Connect with an inspiring destination on an authentic boutique adventure.

I invite you to experience a journey of authentic connections and unrivaled local access when you travel with us on a 2020 Connections Boutique Group Journey.

Look forward to a new and deeply immersive experience at every stop on your itinerary, from reveling in traditional Irish music with local musicians to dining as a welcome guest in a Polish household, with each day coming to a close in a one-of-a-kind boutique hotel that reflects the flavor and character of your destination. Throughout, your Resident Tour Director® offers fascinating insights into local culture and reveals off-the-beaten-path gems only a local would know.

This year, we are introducing two new journeys that explore the rich cultural splendors of Northern Italy and Portugal, transporting you to the shores of Lake Como or Lisbon and the beautiful Douro Valley.

Discover our 2020 portfolio of Connections Boutique Group Journeys, along with our spectacular European River Cruise Journeys. Choose whichever journey inspires you the most, and then join us in 2020 for a truly unforgettable adventure.

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From our earliest journeys up to the present day, we set the standard for authentic and immersive travel.

Our Unmatched Legacy of Service, Expertise and Authenticity
Abercrombie & Kent is the world’s premier experiential travel company, with an unrivaled legacy of creating memorable adventures in the world’s most compelling destinations. Our on-site experts work tirelessly to design authentic boutique experiences you won’t find anywhere else, and orchestrate every aspect of your journey down to the last detail. Each Connections Boutique Group Journey combines the best of A&K expertise and style with handpicked boutique hotels and beyond-the-guidebook access to daily life, all of which come together to forge a true and lifelong connection to each destination you visit, every time you travel with us.

We Stake Our Reputation on Every Journey
A&K’s service and reputation are tested every day against the most discerning audience: our guests. And time and again, we pass the test. Travellers who choose A&K often write to tell us about our incredible Resident Tour Directors, intimate hotels, authentic experiences and extraordinary connections made with local people. Nearly 60 years in the making and backed by thousands of journeys and countless miles, our reputation rests on one singular goal: Deliver the best possible travel experience to every guest, every time.

With six A&K offices in Europe — part of a global network of more than 55 — our local presence is unmatched by any other travel company.
Our deep-rooted local access takes you places no one else can, with an authenticity no one can match.

The Difference Local Access Makes
For A&K, having our own local staff is only the beginning. We build lasting, one-on-one relationships with the people who know your destination best, from craftspeople and chefs to experts in local art and history. What does this mean for you as an A&K Connections guest? It means you experience each stop on your journey from a truly local perspective. We don’t just bring you to the beautiful hamlet of Oropos — you learn the secrets of rich Greek cuisine from a local family and share lunch with them at their table. In the stunning mountain village of Habkern, you not only learn the history of Switzerland’s whimsical alphorn during a private demonstration, you even have the option of playing one.

Resident Tour Directors with Deep Local Ties
If there’s one thing A&K guests consistently value most about their journeys, it is their Resident Tour Director — more than 94 percent of our guests rate them as “Excellent.” Year-round experts, our Resident Tour Directors have lived for decades, sometimes even their entire lives, in the places you visit, and possess the kind of insight into local culture that can only come from being a local themselves. Overseeing your entire journey, they accompany you every day, sharing their unique understanding of daily life as well as your destination’s culture, history and cuisine. The result is a journey that reveals the real spirit of a place, connecting you to the people and places you encounter in a way you’ll never forget.

“When you’ve just arrived in an airport after long hours of flying, there’s no better welcome than seeing your A&K rep holding that yellow sign.”

— Dan; Portland, OR, December 2018
Share one-of-a-kind boutique experiences with fascinating local people.

Immersive Travel at Its Finest
Connections Boutique Group Journeys reveal the distinct culture of a place, and connect you to it and its people in unexpected and unforgettable ways. Experience authentic local interactions at every turn, perhaps trying your hand as musher with your own dog-sled team on Northern Lights of Lapland, or going behind the scenes at Italy’s only organic mozzarella producer on Sicily, Puglia & the Amalfi Coast.

Authentic Meals in Every Destination
Sampling delicious new food can be just as exciting as seeing the destination. We choose vibrant restaurants favored more by the locals than by tourists, and arrange memorable dining opportunities spanning everything from dinner at a local Polish home in medieval Krakow to a traditional musical gathering at an authentic Irish pub. Every journey also includes festive welcome and farewell dinners, a wonderful way to connect with the new friends you’ve made.

Intimate Groups of No More than 24 Guests
Travel with no more than 24 guests, which allows for more intimate access to places and experiences that larger groups can’t manage. Whether by land or by river, travelling in these privileged small groups also brings added opportunities to get to know your Resident Tour Director as well as your fellow guests in a relaxed, casual atmosphere.

Connections European River Cruise Journeys
Discover the charming Old World on the only small-group boutique river cruise experience available in Europe. Every journey offers a comprehensive itinerary that reveals your destination on and off the water, including vital cultural hubs before or after your cruise, featuring the same carefully chosen boutique accommodations as our land journeys. Throughout, explore alongside local experts on enriching excursions that are exclusive to Connections guests. When dining on board, your Connections group sits at specially reserved tables, joined by your Resident Tour Director, and going ashore, your small group dines at local restaurants — something no one else on your cruise does.
Explore the Ivan Mestrovic Gallery in Split with its curator during a private tour, admiring exquisite 20th-century masterworks.

**Croatia: Jewel of the Coast**

Learn how rare and venerated paintings are restored for exhibition at a fine art gallery in Amsterdam.

**Switzerland & the Rhine**

Join a professional photographer for an enriching hands-on lesson in the art of wildlife and landscape photography.

**North America: Canadian Rockies**
Our experts handpick exceptional boutique hotels that complement your journey.

One-of-a-Kind Heritage and Authentic Local Character
On your Connections Boutique Group Journey, unwind in intimate boutique hotels that sometimes began as private mansions, government residencies or religious centers, and that feature a special heritage that lives on in every guest room and public space. With their own unique story, every hotel provides a palpable sense of place that feels like the destination of which they are a part. Kilronan Castle creates an authentic Irish experience infused with traditions of the past, while the Arctic SnowHotel showcases the beautiful Lapland wilderness and features frozen beds layered with reindeer skins.

Easy Access to the Most Desirable Neighborhoods
Perhaps the most important feature of a great hotel is its location, and that’s why the experts who create Connections Boutique Group Journeys choose properties that put the heart of a neighborhood right at your doorstep. Stay at Catalonia Ronda in Spain for views of the historic bullring from a rooftop infinity pool, or at Romeo Hotel, set in the heart of Naples and only steps from San Carlo Theater and the world-famous Spaccanapoli — crammed with boutique shops, bars, galleries, street musicians and fruit vendors.

Just the Right Size for Comfort and Convenience
Because their clients travel in larger groups of 40 or more, other tour companies must accommodate their clients in high-rise chain hotels with no sense of intimacy. Our boutique hotels typically have around 100 rooms, and many have far fewer than that, ensuring you don’t return from a day’s sightseeing having to reach your room through a crowd of other guests.

Upgrade Your Accommodations
Talk to an A&K Travel Consultant or your travel professional about elevating your experience with a higher room or cabin category.
Wherever you travel, we deliver peace of mind from start to finish.

A Reassuring Local Presence from the Moment You Arrive
The A&K difference becomes clear as soon as you arrive and meet your representative, who assists with your luggage and escorts you privately to your hotel — on a Connections Boutique Group Journey, you don’t share a vehicle on arrival transfers, even with other A&K guests.

Private Transfers and Gratuities Included
Private arrival and departure transfers are always included with your journey, regardless of when you choose to arrive or depart. Likewise, all of your gratuities are included, save for your Resident Tour Director, which is at your sole discretion.

Departure Dates and Prices Are Always Guaranteed
Book your journey with confidence, knowing we won’t cancel. Every A&K Connections Boutique Group Journey is guaranteed to depart with a minimum of two guests. And if the price you pay for your journey drops after you book, we’ll refund the difference.

Stay Connected on Us
Don’t wait for your trip to end to share photos and stories with the folks back home — enjoy complimentary Internet access during hotel stays, along with ship-wide Wi-Fi available free to Connections guests on each of our European River Cruise Journeys.

Included with Every Connections Boutique Group Journey

- English-Speaking Resident Tour Director and Local Guides
- Hand-Selected Boutique Accommodations
- Internet Access (Where Available)
- Full Breakfast Daily; Select Lunches and Dinners
- Private Arrival and Departure Transfers
- Entrance Fees, Taxes and All Gratuities Except Resident Tour Director
- 24/7 A&K On-Call Support
- Guaranteed Departures with Just Two Guests
Add to your journey — or completely make it your own.

Create the Comprehensive Travel Experience You’re Looking For
We plan our Connections Boutique Group Journeys to make for a complete and memorable travel experience — but even that is just a starting point. A&K can craft an end-to-end adventure around your Connections Boutique Group Journey, adding anything from upgraded accommodations to completely customized, pre- or post-tour itineraries, all with the goal of making your journey a one-of-a-kind trip of a lifetime. Whatever your tastes, A&K can connect you to each destination in ways no one else can.

Travel on a Journey Made Just for You
Are you looking for a made-to-order journey that aligns exactly with your interests from start to finish? Our experts can create a Luxury Tailor Made Journey around all the things you like to see and do when travelling, allowing you to experience the destination the way you want. Contact A&K or your travel professional, and discover the world of possibilities available with Luxury Tailor Made Travel.
When it comes to flying, let an A&K Air Concierge handle the details.

Count on Our Air Experts to Always Go the Extra Mile

Thanks to our long-established partnerships with the world’s premier carriers — not to mention decades of experience — booking your air with A&K affords you a multitude of benefits. Your Air Concierge always knows the best flights that work with your itinerary’s start and end times, and in the event a flight is delayed or canceled, we’re there 24/7 to assist you and make sure you enjoy your journey as planned. We offer special fares where available, as well as the freedom to earn mileage points as your carrier allows and to cancel your reservation up to a day before departure (fees may apply).

Contact us or your travel professional to learn more about the benefits of booking your flights through A&K.

Book with peace of mind thanks to our Guest Protection Program with Cancel for Any Reason coverage.

Help Protect Your Travel Investment with Guest Protection

Purchase A&K’s Guest Protection Program, which offers coverage should you have to cancel your trip on short notice, if a medical emergency arises while travelling, or your baggage is lost or damaged. Administered by Aon Affinity, with insurance benefits underwritten by United States Fire Insurance Company, the Guest Protection Program provides coverage for trip and baggage delays as well as emergency medical evacuation and offers convenient online claims filing.

For the utmost in flexibility, upgrade your Guest Protection Program benefits to include Cancel for Any Reason, which if purchased within 14 days of initial trip deposit, allows you to cancel your journey up to two days before departure and be reimbursed — no matter the reason. Additional terms apply.

For more information on A&K’s Guest Protection Program (including your state-specific terms, conditions and exclusions), visit abercrombiekent.com/gpp.

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A rewards program made to order for passionate travellers.

Welcome to Marco Polo Club®

Marco Polo Club extends complimentary membership to everyone who travels on three or more journeys with Abercrombie & Kent, USA. Among the club’s benefits is a five-percent discount on almost any new booking made within nine months of returning from an A&K journey — a savings that members can pass on to any immediate family travelling with them. As an added benefit, solo travellers are entitled to a 50-percent savings on most single supplements booked at any time.

Marco Polo Club members also enjoy recognition in other ways with a place on the priority wait list for sold-out journeys, a members-only onboard reception on A&K Luxury Expedition Cruises, and a variety of exclusive communications and events. To learn more about A&K’s Marco Polo Club, visit akmarcopolo.com.

Experience the finest in authentic luxury travel with the company that invented it.

Contact an A&K travel consultant today by calling 800 323 7308 Monday through Friday (8-7 CT) and on Saturday (9-1 CT), or speak to your travel professional. Find more information online at abercrombiekent.com.
A&K Philanthropy partners with local communities to empower lasting change.

Building on a Legacy of Partnership
In 1982, Abercrombie & Kent Philanthropy (AKP) began its journey of community partnership with conservation efforts in the Masai Mara. Today, AKP is honored to continue this ongoing mission, partnering with local communities to improve education, conservation, health care and enterprise with more than 40 projects spanning seven continents — a philanthropic commitment unequalled in the travel industry.

Experience an AKP Project Firsthand
A number of our journeys offer opportunities to visit an AKP partner community, affording a wealth of moving experiences you won’t find anywhere else. Whether it’s celebrating a newly opened maternity ward or serving lunch to local schoolchildren, many of our guests experience their journeys’ most impactful moments during these visits.

Sharing Genuine Perspectives
AKP employs a team of dedicated Philanthropy Coordinators stationed throughout the world, allowing for deeper, more meaningful cultural exchanges. From speaking with a local teacher in a Kenyan village to witnessing the impact of clean water wells in rural Cambodia, AKP Coordinators facilitate the face-to-face interactions that reveal the true fabric of these communities.
With more than 40 projects worldwide, these are just a few of the ways our AKP partner communities are shaping lasting change.

**EDUCATION**
Children of the Rainbow School
In Peru’s Sacred Valley, this special school provides an oasis of education and hope to the region’s least privileged children.

**CONSERVATION**
South Georgia Heritage Trust
On the sub-Antarctic island of South Georgia, a team of scientists is racing to save one of the planet’s most important seabird habitats.

**HEALTH CARE**
Cambodia Clean Water Project
Clean wells are turning the tides of waterborne illness and fostering a healthier future for local families in a rural Cambodian village.

**ENTERPRISE**
Chipego Bike Shop
In a Zambian village, a small group of local women have turned a tiny co-op into an inspiringly successful enterprise radiating prosperity throughout the region.

For a complete list of AKP projects and visit opportunities, or to make a tax-free donation, please visit akphilanthropy.org.
Sicily, Puglia & the Amalfi Coast
11 days from $6,795 | Limited to 24 guests

Experience the glories of Southern Italy on a panoramic journey that includes Sicily’s ancient ruins and exotic landscapes, the remote towns of Calabria and Puglia, and the breathtaking Isle of Capri on the sparkling Amalfi Coast.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Discover the fascinating history and culture of Southern Italy, visiting the island of Sicily, secluded Calabria and Puglia, and finishing in magnificent sunny Campania

▶ Savor the flavors of Italy with a private buffalo mozzarella tasting and a visit to a Puglian olive oil producer

▶ Step back in time to explore Sicily’s incredible Greek and Roman remains, and the mountain-carved city of Matera

▶ Visit Roman Herculaneum, and drive the stunning Amalfi Coast Road to Positano

DAY 1: Arrive Palermo, Italy
Arrive in Palermo, Sicily’s lively capital, and transfer to your hotel located in the city’s historic center. Sicily has a long history of stubborn independence from the political forces of mainland Italy, and today remains an autonomous region with its own distinct history and culture. Join your Resident Tour Director tonight for a welcome dinner.
Grand Hotel Piazza Borsa | Meals: D

DAY 2: Palermo | Treasures of Norman Architecture
Journey to the hillside town of Monreale and enter its extravagant cathedral, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Dating
from 1170, it is perhaps the finest surviving example of Norman architecture anywhere in the world, and its mosaic-lined walls, said to incorporate nearly 2.5 tons of gold, are breathtaking to behold. Return to ancient Palermo for a guided tour, including the Cathedral and the ninth-century Norman Royal Palace with its glittering, mosaic-laden chapel. Still in use today as the headquarters of Sicily's Parliament, the palace is the oldest royal residence in all of Europe. Spend the rest of the afternoon at leisure exploring more of this unique port city. In the early evening, enjoy an A&K-exclusive visit to the beautiful Palazzo Francavilla for a private tour and aperitifs with the owner.

