, Depart Budapest** Disembark your ship this morning and be transferred to the airport. B

## FROM $7,195 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

15 DAYS – BUDAPEST RETURN (EUTCBB15)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Mar. 16 | $7,195 | $9,995 |
| Mar. 30 | $7,495 | $10,295 |
| May 30 | $9,195 | $11,995 |
| Jun. 27 | $8,395 | $11,195 |
| Jul. 25 | $7,995 | $10,795 |
| Oct. 17 | $7,595 | $10,395 |

*Best Price – includes Earlybird Saving and/or Early Payment Discount.
For full terms and conditions, visit travelmarvel.com.au and search the trip code.
Solo travellers add on from $5,950, please enquire for details.

### CRUISE UPGRADES

Prices are based on a Cat. LD Window Stateroom. Visit travelmarvel.com.au for deck plan. To upgrade your stateroom, add per person, twin share:

| Cat. | Stateroom Type | TWIN SHARE |
|---|---|---|
| MD | French Balcony Suite | $2,395 |
| UD | French Balcony Suite | $2,695 |
| OS | Owner's Suite | $3,995 |

### TRIP NOTES

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# RHINE AND MOSELLE CHRISTMAS MARKETS WITH PARIS, LUCERNE AND ZÜRICH

**EUTCLPZ15 ▪ PARIS TO ZÜRICH**



Christmas market in Cologne, Germany

**SAVE UP TO $1,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.

## 15 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT LAND TOUR + 7-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

## INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Discover the art of French cheesemaking at the Musée du Fromage in Paris
- ★ Stroll through Cologne's Christmas markets and sample mulled wine and local delicacies
- ★ Explore France's oldest Christmas markets in Strasbourg and Colmar
- ★ Travel by a gondola and aerial cableway to the snow-covered peak of Mount Pilatus



The Dragon Ride, Mount Pilatus, Switzerland

## REVERSE ITINERARY

This tour is available in reverse.
For more information, search **EUTCRLZP15** on travelmarvel.com.au

## INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Seven nights in premium accommodation
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 30 meals – 14 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 10 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore 11 towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges, porterage and tipping
- ✔ Ride the Winzerexpress mini road train into Rüdesheim
- ✔ Visit festive Christmas markets in Lucerne, Zürich and more




**Day 1. Arrive Paris** Be met on arrival in Paris and transfer to your hotel in the heart of the city. Later, meet your Tour Director and fellow passengers at a Welcome Reception.
**Three Nights:** Paris, Les Jardins du Marais.

**Day 2. Paris** Join a guided tour of Paris to see Avenue des Champs-Élysées and the Arc de Triomphe. Spend the afternoon at leisure and visit one of the city's festive Christmas markets. BD

**Day 3. Paris** ★
**Enjoy a visit to the Musée du Fromage and discover the craft and history of cheesemaking through a live demonstration, followed by a guided tasting pairing fine cheeses with carefully selected wines.** This afternoon, you may wish to join an optional tour, and tonight, perhaps experience a dinner and cabaret show at the iconic Moulin Rouge (additional expense — refer to website for details). B

**Day 4. Paris, Amsterdam, Embark Ship** After breakfast, farewell Paris and travel by coach through the scenic countryside of northern France, Belgium and the Netherlands. Arrive in Amsterdam and board your river ship. This evening, meet your fellow travellers at a Welcome Reception on board.
**14 Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. BD

**Day 5. Amsterdam** Board a glass-top boat and glide through Amsterdam's canals with a local guide. Back on land, enjoy free time to explore before saying goodbye to Amsterdam. Later tonight, enjoy a special Welcome Dinner on board. BLD

**Day 6. Cologne** ★
Arrive in Cologne and set out on a guided tour of the city. **Soak up the festive atmosphere at Cologne's renowned Christmas market, browsing wooden stalls, sampling mulled wine and indulging in seasonal treats.** BLD

**Day 7. Cochem** Cruise through one of the Moselle River's most idyllic stretches. Discover Cochem on a walking tour, exploring the narrow alleyways with their half-timbered houses. BLD

**Day 8. Rüdesheim** Cruise through the Rhine Gorge before docking in Rüdesheim. Ride the Winzerexpress mini road train through the town to Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum. Wander the Old Town and visit the famous Käthe Wohlfahrt Christmas store. BLD

**Day 9. Strasbourg** ★
Arrive in Strasbourg and join a guided tour through its historic quarters. **Enjoy time at the Christkindelsmärik, one of Europe's oldest and most famous Christmas markets.** Return to your river ship this evening for a Farewell Dinner. BLD

**Day 10. Breisach, Colmar** ★
**Discover the magic of Colmar on a guided tour, then enjoy free time to explore the town's renowned Christmas markets.** BLD

**Day 11. Basel, Disembark Ship, Lucerne** After breakfast, disembark your ship and join a guided tour of Basel. Later, travel to Lucerne and check in to your hotel. This evening, you may wish to enjoy an optional traditional dinner and entertainment at a Swiss folklore restaurant (additional expense).
**Two Nights:** Lucerne, Hotel Astoria or similar. B

**Day 12. Lucerne** Join a festive walking tour to discover Lucerne's Christmas traditions, then wander among the twinkling stalls of the city's charming Christmas markets. BD

**Day 13. Lucerne, Zürich** ★
**Ascend to the summit of Mount Pilatus by gondola and the spectacular Dragon Ride aerial cableway for sweeping views.** This evening, enjoy a Farewell Dinner.
**Two Nights:** Hotel Opera Zürich. BD

**Day 14. Zürich** Today is yours to explore Zürich at leisure. This evening, join a guided tour of the city and soak up its festive atmosphere. Visit one of Europe's largest indoor Christmas markets and see the famous Singing Christmas Tree. Alternatively, take part in a Christmas chocolate-making course at Lindt Home of Chocolate (additional expense). B

**Day 15. Depart Zürich** Transfer to the airport for your onward flight home, bringing your festive European journey to a close. B

## FROM $9,795 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

15 DAYS – PARIS TO ZÜRICH (EUTCLPZ15)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Nov. 25 | $10,295 | $11,095 |
| Dec. **1**, 9 | $9,795 | $10,595 |

*Best Price – includes Earlybird Saving and/or Early Payment Discount.
For full terms and conditions, visit travelmarvel.com.au and search the trip code.
Bold dates indicate itinerary operates in reverse, from Zürich to Paris (EUTCRLZP15).
Solo travellers add on from $5,750, please enquire for details

## FROM $4,595 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

8 DAYS – AMSTERDAM TO BASEL (EUTCL08)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Nov. 28; Dec. **5**, 12, **19** | $4,595 | $5,395 |

*Best Price – includes Earlybird Saving and/or Early Payment Discount.
For full terms and conditions, visit travelmarvel.com.au and search the trip code.
Bold dates indicate itinerary operates in reverse, from Basel to Amsterdam (EUTCRL08). Solo travellers add on from $3,250, please enquire for details.

