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Boutique river cruising and touring in Southeast Asia

Welcome

Uncover the manifold beauty of Southeast Asia and the might of the Mekong River aboard our custom-built Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. Across the nations of Cambodia and Vietnam, our immersing onshore excursions encourage you to lose yourself in local life, delving into the customs, traditions, and regional delicacies of Southeast Asia. On board, the carefully crafted Emerald Harmony fuses modern Asian chic with all the amenities of a world-class hotel. A sanctuary of peace and serenity from which to observe the ever-changing landscape as you sail onwards to the next iconic destination.



Emerald Harmony



Explore in 2024 & 2025

From land touring days and evenings in hand-picked deluxe hotels to embarking along the mighty Mekong River aboard our bespoke Star-Ship Emerald Harmony, Southeast Asia promises rich and compelling beauty, fascinating local storytelling, and otherworldly discoveries.

We look forward to welcoming you on board in 2024 and 2025.

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Welcome to Southeast Asia

Across the rugged uplands, open plateaus, and decisive waterways of Southeast Asia, you'll uncover a region of rich diversity. An amalgamation of culture is observable across Southeast Asia's breathtaking traditional architecture, dizzying cityscapes, and vibrant tropical beauty.

Halong Bay

An unmissable exhibit of nature's power: in Halong Bay, thousands of limestone islets rise from the turquoise brilliance of the Gulf of Tonkin, forming a unique seascape. Whilst here, you'll explore sea-weathered caves carved deep from within the limestone karsts—Trinh Nu forms the basis of local legend, whilst Sung Sot; is adorned with striking stalactites and stalagmites. Meet the locals of the ancient floating village of Cua Van, kayak to Ho Ba Ham lake, and observe the spectacular local wildlife. The forested crags provide ideal shelter for amphibians and reptiles, whilst the resident black kite can, at times, be found encircling the skies in search of the teeming shoals below.



Halong Bay, Vietnam

Hoi An

Peel back the layers of the ancient coastal town of Hoi An, and the exceptionally well-preserved architecture reveals a long history of Chinese, Japanese, and European influence. Once a trading port of great import, the UNESCO World Heritage-listed town presents one of the finest examples of timber frame buildings of the 18th century.

Enjoy plenty of time to explore the city at your own pace, visiting the stunning Ang Bang Beach by cyclo (bicycle-style rickshaw) and the Reaching Out Project—an NGO created to help improve the quality of life of the city's locals.





Hoi An, Vietnam



Angkor Wat, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Siem Reap

Siem Reap will forever be associated with centuries-spanning remains of the former Khmer capital, Angkor. The UNESCO World Heritage-listed Angkor Archaeological Park is home to famed temple complexes, including Angkor Thom, Bayon, and the near-mythical Angkor Wat, the architectural delight at the heart of both Khmer identity and the nation's flag. To observe the first golden touch of dawn upon the ornamented stone spires; is to regard one of the world's greatest spectacles, a typically Southeast Asian synthesis of the man-made and the natural.

Beyond the ancient architecture and into the lantern-glow of the streets, you'll uncover an elegant and stylish city. A thriving spa town with a happening artistic scene, Siem Reap boasts cultural delights such as the beloved Phare, the Cambodian Circus, an unforgettable evening of traditional performance.

Our Vietnam, Cambodia & Mekong river cruising itineraries

To help with your decision on which of our four insightful itineraries to choose, the below table highlights the destinations you will visit across each of our itineraries.

Selected departure dates can be enjoyed travelling in the opposite direction on board Emerald Harmony, and also for some parts of the land touring programme.

- Hue
- Da Nang
- Hoi An



Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

7/9 NIGHT RIVER CRUISE

8/10-Day Majestic Mekong

Journey Code: **EWVC/EWVL**

13/15-Day Wonders of Vietnam Cambodia & the Mekong

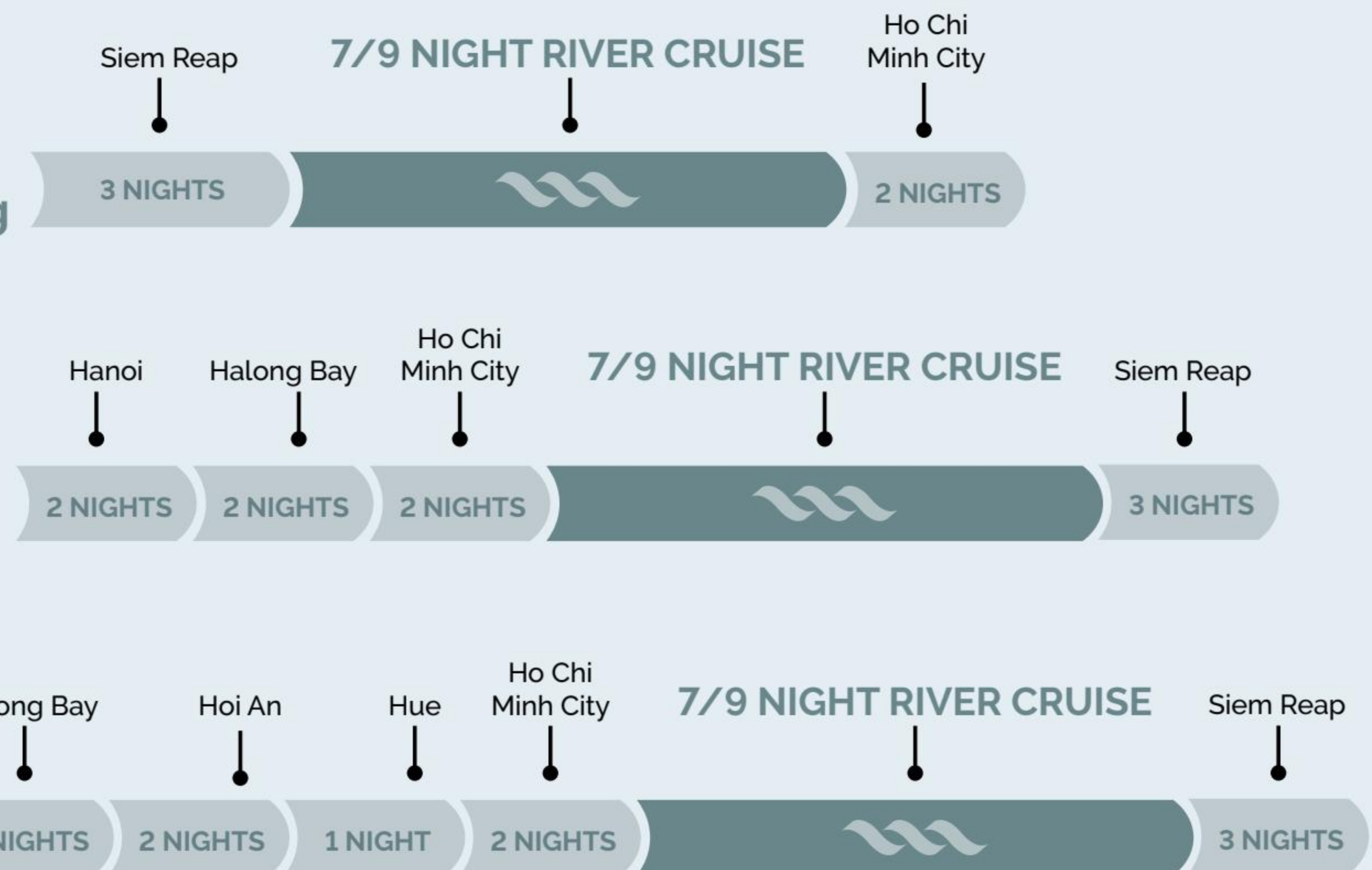
Journey Code: **EWVS**

17/19-Day Treasures & Temples Of Vietnam & Cambodia

Journey Code: **EWHA**

21/23-Day Grand Tour of Vietnam & Cambodia

Journey Code: **EWHH**



The Emerald Cruises difference

Interweaving a sense of adventure, contemporary innovations, and wellness, we balance enriching onshore experiences with the on board elegance of our custom-built Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. Docking in the heart of Southeast Asia's iconic destinations, we go beyond the initial impressions, uncovering the rich history, culture, and traditions of each destination we visit.



Emerald Harmony Horizon Bar



Small ship experts

We are small ship experts championing the intimate and spacious lifestyle that takes you into the very heart of each destination we visit. Our spectacular Emerald Harmony Star-Ship will exceed all your expectations, as it introduces you to the majesty of the Mekong. Reaching 239ft (73m) in length, 42 cabins accommodate just 84 guests and 40 crew members, striking the perfect balance and ensuring there'll always be someone available to answer your questions. Always underpinned by exceptional service and an incredible range of onshore excursions.



Award-winning Star-Ship

Sail the majestic Mekong of Southeast Asia in complete contemporary comfort on board our award-winning Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. Fusing authentic Asian style with contemporary design, Emerald Harmony possesses unique innovations while boasting all the amenities of a world-class hotel. Life on board Emerald Harmony promises ultimate relaxation, with world-class cuisine, blissful spa treatments, and numerous refined spaces from which to enjoy the spectacular surroundings.



EmeraldDISCOVERY programme

Our EmeraldDISCOVERY programme provides a platform for authentic adventures across Southeast Asia. Our excursions; are hand-picked and tailored by expert journey designer to bring you closer to the landscape and its people, allowing for an intimate look at local life. Alongside daily included excursions, EmeraldPLUS provides insight through social events, tours, on board performances, and workshops, whilst our DiscoverMORE* programme promotes once-in-a-lifetime experiences.

*Available at an additional cost.



Stylish suites and staterooms

With our choice of suite and stateroom grades, you can select your perfect sanctuary of peace and relaxation. Each suite and stateroom benefits from an elegant blend of Asian style and contemporary design, with all the amenities of a world-class hotel. Sink into your queen or twin-size bed, and enjoy an en-suite bathroom, luxury toiletries, and complimentary bath robes. Returning from exciting days ashore, you can stay up-to-date with loved ones back home using free Wi-Fi.



Our wellness team

Health and well-being are a priority to us whilst you sail. Cater to mind, body, and soul and treat yourself to a soothing regionally inspired treatment in our beautiful on board spa, where our wellness experts are on-hand to make you feel reinvigorated. Keep up with your fitness regimen in our modern, well-equipped gym. And simply relax with a refreshing dip in our incredible outdoor pool on the Pool Deck, an elegant wood-furnished space offering swim-up views of the landscape.



Superior service, exceptional people

We are direct employers of our staff and have local Emerald Cruises offices in Ho Chi Minh City and Phnom Penh overseeing service delivery, assuring superior service from exceptional people. Our passionate and dedicated team are always on hand, helping to guarantee a Mekong river cruising experience in which your every need is met. The wealth of knowledge and expertise of our crew is evidenced daily, from the encyclopedic knowledge of your helpful cruise director to the patent talents of our culinary experts.

Enjoy generous inclusions

Synonymous with outstanding quality, our expert journey designer carefully designs every aspect of your adventure to ensure you have the best experience possible.

With a seamless cruising and touring experience, you'll explore Southeast Asia through the perfect balance of on board and onshore experiences.

Relax knowing that all on board meals are included, as well as world-class hotel stays and the services of our expert tour directors, always on hand whenever you may need them.

You'll discover a blend of popular attractions and lesser-known gems, found off the beaten track, all of which are included in the price. And not to mention, all transport, hotel portorage, taxes and even tips are also taken care of.



Apsara dancers, Angkor Wat, Cambodia



Our suite of generous inclusions:

- Airport transfers to and from Emerald Harmony and your hotels
- Deluxe hotels with all service charges, taxes and portage included
- Stylish accommodation on board Asia's most innovative Star-Ship, built to European safety, fire, hygiene and emission standards
- Innovatively designed to allow sailing into the heart of Ho Chi Minh City
- All on board meals in the Reflections Restaurant and a selection of meals during touring days
- Complimentary international and local wine, beer and soft drinks to accompany lunch and dinner while on board Emerald Harmony
- From luscious lattes to creamy cappuccinos, our state-of-the-art coffee machines and specialist tea stations are yours to enjoy throughout your cruise
- Complimentary water provided on board and during excursions
- Enjoy an included excursion almost every day of your cruise and tour
- Extra-special excursions and experiences courtesy of our **EmeraldPLUS** programme
- First-class service from an English-speaking crew
- Knowledgeable tour directors hosting small groups in every destination
- Complimentary Wi-Fi on board
- Bodia luxury toiletries on board
- Complimentary self-service laundry facilities on board
- Earn **EmeraldEXPLORER** loyalty points for every Emerald Cruises river cruise and tour, entitling you to exclusive benefits
- All port charges
- All gratuities on board and onshore

For more details on our generous inclusions [CLICK HERE](#)

EmeraldEXPLORER

We're extremely proud of our continued commitment to providing the best river and yacht cruises. We're delighted that so many of our guests choose to book again with us, that's why we created our **EmeraldEXPLORER** loyalty club, to reward you for your loyalty.

Emerald Harmony

Emerald Harmony fuses Southeast Asian style with design-led innovation to create a sanctuary of peace. Illuminated by sunlight—dark wood tones, authentic regional artworks, and elegant spaces strike the perfect equilibrium with the natural surroundings of the Mekong.

Designed to reach destinations other vessels can't, Emerald Harmony docks in the heart of Ho Chi Minh City, with the 84 guests aboard able to welcome the city to their door. Other advantages to our small-sized ship include an excellent staff-to-guest ratio providing an unparalleled level of service, and ample space aboard.



Pool Deck

Fitness Area

Located on the Riviera Deck, you'll find our gym, the perfect way to stay active on board.

Our well-equipped gym has a treadmill and cross trainer for cardio enthusiasts, plus an array of weights and benches to help you keep up with your fitness regime. Dark wooden accents mirror the theme throughout the ship, and warm lighting provides a relaxing setting for stretches and yoga on the provided mats.



Fitness Area



Pool Deck

Bedecked with calming wooden tones suffused with rays of tropical sunshine, Emerald Harmony's Pool Deck is tailor-made for total relaxation. Stylish sun loungers and comfortable sofas encourage repose, whilst the bar supplies a range of (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) beverages. The true sovereign of the space, however, is the pool itself. Its fantastic size and positioning allow for swim-up views of the passing landscape.

Sun Deck

Elevated above the Pool Deck, the Sun Deck is the place to head to for spectacular views and special evenings.