Grand Hotel Piazza Borsa | Meals: B

**DAY 3: Agrigento | The Dark History of Cosa Nostra**

Today, travel across Sicily’s rugged, mountainous countryside to the south coast. Stop in the small village of Corleone, birthplace of several Mafia bosses (including fictional characters in *The Godfather*). The Mafia — or as its members call it, Cosa Nostra (literally, “our thing”) — has vexed Sicily for well over a century, thriving in this land so famously resistant to official authority. Learn more about this troubled aspect of Sicilian history from a local expert. Proceeding to coastal Agrigento, discover the ancient Valley of the Temples that includes the Temple of Concord, a superb example of classical, sacred architecture. Explore the ruins before checking in to your seaside resort on the nearby coast.

Scala dei Turchi Resort | Meals: B L D

**DAY 4: Piazza Armerina | Ancient Villa**

Journey east to Piazza Armerina, a graceful countryside town, where you visit the incomparable Villa Romana del Casale. A luxurious example of an ancient Italian villa, this UNESCO World Heritage Site houses breathtaking mosaics originally laid in the fourth century. Continue to the east coast of Sicily and up to the 6,000-foot-plus heights of smoldering Mount Etna, taking in panoramic views of the landscape and coast. Later, arrive in charming Taormina, which has allured visitors since the 19th century with its sweeping beaches and rolling hillsides.

Grand Hotel Mazzarò Sea Palace | Meals: B L D

**DAY 5: Taormina | Majestic Vantage Point**

Today, a local expert introduces you to the town’s spectacular Greek amphitheater, set high above the ocean. Still in
use as an arts venue today, its permanent “show” is its extraordinary view of Mount Etna, rising in the far distance beyond the stage. Later, relax or catch up on shopping with time at leisure. Grand Hotel Mazzarò Sea Palace | Meals: B

DAY 6: Matera | In the Mountainous Città Sotterranea
Rise early for the journey to Messina, where you board a ferry to cross the strait separating Sicily from the “toe” of the Italian mainland. Disembark in Villa San Giovanni in Calabria, and drive into Basilicata and to Matera, the ancient Città Sotterranea (Underground City), carved right into the Appenine Mountains. Thought to be one of the oldest cities in the world, Matera is a jumble of stone dwellings built alongside (and in some cases, on top of) each other, linked by narrow, jagged lanes. Settle in to your incredible hotel, in the heart of this UNESCO World Heritage Site. Palazzo Gattini | Meals: B D

DAY 7: Alberobello | The Trulli Houses of Apulia
Journey into Puglia to nearby Locorotondo, one of Italy’s most beautiful towns, for a walking tour. Meet an olive oil producer for a private tasting and buffet lunch featuring local products. Later, visit Alberobello and its rows of fantastic trulli houses, conical limestone dwellings unique to this province of Bari. Palazzo Gattini | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Paestum | Making Mozzarella
This morning, depart for the sparkling Amalfi Coast area. Stop en route in Paestum, an ancient Greek city known for
its well-preserved Greek temples; see them after a tour and lunch at a nearby mozzarella-making farm. Arrive in Naples, and check in to your hotel by the harbor.

**Romeo Hotel | Meals: B L**

**DAY 9: Positano | Coastal Glories**

Enjoy a morning tour of Herculaneum, an ancient Roman settlement that was destroyed by the spectacular lava flows of nearby Vesuvius in AD 79. Drive to the Amalfi Coast and the cliffside village of Positano; explore Positano and take boats to the whitewashed fishing town of Praiano for lunch at leisure. Return to Naples, where tonight you enter the Academy of Pizza Making to learn the intricacies of this Neapolitan craft and enjoy the results.

**Romeo Hotel | Meals: B D**

**DAY 10: Capri | Mediterranean Idyll**

Cruise by boat across the deep blue Gulf of Naples to the sun-kissed island of Capri. Visit Anacapri and charming Capri town, where cool cafés, designer boutiques and grand villas have lured everyone from emperors to celebrities. Tonight, cap off your journey with a special farewell dinner.

**Romeo Hotel | Meals: B D**

**DAY 11: Depart Naples**

Transfer to the airport for your flight home. Meals: B

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**EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY**

**Beyond the Coast Post-Tour Extension**

4 days from $2,995
Available on all departures.

Experience more of Amalfi, from a winery tour on the slopes of Vesuvius to an authentic cooking class in Ravello.

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**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

- **Scala dei Turchi Resort**
  Contemporary luxury resort gracing southern Sicily’s rugged coastline.

- **Palazzo Gattini**
  Luxury hotel blending modern comforts with Mediterranean flair.

- **Grand Hotel Mazzarò Sea Palace**
  Elegant hotel perched on the water offering a private, romantic beach.

- **Grand Hotel Piazza Borsa**
  Centrally located contemporary hotel in a former convent, with vaulted ceilings and an airy courtyard equipped with a retractable glass ceiling.

- **Romeo Hotel**
  See Mount Vesuvius from this modern boutique hotel in Naples.

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**DATES & PRICING**

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**Journey Details**

- Days 6-7 at Hotel Palazzo Viceconte.
- Minimum age is 10 years.
- First group event: welcome briefing at 5:30 p.m. on Day 1.
- Last group event: farewell dinner at 7:00 p.m. on Day 10.
- Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.
Italy: Jewels of the North
10 days from $6,995 | Limited to 24 guests

From the shores of Lake Como and the fishing villages of Cinque Terre to the Most Serene Republic of Venice, experience all the charm and magic of Italy’s elegant northern provinces.

A&K ADVANTAGES
▶ Savor delicious meats and cheeses on a foodie tour in Parma
▶ Explore beautiful Lake Como on a private boat cruise, surrounded by charming villas and steep wooded hills
▶ Go behind the scenes on a tour of La Scala and its workshops
▶ Take part in a pesto cooking class, and learn the secrets of this Italian culinary classic
▶ Discover Turin, once the royal capital of Italy, and its renowned Egyptian Museum

DAY 1: Arrive Milan, Italy
Transfer to Stresa. This evening, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for cocktails and a welcome dinner. Villa & Palazzo Aminta | Meals: D

DAY 2: Como | Charming Village of Bellagio
Drive to beautiful Lake Como and cruise its sparkling waters. Your private boat will take your group to the village of Bellagio and past the many luxurious villas that dot the lakeshore. Later, enjoy lunch in a local restaurant, followed by a walking tour of Como and an atmospheric funicular ride. Return to Stresa for an evening at leisure. Villa & Palazzo Aminta | Meals: B L
DAY 3. Milan | Prestigious La Scala Opera House
Travel to nearby Milan, Italy’s wealthiest city, and the heart of its fashion industry. Go backstage on an exclusive tour of the famous La Scala opera house, where some of the greatest singers in the world have performed for over 200 years. Enjoy lunch at leisure before continuing to your villa hotel in the countryside. Sina Villa Matilde | Meals: B D

DAY 4. Turin | Wine Tasting in Piedmont
Tour Piedmont’s famous wine country, enjoying lunch and a wine tasting. In the afternoon, explore the fascinating city of Turin. After Italy was unified as a nation in 1861, Turin was named the capital of the fledgling state. Visit the Egyptian Museum, the oldest of its kind in the world and second only to Cairo in importance. Sina Villa Matilde | Meals: B L

DAY 5. Rapallo | Culinary Secrets of Liguria
Descend to the sunbathed Ligurian coast and the small port of Rapallo. Join a local family in their olive grove to learn the art of making traditional local pesto, then savor a picnic lunch. Grand Hotel Portovenere | Meals: B L D

DAY 6. Cinque Terre | Beauty Along the Coast
Discover the extraordinary beauty of the Cinque Terre (“Five Lands”), five scenic villages built along the steep coastal cliffs of Liguria on the Italian Riviera. Explore by train and boat along this magical coast. Grand Hotel Portovenere | Meals: B L

DAY 7. Parma | A Taste of Italy
Cross the Appenines this morning to the region of Emilia-Romagna, aptly known as the breadbasket of Italy. In the city of Parma, embark on a food-focused walking tour that introduces you to a bounty of produce and products available here. Spend the afternoon shopping in the many markets and specialty stores, or just sit in a café and watch the world pass by. Sina Maria Luigia | Meals: B D

DAY 8. Verona | Spectacular Roman Remnants
Leave Parma today for Verona, once an important Roman settlement, and still prominent today. On a walking tour, see the old Roman Forum area, the Roman arena and the remains of the original Roman walls. Stand beneath the balcony reputed to belong to Juliet, Shakespeare’s most tragic heroine. Continue to Venice, where our local A&K staff will guide you on an exclusive stroll encompassing some of the characteristic bàcari (wine bars) of the city. Hotel L’Orologio Venice | Meals: B

DAY 9. Venice | Palaces & Canals
This morning, explore the wonders of Venice with a local expert. Stroll the Rialto Market, tour the Doge’s Palace and enter St. Mark’s Basilica. Later, gather for a festive farewell dinner. Hotel L’Orologio Venice | Meals: B D

DAY 10. Depart Venice
After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departure flight. Meals: B
Switzerland & the Italian Lakes
11 days from $8,795 | Limited to 24 guests

Experience some of Europe’s most scenic vistas on this journey combining the beautiful Swiss Alps with the glories of the Italian Lakes District. Enjoy views from the Glacier Express train, sample Swiss chocolate and play the alphorn.

A&K ADVANTAGES
▶ Arrive in Zermatt in style with first-class seating on the Glacier Express
▶ Savor famously smooth Swiss chocolate during a tasting workshop at a Lindt chocolatier
▶ Travel on one of the only cable cars in the world with an outdoor viewing deck
▶ Enjoy a private farewell dinner on beautiful Isola Bella in Lake Maggiore

DAY 1: Arrive Zurich, Switzerland
Arrive in Zurich, Switzerland’s largest city and one with a well-deserved reputation for offering a quality of life on par with any other in the world. You are met and transferred to your hotel, where you meet your fellow guests this evening for a welcome briefing, followed by dinner.

The Storchen | Meals: D

DAY 2: Zurich | Breathtaking Views & Scenic Paths
Enjoy a guided walking tour of Zurich this morning, taking in its alluring mix of modern and Old World architecture while strolling its wide, pedestrian-friendly avenues. Zurich is known for its churches, and your walk incorporates visits
to several noteworthy ones, including the Fraumünster, with its Marc Chagall-designed stained glass windows, and the Grossmünster, supposedly founded by Charlemagne and later to play a key part in establishing the Reformation in Switzerland. After time for lunch at leisure, gather for a sweet finish with a chocolate workshop at Lindt. Create your own exquisite treats under the guidance of master chocolatiers, and learn about the fascinating history and production of famous Swiss chocolate. The Storchen | Meals: B

Learn the history of Switzerland’s iconic alphorn at a private demonstration, and take a turn at playing one yourself.

DAY 3: Lucerne | Peaks of the Alps
This morning, travel to Lucerne, on the shores of its beautiful lake, and stroll the streets of this medieval jewel. The city’s most famous landmark is the Chapel Bridge, the oldest covered wooden bridge in Europe. Its interior is decorated with vivid paintings, many of which date back to the 17th century and depict events from the city’s history. You also visit Corn Market Square and the nearby Old Town Hall, built in 1602. Spend the rest of the day exploring this scenic city at leisure. Hotel Schweizerhof Luzern | Meals: B L

DAY 4: Bern | Capital City
Drive to Bern, named for the bears that may still be seen in the European wilderness, and discover its charms on a walking tour. See the city’s namesake animal at the Bärengraben and nearby BärenPark, where bears have been kept since the mid-19th century. You also view the clockworks of the medieval Zytglogge (clock tower). After lunch, stroll the capital’s delightful old streets before returning to Lucerne. Meet a yodel instructor for an A&K-exclusive yodel lesson. Enjoy the rest of the evening at leisure. Hotel Schweizerhof Luzern | Meals: B L

DAY 5: Interlaken & Brienz | Play the Alphorn
Cross the Brünig Pass to the pretty mountain village of Habkern, and partake in a Swiss treat: a lesson in the history of the famous alphorn. In former days, these massive horns were used by herdsmen on the mountain slopes to communicate with people in the valleys below; today, they are played and enjoyed as musical instruments, and your lesson includes the opportunity to play one yourself. Visit beautiful Interlaken, with time to explore and enjoy lunch on your own. This afternoon, pause in Brienz, a center of Swiss woodcarving, and learn more about this traditional
craft. This evening, ascend the slopes of the Stanserhorn on the world's first cable car with an open observation deck on top. Enjoy dinner surrounded by the matchless beauty of the Swiss Alps before descending back to Lucerne.

Hotel Schweizerhof Luzern | Meals: B D

DAY 6: ZERMATT | All Aboard the Glacier Express
Begin your day with a scenic cruise along Lake Lucerne, taking you through four of Switzerland's 26 cantons (states). The lake is made up of several arms extending in different directions, making for an especially varied and scenic shoreline. After disembarking, board the famous Glacier Express and settle into your first-class carriage to enjoy lunch as you traverse the majestic scenery, arriving in the mountain town of Zermatt — one of the most popular waypoints for adventurers exploring the Alps, and a charming destination in its own right.

Schlosshotel Zermatt | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: ZERMATT | The Mighty Matterhorn
This morning, ride the Gornergrat Railway to a height of 10,135 feet for spectacular views over the Alps, the Gorner Glacier and the Matterhorn. One of the world's most renowned peaks, the Matterhorn has a pyramid-shaped summit with four distinct faces, making it an endlessly fascinating sight. It is also a formidable technical challenge for mountaineers — the first successful summit in 1865 cost the lives of four climbers. After a scenic lunch on the
DAY 8: Stresa, Italy | Shores of Lake Maggiore
A short train ride takes you out of Zermatt today. Pause just down the valley in Brig to tour the 17th-century Stockalper Palace. Built by a wealthy silk merchant, it was the largest private residence in Switzerland at the time. Enjoy lunch before crossing the Simplon Pass to the Italian Lakes District and the beautiful resort of Stresa, nestled on the shores of Lake Maggiore. Ernest Hemingway set portions of his World War I novel *A Farewell to Arms* here, although he didn’t actually visit in person until 1948. Settle in to your lakeside hotel before a fine dinner. Hotel La Palma | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Stresa | Picturesque Island
Drive to nearby Orta San Giulio, a charming medieval town resting upon a shimmering lake. Legend claims the island was once infested by serpents and monsters that terrorized local villages, until patron saint Julius of Novara arrived with a great storm at his back and banished them forever. The town occupies a promontory commanding wide views over the lake and farther shore, and its shaded streets are made for wandering. Take a boat to the island of San Giulio to see its Benedictine monastery and church. Return to Stresa in the afternoon. Hotel La Palma | Meals: B L D

DAY 10: Stresa | Lush, Alpine Lake Maggiore
This morning, relax and enjoy the amenities at your hotel, stroll the local market in Stresa, or just sit in a café and watch the world go by. Later, board a private boat for a tour of Lake Maggiore and its islands, renowned for their impressive gardens. On beautiful Isola Bella, enjoy a special farewell dinner with your fellow guests as the sun sets over the surrounding mountains. Hotel La Palma | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Depart Milan
Transfer this morning to Milan Malpensa Airport for your onward travel. Meals: B

**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

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Explore breathtaking Croatia with visits to historic Dubrovnik, ancient Zagreb, the scenic island of Brac and the Adriatic Coast, enjoying a private tour of Split’s Mestrovic Gallery and freshly harvested oysters in Ston.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Contrast a glimmering Mediterranean coast with ancient cities, private tours and unforgettable meetings with locals
▶ Explore stunning Montenegro and the fjord of Boka Kotorska
▶ Meet a local fisherman, and sample his harvest of Croatia’s famous oysters
▶ Learn about the Balkan Wars during a talk in Dubrovnik with a local who shares her experiences of the conflict

DAY 1: Arrive Zagreb, Croatia
On arrival, transfer to your historic Art Deco hotel, set within a gracious building dating back to 1925. Gather for a welcome dinner tonight. Esplanade Zagreb Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: Zagreb | The Stately Capital
Zagreb is Croatia’s capital and largest city, and its history stretches back to Roman times. This morning, take a panoramic tour of the city. Drive past the National Theater, Mimara Museum, and Academy of Arts and Sciences, and then walk among the loveliest parts of Zagreb, including St. Mark’s Square, where you can view the Parliament Building and charming St. Mark’s Church. Ride a funicular built in
1889 to reach the charming Upper Town quarter from Lower Town. Visit the Ban Jelacic Square, which divides the old and new regions of the city. Its two prominent landmarks — the clock at the west end of the square and the statue of Count Josip Jelacic on horseback — have passed into the Zagreb lexicon, with locals often making plans to meet each other “under the clock” or “under the horse’s tail.” Take the rest of the afternoon to explore the capital.