### CRUISE UPGRADES

Prices are based on a Cat. LD Window Stateroom. Visit travelmarvel.com.au for deck plan. To upgrade your stateroom, add per person, twin share:

| Cat | Stateroom Type | TWIN SHARE |
|---|---|---|
| MD | French Balcony Suite | $1,195 |
| UD | French Balcony Suite | $1,345 |
| OS | Owner's Suite | $1,995 |

### TRIP NOTES

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# CHRISTMAS MARKETS ON THE DANUBE WITH PRAGUE AND MUNICH

**EUTCRXPM14 • PRAGUE TO MUNICH**



Christmas market, Prague, Czech Republic

**SAVE UP TO $1,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.

## 14 DAYS • 6-NIGHT LAND TOUR + 7-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Sample festive flavours at Christmas markets in Budapest, Regensburg and Nuremberg
- ★ Enjoy a presentation on German and European Christmas traditions aboard your river ship
- ★ Discover the fairytale Neuschwanstein Castle, set against the dramatic Bavarian Alps



Budapest, Hungary

### REVERSE ITINERARY

This tour is available in reverse. For more information, search **EUTCXMP14** on travelmarvel.com.au

### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard a Travelmarvel river ship
- ✔ Six nights in premium accommodation
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director, Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 28 meals – 13 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 9 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore nine towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges, porterage and tipping
- ✔ Visit Christmas markets in Prague, Budapest, Vienna, Regensburg, Nuremberg and Munich
- ✔ Cruise through the scenic Wachau Valley in Austria




**Day 1. Arrive Prague** Be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel in the historic centre of Prague. Later this evening, you'll have the chance to get to know your fellow travellers and Tour Director at a Welcome Reception.
**Three Nights:** Prague, Grandior Hotel.

**Day 2. Prague** Your exploration of Prague begins with a tour of the World Heritage-listed Old Town. Begin at Strahov Monastery, where you can take in panoramic views of Prague. You'll then wander across Charles Bridge and arrive in Prague's Old Town Square. Visit the astronomical clock, a masterpiece that visualises time in a truly unique form. Afterwards, warm up at a local cafe with a hot chocolate and homemade Czech Christmas cake. Perhaps join an optional experience this evening, where you will enjoy a lively Czech folklore dinner and show (additional expense — refer to website for details). B

**Day 3. Prague** Enjoy today at leisure. You may wish to join a tour to Prague Castle (additional expense). BD

**Day 4. Prague, Budapest, Embark Ship** Farewell Prague after breakfast as you board your coach and head to Budapest to join your river ship. Tonight, enjoy a Welcome Reception with your fellow travellers.
**Seven Nights:** Aboard your Travelmarvel river ship. BD

**Day 5. Budapest** ★
Awake to views of one of the Danube's most enchanting cities this morning. Disembark and learn about the vibrant history of Budapest as your local guide takes you to a host of impressive sights. **Afterwards, get into the festive spirit with a visit to one of the city's charming Christmas markets and enjoy a tasting of traditional Hungarian Christmas treats.** Back on board this evening, enjoy a delightful Welcome Dinner while you cruise. BLD

**Day 6. Vienna** Take in Vienna's Ringstrasse, plus enjoy a visit to St. Stephen's Cathedral. Afterwards, wander through the Christmas markets and perhaps pick up a souvenir or two. BLD

**Day 7. Dürnstein, Melk** Disembark in the town of Dürnstein, where you may wish to walk up to the hilltop ruins of the castle where King Richard the Lionheart was imprisoned. Later, cruise through the scenic Wachau Valley to Melk. Take a tour through Melk Abbey, an active Benedictine monastery since 1089. BLD

**Day 8. Aschach, Passau** Perhaps join an optional tour to Salzburg or Český Krumlov in the Czech Republic (additional expense). Alternatively, stay on board and enjoy a relaxing day cruising to Passau. BLD

**Day 9. Regensburg** ★
Continue along the Danube River to Regensburg, a historic city near the edge of the Bavarian Forest. Here, wander along the city's cobblestone lanes, taking a journey through the ages on your guided walking tour. **Pay a visit to Regensburg's Christmas market and warm up with a spiced mulled wine.** This evening, enjoy a Captain's Farewell Dinner. BLD

**Day 10. Nuremberg** ★
Take a city tour of Nuremberg this afternoon, which includes sights such as the Zeppelinfeld and the Palace of Justice. **Afterwards, explore the Christmas market and savour a local Lebkuchen gingerbread cookie. Tonight, delve into Germany's cherished Christmas traditions with an informative presentation on board your river ship.** BLD

**Day 11. Nuremberg, Disembark Ship, Munich** After breakfast, board a coach, travel to Munich, and check in to your hotel.
**Three Nights:** Munich, Hotel München City Centre Affiliated by Meliá or similar. B

**Day 12. Munich** Enjoy a guided discovery of the Bavarian capital of Munich, regarded by many as Germany's most beautiful city. The afternoon is yours to relax or continue exploring. This evening, you will be treated to a special Bavarian dinner. BD

**Day 13. Munich** ★
**Visit Neuschwanstein Castle, nestled in the heart of the Bavarian Alps. This iconic fortress inspired the castle featured in Disney's *Sleeping Beauty*.** B

**Day 14. Depart Munich** Your adventure comes to an end today with a transfer to the airport for your onward flight. B

## FROM $8,995 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

14 DAYS – PRAGUE TO MUNICH (EUTCRXPM14)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Nov. 25; Dec. **2** | $8,995 | $9,795 |

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## FROM $4,595 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

8 DAYS (CRUISE ONLY) – BUDAPEST TO MUNICH (EUTCRHX08)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Nov. 28; Dec. **5**, 12, **19** | $4,595 | $5,395 |

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### CRUISE UPGRADES

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| Cat. | Stateroom Type | TWIN SHARE |
|---|---|---|
| MD | French Balcony Suite | $1,195 |
| UD | French Balcony Suite | $1,345 |
| OS | Owner's Suite | $1,995 |

### TRIP NOTES

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# PORTUGAL RIVER CRUISING

**From Portugal's rolling vineyards and storied villages along the Douro River, to Spain's lively plazas and golden sandstone cities, every step reveals a new story. Immerse yourself in the heart and soul of the Iberian Peninsula with Travelmarvel.**

### THE SUBLIME DOURO RIVER

The pace is gentle, the wine rich, and the smiles warm along Portugal's serene Douro River. Watch as lush hills draped in grapevines rise from every direction.

### PICTURESQUE PORTO

This lively city, a gateway to the Douro Valley, pulses with colour. Porto boasts a rich seafaring history, with echoes of its maritime past found throughout the city. The city's historic charm is beautifully balanced by a modern edge, with its innovative gastronomic scene, elegant architecture and vibrant street art.

### PEACEFUL CITIES AND VILLAGES

Explore charming Portuguese cities and villages that seem frozen in time. Admire the baroque splendour of the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies in Lamego and marvel at its sweeping terraced staircase adorned with intricate azulejo mosaics. In Pinhão, indulge in traditional dishes and decadent desserts, savouring the flavours of the Douro Valley. Then, surrender to the relaxed pace of riverside life in Entre-os-Rios, where gentle waters, scenic landscapes, and the warm hospitality of the locals invite you to unwind and soak in the tranquil surroundings.