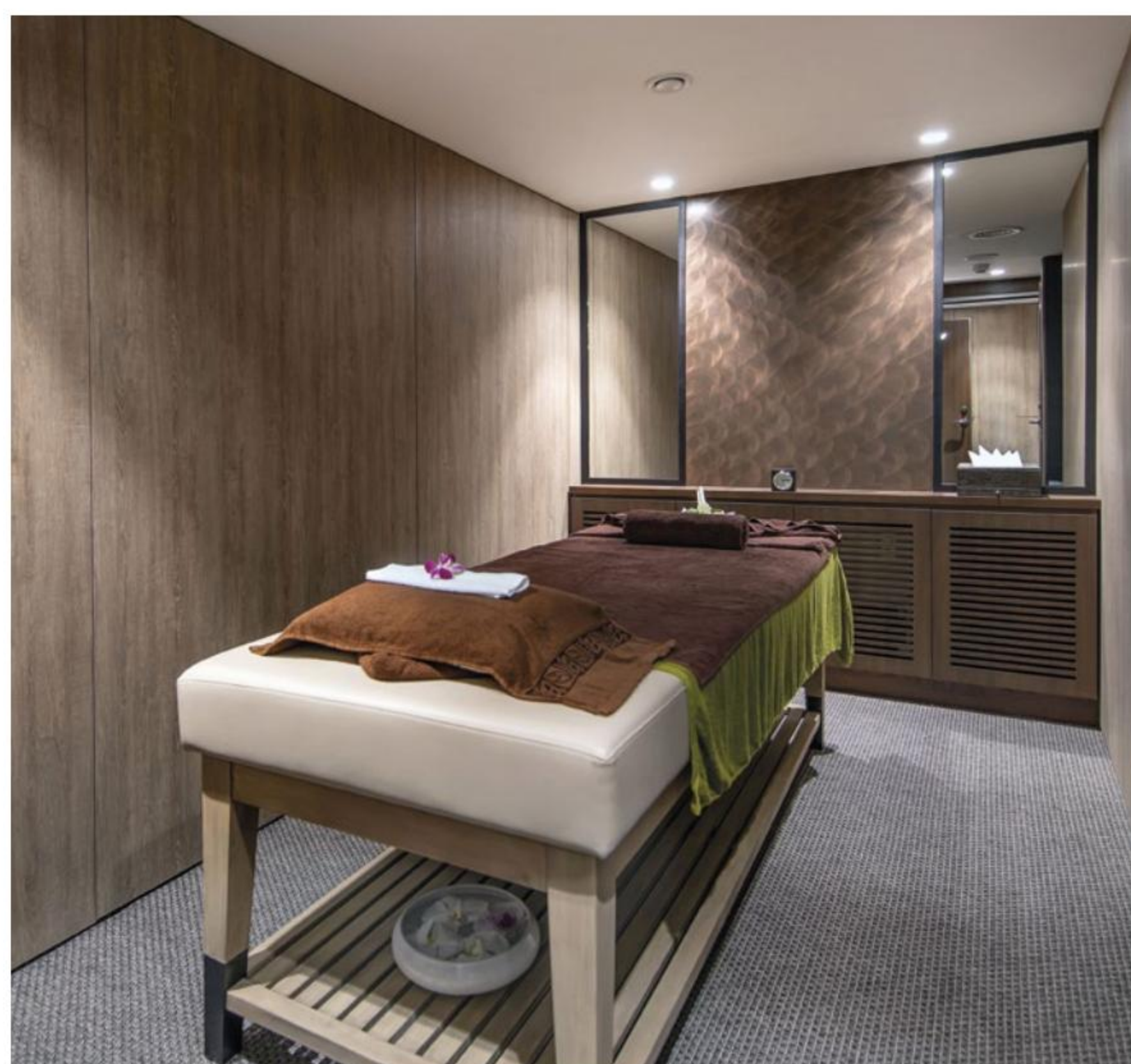
A walking track surrounds a putting green and a giant noughts and crosses game, while deck chairs and tables provide a comfortable base for relaxing as you pass riverside communities or sail into ports. Enjoy the climate from this calm, open space and toast with new-found friends during our incredibly vibrant Lion Dance performance, showcased in the open air.

Wellness Area

We've incorporated the time-honoured well-being traditions of the region into our wellness offerings. In the spa, traditional Khmer massage techniques promise rejuvenating methods designed to clear energy channels, whilst Vietnamese massage uses essential oil to relax mind and body, and Asian Meridian treatments alleviate aches and pains. You can even visit our on board hairdresser in time for a memorable evening.



Sun Deck



Wellness Area

Our Emerald Harmony Star-Ship

Lotus Lounge

Specially designed for our Emerald Harmony Star-Ship, dark wooden tones and muted colours relax you as you sail. Enjoy snacks and a variety of speciality teas and coffees in our Lotus Lounge, as the endless horizons unfold in front of you.



[CLICK HERE](#) to explore our Emerald Harmony Star-Ship

Sun & Pool Decks

Take a refreshing dip in the pool on warm days, before enjoying a selection of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks from the bar. Sit back and relax in one of the comfortable chairs in these open-air spaces, or take shelter from the sun, as the river breeze invigorates you.



Horizon Bar & Lounge

Enjoy a regional or international beer, glass of wine, cocktail or mocktail in the Asian-inspired surrounds of the Horizon Bar & Lounge. Dark wooden interior and indigenous plants create an authentic environment. And, of course, delicious teas and coffees are always available.



Suites & staterooms

Choice is a beautiful thing, which is why we offer a selection of four suite or stateroom grades on board our Emerald Harmony Star-Ship. Each stylish retreat boasts its own collection of features and inclusions.



Fitness & Wellness Areas

Treat yourself to a soothing massage or facial in our beautiful on board spa, where our experts are on hand to make you feel great through a range of Asian-influenced therapy techniques.



Reflections Restaurant

From delicious breakfasts and Asian-influenced lunches to decadent five-course à la carte dining, the open-plan setting of our Reflections Restaurant is perfect for relaxed dining and socialising with fellow guests.

Sumptuous suites & staterooms

Across Emerald Harmony's suites and staterooms, we've invited outside influence in, for an elegant blend of traditional Asian tones and contemporary style. Return to the restful sanctuary of your private cabin after time spent ashore, and enjoy all the amenities of a world-class hotel. Gain a restful sleep in your queen or twin-size bed, unwind in your plush bathrobe found in your en-suite alongside a luxurious selection of ESPA toiletries, relax in front of your HD flat-screen television, or keep up with loved ones using our free Wi-Fi.



Owner's One-Bedroom Suite



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Reaching a colossal 452ft² (42m²), there are just two of these spectacular suites on board Emerald Harmony, boasting separate bedroom and lounge areas located in the forward of the ship, your private 323ft² (30m²) terrace with hot tub, offers incredible views of the Mekong River.

You'll also be entitled to four laundered items per day, pre-dinner canapés and after-dinner sweet treats in your suite.



Grand Balcony Suite

Grand Balcony Suite

At 398ft² (37m²), these beautifully appointed suites host a private balcony with bi-folding doors and a drop-down window, as well as a separate bedroom and lounge area. Enjoy two laundered items per day, plus pre-dinner canapés and after-dinner sweet treats.

Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite

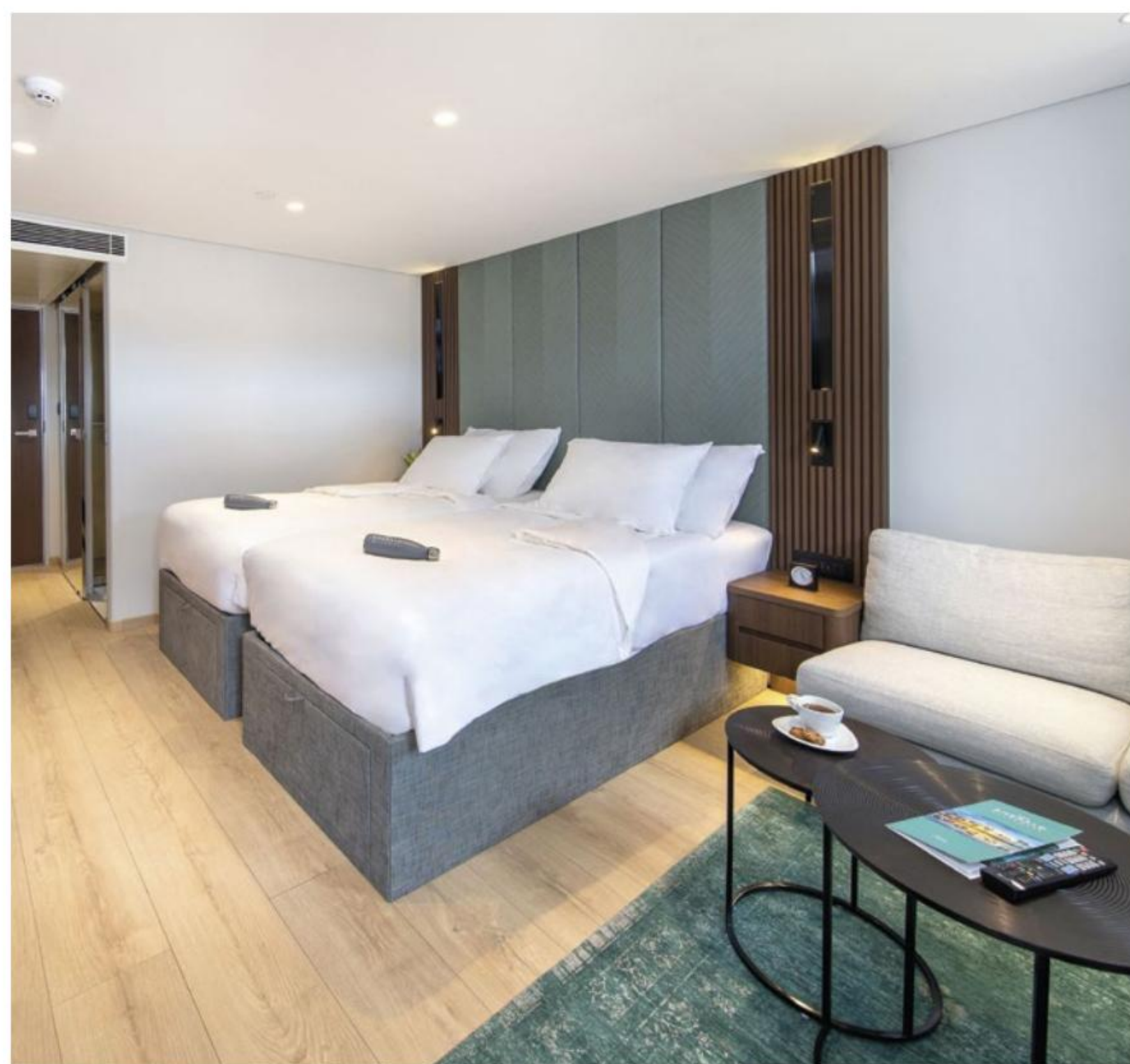
Our 273ft² (25.4m²) suites provide an indoor balcony with drop-down window, luxurious bathrobes and slippers and a mini-fridge, perfect for storing any food you've picked up during excursions through opulent palaces and lavish temples as you explore a land frozen in time.

Emerald Stateroom

At 264ft² (23.8m²), our Riviera Deck staterooms boast port-hole river-view windows, complimentary bathrobes, slippers and a mini-fridge, as well as an alarm clock, safe and telephone.



Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite



Emerald Stateroom

Flavours of Asia

A culinary adventure alongside your travel voyage, we bring local flavours and regional ingredients to your plate. With the majority of our produce sourced locally, our talented chefs create fresh, authentic Asian cuisine accompanied by a selection of complimentary international wine, beer, and soft drinks with lunch and dinner.

Much like the diversity of the Southeast Asian landscape, local flavours display a wealth of influences with discernable French, Indian, and Thai inspiration.



Reflections Restaurant

Reflections Restaurant

Each day our expert chefs prepare and present a vibrant celebration of Southeast Asian flavours. Regional flavours and locally sourced ingredients inspire a wide range of Asian dishes, including delicious lunches and an exquisite à la carte evening menu, celebrating the region's gastronomical feats. And, of course, we will always provide a selection of home favourites for you to enjoy, including 'build your own' burgers at our lunchtime Burger Lab.



Indulge in the flavours of Asia with these delicious dishes



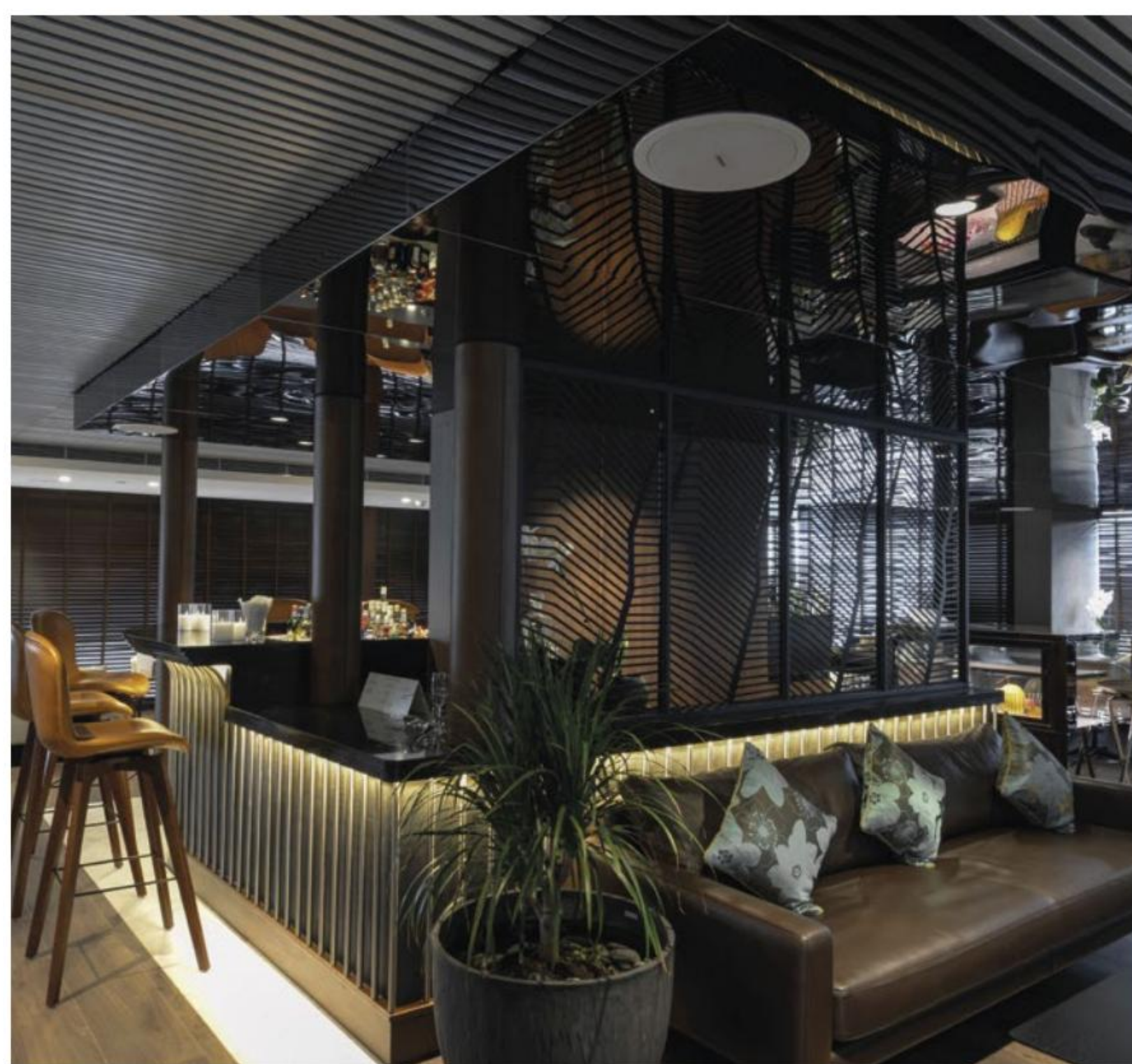
Lotus Lounge

Lotus Lounge

Look out along the riverbanks as cultures and landscapes shift before your eyes. Located at the front of the Vista Deck, the Lotus Lounge's relaxing wooden tones perfectly complement the incredible vistas of the passing landscape. Here, you can enjoy your favourite drink or try something new and delicious, savour a fine selection of speciality teas from our tea and coffee station, as well as nibbles and snacks.