**Esplanade Zagreb Hotel | Meals: B L**

**DAY 3: Zadar | Along the Scenic Adriatic**

Drive to the coastal city of Zadar, the oldest city in Croatia and one of the most scenic along the Adriatic Sea. Enjoy lunch and a maraschino liqueur tasting — unlike its namesake cherry, maraschino has a more sour flavor, and is a key ingredient in the Hemingway daiquiri, one of the legendary author’s favorite drinks. Then, take a short walking tour that introduces you to St. Donat’s Church and the Sea Organ, an art installation designed by local architect Nikola Basic, which converts the movement of the waves into music. Continue to Split, where you check in to your boutique hotel in the heart of the city. **Cornaro Hotel | Meals: B L D**

**DAY 4: Split | The Emperor’s Palace**

Begin the day with a private tour of the Ivan Mestrovic Gallery with its curator, marveling at the 86 bronze, marble and wood sculptures he fashioned. Anyone familiar with Chicago’s Grant Park knows Mestrovic’s bronze masterpieces, *The Bowman* and *The Spearman*. Set off on a walking tour of Split, starting with the palace of the Emperor Diocletian. This massive complex takes up around half of Split’s Old Town and has been immaculately preserved and restored, giving visitors a palpable sense of life in the days of the Roman Empire. Visitors who find its basement oddly familiar may recognize it as the location for Daenerys’ throne room on the hit TV series *Game of Thrones*. Other noteworthy sites within the palace are Peristil Square, where the emperor gave speeches, and his mausoleum, now a church. Afterward, explore more of captivating Split at your leisure. **Cornaro Hotel | Meals: B**

**DAY 5: Brac | Rustic Village Visit**

Board a ferry to Brac, a Dalmatian island famous for its
stone, used in Split’s Diocletian’s Palace and the White House in Washington, D.C. Visit Skrip, the oldest village on the island, and the Museum of Brac. While short on people (with a population of barely 200), its location provides jaw-dropping views of the coast and mainland. Stop at a traditional restaurant for lunch, sampling local specialties of lamb, cheese, olives and wine before returning by ferry to Split.

Cornaro Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Dubrovnik | The Culinary Road
Set out for Dubrovnik, stopping at Ston, world-renowned for its oysters. Meet a local fisherman and sample one of these tasty delights paired with a local wine for a true taste of Croatia. Complete a superb lunch at a local seafood restaurant before continuing on to Dubrovnik. During the Middle Ages, Dubrovnik was a center of maritime trade, and its wealth and skill in diplomacy enabled it to become the only Adriatic city-state to rival Venice. Centuries later, the city emerged from the chaos of the Balkan conflicts of the 1990s with refurbished monuments and a welcoming, forward-looking spirit that has made it one of the most-visited on the continent. With its jumble of old buildings topped with brilliant terra cotta tile roofs, Dubrovnik looks like no other city in Europe, and is doubly familiar to Game of Thrones viewers as the city of King’s Landing.

Grand Villa Argentina | Meals: B I D
DAY 7: **Kotor, Montenegro** | Seaside Charms

Spend the day in marvelous Montenegro, which was finally established as a fully independent state in 2006, following the dissolution of Yugoslavia. With its rugged mountains that sweep down to the glittering blue Adriatic Sea, Montenegro features dynamic topography dotted with picturesque villages and fortified towns. Drive around the eastern edge of Boka Kotorska, Europe’s southernmost fjord, where precipitous mountains rise from azure waters. Reach the coastal city of Kotor, a UNESCO World Heritage Site surrounded by fortifications that date back to the era when the region lay under Venetian rule. Enjoy a walking tour of the town, including its 12th-century Cathedral and Maritime Museum, followed by lunch and exploration at leisure. Take a boat ride back across the bay, past the Baroque Church of Our Lady of the Rocks. Local legend has it that the island was created over the centuries by fishermen dropping rocks into the sea, a tale re-enacted every year on July 22, when locals sail to the island to attend church and deposit more stones along the shore. Afterward, drive back to Dubrovnik.

Grand Villa Argentina | Meals: B

DAY 8: **Dubrovnik** | The City Museum

Enjoy a morning tour of Dubrovnik. Proclaimed a “city museum” by UNESCO, the Old Town is surrounded by impressive stone walls and towers that make it one of the best-preserved medieval cities in Europe. Mingle with local traders and craftspeople in its markets. Then, reflect during an A&K exclusive as a survivor of the Balkan War shares memories of the conflict that secured Croatia’s independence from the former Yugoslavia, a struggle that cost more than 20,000 lives. Spend the afternoon at leisure, followed by a memorable farewell dinner accompanied by a traditional *klapa* (a cappella choir) performance, arranged just for you.

Grand Villa Argentina | Meals: B D

**DAY 9: Depart Dubrovnik**

Transfer to the airport for your flight home. Meals: B
Greece: Athens & the Aegean
10 days from $6,495 | Limited to 24 guests

Experience an unmatched blend of ancient history and modern wonders in Greece, savoring the relaxed pace of island living and the lively bustle of Athens alike, and enjoying the rich variety of Mediterranean cuisine.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Learn the secrets to great Greek cuisine at a private in-home cooking class in Oropos
- Visit some of the most renowned wonders of the ancient world, including the Acropolis, Parthenon and Palace of Knossos
- Pay an exclusive visit to an organic cosmetics producer to learn about traditional Greek products
- Stroll through the Minoan Bronze Age settlement of Akrotiri (reputed to be Atlantis), admiring its beautiful frescos
- Behold the majestic Temple of Poseidon, built during the Golden Age of Ancient Athens

DAY 1: Arrive Athens, Greece
Arrive in Athens and transfer to your hotel. Gather this evening for a welcome briefing followed by dinner. NEW Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: Athens | Temple of Athena
Visit the Acropolis Museum, marveling at artifacts Athenians used in everyday life, as well as finds from the slopes of the Acropolis. Next, stroll the Plaka, filled with flower shops, taverns and charming boutiques. Enjoy lunch at leisure. In the evening, explore the Acropolis, one of the greatest icons
of the ancient world, followed by dinner.
NEW Hotel | Meals: B D

**DAY 3: Oropos | Hands-On Culinary Experience**
Depart for the ancient town of Oropos, where you meet a local family in their home for an exclusive hands-on culinary experience. After lunch, stroll the charming village streets, and peruse its boutiques and shops. NEW Hotel | Meals: B L

**DAYS 4–6: Crete | Minoan Treasures**
In the morning, fly to the island of Crete for three days of exploration and discovery. Check in to your seaside accommodations in Agios Nikolaos, a coastal town that blends bustling city life with local art and a leisurely attitude. This evening, embark on a private cruise to the island of Spinalonga, a protective outpost for the Cretan mainland built in 1579, where you wander the streets of this former fortress community. The island also acted as a leper colony from 1903 to 1957. The next morning, visit the Palace of Knossos, Crete’s most famous historic attraction, then enjoy lunch at a winery. Afterward, explore the Heraklion Archaeological Museum, known for the best collection of Minoan art in the world. Discover eastern Crete the following day with a visit to the Byzantine church of Panagia Kera, a 13th-century structure with impressive fresco decorations. Next, explore the village of Kritsa, renowned for its traditional weaving, and visit an organic cosmetics producer and olive oil maker.
St. Nicolas Bay | Meals: B D (Day 4); B L (Day 5); B (Day 6)

**DAY 7: Santorini | Mythical Atlantis**
Voyage to Santorini by high-speed catamaran. Travel north to Fira to enjoy lunch. Check in to your hotel, then continue to Akrotiri, a Minoan Bronze Age settlement preserved in volcanic ash from the ancient eruption of Thera. The settlement has been suggested as a possible inspiration for Plato’s story of Atlantis. Explore the beautiful village of Oia, and enjoy dinner in a local restaurant.
Vedema Resort | Meals: B L D

**DAY 8: Santorini | Island Living**
Start your day with the Fira Archaeological Museum, home to the island’s finest collection of artifacts from the fourth and fifth centuries. Then, join your Resident Tour Director on an exploration of the life and sites of Santorini before enjoying time at leisure at your resort.
Vedema Resort | Meals: B L

**DAY 9: Athens | Breathtaking City Views**
Fly to Athens and visit the Temple of Poseidon, travelling along the shores of Cape Sounion. Take in the gorgeous vistas over the Aegean Sea as you imagine life for the ancient Greeks who constructed the imposing temple. Travel to your waterfront resort, where you settle in and enjoy some time at leisure. This evening, gather for a special farewell dinner at an authentic working farm for a meal featuring seasonal, locally grown produce.
Grand Resort Lagonissi | Meals: B D

**DAY 10: Depart Athens**
Transfer to Athens Airport and board your onward flight.
Meals: B

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**BOUQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

NEW Hotel
Boutique hotel designed by Fernando and Humberto Campana, located in the heart of the ancient capital.

St. Nicolas Bay
Intimate, seaside hotel with views of the Gulf of Mirabello Bay and the fishing village of Agios Nikolaos.

Vedema Resort
An all-suite, five-star resort on the cliffs of Santorini with views of vineyards and the Aegean Sea.

Grand Resort Lagonissi
Dreamy, island-inspired resort overlooking the Saronic Gulf, featuring private gardens and pools.

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Athens/Heraklion; Santorini/Athens

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Spain: Seven Cities
10 days from $5,995 | Limited to 24 guests

Experience the best of Spain on a wide-ranging journey of cultural, historical and culinary discovery, complete with a visit to Barcelona’s vibrant La Boqueria market and a private dinner in a stunning palace in Seville.

A&K ADVANTAGES

- Experience the best of Spain on a diverse and comprehensive journey that includes Barcelona, Ronda, the British territory of Gibraltar and unforgettable insider-access moments
- Mingle with locals as you explore La Boqueria in Barcelona
- Visit an authentic bodega to privately sample sherry in the famed region of Jerez
- Take a culinary adventure in Seville with an evening tapas tour
- Journey to a private palace in Seville, where passionate local flamenco dancers and singers put on an incredible performance, just for you

DAY 1: Arrive Barcelona, Spain
Upon arrival, you are met by your A&K representative and escorted to your trendsetting hotel. Get to know your fellow guests at tonight’s welcome dinner. Sir Victor | Meals: D

DAY 2: Barcelona | Heart of Catalonia
Emark on a panoramic tour of culture-rich Barcelona. Let your inner foodie run wild on a stroll through La Boqueria
— one of the finest food markets in Europe, where fresh goods have traded hands for hundreds of years. Peruse the vast array of produce, meats, seafood and sweet treats, and perhaps stop by one of its many eateries to sample something on the spot. Explore the narrow cobblestone streets and wide plazas of the Gothic Quarter and its fantastic Palau de la Música Catalana concert hall. You also experience a tasting of Spanish olive oil, an essential component of the local cuisine. Enjoy more of this captivating city with an afternoon at leisure. Perhaps stroll Las Ramblas, the pedestrian-friendly avenue that draws equal amounts of visitors and locals, and browse the inviting shops and cafés. As with other cities in Spain, Barcelona truly comes alive at night, and this evening is a perfect opportunity to experience it firsthand, as taverns and tapas bars spill over with spirited conversation.

Sir Victor | Meals: B

**DAY 3: Barcelona | Gaudí’s Extravagant Vision**
Discover more of vibrant Barcelona, focusing today on the city’s one-of-a-kind architecture. See hilltop Montjuïc with its sculptural gardens and castle, a place with a checkered and often bloody history until it was designated a museum by Francisco Franco. Next, immerse yourself in the most notable creations of Antoni Gaudí, possibly the most famous Spanish architect of modern times. Gaudí was the premier proponent of Modernisme, a distinctly Spanish take on Art Nouveau, and his free-flowing, extravagantly detailed structures are unmistakable. The highlight is the wild Sagrada Familia Basilica, the most-visited monument in Spain, begun by Gaudí in 1883 and still unfinished today; it is currently scheduled to be completed in 2026, the centenary of its architect’s death. After lunch, fly to Granada, where you enjoy dinner on arrival.

Villa Oniria | Meals: B L D

**DAY 4: Granada & Ronda | Awe-Inspiring Alhambra**
Begin your day with a visit to the ancient palace and glorious gardens of the Alhambra, an incredible example of Moorish influence and Islamic architecture. Occupying over 1.5 million square feet, this sprawling complex served as the seat of power for the Islamic emirs throughout the 14th century, later becoming a royal palace for Ferdinand and Isabella. Explore Granada at leisure before departing for clifftop Ronda, where you check in to your boutique hotel opposite the bullring. Enjoy a walking tour that introduces you to the

Discover a private palace in Seville, where the owners welcome you for dinner and where we’ve also arranged for a fiery flamenco performance.
rich history of Ronda, followed by dinner. The city is known for bullfighting, and its Plaza de Toros is the oldest bullring in Spain. Ernest Hemingway did much to popularize both this controversial sport and Ronda itself, and a paseo (scenic walkway) bearing his name begins near the plaza; another, dedicated to fellow aficionado Orson Welles, is located nearby.

Catalonia Ronda | Meals: B D

**DAY 5: Gibraltar, United Kingdom | Last Outpost**

Travel west to the Rock of Gibraltar, technically an overseas territory of Great Britain, and a symbolic bridge linking Europe and Africa. Visit St. Michael's Cave and observe Gibraltar's Barbary macaques, the only wild monkeys in Europe. Return to Ronda with time to relax and explore one of Andalusia’s most beautiful pueblos blancos (white villages).

Catalonia Ronda | Meals: B

**DAY 6: Seville | Sherry in Jerez**

Travel through the mountains to Jerez, home of golden sherry, a distinctive fortified wine eagerly consumed the world over. Only wine from grapes grown in this region can properly be called sherry, and aficionados have many varieties to choose from, ranging from light-bodied fino to robust oloroso. Sample some of these for yourself during a visit to a bodega. Continue to Seville, later departing in style on a horse-drawn carriage ride for an authentic culinary adventure. Prepare for an evening tapas feast to remember,
savoring delicious tapas from two of the city’s traditional restaurants.  

**Gran Meliá Colón | Meals: B L D**

**DAY 7: Seville | Sunny Santa Cruz**
Explore the sites in this uniquely lovely city: the Royal Palace of the Alcázar; the enormous Gothic cathedral; and, of course, the Santa Cruz district, with its sun-drenched avenues, venerable architecture and shaded squares. The afternoon is at leisure to venture out on your own. Tonight, stroll to a resplendent palace nearby, where the owners take you on a tour and host your private dinner. Then, enjoy a performance of flamenco dancing and singing on the patio of this historic home.  