### EMBRACE THE SPANISH SPIRIT

Step into Spain to discover a world of fiestas, cuisine and flamenco, where the weather is warm and life moves at a more leisurely pace. Surrender to the beauty of Seville, a city brimming with stunning palaces, churches and Moorish architecture. In Barcelona, marvel at the visionary genius of architect Antoni Gaudí, whose seven works are recognised as UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Wander through the ornate sandstone streets of Salamanca, known as 'The Golden City'.

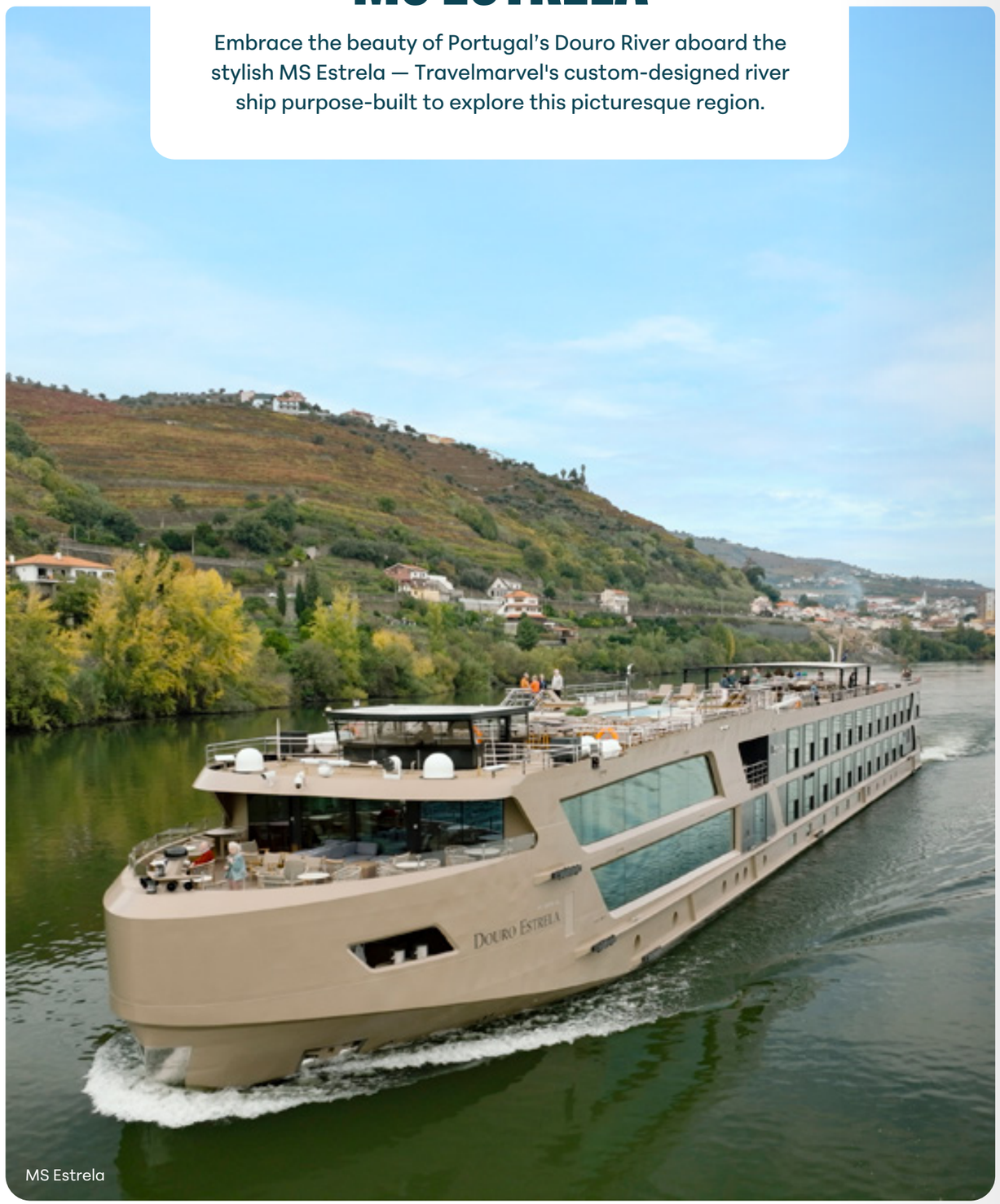
### THE IBERIAN EXPERIENCE

Uncover Portugal's soul through immersive cultural moments along the Douro River. In Pinhão, savour a traditional dinner at a local quinta, where regional flavours meet vineyard views. In Salamanca, enjoy a vibrant lunch and flamenco show — a celebration of Spanish passion and artistry. Then, in Régua, sample iconic port wine at a scenic quinta, framed by panoramic valley views.

Douro River, Portugal

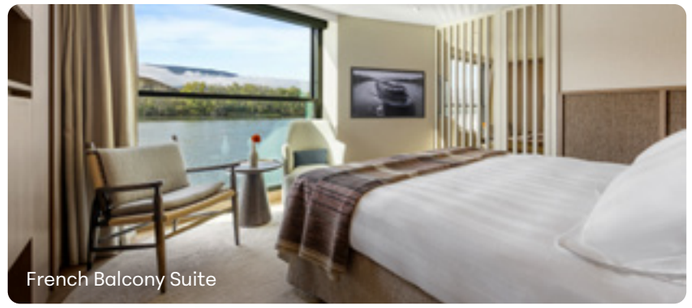
# MS ESTRELA

Embrace the beauty of Portugal's Douro River aboard the stylish MS Estrela — Travelmarvel's custom-designed river ship purpose-built to explore this picturesque region.



MS Estrela


Savour fresh flavours on board


French Balcony Suite


Enjoy the views from the Sun Deck

## CRUISE IN STYLE AND COMFORT

MS Estrela has been purpose-built for cruising Portugal's Douro River in comfort and style. Designed to reflect the surrounding landscape, the ship features light-filled interiors, contemporary furnishings and a distinctly southern European ambience. Carrying just 120 guests, it offers a relaxed atmosphere throughout your journey.

## YOUR TRANQUIL DOURO RETREAT

Each stateroom and suite aboard MS Estrela provides a comfortable haven between excursions. All staterooms and suites include an en suite bathroom, personal climate control, a flat screen TV and complimentary Wi-Fi.

### Window Staterooms

Located on the lower deck, Window Staterooms offer a comfortable retreat with all the essential in-room amenities for a relaxed stay.

### French Balcony Suites

French Balcony Suites feature an electric slide-down window that opens to a French-style balcony, allowing fresh air and river views to flow into your room.

### Owner's Suites

Situated on the upper deck, Owner's Suites provide the most spacious accommodation on board, featuring a large sitting area and dual-aspect views of the Douro from a generous French balcony, along with a queen-size bed and an en suite bathroom.

## DELICIOUS DINING

Meals in the main restaurant aboard MS Estrela highlight regional delicacies, showcasing a blend of Portuguese, Mediterranean and international flavours inspired by the Douro Valley. Begin the day with a buffet breakfast, followed by leisurely lunches and dinners prepared by the onboard chefs. For a more casual option, you may like to have a lighter meal in the ship's lounge or dine alfresco on the exterior deck. Beer, wine and soft drinks are included with onboard lunches and dinners during your Douro River Cruise.