Horizon Bar & Lounge

In our Horizon Bar & Lounge, rich orange tones recall the French architecture of the local region. Warmly welcomed by our talented bartenders, you'll enjoy the best local and international beers, wines and spirits, including a tantalising cinnamon-flavoured whisky. Our cocktails and mocktails are infused with local flavours such as lemongrass and tamarind to awaken the tastes of Asia, not forgetting the delightful selection of complimentary teas and coffees available throughout the day.



Horizon Bar

EmeraldDISCOVERY

Our river cruise itineraries offer the best way to experience the time-honoured cultures of the world, with included excursions and specially selected EmeraldPLUS experiences.

Taking your place in small groups of up to 28 guests, you're welcomed into the heart of local life to ensure you see the very best of Vietnam, Cambodia and the majestic Mekong River at no additional cost.



Ta Prohm Temple, Siem Reap, Cambodia



Breathtaking performances of Phare, Cambodia's world-renowned circus



Travel via remark (Tuk-Tuk), Phnom Penh, Cambodia



Cu Chi Tunnels, Vietnam

Included Excursions

Spend the day exploring Hanoi on a guided city tour and attend a performance by the famous water puppets. Embark on a Halong Bay cruise, explore the historic underground network of the Cu Chi Tunnels and join an orientation tour of Ho Chi Minh City. Experience the sombre atmosphere of Phnom Penh's Killing Fields, as well as the Royal Palace and the Central Market, and witness Siem Reap's Angkor Thom and a sunrise visit to Angkor Wat.

Look out for our [Included Excursions](#) icon in each itinerary.

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EmeraldPLUS

Dine at Hanoi's KOTO not-for-profit restaurant, and pay a visit to the locals of My An Hung, a beautiful village which produces fruit and vegetables, and is particularly known for its hot chilli peppers. Witness daily life as it unfolds before you in this peaceful Vietnamese countryside community. Navigate Phnom Penh by remork, receive a blessing from a Buddhist Monk and take your seat at Cambodia's famous circus, Phare.

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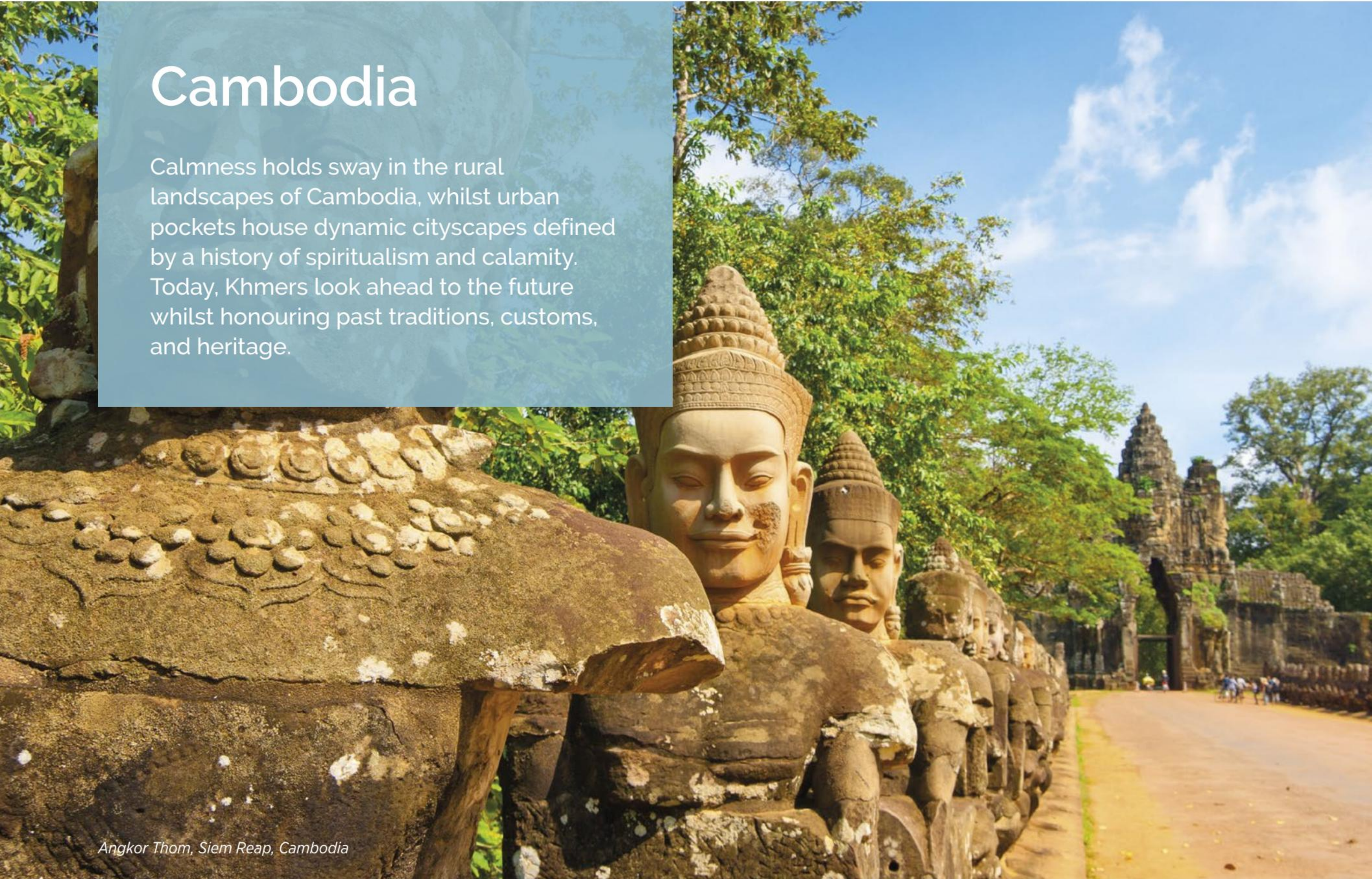
Available at an additional cost, attend a Vietnamese cooking class in Hoi An and indulge in an exciting street food tour of Saigon. Visit a Ramsar Bird Sanctuary, enjoy a craft beer adventure by remork in Phnom Penh, cruise around town like a local via a tandem Vespa or discover the Tonlé Sap, home to one of the world's most vibrant ecosystems.

Look out for the [DiscoverMORE](#) icon in each itinerary.

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Cambodia

Calmness holds sway in the rural landscapes of Cambodia, whilst urban pockets house dynamic cityscapes defined by a history of spiritualism and calamity. Today, Khmers look ahead to the future whilst honouring past traditions, customs, and heritage.



Angkor Thom, Siem Reap, Cambodia

The story of modern Cambodia is a tale of reinvention and revival. Rising from the devastation caused by the totalitarian regime of the 1970s, the Cambodian spirit of reinvention has transformed local communities and ushered in the resurrection of once-outlawed spiritual practices. Whilst the impact of the Khmer Rouge is grievously evidenced across the nation, Cambodia's people use the remnants of calamity to inform new generations and visitors alike.

Journeying between the urban centres, the profusion of life is striking. One of the most biodiverse nations on earth, Cambodia is rife with endemic species of flora and fauna. The lifeblood of this vast ecosystem is the Mekong River.

The cities of Cambodia brilliantly showcase the nation's unique juxtaposition of old and new. A short journey from the chic centre of Siem Reap, and you'll arrive at the iconic site of Angkor Wat, the otherworldly national symbol of Cambodia. Similarly, the grand spires of the Royal Palace in the capital, Phnom Penh, remain in view amidst the urban bustle.



Mekong River



Royal Palace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Vietnam

In Vietnam, ever-shifting geographies and changing cultural currents define the traverse of the landscape. Between 2,000 miles of coastline and the mountain chains that run parallel, French-colonial vestiges, modernist cityscapes, and historic rural communities coexist in harmony.



Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam



Temple of Literature, Hanoi, Vietnam



Mekong Delta, Vietnam

Looking at a map of the region, the condensed nature of Vietnam's borders is striking. At its narrowest, just 30 miles of landmass separate the South China Sea from the forested mountains of the Annamite Range, beyond which lie the neighbouring nations of Laos and Cambodia. Vietnam's constricted size makes its physiography evermore impressive—travelling just a short distance can take you from the dizzying heart of a populous city to secluded temple monuments enshrined by verdant jungle.

Two cities, Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City enlighten visitors about Vietnam's history and modern rebuilding. Over a thousand years old sits Hanoi, in the north, is the nation's capital. This elegant and romantic city is an admixture of French and Chinese colonial architecture and modernist styles and is renowned for its world-class culinary scene. In the south, Ho Chi Minh City promises an urban collage of new and old, with Buddhist temple shrines standing a stone's throw from towering skyscrapers.

Entering the Mekong Delta, the mountainous uplands dissipate into vast stretches of horizontal paddy fields. Here, agriculturalists rely upon traditional methodology to cultivate rice and sugar cane, herds of the national animal, water buffalo, gather amongst the wetlands, and intricately detailed pagodas stand testament to the nation's deeply rooted spiritualism.

Seasonal guide

Cambodia and Vietnam present the opportunity for year-round travel, whilst seasonal climatic changes mean there's a favoured season for everyone. Our seasonal guide lets you know what to expect when visiting, helping you plan your perfect adventure.



Mekong River, Laos

Winter sun, Dec–Feb

Vietnam and Cambodia are excellent destinations to visit between December and February to catch some sun. Cambodia doesn't have an official winter month, though December and January are the coolest months and a popular time of the year for visitors, with average highs of 28°C.

Vietnam is generally cooler though amenable; December through to February are the coolest months, with an average high in Hanoi of 20°C and warmer temperatures in the south, with highs of 27°C in Ho Chi Minh City. This is a popular time of the year to visit Southeast Asia, as one can explore the historic landmarks and temple wonders in comfort whilst also being able to lounge on the beaches and enjoy the spectacular coastlines.

Southeast spring, March–May

In April and May, regional temperatures begin to rise. Hot and dry, travelling across Cambodia and Vietnam at this time you can expect crystal clear blue skies, humid days, with little to no rainfall up until mid-May. Beach visits and coastal sojourns are especially perfect at this time of year—whilst Southern Vietnam enjoys year-round tropical climates, May showers can provide respite from the midday heat.

In Cambodia, temperatures begin to ascend to perfect levels for lovers of warmer climes, with the nation's uplands and beaches providing natural respite from the midday heat.



Green season, June–Sep

The arrival of June brings with it the rains and the beginning of the Green Season. Each day you can expect a short burst of rain either early in the morning or mid-afternoon. Travelling across the two nations at this time brings many advantages, perhaps most strikingly evidenced in the beauty and lushness of the landscape.

The region bursts into vibrancy as colourful flowers bloom, rice paddies turn a lush green, and the vast tropical jungles erupt into life. The emergence of the rain brings with it joyous festivities all across Southeast Asia, as the changing climate has a great impact on cultivation. The green season is often less travelled, meaning fewer crowds across Southeast Asia's most celebrated landmarks.



Turtle Tower, Hanoi, Vietnam



Angkor Thom Bridge, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Autumn in Asia, Oct–Nov

For the majority of Vietnam, the coming of October represents the ending of the wet season with temperatures dropping to an average of 26°C. In Central Vietnam and the cities of Hue and Hoi An, however, the rains first occur here at this time. The climate in October and November assures these months are great for visiting Hanoi, Halong Bay, and the nation's coastlines and beaches. Cambodia's rain continues into October and it's slightly hotter than across the border in Vietnam, with averages of 27°C.

Representing the transition from the wet season into the dry season for most of the region, visitors can enjoy all that this shift carries. With mostly clear skies, exploration is comfortable and crowds are lower. The Mekong Delta is rich with life and basking in sunshine, whilst Cambodia's climate isn't as stifling as in months prior.

Mekong River

Only by sailing the mighty Mekong River, can one understand its life-sustaining force. The riverbanks are a thriving labyrinth of mangroves, wetlands, and irrigated paddy fields, whilst the waters teem with aquatic life and the bustle of floating markets.



Mekong Delta, Vietnam



Killing Fields of Phnom Penh



Traditional blessing from the resident monks

Sailing the magnificent Mekong

The Mekong River is the longest in Southeast Asia. Rising in the dizzying altitudes of the Tibetan Plateau, it meanders its way through the snow-capped peaks of Southwestern China, flowing onwards through the Laotian cities of Luang Prabang and Vientiane and Cambodia's capital Phnom Penh, before draining into the South China Sea in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam.

A great diversity comprises the lower Mekong basin. Topographically varied, the terrain metamorphoses from the rugged northern highlands to the natural floodplains of the Tonlé Sap and Mekong Delta. With such wide-ranging geography, it's of little surprise that people of the Mekong are equally as diverse. The sustaining life force for 60 million people representing more than 95 different ethnic groups, the vast majority of the Mekong's inhabitants constitute large-scale agricultural farming and fishing communities.

Over 65 million people depend upon the river's rich resources, and along our Mekong voyages, locals invite you to see the landscape from their perspective. Following the river's flow, you'll have the chance to immerse yourself in local villages, historic residences, and bustling markets. Visit a local monastery and receive a traditional blessing from resident monks. Pay your respects in the Killing Fields of Phnom Penh, a sobering reminder of one of the darkest periods of recent history. And, travel via remork (Tuk-Tuk) to discover the nightlife of Phnom Penh.