**Gran Meliá Colón | Meals: B D**

**DAY 8: Córdoba | Streets of Flowers**
Set out for Córdoba to visit the Mezquita, the cathedral and former great mosque of Córdoba, and an extraordinary fusion of European and Moorish styles that encapsulates much of Spanish history in a single structure. Continue for a stroll down the famous Street of Flowers, a picturesque lane in the city’s Old Town where potted flowers dot the walls of the charming old houses. In the afternoon, board your high-speed AVE train to Madrid.  

**Only YOU Hotel Atocha | Meals: B L**

**DAY 9: Madrid | Masterful Art & Architecture**
View the Prado Museum’s extensive collection, featuring some of the greatest Spanish masters, including El Greco, Velázquez and Goya. Then, visit the Royal Palace, followed by a short walk to the Plaza Mayor, and the marvelous iron-and-glass San Miguel Market, where locals have been hawking and buying since the early 19th century. Later, join your Resident Tour Director for a farewell dinner.  

**Only YOU Hotel Atocha | Meals: B D**

**DAY 10: Depart Madrid**
Transfer to the airport for your flight home.  

**Meals: B**

**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Sir Victor**
Stay in ultra-modern comfort within a sleek, striking building that overlooks Barcelona’s Paseo de Gracia, a vibrant avenue of international shops.  

**Catalonia Ronda**
Stunning hotel boasting a rooftop infinity pool overlooking a bullring.

**Villa Oniria**
Contemporary luxury hotel set in a historic Granada manor house.

**Gran Meliá Colón**
In Seville’s city center, find plush comfort and rooftop skyline views.

**Only YOU Hotel Atocha**
A historic, centrally located Madrid hotel, steps from Retiro Park.

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Portrait of Portugal
9 days from $5,495 | Limited to 24 guests

Discover the charms and rural traditions of Portugal, from the bustling capital of Lisbon and scenic countryside to the idyllic Douro Valley and charismatic Porto, experiencing wonderful cultural and culinary heritage unique to each place.

**A&K ADVANTAGES**

- Enjoy a cooking class with a viscountess in the old kitchens of her family estate, and savor the results for lunch
- Sit down to a private dinner and *fado* performance in Lisbon, experiencing the iconic and expressive folk genre firsthand
- Dine in Nazaré, one of Portugal’s most picturesque traditional fishing villages
- Cruise the scenic Douro River, admiring the dramatic landscape of steep hills and vineyards

**DAY 1: Arrive Lisbon, Portugal**
Arrive in Lisbon, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. This evening, join your Resident Tour Director and fellow guests for drinks and a welcome dinner at the hotel.
*Bairro Alto Hotel | Meals: D*

**DAY 2: Lisbon | Sights, Sounds & Flavors of Portugal**
Enjoy a tour of Lisbon with an expert local guide. See the Belém Tower and visit the Jerónimos Monastery. Later, attend a hands-on workshop at the National Tile Museum, where you are introduced to this ancient Portuguese craft. This evening, experience a private dinner and performance
of fado, the characteristic and emotional folk music of the nation. Bairro Alto Hotel | Meals: B D

**DAY 3: Lisbon | Explore the Vibrant Pena Palace**
This morning, travel just outside Lisbon to the village of Sintra. In this town of palaces, enjoy a guided tour of the Pena Palace, decorated with vivid colors and evocative stone carvings. Return to Lisbon, where the afternoon and evening are at leisure for you to explore. Bairro Alto Hotel | Meals: B

**DAY 4: Nazaré | Wave Watcher’s Paradise**
Depart Lisbon for Alcobaça Monastery. This UNESCO World Heritage Site was founded by Portugal’s first king in 1153 and became one of the most important monasteries in the country. Continue to nearby Nazaré, a picturesque coastal village that is also home to some of the world’s largest surf. Savor a seafood lunch, then take a funicular to the old neighborhood of Sitio atop the cliffs. Later, arrive in Coimbra and check in to your hotel. Quinta das Lágrimas | Meals: B L

**DAY 5: Coimbra | Stunning University & Library**
Join a local expert for a tour that introduces you to the University of Coimbra, the oldest in Portugal, and its Johannine Library. Built between 1717 and 1728, this library contains over 50,000 volumes and was constructed on the ruins of a medieval prison. Drive toward the Douro Valley, stopping at a winery for a tasting and lunch. Continue to your riverside hotel. Douro Royal Valley Hotel | Meals: B L

**DAY 6: Douro Valley | Views from the River**
Ride a train along the Douro Valley to the civil parish of Pinhão, arriving at the historic station. Savor lunch at leisure, and afterward, take to the water as the locals have for centuries. Embark on a scenic cruise down the Douro Valley, admiring its terraced vineyards and whitewashed estates. Then, journey by road back to the hotel and enjoy dinner. Douro Royal Valley Hotel | Meals: B D

**DAY 7: Douro Valley | A Visit with a Viscountess**
Meet a viscountess in her home, then learn to cook in the old kitchens using the original wood-burning stoves. Indulge in the hearty lunch that you helped prepare, and then visit another winery for a tasting en route to Porto, Portugal’s second-largest city. Infante Sagres | Meals: B L

**DAY 8: Porto | Charming, Historic Waterfront**
This morning, explore the Cais da Ribeira, the quayside of the fascinating Ribeira district, and see some of the city’s most beautiful monuments including the São Francisco Church; the Romanesque Cathedral; and the opulent 19th-century Palácio da Bolsa, which once functioned as a major stock exchange. The afternoon is yours to further explore, and afterward, savor a farewell dinner at one of the city’s famous port lodges. Infante Sagres | Meals: B D

**DAY 9: Depart Porto**
After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departure flight. Meals: B

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**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

- **Douro Royal Valley Hotel**
  Modern hotel set on the banks of the river and surrounded by vineyards, emphasizing nature and wine.

- **Quinta das Lágrimas**
  Steeped in medieval legend, this charming hotel rests within an exquisite 18th-century palace.

- **Infante Sagres**
  Beautifully restored historic hotel conveniently located in the center of Porto.

- **Bairro Alto Hotel**
  Boutique hotel nestled in the heart of captivating Lisbon, balancing classic and contemporary elements.

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**Journey Details**

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- Last group event: farewell dinner at 7:00 p.m. on Day 8.
- Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.
- See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.
Explore Scotland and the Emerald Isle on a journey encompassing hilltop Edinburgh and the rugged Scottish Highlands, as well as Dublin, Belfast and the fascinating northern regions of Ireland.

**A&K ADVANTAGES**

- Sample Scotland’s “water of life” on a visit to a Scotch whisky distillery, and meet its craftsmen
- Explore the city of Belfast and visit Titanic Belfast, where the famous ship was built
- Experience the region’s musical heritage with intimate performances in Scotland and Ireland
- Learn the ancient Gaelic sport of hurling as you meet with some young enthusiasts at their local athletic club

**DAY 1: Arrive Edinburgh, Scotland**

Arrive in bustling Edinburgh and transfer to your hotel. Tonight, gather for a welcome dinner.
Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel | Meals: D

**DAY 2: Edinburgh | Castle & Crown Jewels**

Drive the Royal Mile, past St. Giles’ High Kirk, to Holyrood Palace, Queen Elizabeth’s official residence in Scotland (subject to closure for official events). Tour Edinburgh Castle to view the magnificent Scottish Crown Jewels. Enjoy the rest of your day at leisure to explore this fascinating capital.
Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel | Meals: B
DAY 3: St. Andrews | Birthplace of Golf
Drive to St. Andrews, where you walk the world-famous Old Course — following in the footsteps of legends such as Jack Nicklaus and Arnold Palmer. Travel to Pitlochry for lunch at leisure and time to explore. Continue to Inverness, capital of Scotland’s Highlands region.
Ness Walk | Meals: B D

DAYS 4–5: Inverness | Heart of the Highlands
Travel to the rugged North Sea coast of the Highlands. Explore the richly adorned Dunrobin Castle and witness falconry in its gardens. Visit the Glenmorangie whisky distillery, tasting the spirit and meeting with its makers. The next morning, travel to Culloden Moor, where the Jacobite army was defeated in 1746. Cruise the enigmatic waters of Loch Ness, stopping to explore the enchanting Urquhart Castle. View the cascading Falls of Foyers before reveling in Scottish music and dance at a local pub, a private and exclusive experience.
Ness Walk | Meals: B (Day 4); B D (Day 5)

DAYS 6–7: Belfast, Northern Ireland | A Troubled History
This morning, fly to the rapidly changing city of Belfast. Take an orientation tour to gain insight into the turbulent history of Northern Ireland. This evening, enjoy craic agus ceol — fun and song — with a pub crawl featuring live traditional Irish music and led by local musicians. The next day, visit the stunning Giant’s Causeway, a UNESCO World Heritage Site made up of massive rock columns rising from the sea. Return to Belfast, driving through the spectacular scenery of the nine green Glens of Antrim and stopping for afternoon tea at Ballygally Castle.
Titanic Hotel Belfast | Meals: B D (Day 6); B L (Day 7)

DAY 8: Belfast | Memorial to ‘Titanic’
Take a self-guided tour at the interactive Titanic Museum, which features artifact-laden galleries and an ocean exploration exhibit. Continue to the Armagh Cider Company for a tour, tasting and lunch. Afterward, drive to your elegant castle hotel in the Republic of Ireland.

Kilronan Castle | Meals: B L D

DAY 9: Roscommon, Ireland | Beauty Along the Shannon
Drive to charming Carrick-on-Shannon, and embark on a cruise of Ireland’s longest river. Watch the beautiful outdoor scenery glide by, and enjoy traditional music aboard. Savor lunch ashore, then return to your castle to enjoy the facilities and estate. Kilronan Castle | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Strokestown | The Famine Years
Visit 18th-century Strokestown Park House for a private tour. While there, explore the Irish National Famine Museum for insight into this sad chapter of the nation’s history. Visit Ireland’s oldest distillery, Kilbeggan, for a tour and tasting before continuing to Dublin. The Davenport | Meals: B L

DAY 11: Dublin | Irish Traditions
Explore Dublin this morning, visiting Trinity College to view the eighth-century Book of Kells, one of the most famous illustrated manuscripts in the world. Make an unforgettable connection in the Dublin suburbs as you learn about the traditional Irish sport of hurling at a local athletic club. Later, gather for a memorable farewell dinner.
The Davenport | Meals: B D

DAY 12: Depart Dublin
Transfer to the airport and board your flight. Meals: B

BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

Kilronan Castle
Secluded castle estate wreathed by 40 vibrant acres, once home to a royal family and today welcoming with Irish hospitality and fairy-tale charm.

Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel
Historic boutique hotel overlooking an iconic Edinburgh garden.

Titanic Hotel Belfast
Uniquely fascinating hotel drawing historical inspiration from ‘Titanic.’

The Davenport
Iconic property featuring a lovely traditional afternoon tea experience.

Ness Walk
New designer hotel in a historic townhouse on the Ness River.

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Internal Air: Economy Class from $230
Inverness/Belfast

Journey Details
Minimum age is 10 years.
First group event: welcome briefing at 5:30 p.m. on Day 1.
Last group event: farewell dinner at 7:00 p.m. on Day 11.
Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.
See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.
Iceland: Geysers & Glaciers
10 days from $9,995 | Limited to 24 guests

Take in this stunning island nation on an unforgettable journey that spans volcanic landscapes, thermal swimming pools and glacial rivers, ancient Viking villages, and coastal towns rich in tradition.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Discover the north, south and west of Iceland, exploring the island’s fascinating geology, culture and contrasts
▶ Experience an artisan workshop with a traditional craftsperson who fashions knives and swords as the Vikings once did
▶ Drive on Europe’s second-largest glacier before descending into man-made ice tunnels for an unparalleled look deep inside
▶ Swim in a thermal pool overlooking the sea in Hofsos
▶ Cruise the northern coast to spot myriad whale species

DAY 1: Arrive Reykjavik, Iceland
Arrive in Reykjavik, and transfer to your modern boutique hotel in the city center. Tonight, join fellow guests for a welcome dinner. Canopy by Hilton Reykjavik City Centre | Meals: D

DAY 2: Reykjavik | True Cosmopolitan Capital
Spend the day exploring both the contemporary and traditional sides of this cultured coastal capital. Start with a visit to a small workshop, where a local craftsperson reveals the tradition of Nordic knife making, which dates back to
the Viking era. Continue to the National Museum of Iceland, which tells the story of Iceland’s founding through some 2,000 objects, including a medieval ship of the type used to settle the island. You then visit Hallgrímskirkja church, the city’s most prominent landmark. Stop by some Icelandic design shops, and take a private tour of the Harpa, a cutting-edge performance center built in 2011 to stage everything from jazz quintets to operas. This award-winning structure features a striking colored glass façade designed to evoke Iceland’s basalt landscape. Venture out of town to your hotel in Iceland’s dramatic countryside. Landhotel | Meals: B D

Take to the sea for an opportunity to spot Iceland’s numerous seagoing species, including blue whales, orcas, and several varieties of dolphins and porpoises.

**DAY 3: Thorsmork | Forces of Nature**
After breakfast, embark on a Super Jeep tour through Thorsmork (“Valley of Thor”), a vast nature reserve of snowy peaks, jade-green slopes and glacial rivers trickling through dark volcanic earth. In a land already known for scenic beauty, Thorsmork is a gem among gems, and a paradise for trekkers and photographers. Explore today with a skilled driver-guide, who leads you along the trails and rivers while discussing the reserve’s history, geology and wildlife. Landhotel | Meals: B L D

**DAY 4: South Iceland | A Stunning Coastal Drive**
Along with the Amalfi Coast and Ireland’s Ring of Kerry, the shore of southern Iceland offers one of the most scenic drives in all of Europe. Enjoy a morning’s drive along this enticing coastline, stopping to explore waterfalls and black-sand beaches. Iceland is one of the world’s most seismologically active places; learn how this has shaped the island with a visit to the Lava Center, where state-of-the-art exhibits reveal the fascinating facts behind earthquakes, volcanos and other natural forces. By contrast, the Skogar Folk Museum tells a more human story, depicting life in Iceland from the Viking era and beyond. Landhotel | Meals: B L

**DAY 5: Husafell & West Iceland | Saga Sites**
Thingvellir National Park is that rare locale that is significant both as a scenic wonder and a cultural treasure: a UNESCO World Heritage Site where the Vikings established the world’s first democratic parliament more than 1,000 years ago. It’s also one of the few places you can straddle two continents at once, as the conjunction of the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates is exposed here. After
exploring the park, continue to Fridheimar, a geothermally heated organic greenhouse, for a tour and freshly prepared lunch. Next, visit the regularly erupting Strokkur Geyser and stunning Gullfoss, where milky green glacial water plummets down Iceland’s most famous waterfall. Your adventure continues at Deildartunguhver, the highest-flow hot spring in Europe, which provides heat to villages and towns up to 40 miles away. Relax in thermal baths fed by the hot spring’s invigorating waters, then enjoy a dinner of fresh, local, farm-produced ingredients overlooking this powerful natural wonder. Hotel Husafell | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Husafell & West Iceland | Langjokull Icecap
Today, enjoy stops at Hraunfossar and fabled Barnafoss waterfalls. After lunch, ride in a specially equipped eight-wheeled truck on the colossal Langjokull icecap — Europe’s second-largest glacier — which, at its highest point, sits 4,760 feet above sea level. Descend into man-made tunnels carved deep into the glacier, exploring stages of glacial formation, blue-hued dens and even a chapel. Hotel Husafell | Meals: B L

DAY 7: Siglufjordur & North Iceland | The Sea
Journey to the working fishing village of Siglufjordur, stopping en route for lunch on your own in quaint Blonduos. The glacial river flows through this small town, giving it a serene and scenic air. Continue to nearby Saudarkrokur for
DAY 8: Dalvik | A Seagoing Safari
Icelandic waters are home to more than the tasty fish that have made commercial fishing one of the country’s biggest industries. There are also some 20 species of whales, dolphins and porpoises swimming off these shores, everything from the small harbor porpoise to the massive blue whale. Join an experienced crew of whale- and dolphin-spotters for an extraordinary safari at sea, and see how many of these amazing creatures you encounter. Back on land, enjoy a delicious lunch at a local farm sourced from their own ingredients. During your time here, learn how the farm produces its fresh and colorful products. Then, leisurely explore pretty Siglufjördur. In addition to its scenic attractions, the town offers a pair of small museums (devoted to herring and folk music), charming local architecture and several inviting cafés.
Siglo Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Akureyri & Reykjavik | Coastal Culture
Venture to Akureyri, Iceland’s buzzy small city on the north coast. Visit its botanical gardens, among the northernmost of their kind and home to over 400 species of native flora. Explore the beautiful old town on a walking tour, and enjoy lunch at leisure. Depart for the airport and fly to Reykjavik, where you check in to your hotel. Tonight, your farewell dinner features traditional Icelandic dishes.
Canopy by Hilton Reykjavik City Centre | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Depart Reykjavik
This morning, enjoy breakfast before your flight home.
Meals: B

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**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

- **Landhotel**
  Icelandic hotel sporting vibrant guest rooms, nestled within a magnificent, remote countryside.