## AMPLE WAYS TO UNWIND

Enjoy inviting onboard spaces between excursions. Relax in the spacious guest lounge, socialise over a drink at the bar and unwind in the ship's comfortable public areas.

### Alfresco Relaxation

The Sun Deck, complete with a large swimming pool, outdoor barbecue area, comfortable lounge seating, sun beds and a putting green, provides the perfect place to recharge while admiring the passing scenery and vineyards of the Douro Valley.

### Onboard Entertainment

Evenings aboard MS Estrela celebrate local culture and history. Attend informative talks about the Douro region's history and culture, and enjoy nights brought to life with traditional Portuguese folk music.

# DOURO DISCOVERY

**EUTCOP08 ▪ PORTO RETURN**

**SAVE UP TO $2,800** per couple. See pages 12-13.


Douro Valley, Portugal

## 8 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

## INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ In Pinhão, savour a delicious dinner at a local quinta, a traditional Portuguese winery
- ★ Be captivated by flamenco dancers over lunch and a show in Salamanca
- ★ Delight in a port wine tasting and fantastic views of the Douro Valley at a Régua quinta


Alhambra, Granada, Spain

## EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Add a Land Tour (**EUTCOPS21**) or Small Group Tour (**EUTCOPSG21**) before your Douro River Cruise.

For more information, see travelmarvel.com.au

## INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard MS Estrela
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 20 meals – 7 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 7 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your River Cruise
- ✔ Explore 11 towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Visit the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies in Lamego
- ✔ Explore Portugal's beautiful Mateus Palace
- ✔ See Castelo Rodrigo, overlooking Spain and Portugal




**Day 1. Arrive Porto, Embark Ship** Fly into Porto, a perfect introduction to sunny Portugal. Be met at the airport and transferred to your river ship. Tonight, meet your fellow travellers and Cruise Director at a Welcome Reception as you take in the sights along the Douro River on a sunset cruise. **Seven Nights:** Aboard your river ship, MS Estrela. D

**Day 2. Régua, Lamego, Pinhão** ★ Cruise along the spectacular Douro River, bordered by countless vineyards, flowing from the northern reaches of Spain and through Portugal. As you cruise this morning, you'll take part in a Portuguese language lesson, learning some essential phrases from this beautiful language. This afternoon, visit the picturesque village of Lamego and the elaborately decorated baroque cathedral, the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies. While in Lamego, visit one of Portugal's best museums. You may also like to sample one of the town's specialties, Bola de Lamego, a delicious smoked ham roll. **On arrival in Pinhão, you will enjoy a dinner of traditional dishes and dessert at a local quinta, a traditional Portuguese winery.** BLD

**Day 3. Vega de Terrón, Castelo Rodrigo** Cruise across the border into Vega de Terrón, Spain, where you'll enjoy some time at leisure before joining an excursion to Castelo Rodrigo. Perched atop a hill with sweeping views of both Spain and Portugal, this tiny village boasts well-preserved ruins, an impressive castle, and a striking stone statue of Santiago Matamoros. After exploring this charming town, return to your ship by coach. BLD

**Day 4. Salamanca, Barca d'Alva** ★ Today, disembark and board a coach to set off for the Spanish city of Salamanca, considered one of the most beautiful in Spain. The city features sunlit sandstone buildings along with a majestic square and a university founded in the 13th century. **Be entranced by flamenco dancers as they astound you with their flashing feet in a fiery performance, before savouring lunch.** Return by coach back to Barca d'Alva, the last Portuguese village along the Douro River, where your ship awaits. Back on board, enjoy a traditional Portuguese barbecue dinner. BLD

**Day 5. Pinhão, Régua** Join an excursion to the splendid Mateus Palace. Tour this living museum which is still owned by the Count of Vila Real. Discover the connection between this beautiful 18th-century palace and Mateus rosé wine for yourself. Afterwards, rejoin your ship, which is now docked in Régua. BLD

**Day 6. Régua, Entre-os-Rios** ★ This morning, head to a local quinta for outstanding views over the Douro Valley. **Here, you'll enjoy a tasting of local port wine, Portugal's most famous tipple.** Continue to the riverside town of Entre-os-Rios. On arrival, enjoy free time to explore this vibrant town at your own pace. BLD

**Day 7. Porto** After breakfast, return to the charming city of Porto. Join a captivating guided tour to see the city's iconic sights. This afternoon, take the opportunity to explore Porto at your leisure. You may wish to visit a Portuguese boutique to purchase authentic local souvenirs. Or, perhaps take a stroll through the city's old-fashioned Bolhão food market. Alternatively, you might choose to take an optional excursion to the World Heritage-listed city of Guimarães (additional expense — refer to website for details). This evening, savour a Farewell Dinner with your new-found friends on board. BLD

**Day 8. Disembark Ship, Depart Porto** Your journey comes to an end after breakfast. Transfer to the airport for your onward flight. B


Lisbon, Portugal

## EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Explore Lisbon's historic Old Town and marvel at Belém's World Heritage-listed Jerónimos Monastery and iconic Belém Tower.

For more information, search **EUTCOPL11** on travelmarvel.com.au

## FROM $5,495 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

8 DAYS – PORTO RETURN (EUTCOP08)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Mar. 30 | $5,695 | $7,095 |
| Apr. 20, 27 | $6,695 | $8,095 |
| May 18, 25; Jun. 15 | $6,995 | $8,395 |
| Jun. 22, 29 | $6,695 | $8,095 |
| Jul. 6, 13 | $6,095 | $7,495 |
| Jul. 20; Aug. 10 | $5,495 | $6,895 |
| Aug. 17, 24 | $6,295 | $7,695 |
| Sep. 14, 21 | $6,995 | $8,395 |
| Oct. 12, 19 | $6,695 | $8,095 |
| Oct. 26 | $6,395 | $7,795 |
| Nov. 2 | $5,695 | $7,095 |

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Solo travellers add on from $4,400, please enquire for details.

### CRUISE UPGRADES

Prices are based on a Category F and E Window Staterooms on the Lower Deck. Visit travelmarvel.com.au for deck plan. To upgrade your stateroom, add per person, twin share:

| Cat. | Stateroom Type | TWIN SHARE |
|---|---|---|
| B | French Balcony | $995 |
| CT | French Balcony | $995 |
| P | French Balcony | $1,395 |
| S | Suite – French Balcony | $1,895 |
| OS | Owner's Suite – French Balcony | $2,695 |

### TRIP NOTES

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For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTCOP08** on travelmarvel.com.au

# CROATIA COASTAL CRUISING

**Experience the wonders of Croatia from every angle. Wander beneath cascading waterfalls at Krka National Park, explore sunlit islands and charming coastal towns, and step into the medieval streets of Dubrovnik, all while enjoying the relaxed pace of cruising along the Adriatic with Travelmarvel.**

### THE DALMATIAN COAST

The Adriatic Sea's stunning Dalmatian Coast is a captivating destination full of iconic sights. Between the historic walled city of Dubrovnik and the charming seaside town of Opatija in the Kvarner Bay region, you'll encounter ancient ports like Rab, Zadar, Šibenik, and Split. Explore grand landmarks such as St. Michael's Fortress, the Cathedral of St. James, and Diocletian's Palace.