The lifeblood of the region, through the Mekong and its people, one can begin to unravel millenniums of the region's history. Local storytelling relays tales of a grand reawakening—in the ancient natural landscapes, modern hands craft stories anew.

Endlessly rewarding, to voyage the Mekong is to gain everlasting memories of one of Earth's most vibrant and compelling regions.

Highlights:

Each of our itineraries has been carefully designed to give you the freedom to explore at your own pace.

- **Ho Chi Minh City:** Explore the French Quarter including the Old Post Office, Notre Dame Cathedral, Opera House and Town Hall.
- **Gieng Island:** Visit an incense factory, local boat builders and see Vietnam's oldest church.
- **Tan Chau:** Evergreen Island, a unique and traditional Cao Dai temple and a Xe Loi ride.
- **The Killing Fields:** Now a place of peace, pay your respects to the victims of the infamous Khmer Rouge.
- **The Silver Pagoda:** Adjacent to the Royal Palace, the 'Temple of the Emerald Buddha' has a floor covered in silver.

8-Day Majestic Mekong Cruise

Two iconic cities separated by the magnificent Mekong Delta.

From Vietnam's largest city, you'll embark on a river cruise along the Mekong River. Stop in small communities along the Mekong Delta, attend craft workshops and peruse ancient pagodas. Visit spectacular locations, and gain a deeper understanding of the Cao Dai religion. Embark on a sobering exploration of the Killing Fields in Phnom Penh before hitting the city's streets in a Remork, and receive a traditional Buddhist blessing.



Mekong Delta, Vietnam

Ho Chi Minh City to Phnom Penh Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

- Day 1** Arrive Ho Chi Minh City and embarkation
- Day 2** Ben Tre – Sa Đéc
- Day 3** Sa Đéc – My An Hung
- Day 4** Gieng Island – An Long
- Day 5** Tan Chau – Vietnam/Cambodia Border Crossing
- Day 6** Phnom Penh
- Day 7** Phnom Penh – Oudong
- Day 8** Koh Khsach Krao – Phnom Penh – disembarkation



Day 1 Ho Chi Minh City & embarkation

Xin chao, and welcome to Ho Chi Minh City. You'll be transferred to the Sheraton Saigon Hotel before transferring to the port where you'll board your Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. You'll be welcomed on board for lunch before setting sail towards My Tho in the Mekong Delta, travelling through the bustling Cho Gao Canal enroute. This evening, enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow travellers and a port talk from your cruise director to review the activities and itinerary for the days ahead.

Meals: Lunch and dinner

Day 2 Ben Tre


This morning, you'll visit the Tan My Floating community followed by a ride through the local plantations to visit a mushroom farm, a fruit farm with sampling and a honey farm with local sweets before returning to Emerald Harmony to sail onwards to Sa Đéc, a hidden gem on the Mekong Delta.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 3 Sa Đéc – My An Hung

After a sampan ride to Sa Đéc, enjoy a walking tour with stops at Kien An Cung and the Central Market, where you can peruse the stalls and their varied produce.

Return to Emerald Harmony and sail to My An Hung Island. Recognised as a cultural and historical destination, this small village in rural Vietnam specialises in red-hot chilli peppers. Enjoy some local folk singing during your visit.

 A visit to My An Hung village and Monkey Bridge




 A visit to the Chinese Congregational House and see the home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le in Sa Đéc

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 4 Gieng Island – An Long

Travel through the villages of Gieng Island, where you'll be able visit an incense workshop, boat builders and Vietnam's oldest church.

The afternoon is yours to enjoy at leisure on board, or you could join a local optional **DiscoverMORE** excursion to the Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary. Return to Emerald Harmony where you'll be delighted by a traditional Lion Dance performance on board in the evening.




-  A Lion Dance performance on board
-  See the local industries in Gieng Island
-  A visit to Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary in Tram Chim National Park

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 5 Tan Chau – Vietnam/ Cambodia border crossing

Embark on a sampan to Evergreen Island for a walk through a traditional village, glimpsing into the lives of the local farming community. Travel back to Tan Chau, and as part of our **EmeraldPLUS** excursion, visit the recently renovated Cao Dai temple. The religion of Cao Dai is a syncretic, monotheistic religion established in 1926 in the city of Tây Ninh, southern Vietnam. Here, you will learn more about the mix of ideas that forms the basis of this fascinating religion. Afterwards, ride in a Xe Loi (local form of cyclo) from the temple back to your sampan to visit a Mekong fish farm.

Back on board your luxury Star-Ship, you'll cruise to the border between Vietnam and Cambodia, celebrating the crossing with a Cambodian-style family dinner in the evening.

-  A visit to a local Cao Dai temple
-  A visit to Evergreen Island
-  Experience a Xe Loi ride

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 6 Phnom Penh

Rise and shine in Cambodia's capital, Phnom Penh. The city, known as the 'Pearl of Asia', was almost entirely evacuated by the Khmer Rouge in 1975. This morning, you'll learn more about the darkest days of the country's history. A short drive will take you to the Killing Fields at Choeung Ek. Here, you'll have the opportunity to walk through the fields, visit the memorial, and learn more about this sombre chapter.




Afterwards, visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum (also known as S-21), a former school that was converted to be the main prison and torture headquarters of the Khmer Rouge. Spend the afternoon as you please, exploring our **DiscoverMORE** excursions or simply relaxing on board Emerald Harmony. After dinner, you'll have the chance to experience an evening remark (local Tuk-Tuk) ride through Phnom Penh to enjoy the city lights.

-  A visit to the Killing Fields & Toul Sleng Genocide Museum
-  Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour
-  A silk farm tour at Koh Oknha Tei
-  Craft Beer Adventure by remark

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 7 Phnom Penh – Oudong – Koh Khsach Krao

Located north of Phnom Penh, Oudong was the former royal capital of Cambodia until it moved to Phnom Penh in 1866. Important remnants on the temple include the burial sites of Khmer kings, as well as religious artefacts dating back more than a hundred years. In the main temple of the monastery, receive a traditional Buddhist blessing from the resident monks as part of your **EmeraldPLUS** excursion. Visit the majestic Royal Palace and the Central Market located in the heart of the city before a short sail to Koh Khsach Krao. This evening, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation.

-  A visit to Oudong Monastery
-  A visit to the Royal Palace and Central Market
-  Cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 8 Phnom Penh disembarkation

After breakfast, you'll be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Stateroom E, D	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€3.745	€4.095	€3.445	€3.745	€4.095	€3.745	€3.445	€3.045
Panorama Balcony Suite C, B, A	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€4.140	€4.490	€3.840	€4.140	€4.490	€4.140	€3.840	€3.440
Grand Balcony Suite S	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€5.240	€5.590	€4.940	€5.240	€5.590	€5.240	€4.940	€4.540
Owner's One-Bedroom Suite SA	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€5.740	€6.090	€5.440	€5.740	€6.090	€5.740	€5.440	€5.040

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8-Day Majestic Mekong Cruise

Uncover local life in Southern Vietnam and Cambodia.

Embark on a wondrous eight-day river cruise along the Mekong River, starting with a sombre and enlightening visit to Phnom Penh. As you cross the border into Vietnam, you'll meet local village residents, gaining an insight into their daily lives before enjoying an eventful stay in Ho Chi Minh City.



Royal Palace, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Phnom Penh to Ho Chi Minh City Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

- Day 1** Arrive Phnom Penh – Koh Ksach Krao embarkation
- Day 2** Oudong – Phnom Penh
- Day 3** Phnom Penh
- Day 4** Tan Chau – An Long
- Day 5** Gieng Island – My An Hung
- Day 6** Sa Đéc – Cai Be
- Day 7** My Tho – Ho Chi Minh City
- Day 8** Ho Chi Minh City disembarkation



Day 1 Phnom Penh – Koh Khsach Krao embarkation

Please book your flight to arrive before 14:00. Upon arrival, you'll be met by a member of our friendly greetings team and transferred to the Hyatt Regency Phnom Penh. Later, you'll be transferred to Koh Khsach Krao to embark on your award-winning Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. Later, set sail whilst you enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow guests.

Meals: Dinner

Day 2 Oudong – Phnom Penh

Rise and shine in Cambodia's capital, Phnom Penh, known as the 'Pearl of Asia'. Start your day with a visit to the Oudong Monastery and Temples. Oudong was the former royal capital of Cambodia, moving to Phnom Penh in 1866. Important remnants on the temple include the burial sites of Khmer kings, as well as religious artefacts dating back more than a hundred years. In the main temple of the Oudong Monastery, receive a traditional Buddhist blessing from the resident monks as part of your **EmeraldPLUS** excursion. Spend the afternoon as you please. After dinner, enjoy Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour.




- A visit to Oudong Monastery
- A traditional Buddhist monk blessing
- Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour
- A silk farm tour at Koh Oknha Tei
- Craft Beer Adventure by remark

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 3 Phnom Penh

This morning, learn more about the Khmer Rouge and the darkest days of the country's history. A short drive will take you to the Killing Fields at Choeung Ek. You'll have the opportunity to walk through the fields, visit the memorial, and learn about this sombre chapter. Afterwards, visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum (also known as S-21), a former school that was converted to be the main prison and torture headquarters of the Khmer Rouge.

Back on board, enjoy a Cambodian Street Fair lunch before visiting the majestic Royal Palace, followed by a shopping trip at the Central Market. This evening, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation before setting sail to the border.



-  A visit to the Killing Fields & Toul Sleng Genocide Museum
-  Cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation
-  Visit to the Royal Palace and Central Market

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 4 Cross Vietnam/Cambodia border – Tan Chau – An Long

Cross the border, then sail to Tan Chau. Here, you'll embark on a sampan to Evergreen Island for a walk through a local village, glimpsing into the lives of the local farming community. Travel back to Tan Chau, and as part of our **EmeraldPLUS** excursion, visit the recently renovated Cao Dai temple. The religion of Cao Dai is a syncretic, monotheistic religion established in 1926 in the city of Tây Ninh, southern Vietnam. You'll learn more about the mix of ideas that forms the basis of this fascinating religion. Afterwards, ride in a Xe Loi (local form of cyclo) back to your sampan to visit a Mekong fish farm.

Relax on board this afternoon, or join our **DiscoverMORE** tour of Tràm Chim National Park. Return to Emerald Harmony where later this evening, you'll be delighted by a traditional Lion Dance performance on board.

-  A Lion Dance performance on board
-  A visit to a local Cao Dai temple

-  A visit to Evergreen Island
-  Experience a Xe Loi ride
-  Tràm Chim National Park with Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 5 Gieng Island – My An Hung

Travel through the villages of Gieng Island, where you'll be able visit an incense workshop, boat builders and Vietnam's oldest church. Return to Emerald Harmony by sampan and sail to My An Hung Island. Recognised as a cultural and historical destination, this small village in rural Vietnam specialises in red-hot chilli and peppers. As part of our **EmeraldPLUS** excursion, enjoy local folk singing during your visit, wander through coconut farms, meet the locals, and learn about life in the village

-  See the local industries in Gieng Island
-  A visit to My An Hung village and Monkey Bridge

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 6 Sa Đéc – Cai Be

After a short ride on a sampan to Sa Đéc, enjoy a walking tour around town, at Kien An Cung. You'll also have the opportunity to peruse the Central Market and its varied produce. Return to Emerald Harmony by sampan and arrive in Cai Be. Travelling via sampan, visit a workshop to learn how coconut candy and other local sweets are made, then visit a local French colonial heritage villa.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 7 My Tho – Ho Chi Minh City

From My Tho, transit the Cho Gao Canal considered one of Vietnam's major arterial canals connecting Tien Giang Province in the Mekong Delta with Ho Chi Minh City. Enjoy a fascinating day watching the heavy commercial traffic navigate this important waterway which sees upwards of 1,800 vessels per day. This is the perfect opportunity to take advantage of the ever-changing vistas from the pool or enjoy a treatment in the Wellness Area (at an additional expense). Cruise along mangroves, narrow canals, fish farms, busy cargo barges and local fishing boats. Tonight, dock in the heart of Ho Chi Minh City, with views of the city lights*.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 8 Ho Chi Minh City disembarkation

After breakfast this morning, you will be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Full Fare	€3.745	€4.095	€3.445	€3.445	€4.095	€3.745	€3.445	€3.045
Panorama Balcony Suite C, B, A	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€4.140	€4.490	€3.840	€3.840	€4.490	€4.140	€3.840	€3.440
Grand Balcony Suite S	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€5.240	€5.590	€4.940	€4.940	€5.590	€5.240	€4.940	€4.540
Owner's One-Bedroom Suite SA	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€5.740	€6.090	€5.440	€5.440	€6.090	€5.740	€5.440	€5.040

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10-Day Meandering Majestic Mekong Cruise

Meander along the Mekong and discover Southeast Asia.

Venture along the Cho Gao Canal before visiting the villagers of Ben Tre, My An Hung, and Gieng Island. Your journey will then take you to Cambodia, a country defined by its awe-inspiring religious temples. Witness the beauty of Angkor Ban, and learn about Cambodia's revival from the Khmer Rouge.



Phnom Pros, Kampong Cham, Cambodia

Ho Chi Minh City to Phnom Penh Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

- Day 1** Arrive Ho Chi Minh City and embarkation
- Day 2** Sailing the Cho Gao Canal
- Day 3** Ben Tre
- Day 4** Sa Đéc – My An Hung
- Day 5** Gieng Island – An Long
- Day 6** Tan Chau – Vietnam/Cambodia border crossing
- Day 7** Phnom Penh
- Day 8** Phnom Penh – Angkor Ban
- Day 9** Angkor Ban
- Day 10** Peam Chi Korng and disembarkation to Phnom Penh



Day 1 Ho Chi Minh City and embarkation

Welcome to Ho Chi Minh City, where you'll be transferred to your Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. Set sail down the Saigon River to the entrance of Chao Gao Canal and anchor for the night. Enjoy a port talk from your cruise director to review your itinerary.

Meals: Lunch and dinner

Day 2 Sailing the Cho Gao Canal

The Cho Gao Canal is one of the main arterial canals of Vietnam, connecting Tien Giang Province of the Mekong Delta with Ho Chi Minh City. Traverse mangroves and narrow canals of fish farms and local fishing boats, and see the heavy commercial traffic navigate this important waterway which sees upwards of 1,800 vessels a day. Enjoy watching as the scenery shifts from the comfort of your balcony to the delights of the Sun Deck or with a refreshing swim on the Pool Deck.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 3 Ben Tre

You'll visit the Tan My Floating community followed by a ride through the local plantations to visit a mushroom farm, fruit farm and a honey farm with local sweets before returning to Emerald Harmony to sail onwards to Sa Đéc, a hidden gem on the Mekong Delta.