- **Hotel Husafell**
  Near Langjökull Glacier, a modern, eco-friendly 48-room hotel set in nature with geothermal baths.

- **Siglo Hotel**
  Find classic Nordic style in this 68-room boutique hotel on the wharf of a traditional fishing village.

- **Canopy by Hilton Reykjavik City Centre**
  Once a historic factory, now a chic hotel in an excellent central location.

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**Internal Air:** Economy Class from $325
Akureyri/Reykjavik

**Journey Details**
This journey contains some active elements.
Minimum age is 10 years.
First group event: welcome briefing at 6:00 p.m. on Day 1.
Last group event: farewell dinner at 7:00 p.m. on Day 9.
Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 4 guests.
See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.
Northern Lights of Lapland
9 days from $8,395 | Limited to 24 guests

Travel in search of the northern lights — one of nature’s most compelling spectacles — and experience the culture of Lapland, trying your hand at dog sledding and snowshoeing, and staying in a unique hotel made of ice.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Enjoy dinner at the SnowCastle, built each year in a striking new style
▶ Cruise in a genuine icebreaker, with the option to take a dip in the frigid waters of the Gulf of Bothnia
▶ Get around like a local when you try your hand at dog sledding, snowmobiling and snowshoeing
▶ Spend two nights in the Arctic SnowHotel, and learn how this incredible place is brought to life each year
▶ Watch for the northern lights from your own glass igloo

DAY 1: Arrive Helsinki, Finland
Upon arrival in Helsinki, you are met and privately transferred to your hotel. Gather this evening for a welcome briefing followed by dinner with your fellow guests. Hotel Haven | Meals: D

DAY 2: Helsinki | The Rock Church
This morning, embark on a tour of the sights of Helsinki. Enter the famous Temppeliaukio Church; built directly into solid rock, it is fittingly known as Rock Church. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant, and then spend the afternoon exploring the city at your own pace. Hotel Haven | Meals: B L
DAY 3. Kemi | Castle Made of Snow
A short flight brings you to northern Kemi, on the shores of the Gulf of Bothnia. Tour this small settlement and visit the enchanting SnowCastle, which is freshly rebuilt every year to incorporate new styles and layouts. Dine in this unique setting before settling into your glass-fronted room overlooking the vast gulf. Seaside Glass Villas | Meals: B D

Learn the traditional Lapland skill of dog sledding, practicing with a seasoned instructor before taking the reins of your own dog team.

DAY 4. Rovaniemi | Ride an Icebreaker
Given Finland’s location along the Arctic Circle, icebreakers play a crucial role in ensuring that goods and people are able to move freely year round. Board the mighty ‘Sampo’ today, and experience this for yourself as you head out into the frozen Gulf of Bothnia. Enjoy lunch on board; the brave may even take a dip into the frigid waters in specially designed flotation suits. Return to shore and continue to Rovaniemi, where you have the once-in-a-lifetime chance to sleep in a hotel constructed entirely of snow. Arctic SnowHotel | Meals: B L

DAY 5. Rovaniemi | Ice Fishing & Aurora Hunting
Begin the day with a tour of your hotel, and appreciate firsthand the skill and experience it takes to create this amazing structure of ice and snow each year. Take the opportunity to icefish, and learn how to sculpt snow into marvelous shapes. Spend an afternoon at leisure enjoying the activities offered. This evening, join an aurora-hunting expedition, taking you far away from the lights of the town for the best viewing opportunities. Back at the hotel, continue your search for the northern lights through the roof of your glass igloo. Arctic SnowHotel | Meals: B D

DAY 6. Saariselka | Above the Arctic Circle
Cross the Arctic Circle this morning as you drive almost to the northern edge of Finland. Arrive in the small town of Saariselka, nestled on the edge of one of Europe’s northernmost national parks. Embark on a snowmobile safari into the surrounding wilderness. The next two nights are your best chance to marvel at the northern lights through the glass roof of your Aurora Cabin. Northern Lights Village | Meals: B D

DAY 7. Saariselka | Dog Sledding & Snowshoeing
Your day is filled with activity today. Begin your morning with an introduction to the traditional skill of dog sledding before setting out with your own team of dogs. After lunch at a local restaurant, set forth upon the trails for a guided snowshoeing experience. Northern Lights Village | Meals: B L D

DAY 8. Helsinki | A Day to Explore
Transfer to nearby Ivalo, where a short flight returns you to Helsinki. Enjoy time at leisure in the city, then join your fellow guests for a special farewell dinner as you recall the adventures of the journey. Hotel Haven | Meals: B D

DAY 9. Depart Helsinki
This morning, transfer to the airport for your onward flight. Meals: B
Russia: Treasures of the Tsars
10 days from $5,495 | Limited to 24 guests

Experience the full panorama of Russian culture as you view artifacts at the Kremlin, explore the historic towns of the Golden Ring, cruise the scenic canals of St. Petersburg, and enjoy early access to the Hermitage and Peterhof.

A&K ADVANTAGES
▶ Explore medieval Suzdal, and have lunch with a local family
▶ Enjoy a talk by a Russian scholar on Russia’s past and present
▶ Avoid the crowds with before-hours visits to the Kremlin Armory, Peterhof and the Hermitage
▶ Listen to a choir performance in Moscow’s magnificent Church of St. Nicholas
▶ Meet an expert on the Romanovs to learn about the fascinating history of Russia’s last ruling dynasty

DAY 1: Arrive Moscow, Russia
Upon arrival in Moscow, transfer to your hotel. This evening, join fellow guests for a welcome dinner.
Metropol Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: Moscow | The Stately Capital
Tour Moscow, starting at the Kremlin, and beat the crowds with an exclusive before-hours visit to the State Armory. View its impressive collection of carriages, royal gala clothes and fabulous Fabergé eggs. Then, visit two Kremlin cathedrals: Assumption and Archangel. After lunch at a local restaurant, stroll Red Square to view Lenin’s Tomb and St. Basil’s Cathedral. See the
city from a different perspective when you ride the Moscow Metro, renowned for its ornate stations. Metropol Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 3: Moscow | Russian Legends
This morning, enjoy a talk by a Russian scholar. Continue your explorations of Moscow with a visit to the New Maiden Cemetery, final resting place of Chekhov and other noted figures. After lunch at a local restaurant, stop at the Tretyakov Gallery, one of Moscow's greatest treasures. Behind the gallery's whimsical façade lies the foremost collection of Russian fine art in the world. Metropol Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 4: The Golden Ring | Russia's Ancient Heart
Leave the city for the Golden Ring, the circle of venerable cities northeast of Moscow. Travel by train to historic Vladimir for sightseeing before continuing to the old town of Suzdal. Check in to your hotel, and enjoy a horse-drawn carriage ride before dinner. Pushkarskaya Sloboda | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Suzdal | Living Museum
Explore Suzdal, often described as an open-air museum of Russian history for its extensive prerevolution architecture. Eat lunch with a local family before visiting a traditional craft workshop. After some time at leisure, enjoy a revitalizing visit to an authentic Russian bath — an A&K-exclusive experience. Pushkarskaya Sloboda | Meals: B L

Discover the healing properties of a banya (Russian bath) during your stay in Suzdal, enjoying a profound cleansing experience accompanied by authentic food and drink.

DAY 6: St. Petersburg | Venice of the North
Transfer by road back to Moscow, where you board a high-speed Sapsan train for the ride to St. Petersburg, the crowning glory of Peter the Great, arriving in the evening. Hotel Astoria | Meals: B L D

DAY 7: St. Petersburg | Legacy of a Dynasty
Start the day at the Hermitage, home to three million pieces of artwork, enjoying early access and fewer crowds. After lunch at a local restaurant, learn the history of the Romanovs when you meet with an expert on the subject. Cruise the city's canals and visit St. Isaac's Cathedral to marvel at its gilded dome, as well as the red granite columns that grace its façade. Hotel Astoria | Meals: B L

DAY 8: Peterhof | Private Grand Palace Tour
Drive to Peterhof, summer estate of Peter the Great. Tour the Grand Palace, which is opened for you before official operating hours. Return to St. Petersburg via hydrofoil, and visit the fascinating Peter and Paul Fortress. Hotel Astoria | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Pushkin | Russia's Past & Present
Travel to Tsarskoe Selo ("Tsar's Village"), also called Pushkin. View Catherine Palace and the world-famous Amber Room, now restored to its original glory. Enjoy an afternoon at leisure, and tonight, join your fellow guests for a farewell dinner. Hotel Astoria | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Depart St. Petersburg
After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

Metropol Hotel
Fronting Revolution Square and the Bolshoi Theatre, this striking Moscow landmark once served as the headquarters of the Bolshevik party.

Pushkarskaya Sloboda
This charming collection of villas occupies a sunny stretch of riverfront in the heartland of Russia, welcoming guests with a relaxed, park-like atmosphere.

Hotel Astoria
Overlooking St. Isaac's Cathedral, this iconic St. Petersburg address boasts a fascinating guest registry including H.G. Wells and George W. Bush.

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Poland to Prague
10 days from $4,795 | Limited to 24 guests

Discover the history of one of Europe’s most vibrant cities, Warsaw, from its early years to the struggles of World War II; visit the otherworldly Bochnia Salt Mine; and sample Czech lagers and delicious cuisine aboard a floating brewery boat.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Immerse yourself in Warsaw’s history, from its early glories to the Warsaw Uprising of World War II
▶ Descend into the stunning Bochnia Salt Mine, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
▶ Reflect on a dark chapter of the past at Auschwitz
▶ Enjoy a lunch and beer tasting on ‘Lodi Pivovar,’ a charming brewery boat boasting its own smokehouse
▶ Share a table in the home of a local Polish resident in Krakow for an intimate A&K-exclusive dinner

DAY 1: Arrive Warsaw, Poland
Arrive in Warsaw, the capital of Poland, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Gather this evening for a welcome briefing, followed by dinner. Polonia Palace Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: Warsaw | Baroque Highlights
This morning, set out for a guided tour of Warsaw’s highlights, including the 14th-century St. John’s Archcathedral and the remnants of the infamous Ghetto. After lunch, visit Wilanow Palace and Gardens, the former Polish royal residence. Explore the city at your leisure this afternoon. Polonia Palace Hotel | Meals: B L
DAY 3: Warsaw | History of Resistance
This morning, visit POLIN Museum, a profound cultural institution that celebrates a 1,000-year history of Polish Jews. Enjoy lunch and an afternoon on your own. Tonight, revel in a private piano performance with a glass of sparkling wine at Szuster Palace. Polonia Palace Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 4: Czestochowa | Icon of the Madonna
Drive to Czestochowa, where you visit the monastery of Jasna Gora, home of the Black Madonna, a painting that has drawn countless reverent visitors over the centuries. After lunch, proceed to Krakow and check in to your hotel. This evening, enjoy an A&K-exclusive dinner at the home of a local resident and experience Polish hospitality firsthand. Hotel Copernicus | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Krakow | Stunning Salt Caverns
This morning, explore the remarkable Bochnia Salt Mine, a UNESCO World Heritage Site with one of the world’s only underground ferry systems. Descend the mine and explore its network of chambers and lakes, which have been carved out over the centuries. After lunch in the mine, walk Krakow’s magnificent Market Square. You may also enjoy a visit to St. Mary’s Church, with its famous 15th-century Baroque altar. Hotel Copernicus | Meals: B L

DAY 6: Auschwitz | Echoes of the Holocaust
This morning, visit the infamous Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp, preserved as a memorial for the 1.5 million people of 28 nationalities who perished here. Explore the stone buildings of Auschwitz with your specialist guide, who brings to life the everyday horrors experienced by those who were brought here. Return to your hotel, and spend the afternoon at leisure. Hotel Copernicus | Meals: B

DAY 7: Olomouc, Czech Republic | Historic City
Depart Krakow for a short walking tour of the historic riverside town of Olomouc. Admire its Holy Trinity Column, a spectacular Baroque monument and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Continue to Prague. BoHo Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 8: Prague | Jewish Quarter & Town Hall
Visit the Jewish Museum, home of Europe’s largest collection of Judaica, and the Jewish Cemetery. Explore Old Town and the Jewish Quarter, birthplace of Franz Kafka, and Old Town Square’s Gothic Town Hall for a chance to ascend its iconic clock tower. Later, enjoy lunch and a tasting of Czech beers at a unique floating microbrewery. BoHo Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 9: Prague | Baroque & Gothic Treasures
In Prague’s Castle District, admire the religious artifacts at the Loreto Chapel, as well as the towering, Gothic St. Vitus Cathedral. Privately visit the Baroque library halls of the Strahov Monastery, and view its incredible frescos. Tonight, gather for a special farewell dinner. BoHo Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 10: Depart Prague
Transfer to the airport for your onward travel. Meals: B

BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

Polonia Palace Hotel
A beautiful architectural monument in central Warsaw, this Beaux-Arts-style hotel built in 1913 was the only hotel in the capital to survive World War II.

Hotel Copernicus
Five-star opulence on Krakow’s oldest street, formerly a church residence and today featuring authentic historical detail alongside modern luxuries.

BoHo Hotel
Centrally located boutique hotel steps from Prague’s Old Town Square, featuring clean-lined, Czech-minimalist decor.