### IRRESISTIBLE ISLANDS

Croatia's islands boast azure waters and stunning beaches. On Korčula, Vis and Rab, you will find an endless source of enjoyment along charming waterfronts, in serene coves and on forested hilltops.

### THE PEARL OF THE ADRIATIC

Dubrovnik's Old Town is one of Europe's finest examples of a medieval citadel. Your exploration begins as you pass through the impressive Pile Gate, under the gaze of Saint Blaise, the city's patron saint.

### DIVE INTO CROATIA

Enjoy the sweet life as you experience the unmatched ease of small ship Coastal Cruising. Drop anchor in the crystal-clear waters of the Adriatic and dive in for a refreshing swim. The inviting sea is perfect for a quick dip, and your ship — or a delicious meal — is never far away.

### KRKA NATIONAL PARK

Lush greenery melding with cascading waterfalls await at the picture-perfect Krka National Park. Admire nature's artful touch, with promenade boardwalks snaking through vibrant scenery to the impressive Skradinski Buk waterfall.

### YOUR COASTAL CRUISE SHIP

With just 36 passengers on your intimate small ship, enjoy sightseeing at a more leisurely pace, free from the crowds found on larger vessels. Relax in the inviting public areas or slip into the warm waters of the Adriatic, directly from the ship's swimming platform. With overnight port stays, dine in charming restaurants ashore, and cruise close to the coastline, exploring areas inaccessible to larger ships.

Fort Lovrijenac, Dubrovnik

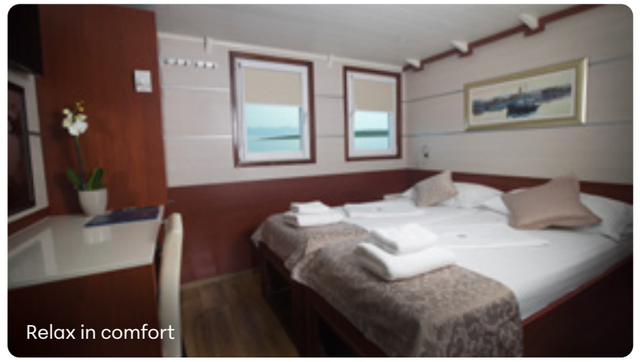
# MV PRINCESS ELEGANZA

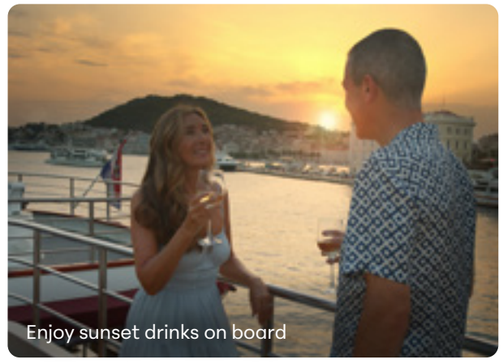
MV Princess Eleganza cruises to dreamy Adriatic islands along the Croatian coastline. Docking on the doorstep of each town, away from larger cruise ships, gives you more time to explore.



MV Princess Eleganza


Sun Deck


Relax in comfort


Enjoy sunset drinks on board

## SMALL SHIP COASTAL CRUISING

With just 36 guests on board, MV Princess Eleganza offers an intimate cruising experience along Croatia's spectacular coastline. Designed for small ship navigation, the vessel slips into charming harbours and secluded coves inaccessible to larger ships. Boarding and disembarking are swift and effortless, while the relaxed atmosphere on board allows you to enjoy the journey as much as the destination.

## YOUR PRIVATE RETREAT

Each of MV Princess Eleganza's 19 cabins provides a comfortable retreat after a day at sea. Features include an en suite bathroom with a shower, a TV, safe, hair dryer and personal climate control. Unpack once and settle in, knowing your cabin has everything you need for a comfortable journey and a restful night before tomorrow's discoveries.

## MEDITERRANEAN CUISINE

Dining on board is a highlight of the cruise. Mornings begin with hearty breakfasts, while relaxed lunches and barbecues feature fresh Mediterranean-style flavours and seasonal produce. A blend of included dinners and evenings at leisure gives you the opportunity to enjoy both onboard meals and local restaurants ashore.

## CUSTOM DESIGN

Refurbished and purpose-built for Croatia's coastline, MV Princess Eleganza is designed for relaxed exploration. Comfortable shared spaces invite you to unwind between ports, while the ship's compact size allows it to sail close to shore, creating a seamless connection between life on board and the surrounding scenery.

## ALFRESCO RELAXATION

Unwind on the Sun Deck or take a refreshing swim in the Adriatic from the ship's convenient swimming platform. With easy water access and inviting open-air spaces, the vessel is perfectly suited to Croatia's island-dotted waters.

## DOCK IN THE HEART OF TOWN

Dock in the heart of each port aboard MV Princess Eleganza, just steps from local life. You'll have time to wander laneways, browse local shops and dine at nearby restaurants at your own pace. Overnight stays allow you to linger longer, enjoying each destination after the day crowds have gone and experiencing the coast by both day and night.

# ADRIATIC COASTAL CRUISE

**EUTCAC8 ▪ DUBROVNIK TO ZAGREB**

**SAVE UP TO $1,600** per couple. See pages 12-13.



Korčula, Croatia

## 8 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT COASTAL CRUISE

### INSIDER EXPERIENCE

- ★ Experience the breathtaking natural beauty of Krka National Park and its dramatic waterfalls
- ★ In Rab, visit Vilma Bakery and learn about the famous Rab cake



Krka National Park, Croatia

### REVERSE ITINERARY

This tour is available in reverse.
For more information, search **EUTCRAC8** on travelmarvel.com.au

### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard MV Princess Eleganza
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Cruise Director and local guides
- ✔ 17 meals – 7 breakfasts (B), 6 lunches (L) and 4 dinners (D)
- ✔ Beer, local wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, plus tea, coffee and onboard water stations on your Coastal Cruise
- ✔ Explore nine towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Discover the medieval Old Town of Dubrovnik on a guided walking tour
- ✔ Enjoy a scenic drive on the untouched island of Vis
- ✔ Go for a swim while anchored off the idyllic island of Krk




**Day 1. Arrive Dubrovnik, Embark Ship** Arrive in Dubrovnik and transfer to your ship, MV Princess Eleganza. Unpack once and settle into your cabin, ready for your exploration of the Adriatic coast. This evening, be officially greeted at the Captain's Welcome Dinner, where you'll meet your fellow travellers and Cruise Director.
**Seven Nights:** Aboard MV Princess Eleganza. D

**Day 2. Dubrovnik, Korčula** Spend the morning exploring the medieval Old Town of Dubrovnik, often called the 'Pearl of the Adriatic' for its unmatched beauty. A guided tour of Dubrovnik's World Heritage-listed fortress begins at the impressive Pile Gate, which has stood guard at the entry of this unique walled city for centuries. Within the ancient fortifications, wander through narrow limestone alleys and marble-paved boulevards to see the grand Gothic-Renaissance Rector's Palace, the Dominican and Franciscan Monasteries, and the inspiring Sponza Palace before returning to your ship for lunch. Later, set sail for Korčula, where you will join a guided tour. Explore the city's maze of cobblestone, medieval streets and elegant squares flanked by palaces of the old nobility. This Old Town may not be as well-known as Dubrovnik, but it is every bit as rewarding for those lucky enough to visit. With the evening at leisure, enjoy the chance to dine in one of the local restaurants on the waterfront esplanade that fringes Korčula's Old Town. BL