A visit to the Thoi Binh hamlet and its community, untouched by tourism

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 4 Sa Đéc – My An Hung

At Sa Đéc, enjoy a walking tour around town, with stops in Kien An Cung. Peruse the Central Market and its varied produce. Return to Emerald Harmony and sail to My An Hung Island, recognised as a cultural and historical destination. Enjoy local folk singing during your visit.

A visit to My An Hung village and Monkey Bridge

A visit to the Chinese Congregational House and see the home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le in Sa Đéc

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 5 Gieng Island – An Long





Travel through the villages of Gieng Island and visit an incense workshop, boat builders, and Vietnam’s oldest church. The afternoon is yours to enjoy at leisure on board, or you could join our local optional **DiscoverMORE** excursion to the Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary.

-  See the local industries in Gieng Island
-  A visit to Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary in Tram Chim National Park

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 6 Tan Chau – Vietnam/ Cambodia border crossing

Embark on a sampan to Evergreen Island and walk through a traditional village and its Cao Dai temple. Ride in a Xe Loi (local form of cyclo) and visit a Mekong fish farm. On board, you’ll cruise to the border between Vietnam and Cambodia, celebrating the crossing with a Cambodian-style family dinner.

-  A Lion Dance performance on board
-  A visit to a local Cao Dai temple
-  A visit to Evergreen Island
-  Experience a Xe Loi ride

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 7 Phnom Penh

Arrive in Cambodia’s capital, known as the ‘Pearl of Asia’. Learn more about the dark days of the Khmer Rouge regime at the Killing Fields at Choeung Ek. Visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum (or ‘S-21’), the main prison and torture headquarters of the Khmer Rouge. Spend the afternoon as you please. Experience an evening remork ride through Phnom Penh.

-  A visit to the Killing Fields & Toul Sleng Genocide Museum
-  Phnom Penh by night on a remork (Tuk-Tuk) tour
-  A silk farm tour at Koh Oknha Tei
-  Craft beer adventure by remork

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 8 Phnom Penh – Angkor Ban

Visit the majestic Royal Palace, followed by shopping at the Central Market. After lunch, enjoy an afternoon of relaxed sailing, as you cruise to Angkor Ban.

-  A visit to the Royal Palace and Central Market

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 9 Angkor Ban – Peam Chi Korng

At Angkor Ban, explore the wooden houses that survived the Khmer Rouge, and visit local students. In the village temple, learn how to pray in a Buddhist pagoda, and receive a traditional Buddhist blessing from the resident monks as part of your **EmeraldPLUS** excursion. This evening, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children’s Organisation before attending your farewell dinner.

-  Angkor Ban temple blessing

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 10 Peam Chi Korng and disembarkation to Phnom Penh

After breakfast this morning, you’ll be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Full Fare	€3.295	€3.295	€3.495	€3.790
Panorama Balcony Suite C, B, A	from	from	from	from
Full Fare	€3.805	€3.805	€4.005	€4.300
Grand Balcony Suite S	from	from	from	from
Full Fare	€5.210	€5.210	€5.410	€5.705
Owner’s One-Bedroom Suite SA	from	from	from	from
Full Fare	€5.855	€5.855	€6.055	€6.350

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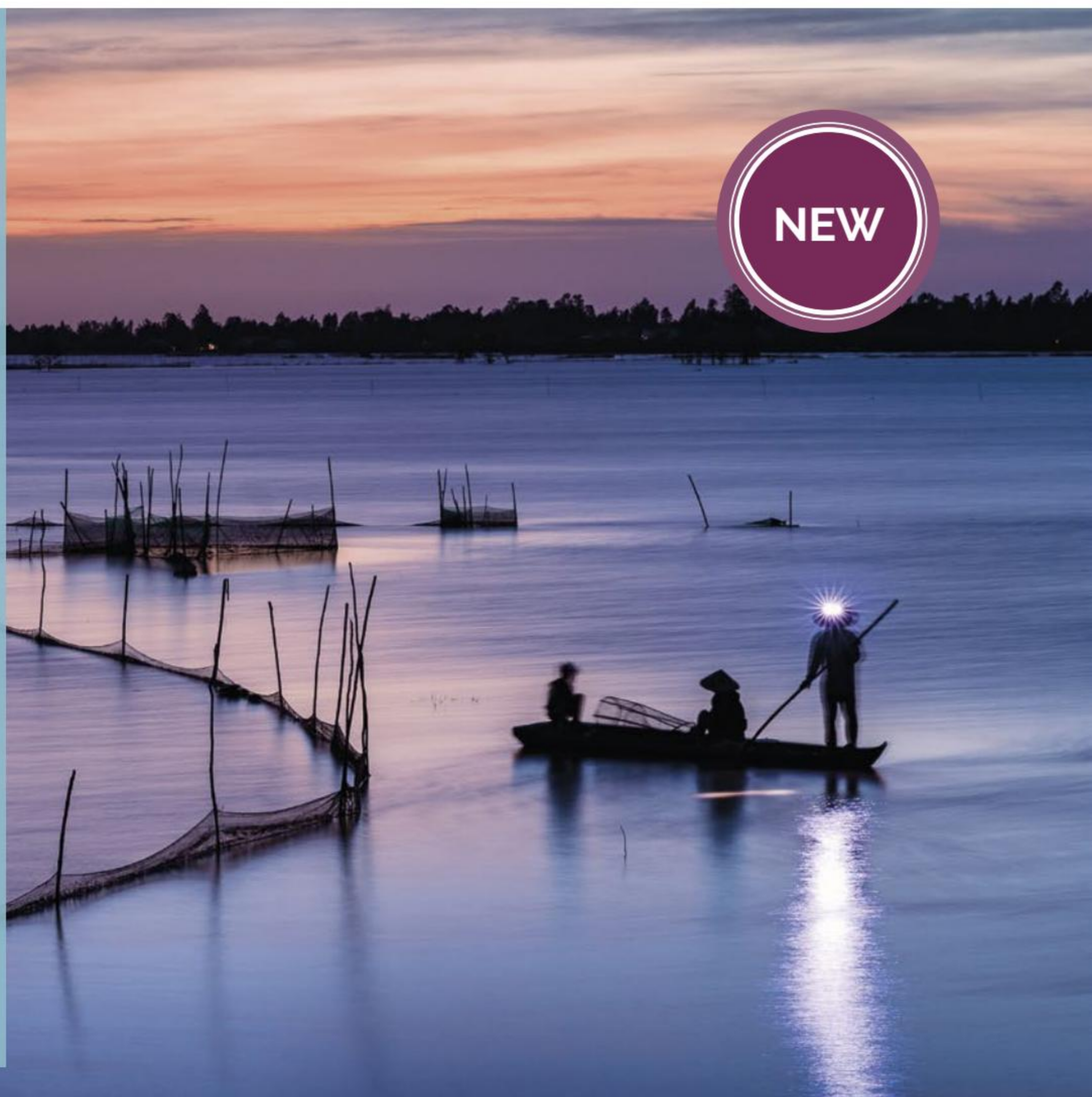
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Discover ancient landscapes on this meandering voyage.

In Cambodia, witness the intricacies of Angkor Ban and learn about the nation's revival from the Khmer Rouge. Your luxury river cruise will then take you to Vietnam to meet the villagers of Gieng Island, My An Hung, and Ben Tre, ending in the cultural heartland of Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh City.



Mekong Delta, Vietnam

Phnom Penh to Ho Chi Minh City Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

- Day 1** Arrive Phnom Penh – Peam Chi Korng embarkation
- Day 2** Angkor Ban – Phnom Penh
- Day 3** Phnom Penh
- Day 4** Phnom Penh – Cambodia/Vietnam border crossing
- Day 5** Tan Chau
- Day 6** An Long – Gieng Island
- Day 7** My An Hung – Sa Đéc
- Day 8** Ben Tre – My Tho
- Day 9** Cho Gao Canal – Ho Chi Minh City
- Day 10** Ho Chi Minh City disembarkation



Day 1 Phnom Penh – Peam Chi Korng embarkation

Please book your flight to arrive before 14:00. Upon arrival, you'll be met by a member of our friendly greetings team and transferred to the Hyatt Regency Phnom Penh before being transported to the Emerald Harmony. You'll be welcomed by your friendly captain and crew before setting sail whilst you enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow guests.

Meals: Dinner

Day 2 Angkor Ban – Phnom Penh

At Angkor Ban, explore the historical wooden houses that survived the Khmer Rouge. Learn how to pray in a Buddhist pagoda, and receive a traditional Buddhist blessing from the resident monks as part of your **EmeraldPLUS** excursion. Afterwards, set sail to Cambodia's capital, Phnom Penh, known as the 'Pearl of Asia'. This evening, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation.

Angkor Ban temple blessing

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 3 Phnom Penh

Visit the Killing Fields at Choeung Ek to walk through the fields and visit the memorial. Visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, formerly the main prison and torture headquarters of the Khmer Rouge. Spend the afternoon as you please. After dinner, experience an evening remark (local Tuk-Tuk) ride through Phnom Penh.

A visit to the Killing Fields & Toul Sleng Genocide Museum

Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour

A silk farm tour at Koh Oknha Tei

Craft beer adventure by remark

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 4 Phnom Penh – Cambodia/ Vietnam border crossing

This morning, visit the majestic Royal Palace, with its beautiful gardens and Silver Pagoda, followed by a shopping excursion to the art deco-style Central Market located in the heart of the city. After a Cambodian Street Fair lunch back on board, set sail for a relaxing afternoon of cruising, as you journey to the Cambodia-Vietnam border. You'll enter Vietnam and sail to Tan Chau, and later this evening, you'll be delighted by a traditional Lion Dance performance on board.

 A Lion Dance performance on board

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 5 Tan Chau

Embark on a sampan to Evergreen Island for a walk through a traditional village, glimpsing into the lives of the local farming community. Reboard your sampan to travel back to Tan Chau, and as part of our **EmeraldPLUS** excursion, visit the recently renovated Cao Dai temple. The religion of Cao Dai is a syncretic, monotheistic religion established in 1926 in the city of Tây Ninh, southern Vietnam. Here, you will learn more about the mix of ideas that forms the basis of this fascinating religion. Afterwards, ride in a Xe Loi (local form of cyclo) from the temple back to your sampan to visit a Mekong fish farm before returning to Emerald Harmony.

 A visit to a local Cao Dai temple

 A visit to Evergreen Island

 Experience a Xe Loi ride

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 6 An Long – Gieng Island

This morning, enjoy your free time on board, or partake in our **DiscoverMORE** tour of Tràm Chim National Park, home to the Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary.

In the afternoon, sail to Gieng Island where you'll visit families who work across an array of local industries including boat building of different varieties and creating incense sticks for temples. Also visit Vietnam's oldest church.

 See the local industries in Gieng Island

 Tràm Chim National Park with Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 7 My An Hung – Sa Đéc

Recognised as a cultural and historical destination, My An Hung in rural Vietnam specialises in red-hot chilli peppers. As part of our **EmeraldPLUS** excursion, enjoy local folk singing during the visit, wander through coconut farms, meet the locals, and learn about life in the village. Return to Emerald Harmony, and after lunch on board, you'll arrive in Sa Đéc.

After a short sampan ride up the canal to Sa Đéc, you'll enjoy a walking tour around town, with an opportunity to peruse the Central Market and its varied produce.

 A visit to My An Hung village and Monkey Bridge

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 8 Ben Tre

Take in a morning of serene sailing along the

magnificent Mekong to Ben Tre. On arrival, take a sampan and visit the Tan My floating community followed by a ride through the local plantations to visit a mushroom farm, a fruit farm and a honey farm with local sweets before returning to Emerald Harmony.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 9 Cho Gao Canal – Ho Chi Minh City

Transit the Cho Gao Canal connecting the Mekong Delta with Ho Chi Minh City. Enjoy a fascinating day watching commercial traffic navigate this important waterway. The perfect opportunity to take in the vistas or enjoy a treatment in the Wellness Area (at additional expense). Tonight, dock in the heart of Ho Chi Minh City.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Day 10 Ho Chi Minh City disembarkation

After breakfast this morning, you will be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Grand Balcony Suite S	from	from	from	from
Full Fare	€5.210	€5.210	€5.410	€5.425
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21/23-Day Grand Tour of Vietnam & Cambodia

Quintessential Southeast Asia
unveiled in a grand adventure.

Explore Hanoi's mesmerising labyrinth of streets, filled with food stalls and markets, and journey to Halong Bay to embark a traditional junk boat, as you sail its ethereal waters. Acquaint yourself with Hoi An's diverse beauty and community spirit, walk in the footsteps of Hue's Nguyen Dynasty, and discover Ho Chi Minh City's Cu Chi Tunnels. Before boarding the luxurious Emerald Harmony to sail the Mekong, enjoy your stop off in Ben Tre, Sa Đéc, and Phnom Penh. Conclude your trip with three nights in Siem Reap, attending the Phare, The Cambodian Circus and visiting the historic Angkor Wat.

7 or 9-night
Mekong Cruise
itineraries
available

South Gate Angkor Thom, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Hanoi to Siem Reap

Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

Day 1	Arrive Hanoi
Day 2	Hanoi – Halong Bay
Day 3	Halong Bay
Day 4	Halong Bay – Hanoi
Day 5	Hanoi – Danang – Hoi An
Day 6	Hoi An
Day 7	Hoi An
Day 8	Hoi An – Hue
Day 9	Hue – Ho Chi Minh City
Day 10	Ho Chi Minh City
Day 11	Ho Chi Minh City – Emerald Harmony embarkation (Begin your 7 or 9-night Mekong river cruise)

Day 18/20	Emerald Harmony disembarkation – Siem Reap
Day 19/21	Siem Reap
Day 20/22	Siem Reap
Day 21/23	Depart Siem Reap



? CRUISE FACTS

- **Countries visited:** 2
- **Distance covered:** 7 night cruise 434 km /
9 night cruise 467 km on the Mekong
- **Number of ports:** 10
- **Number of wharfs:** 2



Our suite of generous inclusions:

- 7 or 9 nights on board nights on board the luxurious Emerald Harmony
- Deluxe hotels with all service charges, taxes and portorage included
- 46 meals: 20 breakfasts, 13 lunches and 13 dinners
- Complimentary international and local wine, beer & soft drinks to accompany lunch & dinner while on board Emerald Harmony
- Complimentary tea & coffee on board
- Complimentary water provided on board and during excursions
- A variety of on board evening entertainment
- Complimentary Wi-Fi on board
- Bodia luxury toiletries on board
- First-class service from English-speaking crew and knowledgeable local guides
- Earn **EmeraldEXPLORER** loyalty points
- Complimentary River Cruise Cover
- All port charges
- All gratuities on board and onshore

Emerald**DISCOVERY** highlights unique to your itinerary:

Emerald**PLUS**

- Lunch at KOTO Restaurant, Hanoi
- Visit to the Reaching Out Project, Hoi An
- Cyclo ride through Dai Noi, Hue
- Boat trip on the Perfume River to visit the iconic seven-story Thien Mu Pagoda
- A traditional Vietnamese royal dinner at a local restaurant, Hue
- Visit to My An Hung village
- Lion Dance performance on board
- Tour the local Cao Dai Temple, Tan Chau
- Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour
- Traditional Buddhist monk blessing, Oudong Phare, The Cambodian Circus, Siem Reap
- A cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation

Included Excursions

19 excursions, including visits to several UNESCO World Heritage-listed sites

Discover**MORE**

16 optional excursions, available at an additional cost – see pages 70-71



Ha Long Bay, Vietnam

Day 1 Hanoi

Xin chao, and welcome to Hanoi. On arrival, you'll be met by your friendly Emerald Cruises representative and transferred to the Anatole Hotel, situated in downtown Hanoi, for a one-night stay. Relax at the hotel, explore the city, or wander Hanoi's romantic West Lake. This evening, meet your tour director for your welcome briefing.