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Jun 19–28, Jun 26–Jul 5 | $4,995 | $1,495
Sep 11–20, Sep 25–Oct 4 | $4,995 | $1,495

Journey Details
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North America: Canadian Rockies
8 days from $5,995 | Limited to 24 guests

Explore Canada’s breathtaking natural wonderland on an expertly led itinerary that reveals misty forests and flowery meadows, rapid rivers and vibrant lakes, and astonishing wildlife, all wrapped within the stunning Canadian Rockies.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Discover Alberta’s bright blue lakes, endless mountains and wildlife, experiencing epic hikes, floats and adventurous drives
▶ Take part in a hands-on lesson with a professional photographer at Moraine Lake, one of the most picturesque in the Canadian Rockies
▶ Feed your adrenaline on the exciting clifftop Glacier Skywalk, suspended high above the Sunwapta Valley as you traverse the massive Athabasca Glacier in a specially designed Ice Explorer
▶ Hike the vibrantly colored Emerald Lake region with one of the country’s best naturalist guides

DAY 1: **Arrive Calgary, Alberta, Canada**
Arrive in Calgary, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, gather with your fellow guests for a cocktail reception and welcome dinner. Fairmont Palliser Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: **Lake Louise | Pristine Waters**
Drive through the Bow Valley to Johnston Canyon, with its sheer walls, waterfalls, tunnels and pools. Stroll the interpretive walkway before heading to glacially fed Moraine Lake.
Lake in Banff National Park, where you experience an A&K-exclusive, hands-on lesson in wildlife and landscape photography from a professional. Try your new skills on one of the most beautiful lakes in the Canadian Rockies. Finish the day at your historic resort set on Lake Louise.  
Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise | Meals: B L D

**DAY 3: Lake Louise | Flora & Fauna**  
Travel through serene Yoho National Park, pausing to explore Takakkaw Falls, before proceeding to Emerald Lake, vibrantly colored by glacial sediment. Meet with your expert guide, who reveals the geological and natural forces behind this scenic lake, and describes the breathtaking natural surroundings and habits of the endangered grizzly bear. After lunch, weather permitting, view the Spiral Tunnel and Kicking Horse Natural Bridge.  
Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise | Meals: B L

**DAY 4: Jasper | Through the Ice Fields**  
Travel to the scenic Icefields Parkway for a full day of adventure. Set along the backbone of the Canadian Rockies and named after the area’s sprawling ice fields, the parkway represents one of the world’s great drives. See Crowfoot Glacier and the glacier-fed Peyto Lake. Stop at the massive Athabasca Glacier (7,000 feet) for an exciting ride across its surface on a specially designed vehicle. You also visit Sunwapta Falls, enjoying a barbecue lunch in a stunning, remote setting, before continuing to Jasper National Park.  
Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge | Meals: B L D

**DAY 5: Jasper | Canyon Skyscrapers**  
Cruise along the mile-high Maligne Lake to the famous Spirit Island, a tiny islet surrounded by the towering snow-capped Rockies. You may opt to join your fellow guests for a guided hike through the Maligne Canyon, with its impressive 200-foot-tall limestone walls.  
Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge | Meals: B D

**DAY 6: Banff | Canada’s Stunning First National Park**  
Today, stop for photos of Athabasca Falls and Mount Kerkeslin as you return along the Icefields Parkway to Banff National Park — a UNESCO World Heritage Site established in 1885 as Canada’s first national park. Arrive at your extraordinary hotel, which is styled after a Scottish Baronial castle and known as the “Castle in the Rockies.”  
Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel | Meals: B L

**DAY 7: Banff | Nestled in Nature**  
Bordered on all sides by wilderness, Banff is a national park resort community surrounded by spectacular nature, home to roaming deer, elk and other wildlife. Begin with a relaxing and memorable float trip down the majestic Bow River. This evening, gather with fellow guests to attend a special farewell dinner.  
Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel | Meals: B D

**DAY 8: Depart Banff**  
This morning, drive to Calgary International Airport, where your journey ends. **Meals: B**

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**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise**  
Premium rooms overlook stunning Lake Louise within Alberta’s Banff National Park.

**Fairmont Palliser Hotel**  
A historic landmark in downtown Calgary, known for welcoming royalty for over a century.

**Fairmont Jasper Park Lodge**  
Set on Lac Beauvert and surrounded by the majesty of Alberta’s Jasper National Park.

**Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel**  
A national historic site styled after a Scottish castle, complete with alpine views in Banff National Park.

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**Journey Details**  
This journey contains some active elements.  
Minimum age is 10 years.  
First group event: welcome reception at 6:30 p.m. on Day 1.  
Last group event: Calgary International Airport arrival at 10:00 a.m. on Day 8.  
Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.  
See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.
Morocco: Imperial Cities
8 days from $3,995 | Limited to 24 guests

Explore exotic Morocco, dining in an authentic riad, navigating Marrakech by horse-drawn carriage, and meeting the Berber people in their village beneath the Atlas' peaks.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Spend three nights in action-packed Marrakech
▶ Explore Meknes and Volubilis, both UNESCO World Heritage sites, to unveil Morocco’s unique culture and past
▶ Whisk between Fez and Marrakech on a convenient flight, relishing more time in the beautiful “Red City”
▶ Get to know the local Berber people with a visit to a mountain village

DAY 1: Arrive Casablanca, Morocco
Arrive in Casablanca and transfer to your hotel. Gather tonight for a special welcome reception and dinner at a local restaurant. Le Casablanca Hotel | Meals: D

DAY 2: Casablanca | Fez via Rabat
Explore the towering Hassan II Mosque, a wildly intricate building that holds 25,000 worshipers. Soaring above the ocean, its minaret stands as the tallest religious structure in the world. Drive to Rabat, the capital of Morocco, and explore the 12th-century Moorish Hassan Tower. View the Mohammed V Mausoleum, founder of modern Morocco, and
visit Oudayas Kasbah; its gate is considered among the most beautiful in the Moorish world. Continue to Fez, arriving at day’s end at your boutique hotel set on a scenic hilltop. Hotel Sahrai | Meals: B L

**DAY 3: Fez | The Medieval City**

Step back in time into ancient and remarkably untouched Fez el-Bali ("Old Fez"), the cultural heart of Morocco. Wander among the 9,000 lanes, alleys and souks that shape its old quarter, where locals conduct their day-to-day business. See an elaborate mosaic-tiled fountain in Nejjarine Square. Later, discover Fez el-Jadid ("New Fez"), built in the 13th century. Fez el-Jadid is home to the mellah, the old Jewish quarter, with its wrought iron-decorated windows and carved wood balconies. Tonight, dine at a traditional Moroccan riad with a special guest who shares insight into Moroccan life. Hotel Sahrai | Meals: B L D

**DAY 4: Fez | Roman Ruins of Volubilis & Imperial Meknes**

After breakfast, drive to Volubilis, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and home to Morocco’s largest and best-preserved Roman ruins, with excellently preserved mosaics. Continue to the city of Meknes. Another UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the imperial cities of Morocco, it was built in the 17th century by the powerful sultan Moulay Ismail to rival the court of Louis XIV. Return to Fez to enjoy your evening at leisure. Hotel Sahrai | Meals: B L

**DAY 5: Marrakech | The “Red City”**

Fly to Marrakech, arriving in the afternoon. Considered the “Pearl of the South,” Marrakech was once the capital of an empire that stretched from Spain to Senegal, and is sometimes known as the “Red City” for the distinctive hues of its brick buildings. Hôtel & Ryads Barrière Le Naoura | Meals: B

**DAY 6: Marrakech | Palaces & Performers**

Discover Marrakech’s ancient Medina, the old walled section of the city. Explore the Dar Si Said (Museum of Moroccan Arts), a former palace. Continue to El Badi Palace and the 12th-century Koutoubia Mosque, the most perfect Islamic religious structure in North Africa. Stroll through Djemaa el-Fna square, where fire-eaters, mime artists and street musicians perform. Return to your hotel by private horse-drawn carriage. Hôtel & Ryads Barrière Le Naoura | Meals: B L D

**DAY 7: Marrakech | Atlas Mountains**

Today, choose to remain in Marrakech or enjoy a full-day excursion to the High Atlas Mountains. Visit a picturesque village at Imlil Valley, meeting with local Berbers and spending time with them in their homes. Afterward, have lunch before returning to Marrakech. Your farewell dinner tonight is held at a charming, traditional riad. Hôtel & Ryads Barrière Le Naoura | Meals: B L D

**DAY 8: Depart Marrakech**

Transfer to the airport for your flight home. Meals: B

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**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Hotel Sahrai**

Boutique, 50-room hotel on a hilltop between the New Town and Medina, with fantastic views of Fez.

**Hôtel & Ryads Barrière Le Naoura**

A cool, tranquil hotel just steps from the gates of the Medina, blending Marrakech flair with French luxury.

**Le Casablanca Hotel**

Stylish, comfortable hotel situated in a quiet residential area, featuring Art Deco-influenced decor and a splendid garden.

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**Internal Air: Economy Class from $155**

Fez/Marrakech

**Journey Details**

Minimum age is 10 years.

First group event: welcome briefing at 7:00 p.m. on Day 1.

Last group event: farewell dinner at 8:00 p.m. on Day 7.

Departures are guaranteed to operate with a minimum of 2 guests.

See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.

Spend two days exploring Paris before or after your journey. Visit abercrombiekent.com for details.
Embrace the finest small-group boutique river cruise experience in Europe.

Expertly Crafted Itinerary on River and Land
Take advantage of the same authentic ambience of our land journeys on a boutique river cruise along Europe’s most iconic waterways. Each unique river cruise journey is a complete itinerary that reveals the heart of your destination on land as well as on the water. Explore fascinating cities such as Zurich, Vienna, Prague and Paris before or after your cruise, staying at smaller boutique hotels offering close proximity to delectable food and intriguing culture.

A Small Group of No More than 24 Guests
While your river ship carries a complement of around 150 passengers, your touring and meals are enjoyed in a group of no more than 24 Connections guests, making for a far more personal, boutique-style experience. Your Resident Tour Director serves as your concierge on board and leads your Connections-exclusive excursions, where you experience your destination in a relaxed, intimate ambience. Whenever you disembark, travel as a group, not as a crowd, and explore together as like-minded travellers.

Authentic, Exclusive Shore Excursions
Every trip ashore on your journey is an invitation-only affair — just you, your fellow Connections guests, and your Resident Tour Director and local guide. Set out by private vehicle on visits to local neighborhoods and markets or meet one-on-one with remarkable artisans, musicians and culinary experts who lend an incomparable firsthand perspective of the local people and culture.

“This was my first river cruise trip ever. The food was absolutely fabulous, and the whole experience exceeded my expectations.”
— Susan; Kansas City, MO, June 2018
Relax aboard spacious, stylish river ships steeped in legendary Old World hospitality.

Preferred Cabins and Suites with Balconies
On every Connections boutique river cruise journey, A&K offers only the cabins and suites most preferred by our guests, including those with full, walk-out balconies or French balconies, all of which offer unrestricted views through wide glass panoramas.

Relaxing Atmosphere and Modern Amenities
Each vessel selected for Connections cruises features a welcoming, casual atmosphere and cutting-edge amenities you might expect from a fine hotel. Enjoy massage facilities and a fitness room on board, along with a sun deck for relaxation and classic games such as chess or shuffleboard to pass the time.

Delicious — and Private — Meals on Board
Prepared fresh on board by a master chef and his team, every course features delicacies that take inspiration from the places you visit. Local wine, beer and soft drinks are included with both lunch and dinner, and you always dine with your Connections group at tables reserved exclusively for you. Enhance your culinary adventure with meals ashore at carefully selected local restaurants — something unique to your small group.

Service that Goes the Extra Mile
While cruising Europe, your needs are attended to by a seasoned crew that works on the river year in and year out, making them experts at anticipating requests before you even have to make them. The crews boast years of experience, and turn your river ship into an inviting home away from home.

“Great itinerary and amazing Resident Tour Director. He took incredible care of our group and accounted for every detail. I loved every place we visited, and the food choices on the riverboat were fantastic.”
— Mark and Sharon; Arlington, VA, June 2018
Cruising Holland & Belgium in Bloom
9 days from $5,295 | Limited to 24 guests

Cruise past springtime blossoms and windmills, pausing for memorable excursions to a local tulip grower; a meal of *moules-frites* in Bruges; and a beautiful lunch amid the spectacular, blooming flowers of Keukenhof Gardens.

**A&K ADVANTAGES**

- Cruise through Holland and Belgium’s finest cities and towns, experiencing nine days of exclusive Connections sightseeing with your private group, led by your Resident Tour Director
- Enjoy a full-day tour to lovely Delft, famous for its porcelain, and the stunning Keukenhof Gardens, where you enjoy lunch surrounded by flowering bulbs
- Sample local cuisine during culinary experiences ashore, including a lunch of *moules-frites* (mussels and fries) and a brewery tour in Bruges, and a tasting of Edam cheese
- Take advantage of private access to a family tulip farm and an esteemed diamond cutter’s workshop

**DAY 1: Arrive Amsterdam, Holland**
Arrive in Amsterdam, where you are met and transferred to your boutique hotel. Later, join your Resident Tour Director for a welcome dinner. *Pulitzer Amsterdam* | Meals: D

**DAY 2: Amsterdam | Atmospheric Canals**
This morning, embark on a private canal cruise that reveals the history and architecture of this fascinating city. Later, board your river ship, with priority embarkation and time
to unwind in your premium cabin or suite. Enjoy a welcome cocktail before dinner on board. Aboard Ship | Meals: B D

**DAY 3: Amsterdam | Visiting a Tulip Grower**
Travel past tulip fields en route to a private flower grower. Meet the family who runs this farm, and enjoy a lunch ashore. Then, pay a visit to the Museum Mill, which can pump up to 16,000 gallons of water every minute. Climb to the ridge for a peek inside, admiring the gears and other fascinating mechanisms at work. Afterward, savor a cheese tasting near Edam. Aboard Ship | Meals: B I D

Go behind the scenes at the Royal Delft workshops as master craftspeople carry on an artistic tradition passed down through generations.

**DAY 4: Arnhem | Market Garden Battle Site**
Cruise to Arnhem, where you set off on an excursion to the Kröller-Müller Museum, home to the world’s second-largest Van Gogh collection. Then, visit the Hartenstein Airborne Museum and nearby war cemetery. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 5: Zeeland | Holding Back the Sea**
Embark on today’s remarkable excursion, seeing the Watersnood Museum and stopping in the charming village of Veere. Later, enjoy a private, predinner cocktail party in the ship’s Amadeus Club hosted by your Resident Tour Director, followed by an exclusive Chef’s Highlights dinner. Aboard Ship | Meals: B I D

**DAY 6: Ghent & Bruges, Belgium | Historic City Centers**
Cross into Ghent, Belgium and take an excursion to medieval Bruges, where you visit a brewery and savor a delicious lunch of moules-frites (mussels and fries). Return to bustling Ghent for a walking tour and view Van Eyck’s *Adoration of the Mystic Lamb*. Aboard Ship | Meals: B I D

**DAY 7: Antwerp | Home of Rubens**
Explore the lively city of Antwerp, the most populous in Belgium. Visit the Rubenshuis, former residence of Peter Paul Rubens, with its beautiful gardens, and then stop at a workshop that demonstrates the art of diamond cutting. Tonight, enjoy a gala dinner aboard the ship. Aboard Ship | Meals: B I D

**DAY 8: Delft & Keukenhof | Floral Glories**
Disembark for a full day that begins in Delft, where you pay a visit to the Royal Delft porcelain factory. Enjoy lunch and a full afternoon at Keukenhof Gardens. Open only in spring, its breathtaking floral displays epitomize the striking beauty of Holland. Discover extravagant gardens of tulips and daffodils ablaze with rainbow colors — a spectacular and unforgettable end to your journey. Aboard Ship | Meals: B I D

**DAY 9: Depart Amsterdam**
After breakfast, transfer to the airport and depart. Meals: B

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### BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

**Aboard Ship**
Spacious cabins and suites — all with French or walk-out balconies — and an open, modern design make for a superb, stylish cruising experience.

**Pulitzer Amsterdam**
Contemporary hotel cradled within restored 17th- and 18th-century canal homes once belonging to Dutch merchants and aristocrats.