**Day 3. Korčula, Vis, Split** Cruise to the Croatian island of Vis and disembark to discover its remote natural beauty during a scenic drive around the island. You'll then set sail for Split, one of the Adriatic's most vibrant port cities. Let your guide take you on a walking tour through the city, stopping to delve into the rich history of Diocletian's Palace. Built by the Roman Emperor Diocletian for his retirement in AD 305, the Old Town of Split is enclosed within its walls, making it the only Roman palace in existence that has been continuously inhabited since ancient Roman times. Your ship remains in port overnight, so you may wish to explore, perhaps with an evening stroll, taking in the views along the Riva Promenade. BLD

**Day 4. Split, Šibenik, Krka National Park** ★
Set sail for Šibenik, stopping for a swim along the way. Šibenik is known as the gateway to the magical Krka National Park and today, you will spend the afternoon discovering the dramatic waterfalls this area is famous for. Wander along wooden boardwalks and bridges at Skradinski Buk, an azure natural pool with high waterfalls at one end and serene cascades at the other. Your ship remains in port overnight in Šibenik, so you can enjoy the flexibility to choose between having dinner on board or heading into town to dine at a charming local restaurant. BLD

**Day 5. Šibenik, Zadar** This morning, take a guided walk through the remarkably well-preserved white-walled Šibenik Old Town. Return to your ship and set sail for Zadar. Arrive in the early evening and join a guided tour of this historic city's centre. You may choose to enjoy dinner tonight at Kaštel Restaurant, savouring the flavours of traditional Dalmatian dishes. Enjoy a three-course menu accompanied by a drink, highlighting regional specialties and warm Croatian hospitality (additional expense — refer to website for details). BL

**Day 6. Zadar, Rab** ★
This morning, sail to Rab. On arrival, embark on a guided walking tour, exploring the town's medieval streets and rich history. **Then, delight in a visit to Vilma Bakery for a presentation and tasting of the island's famous Rab cake.** BL

**Day 7. Rab, Krk, Opatija** Anchor at the island of Krk, where you can take a refreshing swim in the inviting Adriatic. Cruise to Opatija, where you'll enjoy your afternoon at leisure. Join your new-found friends for a special Captain's Farewell Dinner this evening aboard your ship. BLD

**Day 8. Opatija, Disembark Ship, Depart Zagreb** Disembark your ship and transfer by coach to Zagreb Airport for your onward flight. B

## FROM $4,695 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

8 DAYS – DUBROVNIK TO ZAGREB (EUTCAC8)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. 18 | $4,695 | $5,495 |
| Apr. **25** | $5,295 | $6,095 |
| May 2, **9**, 16, **23**, 30; Jun. **6**, 13, **20**, 27 | $6,095 | $6,895 |
| Jul. **4**, 11 | $5,295 | $6,095 |
| Jul. **18**, 25; Aug. **1** | $4,695 | $5,495 |
| Aug. 8, **15**, 22, **29** | $5,295 | $6,095 |
| Sep. 5, **12** | $6,395 | $7,195 |
| Sep. 19, **26** | $5,995 | $6,795 |
| Oct. 3 | $5,595 | $6,395 |
| Oct. **10** | $5,295 | $6,095 |

Best Price – includes Earlybird Saving and/or Early Payment Discount.
For full terms and conditions, visit travelmarvel.com.au and search the trip code.
Bold dates indicate itinerary operates in reverse, from Zagreb to Dubrovnik (EUTCRAC8). Solo travellers add on from $1,200 based on a Cat. S (Single) Cabin.

### CRUISE UPGRADES

Prices are based on a Cat. F Cabin (Porthole Windows) on the Lower Deck. Visit travelmarvel.com.au for deck plan. To upgrade your cabin, add per person, twin share:

| Cat. | Stateroom Type | TWIN SHARE |
|---|---|---|
| E | Porthole Windows | $200 |
| D | Small Windows | $695 |
| C | Small Windows | $895 |
| B | Small Windows | $1,095 |
| A | Panoramic Windows | $1,295 |

### TRIP NOTES

Coastal Cruising itineraries are subject to sailing conditions.
Group transfers in Zagreb are at set times. See terms and conditions towards the back of the brochure.



Venice, Italy

### EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY

Savour the flavours of Italy and cruise serene canals, indulge in regional cuisine and sip world-class Tuscan wines from Venice to Rome.

For more information, search **EUTCRACI17** on travelmarvel.com.au

For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTCAC8** on travelmarvel.com.au

# OCEAN CRUISING

**Vast landscapes and centuries of history await along Northern Europe's shores. Trace the sun-drenched Mediterranean coastline, sail between Norway's glacial-carved fjords, or witness Southern Europe's volcanic islands rising from the sea — all from the comfort of your Holland America Line ship.**

### MEDITERRANEAN TREASURES

Glide across sparkling waters to Mediterranean landmarks including Malta's Valletta, the sandy shores of Corfu and the Strait of Messina, which separates the toe of Italy's boot from Sicily. Pass awe-inspiring Messina, known for its handcrafted ceramics and rich Sicilian wines. Cruise around the volcanic island of Stromboli and admire the beauty of the Bay of Kotor and its Montenegrin town, set against a mountainous backdrop. The medieval streets of Kotor form a labyrinth of impressive architecture and monuments. Soak up spectacular coastal vistas and experience the unique cultures that have flourished along these historic shores for centuries.

### AEGEAN'S AZURE WONDERS

Explore the coastal highlights of the Aegean Sea, where ancient history and breathtaking landscapes meet. Wander through the storied streets of Athens, soak up the sun on the idyllic shores of Crete and discover the charming Old Town of Chania. Delve into antiquity at Ephesus in Türkiye, one of the ancient world's most legendary cities and a destination abundant with holy landmarks and incredible heritage. Adorned with iconic whitewashed buildings and striking blue-domed churches against the glistening azure sea, Santorini is truly a sight to behold.

### THE MAJESTIC FJORDS OF NORWAY

Weave your way through Norway's legendary fjords, where glacial forces have carved some of the world's most dramatic waterways. Cruise beneath sheer rock faces and cascading waterfalls along Hardangerfjord, set in a region famed for its fruit-growing valleys and the striking five-tiered Vøringsfossen cascade. See fjords such as Nordfjord, framed by emerald waters, forested slopes and quiet villages. Glide across these mirrored waterways aboard your ship, winding through hidden inlets and narrow channels, and experience Norway from a perspective only the water can reveal. Immerse yourself in local life and sample traditional dishes along the way.