Meals: Dinner

Day 2 Hanoi – Halong Bay

This morning, after breakfast, leave Hanoi and travel to Halong Bay, where you'll board your traditional-style junk boat. Cruise through the bays and islets, marvelling at the stunning scenery of this magnificent region. Enjoy the experiences offered on board, learn more about the main livelihood of the locals in the area, or simply choose to relax. Towards the end of the day, the boat anchors for the night in the Trinh Nu area among the karst formations, where a delectable dinner will be served on board.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 3 Halong Bay

Today, continue sailing further into the region's more untouched areas towards Lan Ha Bay. From a smaller boat, enjoy swimming on quiet beaches and kayaking in Ho Ba Ham Lake. Then, visit Cua Van fishing village by rowing boat. Return to your traditional junk boat after a full day of exploration, or try squid fishing after dinner.

 A two-night Halong Bay cruise

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, and dinner

Day 4 Halong Bay – Hanoi

Enjoy the sunrise and breakfast before beginning your cruise back through the magnificent rock formations, visiting Sung Sot Cave and arriving back at port. Bid farewell, as you transfer to Hanoi. As part of our **EmeraldPLUS** programme, back in Hanoi, you'll enjoy lunch at KOTO (Know One

Teach One), a unique restaurant set up to train and educate disadvantaged children.

After lunch, you'll visit Hanoi's Old Quarter, also known as the '36 streets'. This bustling area of narrow streets and alleys is home to literally thousands of small businesses and shopkeepers. It's a great place to explore, with plenty of photo opportunities. Visit Hang Be Market, also located in the Old Quarter, before enjoying a walk around Hoàn Kiem Lake, located in central Hanoi. Here, walk across the red bridge to Ngoc Son Temple, located on the Jade Islet within the lake. Later, enjoy a traditional water puppet show, a unique North Vietnamese art form, depicting scenes from rural life and episodes of historical significance.

 Lunch at KOTO restaurant

 A traditional water puppet show

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 5 Hanoi – Danang / Hoi An

Begin your morning tour of Hanoi, and learn about 'Uncle Ho', widely considered the father of modern Vietnam, by seeing his mausoleum from outside. Continue to Ho Chi Minh Quarter to see his humble stilt house and the small but iconic One Pillar Pagoda before moving to the nearby Temple of Literature. The Temple of Literature was Vietnam's first university, originally established to educate Vietnam's royalty, mandarins, and members of the elite. The university functioned for an incredible 700 years, and its gardens and well-preserved architecture offer a fascinating glimpse into the country's past.

Bid farewell to Hanoi, and transfer to Hanoi airport to board your flight to Danang (Hoi An). Upon arrival, you'll be transferred to the Hoi An Historic Hotel for your included three-night stay, where you can relax for the rest of the evening.

Meals: Breakfast



Marble Mountains, Danang, Vietnam

Day 6 Hoi An


Today, start with our **EmeraldPLUS** visit to the Reaching Out Project. Reaching Out is an NGO (non-governmental organisation) established in 2000, which provides opportunities for people with disabilities to learn skills and gain meaningful employment. Visit the workshop for a glimpse into how this NGO helps others integrate fully with their communities, so they can lead independent and fulfilling lives. After enjoying a local Hoi An street food-themed lunch, a walking tour of the city awaits, where you can see the old merchant's houses, the Japanese Covered Bridge, and the Assembly Hall of the Chinese Congregation. Your evening is free to wander the historical lantern-lit streets and their many shops and bars.

 **EmeraldPLUS**



Visit to the Reaching Out Project, Hoi An

Visit the Reaching Out Project, established in 2000 to provide learning and development opportunities, helping people gain meaningful employment. We visit their workshop and gain an insight into how this project helps the local community.

 A walking tour of Hoi An

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 7 Hoi An

Enjoy a day of leisure to explore Hoi An and its surroundings. Perhaps take the time to explore the Old Town and visit one of the many tailors Hoi An is known for, or take a cyclo (bicycle style rickshaw) to An Bang Beach. The choice is yours.

 Vietnamese cooking class

 A visit to My Son Ruins

 Hoi An rural life

Meals: Breakfast



Traditional water puppet show, Hanoi, Vietnam



Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Day 8 Hoi An – Hue

Leave Hoi An for Hue, the former imperial capital of Vietnam. You'll drive through Danang before crossing the Hải Vân Pass, known as the Ocean Clouds Pass, and dropping down to the photogenic fishing village of Lang Co. In Hue, you'll visit the Imperial Citadel, where the Nguyen Dynasty ruled between 1802 and 1945. As part of our **EmeraldPLUS** programme, take a cyclo from Dai Noi ('Old City') to Tinh Tam Lake where the emperors used to come to relax. Later, join a boat trip to visit Thien Mu Pagoda before checking into your hotel, Indochine Palace, for the night. This evening, experience a royal dinner with traditional costumes.

EmeraldPLUS



Today's **EmeraldPLUS** experience takes you on a cyclo ride (bicycle-style rickshaw) from Dai Noi ('Old City') to the peaceful Tinh Tam Lake, where the emperors used to go to relax.

-  A visit to the Imperial Citadel
-  A boat tour on the Perfume River to Thien Mu Pagoda
-  A traditional Vietnamese royal dinner at a local restaurant

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 9 Hue – Ho Chi Minh City

Today, transfer to Hue airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City, formerly known as Saigon. After checking into the Sheraton Saigon Hotel, you're free to explore the city before enjoying dinner at a local restaurant.

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 10 Ho Chi Minh City

Make your way from Ho Chi Minh City to Cu Chi Tunnels, watching the city skyline fade into the distance, as the road winds through rice paddies, villages, and landscapes typical to southern Vietnam. Spend your time traversing Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide before your return to Ho Chi Minh City. The afternoon and evening are yours to enjoy at leisure, or you can join one of our exciting **DiscoverMORE** excursions.

Included Excursion



Explore Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide

Hear how the residents constructed an intricate, underground network of tunnels during the French and American Wars and listen to incredible tales about the unusual foods the residents ate to survive. Also, see other ingenious items used by the residents to defend themselves, such as bamboo traps and camouflaged pits.

-  An evening Saigon street food walking tour
-  One night in Saigon

Meals: Breakfast

Day 11 Ho Chi Minh City – Emerald Harmony embarkation

After checking out of your hotel, enjoy a tour of the city, visiting the Notre Dame Cathedral, Opera House, and Town Hall. Then, visit the Reunification Palace before transferring to the port, where you will board your award-winning Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. You'll be welcomed on board by your captain and crew before setting sail after lunch towards My Tho in the Mekong Delta, travelling through the bustling Cho Gao enroute. This evening, enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow guests, where your cruise director will conduct a port talk to review the activities and itinerary for the days ahead.

-  An orientation tour of Ho Chi Minh City

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Days 11 to 18/20 Mekong river cruise



Mekong river cruise

Cruise the Mekong River on an 7 or 9-night cruise on board Emerald Harmony.

Refer to the full 7-night cruise itinerary on pages 28-31 and 9-night cruise itinerary on pages 32-35.



Ta Prohm temple, Siem Reap, Cambodia



Angkor Wat, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Day 18/20 Emerald Harmony disembarkation – Siem Reap

Disembark Emerald Harmony in the morning, and travel onwards to Siem Reap for your included three-night stay. Revel in the beautiful Shinta Mani, a deluxe boutique property of world-class design that takes great care in honouring the environment and paying homage to traditional and local aesthetics. This evening, attend Phare, the Cambodian Circus, where a combination of acrobatics, music, and dance tell a uniquely Cambodian story.

 EmeraldPLUS



Phare, The Cambodian Circus performance

This evening, witness the Cambodian Circus, Phare, a spectacle of acrobatics, theatre, dance and music.

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 19/21 Siem Reap

Start today with a visit to Angkor Thom, one of the most remarkable royal cities of the Angkor Period and an architectural wonder. As the last capital of the Khmer Empire, it was a fortified city, home to priests, officials of the palace, the military, and buildings essential for administering the kingdom. Afterwards, visit the sacred temple of Ta Prohm. In an incredible standoff between human creation and nature, the jungle's root systems have reclaimed this spiritual location, now enshrouded in wild vegetation. The backdrop to many Hollywood scenes, the incredible Ta Prohm is both a cinematic and contemplative location. This evening is free to visit 'Pub Street' or to enjoy a **DiscoverMORE** excursion.

-  Visit to Angkor Thom
-  Visit to Ta Prohm temple
-  Evening – Sunset drinks and Gondola Boat at Bayon
-  Evening – Dinner in the rice field
-  Evening – Cambodian street food discovery tour

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 20/22 Siem Reap

Rise early and witness the breathtaking sunrise over Angkor Wat. Afterwards, stroll through this UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, known for its elaborate decorations and intricate carvings throughout. This afternoon, you'll enjoy free time to visit the town and markets. Later this evening, enjoy an Apsara dance performance.

 Included Excursion



Sunrise visit to Angkor Wat

Explore the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Angkor Wat at the most peaceful time of day. Afterwards, walk through the incredible temple complex.

-  Vespa tour of Siem Reap
-  A visit to Banteay Srei
-  A visit to Tonlé Sap
-  A culinary tour of Cambodia
-  Senteurs d'Angkor Workshop
-  Apsara dance and dinner show

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 21/23 Depart Siem Reap

After breakfast this morning, you'll be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Basket boat, Hoi An, Vietnam



Apsara Dancers, Angkor Wat, Cambodia



Angkor Thom South Gate, Siem Reap, Cambodia

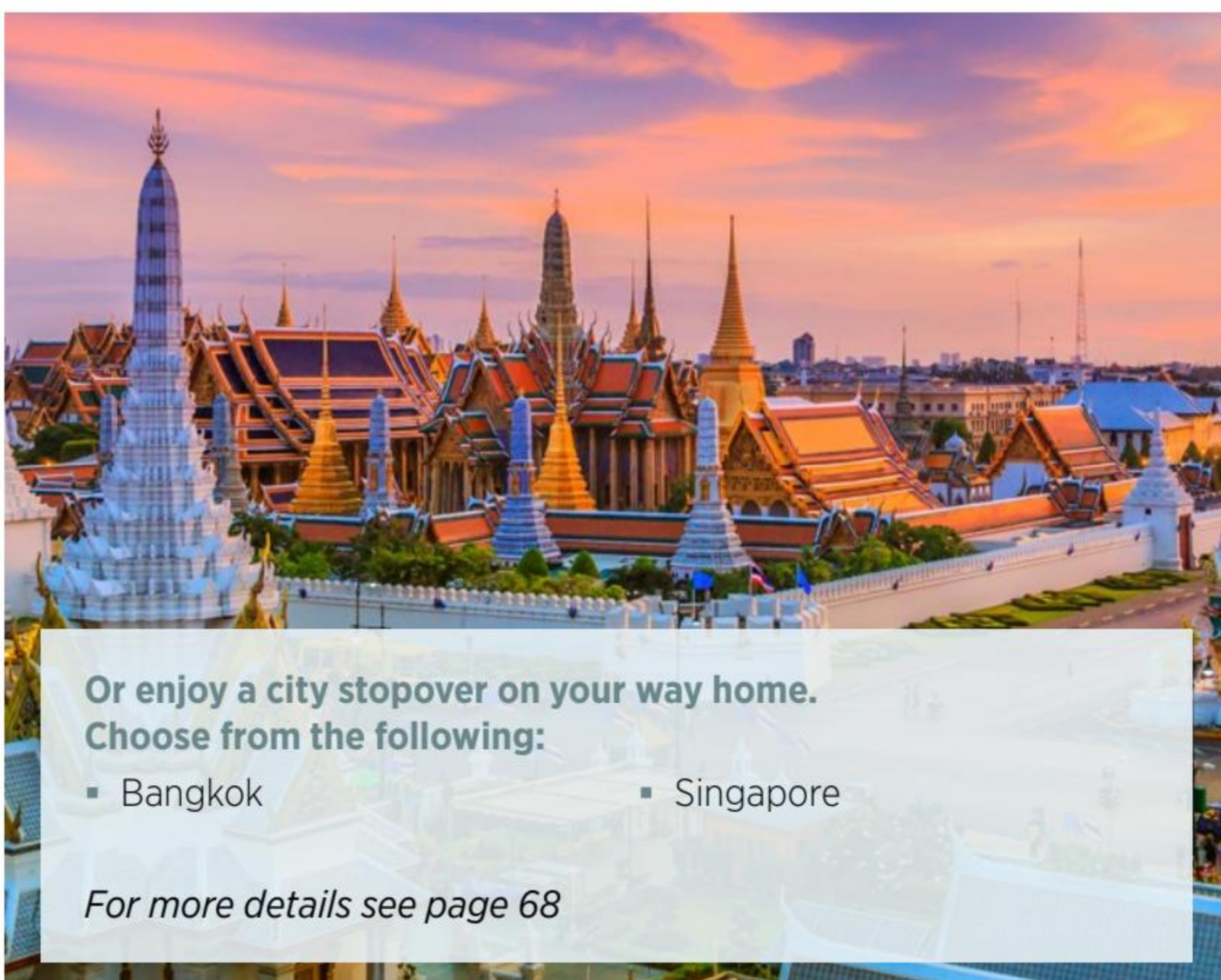
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Stateroom E, D	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€7.145	€7.145	€6.545	€7.145	€7.145	€6.795	€6.545	€6.095
Earlybird	€6.545	€6.545	€5.945	€6.545	€6.545	€6.195	€5.945	€5.495
Panorama Balcony Suite C, B, A	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€7.540	€7.540	€6.940	€7.540	€7.540	€7.190	€6.940	€6.490
Earlybird	€6.940	€6.940	€6.340	€6.940	€6.940	€6.590	€6.340	€5.890
Grand Balcony Suite S	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€8.640	€8.640	€8.040	€8.640	€8.640	€8.290	€8.040	€7.590
Earlybird	€8.040	€8.040	€7.440	€8.040	€8.040	€7.690	€7.440	€6.990
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Full Fare	€9.140	€9.140	€8.540	€9.140	€9.140	€8.790	€8.540	€8.090
Earlybird	€8.540	€8.540	€7.940	€8.540	€8.540	€8.190	€7.940	€7.490

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To help you select your cabin, detailed cabin and deck plans can be found on pages 72-75.