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**Journey Details**
High or low water levels may impact sailing and require changes to the itinerary. Minimum age is 12 years. First group event: welcome briefing at 6:00 p.m. on Day 1. Last group event: ship arrival in Amsterdam at 5:00 a.m. on Day 9.

See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.

800 323 7308 | abercrombiekent.com
Prague & the Blue Danube
11 days from $7,595 | Limited to 24 guests

Cruise the Danube for seven nights, with stays in boutique hotels in Budapest and Prague. Attend a concert at the Kursalon in Vienna, privately tour a World War II art bunker in Nuremberg, and trace Kafka’s footsteps through Prague.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Cruise the Danube, with 11 days of exclusive Connections sightseeing, including a two-night stay in historic Prague
▶ Enjoy premier seating during a Sound of Vienna concert in the famous Kursalon
▶ Sit down to eight meals ashore, and attend a strudel-making lesson at Schönbrunn Palace
▶ Visit picturesque Salzburg and Hitler’s retreat, the Eagle’s Nest

DAY 1: Arrive Budapest, Hungary
Arrive in Budapest, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. In 1872, the three Hungarian settlements of Obuda, Pest and Buda merged as one, and the illustrious capital of Budapest was born. Following its unification, Budapest underwent rapid growth and expanded its political sphere, setting the stage for the city’s golden age. Tonight, join fellow guests and your Resident Tour Director for a welcome dinner.

Prestige Hotel Budapest | Meals: D

DAY 2: Budapest | Evening City Cruise
Join your intimate group, visiting Baroque Godollo Castle and its gardens. During the reign of the Austro-Hungarian Empire,
DAY 3: Budapest | Two Cities in One
See Buda’s cobbled streets and Pest’s 19th-century buildings. Throughout the course of your tour, admire Matthias Church; Fisherman’s Bastion, oddly more decorative than defensive; St. Stephen’s Basilica, which stands just as tall as the Parliament Building to symbolize the balance of church and state; and the Parliament Building itself, whose undulating Grand Stairway enchants with flowing crimson carpets and brilliant gold leaf. Enjoy a garden lunch ashore at a Buda villa and an afternoon tour of Jewish heritage, where you visit the Great Synagogue and the Hungarian Jewish Museum. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 4: Bratislava, Slovakia & Vienna, Austria
Arrive in Bratislava and visit its old quarter. In intimate company, visit the 18th-century Primate’s Palace, and view St. Martin’s Cathedral and Grassalkovich Palace. Back on board, enjoy a private cocktail party and an exclusive Chef’s Highlights dinner. Cruise to Vienna. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 5: Vienna | Opulent Schönbrunn Palace
Enjoy a panoramic tour of Vienna, an imperial masterpiece and the capital of Austria. Visit Schönbrunn Palace for a strudel-making demonstration. After leisure time, experience a fantastic dinner ashore, and enjoy preferred seating at a Sound of Vienna concert in the Kursalon. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 6: Dürnstein & Melk | Treasure Along the Danube
Take a walking tour of Dürnstein, followed by a wine tasting and private lunch ashore at a restaurant in the Wachau Valley. Visit Melk Abbey, then enjoy a guided tour of Schloss Artstetten, home of the descendants of Emperor Franz Josef. Among the famous castle owners interred here are Emperor Franz I, the father-in-law of Napoleon Bonaparte; Duke Maximilian, an established opponent of the Nazi political party and among the first Austrians to be deported to the concentration camp at Dachau; and Archduke Franz Ferdinand, whose startling assassination ignited World War I. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D
DAY 7: **Salzburg | Beauty & History**

Discover Salzburg during a walking tour of the old town. Birthplace of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart — widely considered one of the greatest classical composers of all time — Salzburg served as a fervent center of music for centuries and still plays host to a prestigious summer festival. Pay a visit to the Eagle’s Nest, Hitler’s wartime getaway, where you pause for lunch. Inside, admire the fireplace, a gift from Benito Mussolini, crafted from expensive Italian marble. This evening, the captain hosts a gala dinner on board. *Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D*

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Step ashore for an astonishing excursion to a Nuremberg art bunker, gaining local insight into a collection of masterworks that narrowly escaped the ravages of World War II.

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DAY 8: **Nuremberg & Regensburg, Germany**

In Nuremberg, visit the city’s *altstadt* (old town). See the Imperial Castle and Palace of Justice, and have lunch ashore. Later, privately tour a World War II art bunker, an A&K exclusive. Back on board your ship in Regensburg, enjoy a Bavarian-themed evening. *Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D*
DAY 9: Cesky Krumlov, Czech Republic | Radiant City
Disembark in Passau and drive to Cesky Krumlov, where you visit the city’s museum, Old Town and stunning 13th-century castle. Tucked away in the hills of the southern Czech Republic, Cesky Krumlov delights with its medieval detailing and pastoral countryside. Though occupied by German forces during World War II, the town managed to avoid any serious conflict and remains remarkably well preserved. After lunch, continue to Prague for an evening at leisure.
BoHo Hotel | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Prague | Bohemia’s Historic Capital
Explore Prague’s Old Town and its Jewish Quarter, birthplace of Franz Kafka. An integral part of the city’s cultural history, the Bohemian Jewish novelist spent many years in the Old Town, where cobblestone streets, enchanting spires and cozy pubs create a fairy-tale atmosphere. As a proper send-off, there is even a memorial dedicated to Kafka on Dusni Street — a peculiar bronze sculpture depicting the writer riding on the shoulders of a headless figure. Take in the Town Hall’s iconic astronomical clock, the Jewish Museum and the Jewish Cemetery. Following an afternoon at leisure, gather for a farewell dinner. BoHo Hotel | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Depart Prague
Today, transfer to Prague Airport for your flight home.
Meals: B

BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

Aboard Ship
Spacious cabins and suites — all with French or walk-out balconies — and an open, modern design make for a superb, stylish cruising experience.

Prestige Hotel Budapest
Family-owned Hungarian hotel only steps from the radiant Chain Bridge.

BoHo Hotel
Iconic boutique hotel occupying a former factory building.

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Journey Details
High or low water levels may impact sailing and require changes to the itinerary. Minimum age is 12 years. First event: welcome briefing at 6:00 p.m. on Day 1. Last event: farewell dinner at 7:00 p.m. on Day 10.

See abercrombiekent.com for up-to-date availability and pricing information.

800 323 7308 | abercrombiekent.com 61
Switzerland & the Rhine
11 days from $8,995 | Limited to 24 guests

Cruise the Rhine from Amsterdam to Basel, viewing Holland’s vibrant blooms at the world’s largest flower auction; taking in the majesty of the Alps in Switzerland; and sampling local beer, wine, cheese and chocolate on shore.

A & K ADVANTAGES

▶ Cruise the Rhine through four countries, experiencing 11 days of exclusive Connections sightseeing in your private small-group vehicle, escorted by your Resident Tour Director
▶ Stay in boutique hotels in Amsterdam and Zurich, with premium cabins aboard your ship with open-air French or walk-out balconies
▶ Journey to the top of Mount Pilatus for 360-degree views of the Swiss Alps
▶ Experience local food and wine during five specially planned meals ashore, as well as cheese tasting in Edam, beer tasting in Cologne, wine tastings in Rüdesheim and Strasbourg, and chocolate tasting in Zurich

DAY 1: Arrive Amsterdam, Holland
Arrive in Amsterdam, where you are met and transferred to your boutique hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure. This evening, join your Resident Tour Director for a welcome dinner.
Pulitzer Amsterdam | Meals: D

DAY 2: Amsterdam | Canal Cruise & Rijksmuseum
Stop at the Douwes Fine Art gallery, seven generations in the
same family, to learn how old-master paintings are restored for exhibition. Next, visit the famous Rijksmuseum to see some of the highlights of its extensive collection of Dutch masters, including Rembrandt, Vermeer, Brueghel and Rubens. After lunch at leisure, take a private canal cruise in Amsterdam, the best way to see this city famously linked by 165 canals, spanning more than 30 miles. Finally, enjoy priority boarding onto your river ship. After settling in to your premium cabin or suite, gather for a welcome cocktail and dinner aboard. Aboard Ship | Meals: B D

Sample local wine, cheese and beer while meeting those who produce them during enriching, immersive excursions along the storied Rhine River.

**DAY 3: Aalsmeer | Flower Auction**
Rise early and meet your small group for a visit to the flower auction at Aalsmeer. More than 20 million flowers change hands here daily, in a building that occupies a greater footprint than any other in the world; the logistics that go in to making such a vast operation run smoothly are amazing to witness in person. Later, visit a clog maker and sample traditional Dutch cheeses. This evening, enjoy a private cocktail party. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 4: Cologne, Germany | Gothic Cathedral**
Spend the morning cruising the Rhine en route to Cologne. On arrival, explore the major sites on a walking tour, including the Gothic cathedral, an edifice so massive its construction spanned centuries; it was only officially completed in 1880. Follow your visit with a beer tasting at a 100-year-old brewery. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 5: Cochem | Hilltop Fortress**
Arrive in Cochem on the Moselle River, a tributary of the Rhine, this afternoon. Disembark to visit the neo-Gothic castle, including its famous Witches Tower, the only part of the original Gothic structure still standing. Tonight, sit down to a private Chef’s Highlights dinner aboard. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 6: Koblenz & Rüdesheim | Scenic Gorge**
Cruise to Koblenz, where you rejoin the Rhine River. Koblenz’s history dates back to Roman times, when Julius Caesar built nearby the first bridge to span the Rhine. Take a guided walking tour of the city this morning. Then, cruise the lovely Rhine Gorge, one of the most scenic stretches in all of Europe. Its magical mix of rocky, winding riverbanks; quaint riverside towns; and castles perched high on the cliffside helped
to earn it a spot on UNESCO’s list of World Heritage Sites. Arrive later in Rüdesheim, known throughout the region for its excellent wines. Join your Resident Tour Director for a wine tasting and dinner ashore at a local restaurant.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 7: Heidelberg | Charming University Town**

Set out on a full-day excursion to Heidelberg, seeing the ruins of Heidelberg Castle. Abandoned in the 18th century, the crumbling fortress nevertheless remained a source of inspiration for later Romantic painters and poets, who seized on it as a symbol of faded glory. After lunch, proceed to the **altstadt** (old town) for time at leisure; the Market Square is an excellent place to soak up local life. Tonight, attend a captain’s gala dinner aboard your vessel. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 8: Strasbourg, France | Alsatian Capital**

The capital of France’s Alsace region, Strasbourg has been a focal point of French-German conflict for centuries, and bears the combined stamp of both nations as a result. Experience this for yourself on a walking tour of the old town, with a specially arranged tasting at the Cave des Hospices, the city’s oldest wine cellar. Cruise to Basel, Switzerland’s third-largest city. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 9: Lucerne, Switzerland | Lakeside Panoramas**

Disembark and drive to Mount Pilatus, journeying to the top via cog railway for lunch, accompanied by amazing,
postcard-worthy mountaintop views. After a cable-car descent, take a walking tour of Lucerne. Since the mid-19th century, this beautiful city has been the most-visited in Switzerland, and today, it strikes an ideal balance between timeless historic beauty and modern development. The city’s most famous landmark is the Chapel Bridge, the oldest covered wooden bridge in Europe. Its interior is decorated with vivid paintings, many of which date back to the 17th century and depict events from the city’s history. You also visit Corn Market Square and the nearby Old Town Hall, built in 1602. Continue to Zurich for time to explore on your own. The Storchen | Meals: B L

DAY 10: Zurich | Chocolatier Experience
Switzerland is synonymous with chocolate, and no visit to Zurich is complete without a stop at the Lindt chocolate workshop, where you enjoy some delectable samples. After time at leisure for lunch, gather for a guided walking tour of the city, taking in its alluring mix of modern and Old World architecture while strolling its pedestrian-friendly avenues. Zurich is known for its churches, and your walk incorporates visits to several noteworthy ones, including the Fraumünster, with its Marc Chagall-designed stained glass windows, and the Grossmünster, supposedly founded by Charlemagne and later to play a key part in establishing the Reformation in Switzerland. Later, visit the city’s Watch and Clock Museum. Tonight, attend a farewell dinner. The Storchen | Meals: B D

DAY 11: Depart Zurich
Transfer to the airport and board your homebound flight. Meals: B

BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

Aboard Ship
Spacious cabins and suites — all with French or walk-out balconies — and an open, modern design make for a superb, stylish cruising experience.

The Storchen
A 66-room boutique treasure located on the bank of the Limmat River.

The Pulitzer Amsterdam
Contemporary hotel cradled within 17th- and 18th-century canal homes.

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Journey Details
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Paris, Burgundy & a South of France Cruise
11 days from $9,495 | Limited to 24 guests

Stay in boutique hotels in Paris and Beaune, sample fresh-baked pastries on a food walk through Montmartre, and ply the Saône and Rhône rivers during a seven-night cruise through the south of France, with exclusive shore excursions.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▶ Cruise the Saône and Rhône rivers, experiencing 11 days of exclusive sightseeing in your private small-group vehicle, escorted by your Resident Tour Director
▶ Stay at intimate hotels in Paris and Beaune, carefully chosen for their central locations and historic splendors
▶ Enjoy seven meals ashore that highlight authentic local cuisine, including lunch at a Provençal farmhouse and dinner in Avignon
▶ Set out on a food walk in the colorful Montmartre district of Paris, stopping to sample local delicacies along the way

DAY 1: Arrive Paris, France
Arrive in Paris, where you are met and transferred to your elegant boutique hotel for check-in. Hôtel Napoléon | Meals: D

DAY 2: Paris | Surveying the City of Light
Explore the heart of medieval Paris this morning, with stops at Sainte-Chapelle and the Conciergerie and views of Notre-Dame de Paris. After lunch at a local restaurant, the remainder of the day is at leisure. Hôtel Napoléon | Meals: B L
DAY 3. Beaune | Medieval Marvel
Set out on a food walk in Montmartre, stopping to sample fresh-baked pastries, just-plucked produce and a variety of local delicacies. Transfer to Beaune to visit Hôtel-Dieu, a 15th-century charity hospital. Hôtel Le Cep | Meals: B

DAY 4. Beaune | Wine Capital of Burgundy
Travel to a family-run mustard mill for a private small-group tour and opportunity to make the piquant condiment. Join a local sommelier in his home for a tasting of vintage wines, followed by lunch. Next, travel to Lyon and board your ship with priority embarkation. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 5. Mâcon | A Taste of Chardonnay
Arrive this morning in Mâcon. Travel to Cluny to tour the abbey. After lunch, continue to Chardonnay for a private wine tasting. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 6. Chalon-sur-Saône | Riverside Town
Dock in picturesque Chalon-sur-Saône and spend a morning at leisure exploring this delightful riverside town. After lunch aboard ship, visit medieval Brancion, continuing to the 17th-century Château de Cormatin. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 7. Lyon | Historic Old Quarter
Arrive in Lyon to tour its old quarter, walking the hidden passageways of Croix-Rousse Hill and visiting a silk weavers’ workshop. Visit the Basilica of Notre-Dame de Fourvière, which overlooks the city. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 8. Avignon | Magnificent Palais des Papes
Explore Avignon, the 14th-century seat of Catholic popes. Continue to Pont du Gard for lunch in the shadow of the great aqueduct, followed by a tour. Back in Avignon, enjoy an exclusive dinner ashore. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 9. Sénanque & Arles | Footsteps of Van Gogh
Begin your excursion in Arles, where Vincent van Gogh painted Café Terrace at Night, and stand in the exact spot where the artist set up his easel. In Saint Paul-de-Mausole, stop at a family-run Provençal farm for a home-cooked lunch. Complete the day at the Cistercian Abbey of Sénanque. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 10. Viviers | Local Pastimes
Visit Viviers on the Rhône River, meet some residents and play a traditional game of pétanque. Tonight, join the captain for a celebratory gala dinner. Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

DAY 11. Depart Lyon
After breakfast, transfer to Lyon Airport, where you board your homebound flight for departure. Meals: B

BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS

Aboard Ship
Spacious cabins and suites — all with French or walk-out balconies — and an open, modern design make for a superb, stylish cruising experience.