### HOLLAND AMERICA LINE

Aboard Holland America Line's MS Zuiderdam, MS Nieuw Amsterdam and MS Rotterdam, enjoy gourmet cuisine, award-winning service, and superbly appointed staterooms and suites. Dance the night away at B.B. King's Blues Club, relive rock classics at the Rolling Stone Lounge, or be captivated by performances on the World Stage, the ship's largest theatre with a two-story panoramic LED screen. Learn about each region with the exclusive EXC® Talk lecture series, and savour globally inspired dishes across the ship's onboard restaurants. With amenities like pickleball courts, onboard shopping, and fitness and wellness facilities, every moment aboard your ship is relaxed, comfortable and designed for ease.

Holland America Line's MS Rotterdam, Norway

# MEDITERRANEAN TREASURES WITH ATHENS

**EUTOAM11 ▪ ATHENS TO ROME**

SAVE UP TO $1,600 per couple. See pages 12-13.



Kerkyra, Corfu, Greece

## 11 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT OCEAN CRUISE + 3-NIGHT LAND TOUR

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Join a guided tour of UNESCO World Heritage-listed Pompeii and walk through its remarkably preserved ruins

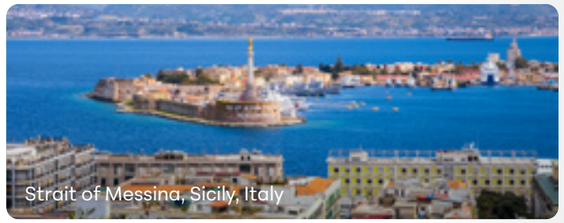
### TRIP OVERVIEW

| Day | Destination |
|---|---|
| 1 | Arrive Athens |
| 2 | Athens |
| 3 | Athens |
| 4 | Athens – Embark Ship |
| 5 | Day at Sea |
| 6 | Kotor |
| 7 | Corfu |
| 8 | Messina |
| 9 | Naples |
| 10 | Naples |
| 11 | Disembark Ship – Depart Rome |




### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard Holland America Line's MS Nieuw Amsterdam
- ✔ Three nights in premium accommodation
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director and local guides
- ✔ 25 meals – 10 breakfasts, 7 lunches and 8 dinners
- ✔ Explore five towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Discover Athens Acropolis and Parthenon on a city tour
- ✔ Explore Kotor's Old Town on a guided walking tour
- ✔ Scenic sailing around Stromboli Volcano



Strait of Messina, Sicily, Italy

### FROM $5,895 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

11 DAYS – ATHENS TO ROME (EUTOAM11)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Jun. 8; Jul. 20; Aug. 31 | $5,895 | $6,695 |

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Solo travellers add on from $3,180, please enquire for details.

**CRUISE UPGRADES – MS NIEUW AMSTERDAM**

Prices are based on Ocean View stateroom. Upgrades are available, please enquire for details.

**TRIP NOTES**

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For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTOAM11** on travelmarvel.com.au



# AEGEAN EXPLORER WITH BARCELONA

**EUTOBA11 ▪ BARCELONA TO ATHENS**

SAVE UP TO $1,600 per couple. See pages 12-13.



Valetta, Malta

## 11 DAYS ▪7-NIGHT OCEAN CRUISE + 3-NIGHT LAND TOUR

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ In Malta, explore the magnificent rooms of Valletta's Grand Master's Palace on a guided walking tour and learn about its rich history and legacy

### TRIP OVERVIEW

| Day | Destination |
|---|---|
| 1 | Arrive Barcelona |
| 2 | Barcelona |
| 3 | Barcelona |
| 4 | Barcelona – Embark Ship |
| 5 | Day at Sea |
| 6 | Valletta |
| 7 | Day at Sea |
| 8 | Souda, Crete |
| 9 | Santorini |
| 10 | Kuşadası – Ephesus |
| 11 | Disembark Ship – Depart Athens |




### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven-night cruise aboard Holland America Line's MS Nieuw Amsterdam
- ✔ Three nights in premium accommodation
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director and local guides
- ✔ 25 meals – 10 breakfasts, 7 lunches and 8 dinners
- ✔ Explore five towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Discover Barcelona on a guided city tour
- ✔ Visit the ancient city of Ephesus on Türkiye's Anatolian coast



Sagrada Familia, Barcelona, Spain

### FROM $5,895 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

11 DAYS – BARCELONA TO ATHENS (EUTOBA11)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Jun. 22; Jul. 13; Aug. 24 | $5,895 | $6,695 |

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Solo travellers add on from $3,180, please enquire for details.

**CRUISE UPGRADES – MS NIEUW AMSTERDAM**

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# NORWEGIAN FJORDS WITH BELGIUM

**EUTOAR11 ▪ BRUSSELS TO AMSTERDAM**

SAVE UP TO $1,600 per couple. See pages 12-13.



Kinderdijk windmills, the Netherlands

## 11 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT OCEAN CRUISE + 3-NIGHT LAND TOUR

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Visit Baker's Paradise, where beautiful views of the surrounding farmland are paired with authentic Norwegian fare, including waffles and coffee

### TRIP OVERVIEW

| Day | Destination |
|---|---|
| 1 | Arrive Brussels – Ghent |
| 2 | Ghent |
| 3 | Ghent – Bruges |
| 4 | Bruges – Kinderdijk – Rotterdam – Embark Ship |
| 5 | Day at Sea |
| 6 | Copenhagen |
| 7 | Oslo – Oslofjord |
| 8 | Kristiansand |
| 9 | Stavanger |
| 10 | Day at Sea |
| 11 | Rotterdam – Disembark Ship – Depart Amsterdam |




### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard Holland America Line's MS Rotterdam
- ✔ Three nights in premium accommodation
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director and local guides
- ✔ 24 meals – 10 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 8 dinners
- ✔ Explore seven towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Enjoy a picturesque canal cruise in Ghent
- ✔ Learn about the romantic city of Bruges on a guided tour



Nyhavn, Copenhagen, Denmark

## FROM $5,795 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

11 DAYS – BRUSSELS TO AMSTERDAM (EUTOAR11)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. 27 | $5,795 | $6,595 |
| Sep. 28 | $6,395 | $7,195 |

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Solo travellers add on from $2,780, please enquire for details.