Terms & Conditions: All prices are per person based on twin share. Earlybird savings are limited in number, cabin category and departure date, once sold out the full fare applies. DiscoverMORE optional excursions are at an additional cost (see page 70-71). To help select your Suite, please see the details cabin and deck plans on page 72-75. Full terms and conditions can be found at pages 78-81.



Or enjoy a city stopover on your way home.
Choose from the following:

- Bangkok
- Singapore

For more details see page 68



Choose from our pre/post tours:

- 4-days Luang Prabang tour from €780 per person
- 6-days Sapa tour from €1.140 per person

For more details see page 69

21/23-Day Grand Tour of Vietnam & Cambodia

An unforgettable voyage to the heart of Southeast Asia.

Begin your luxury river cruise in Hanoi before cruising the waterways of Halong Bay in a traditional junk boat. Reach Hoi An for a leisurely three-night stay, and venture to Siem Reap to witness Angkor Wat and attend a spectacular circus performance. You'll learn about the sad history of Phnom Penh and its inspiring revival before finishing your cruise with an eventful stay in Ho Chi Minh City.

7 or 9-night
Mekong Cruise
itineraries
available



Hue, Vietnam

Hanoi to Ho Chi Minh City

Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

Day 1 Arrive Hanoi

Day 2 Hanoi – Halong Bay

Day 3 Halong Bay

Day 4 Halong Bay – Hanoi

Day 5 Hanoi – Hue

Day 6 Hue – Hoi An

Day 7 Hoi An

Day 8 Hoi An

Day 9 Hoi An – Siem Reap

Day 10 Siem Reap

Day 11 Siem Reap

Day 12 Siem Reap –
Emerald Harmony embarkation
(Begin your 7 or 9-night Mekong river cruise)

Day 19/21

Emerald Harmony disembarkation
– Ho Chi Minh City

Day 20/22

Ho Chi Minh City

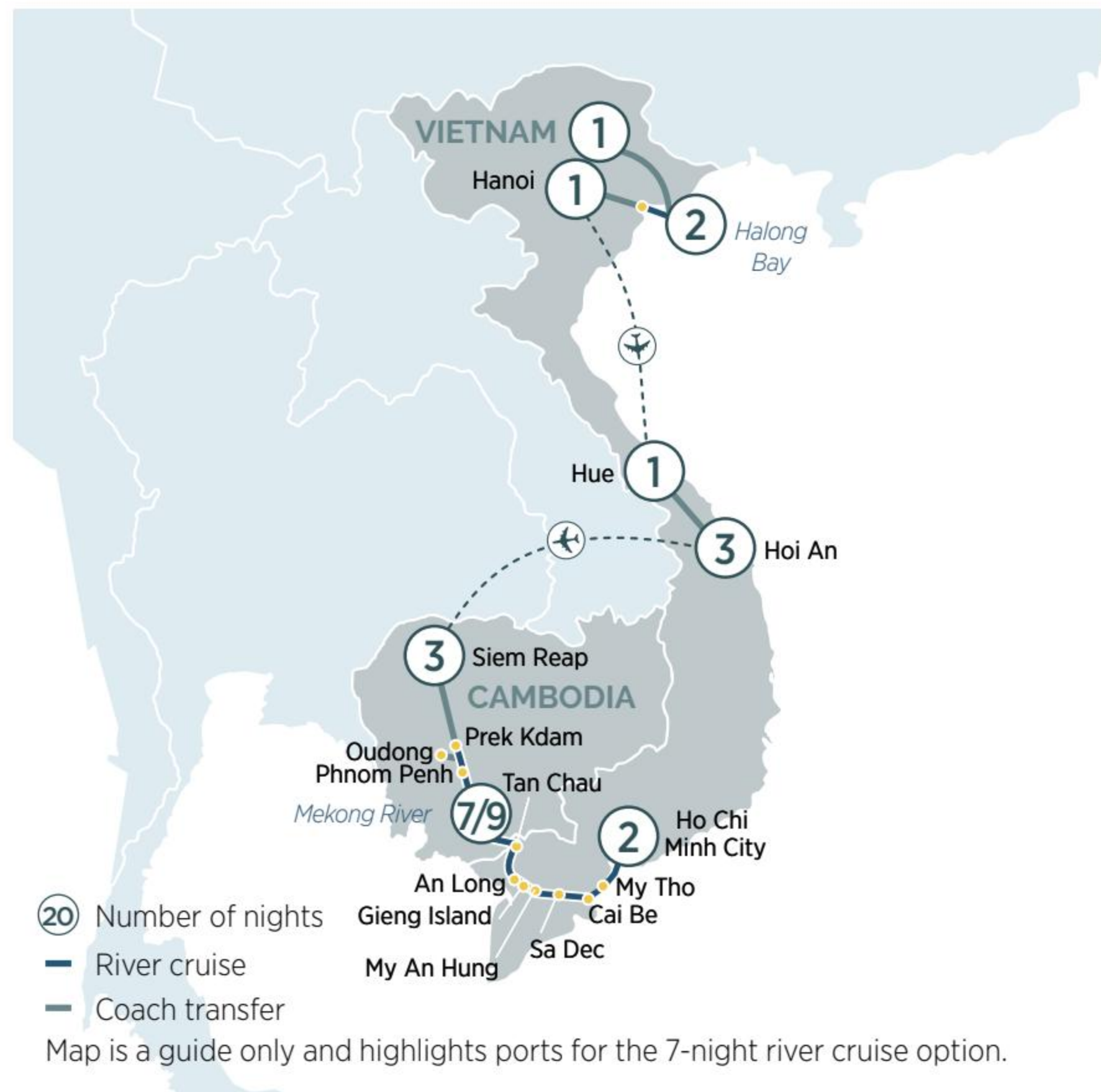
Day 21/23

Depart Ho Chi Minh City



? CRUISE FACTS

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- Bodia luxury toiletries on board
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- Earn **EmeraldEXPLORER** loyalty points
- Complimentary River Cruise Cover
- All port charges
- All gratuities on board and onshore

Emerald**DISCOVERY** highlights unique to your itinerary:

Emerald**PLUS**

Lunch at KOTO Restaurant, Hanoi
Phare, The Cambodian Circus, Siem Reap
Traditional Buddhist monk blessing, Oudong
Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour
A cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation
Tour the local Cao Dai Temple, Tan Chau
Lion Dance performance on board
Visit to My An Hung village

Included Excursions

19 excursions, including visits to several UNESCO World Heritage-listed sites

Discover**MORE**

16 optional excursions, available at an additional cost – see pages 70-71



Emerald**PLUS** Phare, The Cambodian Circus



One Pillar Pagoda, Hanoi, Vietnam

Day 1 Hanoi

Xin chao, and welcome to Hanoi. On arrival, you'll be met by your friendly Emerald Cruises representative and transferred to the Anatole Hotel, situated in downtown Hanoi, for a one-night stay. Relax at the hotel, explore the city, or wander Hanoi's romantic West Lake. This evening, meet your tour director for your welcome briefing.

Meals: Dinner

Day 2 Hanoi – Halong Bay

This morning after breakfast, leave Hanoi and travel to Halong Bay, where you'll board your traditional-style junk boat. Cruise through the bays and islets, marvelling in the stunning scenery of this magnificent region. Enjoy the tours offered on board, learn more about the main livelihood of the locals in the area, or simply choose to relax. Towards the end of the day, the boat anchors for the night in the Trinh Nu area among the karst formations, where a delectable dinner will be served on board.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, and dinner

Day 3 Halong Bay

Today, continue sailing further into the region's more untouched areas towards Lan Ha Bay. From a smaller boat, enjoy swimming on quiet beaches and kayaking in Ho Ba Ham Lake. Then, visit Cua Van fishing village by rowing boat. Return to your traditional junk boat after a full day of exploration, or try squid fishing after dinner.

 A two-night Halong Bay cruise

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, and dinner

Day 4 Halong Bay – Hanoi

Enjoy breakfast at sunrise before beginning your cruise back through the bay's magnificent rock formations, visiting Sung Sot Cave and arriving back at the port. Bid farewell, as you transfer to Hanoi. As part of our **EmeraldPLUS** programme back in Hanoi, you'll enjoy lunch at KOTO (Know One Teach One), a unique restaurant set up to train and educate disadvantaged children.

After lunch, you'll visit Hanoi's Old Quarter, also known as the '36 streets'. This bustling area of narrow streets and alleys is home to literally thousands of small businesses and shopkeepers. It's a great place to explore, with plenty of photo opportunities. Visit Hang Be Market, also located in the Old Quarter, before enjoying a walk around Hoàn Kiem Lake located in central Hanoi. Here, walk across the red bridge to Ngoc Son Temple, located on the Jade Islet within the lake. Later, enjoy a traditional water puppet show, a unique North Vietnamese art form, depicting scenes from rural life and episodes of historical significance.

 Lunch at KOTO Restaurant

 A traditional water puppet show

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 5 Hanoi – Hue

Begin your morning tour of Hanoi and learn about 'Uncle Ho', widely considered the father of modern Vietnam, by seeing his mausoleum from outside. Continue to Ho Chi Minh Quarter to see his humble stilt house and the small but iconic One Pillar Pagoda before moving to the nearby Temple of Literature. The Temple of Literature was Vietnam's first university, originally established to educate Vietnam's royalty, mandarins, and members of the elite. The university functioned for an incredible 700 years and its gardens and well-preserved architecture offer a fascinating glimpse into the country's past.



Halong Bay, Vietnam

Bid farewell to Hanoi, and transfer to Hanoi airport to board your flight to Hue, the former imperial capital of Vietnam. In Hue, take a boat trip to visit Thien Mu Pagoda before checking into your hotel, Indochine Palace, for the night. This evening, experience a royal dinner with traditional costumes.

 A traditional Vietnamese royal dinner at a local restaurant

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 6 Hue – Hoi An

This morning, you'll visit the Imperial Citadel, where the Nguyen Dynasty ruled between 1802 and 1945. As part of our **EmeraldPLUS** programme, take a cyclo from Dai Noi ('Old City') to Tinh Tam Lake, where the emperors used to come to relax. Leaving Hue for Hoi An, drive past the photogenic fishing village of Lang Co, up and over Hai Vân Pass, known as the Ocean Clouds Pass, before dropping down to Danang and then Hoi An. Upon arrival in Hoi An, you'll be transferred to the Hoi An Historic hotel for your included three-night stay where you can relax for the rest of the evening.

 **EmeraldPLUS**



Today's **EmeraldPLUS** programme takes you on a cyclo ride (bicycle-style rickshaw) from Dai Noi "Old City" to the peaceful Tinh Tam Lake, where the emperors used to go to relax.

 A visit to the Imperial Citadel

Meals: Breakfast



Hue, Vietnam

Day 7 Hoi An


Today, start with our **EmeraldPLUS** visit to the Reaching Out Project. Reaching Out is an NGO (non-governmental organisation) established in 2000 which provides opportunities for people with disabilities to learn skills and gain meaningful employment. Visit the workshop for a glimpse into how this NGO helps others integrate fully with their communities, so they can lead independent and fulfilling lives. After enjoying a local Hoi An street food-themed lunch, a walking tour of the city awaits, where you can see the old merchant's houses, the Japanese Covered Bridge, and the Assembly Hall of the Chinese Congregation. Your evening is free to wander the historical lantern-lit streets and their many shops and bars.

EmeraldPLUS



Visit to the Reaching Out Project, Hoi An

Visit the Reaching Out Project, established in 2000 to provide learning and development opportunities, helping people gain meaningful employment. We visit their workshop and gain an insight into how this project helps the local community.

 A walking tour of Hoi An

Meals: Breakfast and lunch



Hoi An, Vietnam

Day 8 Hoi An

Enjoy a day of leisure to explore Hoi An and its surroundings. Perhaps take the time to explore the Old Town and visit one of the many tailors Hoi An is known for, or take a cyclo (bicycle style rickshaw) to An Bang Beach. The choice is yours.

-  Red Bridge Vietnamese cooking class
-  A visit to My Son Ruins
-  Hoi An Rural Life

Meals: Breakfast

Day 9 Hoi An – Siem Reap

Today, transfer to Danang airport for your flight to Siem Reap. Sous sdei, and welcome to Cambodia. You'll be met at the airport by our friendly greetings team and transferred to the Shinta Mani hotel for your included three-night stay in Siem Reap. Tonight's highlight dinner is accompanied by an Apsara dance performance.

-  Apsara dance and dinner show

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 10 Siem Reap

Start today with a visit to Angkor Thom, one of the most remarkable royal cities of the Angkor Period and an architectural wonder. As the last capital of the Khmer Empire, it was a fortified city, home to priests, officials of the palace, the military, and buildings essential for administering the kingdom. Afterwards, visit the sacred temple of Ta Prohm. In an incredible standoff between human creation and nature, the jungle's root systems have reclaimed this spiritual location, now enshrouded in wild vegetation. The backdrop to many Hollywood scenes, the incredible Ta Prohm is both a cinematic and contemplative location. This evening is free to visit 'Pub Street' or to enjoy a **DiscoverMORE** excursion.

-  Visit to Angkor Thom
-  Visit to Ta Prohm temple
-  Evening – Sunset drinks and Gondola Boat at Bayon
-  Evening – Dinner in the Rice Field
-  Evening – Cambodian Street Food Discovery Tour

Meals: Breakfast and lunch



Banteay Srei, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Day 11 Siem Reap

Rise early and witness the breathtaking sunrise over Angkor Wat, then stroll through this UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, known for its elaborate decorations and intricate carvings. This afternoon, you'll enjoy free time to visit the town and markets or to try a **DiscoverMORE** tour.



 Included Excursion

Sunrise visit to Angkor Wat

Explore the wonders of the Ancient UNESCO World Heritage-listed Angkor Wat at the most peaceful time of day. Walk through the incredible temple complex as the morning sun soaks the elaborate stone carvings.