Hôtel Napoléon
Historic, Art Deco-style hotel on the doorstep of the Champs-Élysées.

Hôtel Le Cep
Five-star property showcasing private mansions and medieval courtyards.

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Christmas Markets
Along the Danube
9 days from $5,495 | Limited to 24 guests

Embark on a festive Danube River cruise, staying in handpicked boutique hotels in the heart of Vienna and Munich, and visiting Christkindlesmarkts, historic Melk Abbey and the Imperial Treasury in Vienna.

A&K ADVANTAGES

▷ Cruise the Danube River, experiencing nine days of exclusive Connections sightseeing in your private small-group vehicle, escorted by your own Resident Tour Director

▷ Visit the finest Christmas markets (Christkindlesmarkts) in southern Germany and Austria in the intimate company of your small group

▷ Hear an onboard Advent concert to kindle the Christmas spirit

▷ Set out on unforgettable excursions designed by A&K, including the Imperial Treasury in Vienna with its glittering jewels

DAY 1: Arrive Vienna, Austria
Arrive in Vienna, where you are met and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, join your dedicated Resident Tour Director for a welcome dinner. The Ring | Meals: D

DAY 2: Vienna | Handcrafted Porcelain
This morning, visit the Belvedere, seeing the stately palace complex, tranquil gardens and a Christmas market. View works by Austrian painter Gustav Klimt. Then, enjoy lunch at a Viennese café before a privately guided tour of the
Augarten Porcelain Factory. Transfer to your vessel, with priority embarkation. After settling in to your premium cabin or suite with an open-air French or walk-out balcony, enjoy a welcome cocktail, dinner and a festive holiday concert.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**Marvel at some of the world’s finest handcrafted porcelain on a private guided tour of the Augarten Porcelain Factory and Museum in Vienna.**

**DAY 3: Vienna | A City’s Christmas Best**
Your walking tour in Vienna visits St. Stephen’s Cathedral and the Imperial Treasury at Hofburg Palace. Take a private Viennese waltz lesson. After lunch, visit Schönbrunn Palace and its Christmas markets. Tonight, visit the main Christmas market at the Rathausplatz.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 4: Melk | Palatial Abbey**
Arrive in Melk, where you visit the Benedictine abbey, perched on a rocky outcrop overlooking the Danube. Originally constructed as a palace, the abbey boasts soaring gilded towers, an elaborately frescoed church and a vast library of medieval manuscripts. Pause for lunch ashore at a local restaurant in the scenic Wachau Valley. Later, enjoy a private predinner cocktail party in the Amadeus Club, hosted by your Resident Tour Director, followed by an exclusive Chef’s Highlights dinner.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 5: Passau, Germany | Historic Christkindlesmarkt**
Arrive in Passau. Take a guided city walk, visiting the Christkindlesmarkt and St. Stephen’s Cathedral to hear its organ. Linger over an authentic Bavarian lunch with a glass of wine at a charming restaurant. Then, explore the old historic center at leisure.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 6: Regensburg | Walking Tour & Market Visit**
Walk through Regensburg and visit one of its oldest breweries for a tasting. Tour St. Emmeram’s Palace and stroll its Christmas market. Join the captain for a gala dinner back on board.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 7: Nuremberg | Heart of the Old City**
Transfer to Nuremberg and see its 900-year-old ramparts, Imperial Castle and Palace of Justice. Privately visit a World War II art bunker, an A&K exclusive. Explore the Christkindlesmarkt in the old city, with time to shop or savor homemade gingerbread.

Aboard Ship | Meals: B L D

**DAY 8: Munich | Bavarian Capital**
Disembark in Nuremberg and drive to Munich, famous for its beer halls and beer gardens. Take a guided walking tour of its old town. Visit the Frauenkirche cathedral and Marienplatz with its bustling Christmas market.

**Platzl Hotel | Meals: B D**

**DAY 9: Depart Munich**
Transfer to Munich Airport for your departure.

Meals: B

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**BOUTIQUE ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Aboard Ship**
Spacious cabins and suites — all with French or walk-out balconies — and an open, modern design make for a superb, stylish cruising experience.

**The Ring**
Relax in luxury at a boutique hotel located on the famous Ringstrasse.

**Platzl Hotel**
Cozy, family-owned property featuring a traditional sausage house.

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‘Amadeus Imperial’

Exquisite ‘Amadeus Imperial’ joins the ranks of the Amadeus fleet, set to launch in 2020. Conveying the serene ambience and refreshing vitality of a day on the river, the ship features a sun deck, river terrace, lowerable panoramic windows along the width of the cabins, and suites equipped with an added outdoor balcony.

‘Amadeus Imperial’ at a Glance

- 72 cabins and 12 suites
- All meals included on board, with house wine and beer at lunch and dinner
- Floor-to-ceiling windows in public areas
- Approximately 44 crew members
- Amenities include a hairdresser, fitness room, massage room, sun deck, wine bar and shuffleboard

SPACIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS
With Strauss- and Mozart-Deck cabins of 188 square feet and suites of 284 square feet, accommodations aboard offer space and comfort.

GO ASHORE IN A PRIVATE GROUP
Your dedicated Resident Tour Director joins you as you disembark with a small group of no more than 24 Connections guests on private shore excursions, each led by an expert local guide.

FINE CUISINE WITH SELECT WINES
Enjoy fine cuisine, prepared by your onboard chef and served with house wines and select vintages relevant to the regions on your route.

AMENITIES WORTHY OF A HOTEL
The vessel features a fitness facility and massage room, hairdresser, restaurant, and panoramic bar.

CRUISE WITH CONFIDENCE
As with the entire privately owned Amadeus fleet, the ship was designed and built in Europe for quality control.

Deck Plan

SUN-DECK

MOZART-DECK

STRAUSS-DECK

HAYDN-DECK

- Amadeus Suite (284 sq. ft.), walk-out balcony
- A-1 (188 sq. ft.), French balcony
- B-1 (188 sq. ft.), French balcony
- B-4 (188 sq. ft.), French balcony
‘Amadeus Queen’

Launched in 2018, this contemporary vessel builds on the design successes of the award-winning Amadeus Silver ships, boasting panoramic windows in all public areas, walk-out balconies in every suite, drop-down windows in premium A&K cabins and an enclosed swimming pool deck with an innovative retractable roof.

‘Amadeus Queen’ at a Glance
- 69 cabins and 12 suites
- All meals included on board, with house wine and beer at lunch and dinner
- Floor-to-ceiling windows in public areas
- Approximately 45 crew members
- Amenities include a hairdresser, massage room, fitness room, shuffleboard and retractable-roof pool deck

SPACIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS
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FINE CUISINE WITH SELECT WINES
Enjoy fine cuisine, prepared by your onboard chef and served with house wines and select vintages relevant to the regions on your route.

AMENITIES WORTHY OF A HOTEL
The vessel features a fitness facility, massage room, hairdresser, lounge, panoramic al fresco bar and retractable-roof pool deck.

CRUISE WITH CONFIDENCE
As with the entire privately owned Amadeus fleet, the ship was designed and built in Europe for quality control.
‘Amadeus Provence’

Innovative ‘Amadeus Provence’ takes inspiration from award-winning vessels ‘Amadeus Silver III’ and ‘Amadeus Silver II.’ Designed for luxurious and sustainable travel with panoramic windows in all public areas, walk-out balconies in suites, and drop-down windows in premium A&K cabins that transform into an open-air French balcony.

‘Amadeus Provence’ at a Glance

- 62 cabins and eight suites
- Launched in April of 2017
- All meals included on board, with house wine and beer at lunch and dinner
- Floor-to-ceiling windows in public areas
- Approximately 40 crew members
- Amenities include a hairdresser, massage room, fitness room, outdoor pool deck and shuffleboard

SPACIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS

With Strauss- and Mozart-Deck cabins of 188 square feet and suites of 284 square feet, accommodations aboard offer space and comfort.

GO ASHORE IN A PRIVATE GROUP

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FINE CUISINE WITH SELECT WINES

Enjoy fine cuisine, prepared by your onboard chef and served with house wines and select vintages relevant to the regions on your route.

AMENITIES WORTHY OF A HOTEL

The vessel features a fitness facility, outdoor pool deck, massage room, hairdresser, lounge and panoramic al fresco bar.

CRUISE WITH CONFIDENCE

As with the entire privately owned Amadeus fleet, the ship was designed and built in Europe for quality control.
‘Amadeus Silver III’

This sleek river ship took inspiration from its award-winning sister ship, ‘Amadeus Silver.’ Innovative and designed for sustainable travel, the vessel features panoramic windows in all public areas, walk-out balconies in suites and windows in A&K-selected cabins that transform into an open-air French balcony.

‘Amadeus Silver III’ at a Glance
• 72 cabins and 12 suites
• Launched in 2016
• All meals included on board, with house wine and beer at lunch and dinner
• Approximately 44 crew members
• Floor-to-ceiling windows in public areas
• Amenities include hairdresser, massage room, fitness room and walking track

SPACIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS
With Strauss- and Mozart-Deck cabins of 188 square feet and suites of 284 square feet, accommodations aboard offer space and comfort.

GO ASHORE IN A PRIVATE GROUP
Your dedicated Resident Tour Director joins you as you disembark with a small group of no more than 24 Connections guests on private shore excursions, each led by an expert local guide.

FINE CUISINE WITH SELECT WINES
Enjoy fine cuisine prepared by your onboard chef and served with house wines and select vintages relevant to regions on your route.

AMENITIES WORTHY OF A HOTEL
The vessel features a fitness facility, massage room, sun deck, lounge, panoramic bar and a hairdresser.

CRUISE WITH CONFIDENCE
As with the entire privately owned Amadeus fleet, the ship was designed and built in Europe for quality control.
‘Amadeus Silver II’

This sleek river ship took inspiration from its award-winning sister ship, ‘Amadeus Silver.’ Innovative and designed for sustainable travel, the vessel features panoramic windows in all public areas, walk-out balconies in suites and windows in A&K-selected cabins that transform into an open-air French balcony.

‘Amadeus Silver II’ at a Glance

- 72 cabins and 12 suites
- Launched in 2015
- All meals included on board, with house wine and beer at lunch and dinner
- Approximately 44 crew members
- Floor-to-ceiling windows in public areas
- Amenities include hairdresser, massage room, fitness room and walking track

SPACIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS

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FINE CUISINE WITH SELECT WINES

Enjoy fine cuisine prepared by your onboard chef and served with house wines and select vintages relevant to regions on your route.

AMENITIES WORTHY OF A HOTEL

The vessel features a fitness facility, massage room, sun deck, lounge, panoramic bar and a hairdresser.

CRUISE WITH CONFIDENCE

As with the entirely privately owned Amadeus fleet, the ship was designed and built in Europe for quality control.
‘Amadeus Brilliant’

Experience Europe at its finest on board ‘Amadeus Brilliant,’ enjoying its spacious, stylish design and easygoing charm.

‘Amadeus Brilliant’ at a Glance

• ‘Amadeus Brilliant’ built in 2011
• 68 cabins and eight suites
• All meals included on board, with house wine and beer at lunch and dinner
• Approximately 40 crew members
• Floor-to-ceiling windows in public areas
• Amenities include a hairdresser, massage room and shuffleboard court

PANORAMIC VIEWS

Floor-to-ceiling windows in the lounge and a French balcony in Strauss- and Mozart-Deck cabins promise great views around every river bend.

PRIVATE SHORE EXCURSIONS

Disembark for private shore excursions with your small group of no more than 24 Connections guests and your dedicated Resident Tour Director, who also serves as your onboard concierge. Experience Europe at its most authentic, led by expert local guides. Enjoy opportunities to explore on your own as well, on foot or by complimentary bicycle.

SUPERB DINING AND FINE WINES

As you cruise Europe’s great rivers, enjoy fine cuisine prepared by an onboard chef, paired with house wines chosen from the region you are exploring.

AMENITIES WORTHY OF A HOTEL

The vessel features a fitness facility, massage room, lounge, panoramic bar, sun deck and a hairdresser.

CRUISE WITH CONFIDENCE

The vessel was designed and built in European shipyards for quality control.

Deck Plan
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All accommodations, meals and fully guided sightseeing (including park and entrance fees) as noted in the itinerary; airport transfers and/or travel arrangements to and from the land or land extension; pre- and post-travel accommodation in the first and last published city regardless of day of arrival and departure (on Expedition Cruises, transfers may be shared and included on start and end dates only); services of a Resident Tour Director or representative (on Pre- and Post-Tours); coffee/tea/drinks/water included at meals; city airport transfers to/from hotel/ship in the first/last published city; tips/taxes; and gratuities throughout, except to the Resident Tour Director/Extension guide/East Africa safari driver-guides. A&K’s Traveller’s Valet includes laundry service for eight (8) nights per person on land and at land accommodations; service levels are not guaranteed; hotel taxes; and gratuities throughout, except to the Resident Tour Director/Extension guide/East Africa safari driver-guides. Luxury Small Group and Family packages include luxury hotel/lodge accommodations.

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Details will be provided in your Pre-Travel Documentation. Baggage and personal effects are at the owner’s risk throughout the travel program, and A&K assumes no liability for lost or damaged baggage. Please check with your international carrier for other baggage restrictions and fees applicable to your international flights.

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ACTIVE ELEMENTS & CONDUCT
Some active elements have been incorporated into select itineraries. To enjoy the trips as intended, a minimum level of fitness is required. A&K will require prior notice if a participant has any physical or other condition or disability that would prevent them from participating in active elements of any trip and/or could create a hazard to him or herself or to other members of the group. A&K may require guests to produce a doctor’s certificate certifying that they are fit to participate. Acting reasonably, if A&K is unable to properly accommodate the need of the person(s) concerned or believes that health and safety may be compromised, A&K reserves the right to refuse participation. The guest represents that neither he nor she or anyone traveling with him or her has any physical or other condition or disability that could create a hazard to himself or herself or other members of the tour. A&K also reserves the right to remove from the trip, at the participant’s own expense, whose personal condition or conduct negatively impacts the enjoyment of the other guests or disrupts the tour. Due to ship restrictions, women who are six (6) months pregnant or more or cannot travel at any time during the cruise are not permitted to travel on Expedition Cruises.

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Travel insurance is not included in the price of the program and is recommended. You may purchase A&K’s Guest Protection Program (which provides cancellation coverage, medical coverage and protection against lost or stolen or damaged luggage) or A&K’s Guest Protection Program with Cancel for Any Reason Coverage for an additional fee. Coverage only takes effect upon A&K’s receipt of payment for the plan. The Guest Protection Program is available up to final payment for your journey; however the plan must be purchased within 14 days of trip deposit in order to waive the pre-existing medical condition exclusion. Any Reason Program is only available for purchase within 14 days of trip deposit and is not available to New York residents and on select journeys. The cost of coverage is calculated based on the total cost of your travel arrangements and is non-refundable 10 days after purchase. For more information, visit aflinitytravelcert.com/aerk.

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Wings Over the World Journeys 25% of program price

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210-181 days prior to departure 25% of program price
180-121 days prior to departure 50% of program price
120-91 days prior to departure or less 100% of program price

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