**CRUISE UPGRADES – MS ROTTERDAM**

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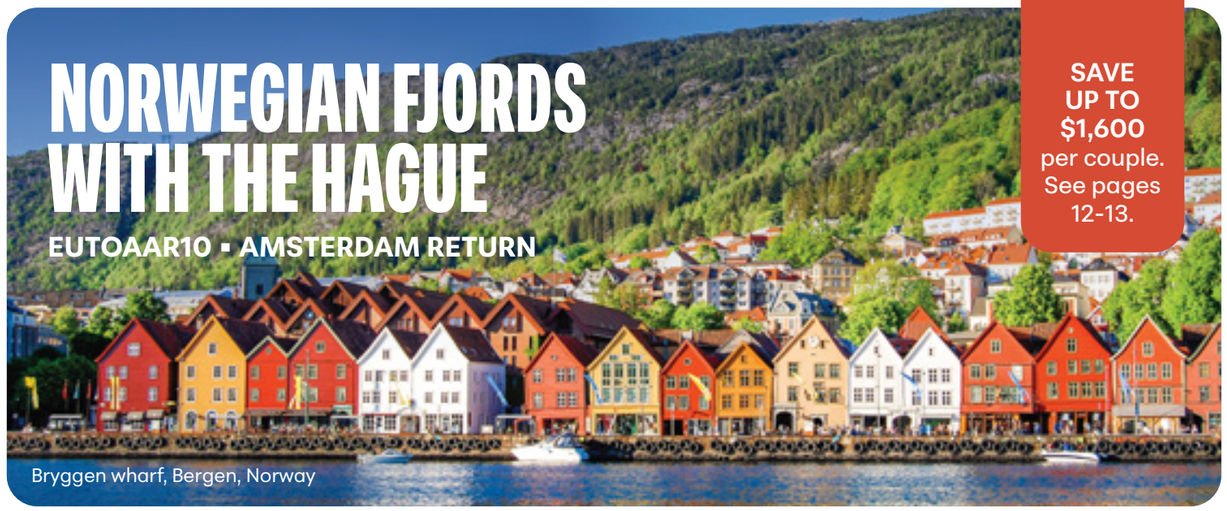
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# NORWEGIAN FJORDS WITH THE HAGUE

**EUTOAAR10 ▪ AMSTERDAM RETURN**

SAVE UP TO $1,600 per couple. See pages 12-13.



Bryggen wharf, Bergen, Norway

## 10 DAYS ▪ 7-NIGHT OCEAN CRUISE + 2-NIGHT LAND TOUR

### INSIDER EXPERIENCES

- ★ Visit the Hardangervidda National Park Centre and waterfall
- ★ Experience the Nave Deer & Llama Farm in Nordfjord

### TRIP OVERVIEW

| Day | Destination |
|---|---|
| 1 | Arrive Amsterdam – The Hague |
| 2 | The Hague – Gouda |
| 3 | The Hague – Amsterdam – Embark Ship |
| 4 | Day at Sea |
| 5 | Eidfjord – Hardangerfjord |
| 6 | Ålesund |
| 7 | Nordfjordeid – Nordfjord |
| 8 | Bergen |
| 9 | Day at Sea |
| 10 | Disembark Ship – Depart Amsterdam |




### INCLUSIONS

- ✔ Seven nights aboard Holland America Line's MS Zuiderdam
- ✔ Two nights in premium accommodation
- ✔ Services of a Travelmarvel Tour Director and local guides
- ✔ 23 meals – 10 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 7 dinners
- ✔ Explore six towns, villages and cities
- ✔ Transfers, port charges and tipping
- ✔ Discover the highlights of The Hague on a guided walking tour
- ✔ Sail along Norway's fjords, including Hardangerfjord and Nordfjord



Amsterdam, the Netherlands

## FROM $4,995 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE

10 DAYS – AMSTERDAM RETURN (EUTOAAR10)

| 2028 DATES AND PRICES (A$) PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE | BEST PRICE FROM* | STANDARD PRICE FROM* |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. 27; Jul. 27 | $4,995 | $5,795 |

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Solo travellers add on from $2,780, please enquire for details.

**CRUISE UPGRADES – MS ZUIDERDAM**

Prices are based on Ocean View stateroom. Upgrades are available, please enquire for details.

**TRIP NOTES**

Ocean Cruising itineraries are subject to sailing conditions. Itinerary for July departure varies. See terms and conditions towards the back of the brochure.

For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTOAAR10** on travelmarvel.com.au

# EXTEND YOUR OCEAN CRUISE

Explore more of Europe with itineraries that combine your Holland America Line Ocean Cruise through Norway, the Mediterranean or Aegean Sea with a European River Cruise.

## EUROPEAN GEMS, BELGIUM AND NORWEGIAN FJORDS

**EUTCROBR25**

Along the Rhine, Main and Danube, stunning architecture, rich history and friendly locals await. Combined with Belgium's medieval cities and Norway's striking beauty, these 25 days offer unforgettable moments.


Stavanger, Norway

### FROM $13,895 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE†

25 DAYS – BUDAPEST TO AMSTERDAM (EUTCROBR25)

| DEPARTURE DATES (2028) |
| --- |
| Apr. 13; Sep. 14 |

Solo travellers add on from $9,580, please enquire for details.
†Price shown is based on the 13 April 2028 departure.

For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTCROBR25** on travelmarvel.com.au

## EUROPEAN GEMS WITH NORWEGIAN FJORDS

**EUTCROBA24**

Storybook towns, vineyard-lined valleys and grand capitals bordering Europe's central rivers meet views of towering fjords, glacial beauty and Norway's coastline on this captivating 24-day journey.


Hardangerfjord, Norway

### FROM $13,095 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE†

24 DAYS – BUDAPEST TO AMSTERDAM (EUTCROBA24)

| DEPARTURE DATES (2028) |
| --- |
| Apr. 13 |

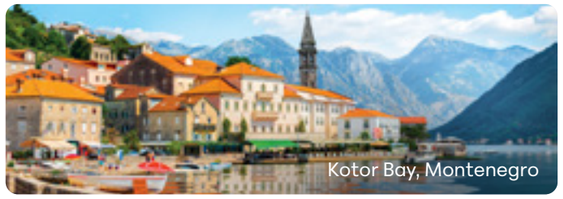
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For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTCROBA24** on travelmarvel.com.au

## EUROPEAN GEMS WITH MEDITERRANEAN TREASURES

**EUTCOAM25**

Soak up the heritage and local life along the river from Amsterdam to Budapest, then discover the Mediterranean's allure, visiting islands, admiring turquoise waters and enjoying the region's lively culture.


Kotor Bay, Montenegro

### FROM $13,495 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE†

25 DAYS – AMSTERDAM TO ROME (EUTCOAM25)

| DEPARTURE DATES (2028) |
| --- |
| May 25; Jul. 6; Aug. 17 |

Solo travellers add on from $9,580, please enquire for details.
†Price shown is based on the 6 July 2028 departure.

For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTCOAM25** on travelmarvel.com.au

## DOURO DISCOVERY WITH AEGEAN EXPLORER

**EUTCOPBA18**

Experience the beauty of the Douro Valley, where local quintas dot the landscape, then embark on an immersive cruise across the Aegean Sea, often called the cradle of Western civilisation.


Santorini, Greece

### FROM $11,195 PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE†

18 DAYS – PORTO TO ATHENS (EUTCOPBA18)

| DEPARTURE DATES (2028) |
| --- |
| Jun. 15; Jul. 6; Aug. 17 |

Solo travellers add on from $7,980, please enquire for details.
†Price shown is based on the 29 June 2028 departure.

For a detailed day-by-day itinerary, up-to-date prices, savings and departure dates, search **EUTCOPBA18** on travelmarvel.com.au



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Air travel is arranged with independent airlines. Travelmarvel will arrange air travel as advertised in connection with your holiday package. All airfares are subject to flight and class availability and will be booked on receipt of your deposit to avoid price or tax increases. Once air tickets are issued, amendment and cancellation fees and conditions apply and, in some cases, are non-refundable.

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| Days of Notice (Prior to Departure): | Fee Per Person: |
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| 100 days or more | Loss of deposit |
| 99–61 days | 50% of holiday package price |
| 60 days or less | 100% of holiday package price |

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