-  Vespa tour of Siem Reap
-  A visit to Banteay Srei
-  A visit to Tonlé Sap
-  A culinary tour of Cambodia
-  Senteurs d'Angkor Workshop

Meals: Breakfast

Day 12 Siem Reap – Emerald Harmony embarkation

Today, you'll leave Siem Reap and travel to embark your award-winning Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. On arrival, you'll be welcomed by your friendly captain and crew before setting sail and enjoying your first dinner on board.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch, and dinner

Days 12 to 19/21 Mekong river cruise



Mekong river cruise

Cruise the Mekong River on an 7 or 9 night cruise on board Emerald Harmony.

Refer to the full 8-day cruise itinerary on pages 28-31 and 10-day cruise itinerary on pages 32-35.

Day 19/21 Emerald Harmony disembarkation - Ho Chi Minh City

Make your way from Ho Chi Minh City to Cu Chi Tunnels, travelling through rice paddies, villages, and landscapes typical to southern Vietnam. Spend your time traversing Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide before your return to Ho Chi Minh City and check into the Sheraton Saigon Hotel. This afternoon and evening are yours to enjoy at leisure, or you can join one of our exciting **DiscoverMORE** excursions.



Explore Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide

Hear how the residents constructed an intricate, underground network of tunnels during the French and American Wars, and listen to incredible tales about the unusual foods the residents ate to survive.



Mekong Delta, Vietnam

-  An evening Saigon Street Food walking tour
-  One Night in Saigon

Meals: Breakfast and lunch.

Day 20/22 Ho Chi Minh City

Enjoy a guided tour of Ho Chi Minh City, starting with a visit to the city's most iconic building, the Reunification, or Independence Palace. Formerly the South Vietnamese Presidential Palace, images of the building were seen around the world on 30th April 1975 when tanks stormed the gates as Saigon fell to the North Vietnamese. Then, stroll through Ho Chi Minh City's colonial quarter, walking past scenes of everyday life on the way. Admire the beautiful architecture of the Opera House, Notre Dame Cathedral, City Hall and the old Saigon Post Office and listen to the stories about the glory days of French Indochina, and how that era continues to influence aspects of modern Vietnamese culture. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow guests.

-  An orientation tour of Ho Chi Minh City

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 21/23 Depart Ho Chi Minh City

After breakfast this morning, you'll be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Temple of Literature, Hanoi, Vietnam



Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

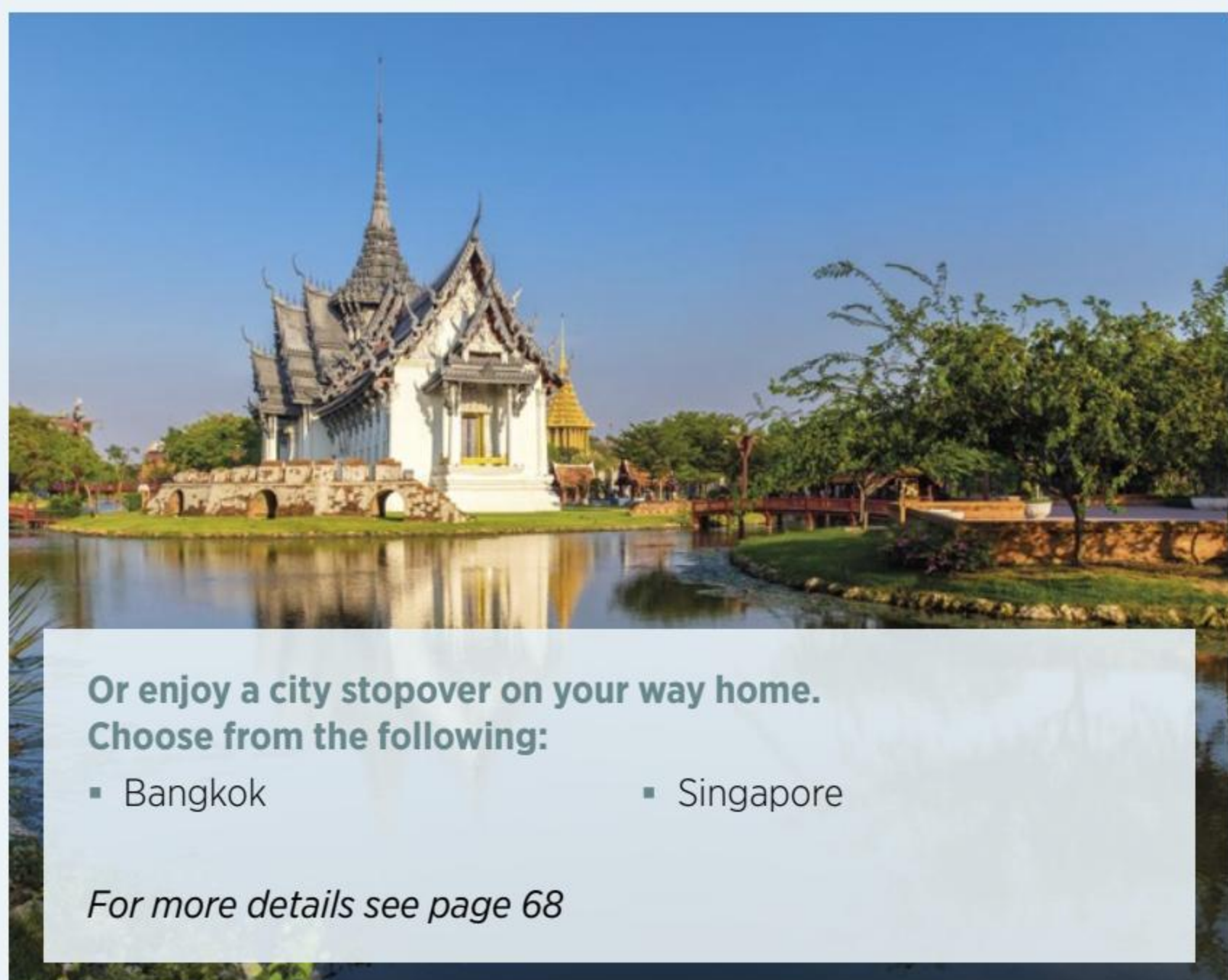
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Earlybird	€6.195	€6.195	€5.945	€6.195	€6.545	€6.195	€5.945
Panorama Balcony Suite C, B, A	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€7.190	€7.190	€6.940	€7.190	€7.540	€7.190	€6.940
Earlybird	€6.590	€6.590	€6.340	€6.590	€6.940	€6.590	€6.340
Grand Balcony Suite S	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€8.290	€8.290	€8.040	€8.290	€8.640	€8.290	€8.040
Earlybird	€7.690	€7.690	€7.440	€7.690	€8.040	€7.690	€7.440
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Full Fare	€8.790	€8.790	€8.540	€8.790	€9.140	€8.790	€8.540
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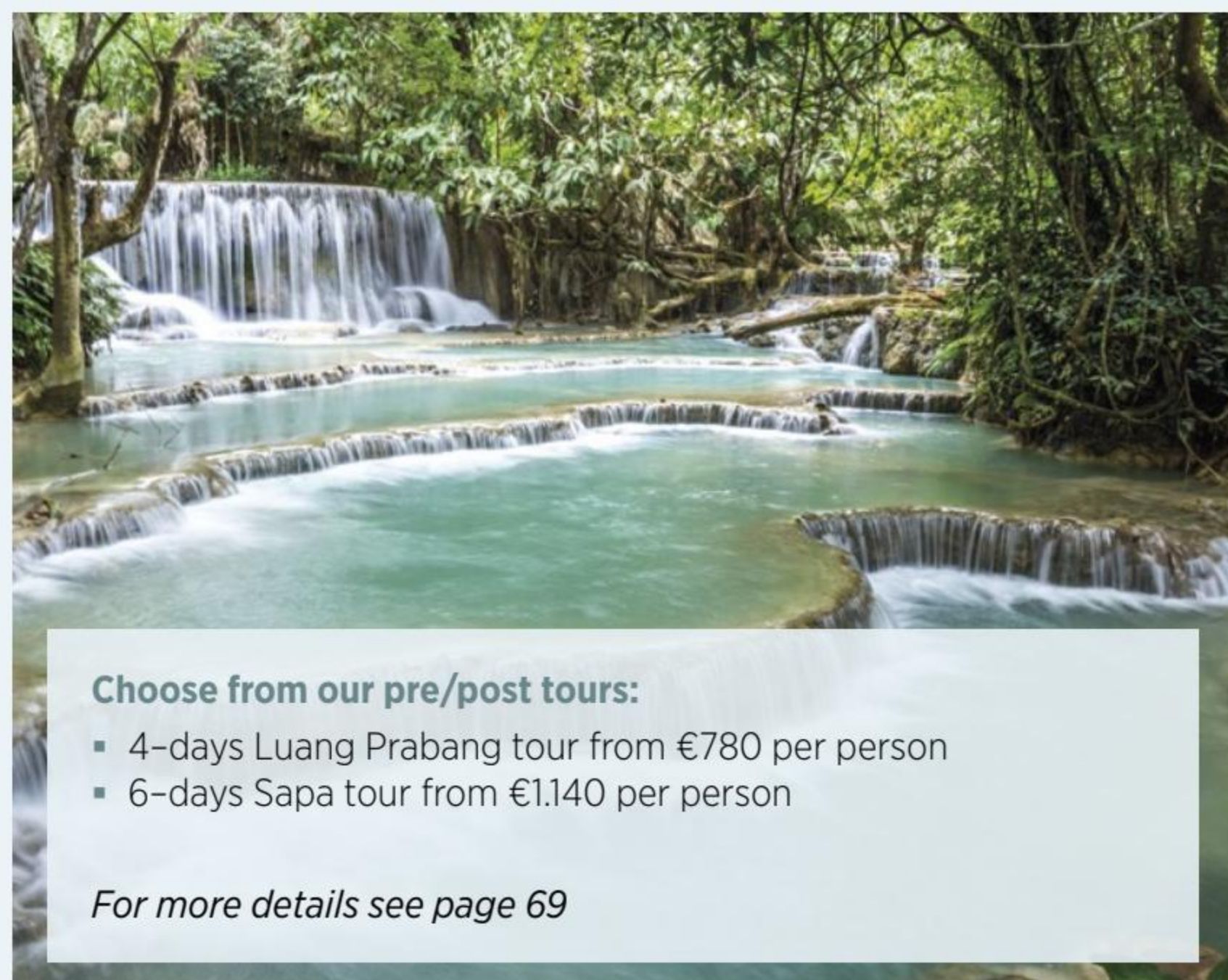
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17/19-Day Treasures & Temples of Vietnam & Cambodia

Ancient architecture and traditional treasures await.

Begin your luxury river cruise in Hanoi, where centuries-old architecture is a wonderful nod to the past, and the Old Quarter strikes a fine contrast, with its many temples. Cruise the waterways of Halong Bay in a traditional junk boat, learn of Ho Chi Minh City's fascinating war history, and embark on a once-in-a-lifetime river cruise along the Mekong. Enjoy a Tuk-Tuk tour in Phnom Penh, and finish your adventure in the Cambodian city of Siem Reap, where you'll witness Angkor Wat and attend a spectacular circus performance.

7 or 9-night
Mekong Cruise
itineraries
available



Halong Bay, Vietnam

Hanoi to Siem Reap

Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

- Day 1 Arrive Hanoi
- Day 2 Hanoi – Halong Bay
- Day 3 Halong Bay
- Day 4 Halong Bay – Hanoi
- Day 5 Hanoi – Ho Chi Minh City
- Day 6 Ho Chi Minh City
- Day 7 Ho Chi Minh City
– Emerald Harmony embarkation
(Begin your 7 or 9 night Mekong river cruise)
- Day 14/16 Emerald Harmony disembarkation
– Siem Reap
- Day 15/17 Siem Reap
- Day 16/18 Siem Reap
- Day 17/19 Depart Siem Reap



The Bayon, Siem Reap, Cambodia



? CRUISE FACTS

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- Complimentary Wi-Fi on board
- Bodia luxury toiletries on board
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- Lunch at KOTO Restaurant, Hanoi
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- Tour the local Cao Dai Temple, Tan Chau
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- Traditional Buddhist monk blessing, Oudong Phare, The Cambodian Circus, Siem Reap
- A cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organisation

Included Excursions

- 16 excursions, including visits to several UNESCO World Heritage-listed sites

Discover**MORE**

- 13 optional excursions, available at an additional cost – see pages 70-71



Traditional Buddhist monk blessing



Hanoi, Vietnam

Day 1 Hanoi

Xin chao, and welcome to Hanoi. On arrival, you'll be met by your friendly Emerald Cruises representative and transferred to the Anatole Hotel, situated in downtown Hanoi, for a one-night stay. Relax at the hotel, explore the city, or wander Hanoi's romantic West Lake. This evening, meet your tour director for your welcome briefing.

Meals: Dinner


Day 2 Hanoi – Halong Bay

This morning after breakfast, leave Hanoi and travel to Halong Bay, where you'll board your traditional-style junk boat. Cruise through the bays and islets, marvelling in the stunning scenery of this magnificent region. Enjoy the tours offered on board, learn more about the main livelihood of the locals in the area, or simply choose to relax. Towards the end of the day, the boat anchors for the night in the Trinh Nu area among the karst formations, where a delectable dinner will be served on board.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 3 Halong Bay

Today, continue sailing further into the region's more untouched areas towards Lan Ha Bay. From a smaller boat, enjoy swimming on quiet beaches and kayaking in Ho Ba Ham Lake. Then, visit Cua Van fishing village by rowing boat. Return to your traditional junk boat after a full day of exploration, or try squid fishing after dinner.

 A two-night Halong Bay cruise

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Day 4 Halong Bay – Hanoi

Enjoy the sunrise and breakfast before beginning your cruise back through the magnificent rock formations, visiting Sung Sot Cave and arriving back at port. Bid farewell, as you transfer to Hanoi. As part of **EmeraldPLUS** back in Hanoi, you'll enjoy lunch at KOTO (Know One Teach One), a unique restaurant set up to train and educate disadvantaged children.

After lunch, you'll visit Hanoi's Old Quarter, also known as the '36 streets'. This bustling area of narrow streets and alleys is home to literally thousands of small businesses and shopkeepers. It's a great place to explore, with plenty of photo opportunities. Visit Hang Be Market, also located in the Old Quarter, before enjoying a walk around Hoàn Kiem Lake located in central Hanoi. Here, walk across the red bridge to Ngoc Son Temple located on the Jade Islet within the lake. Later, enjoy a traditional water puppet show, a unique North Vietnamese art form, depicting scenes from rural life and episodes of historical significance.

 Lunch at KOTO Restaurant

 A traditional water puppet show

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 5 Hanoi – Ho Chi Minh City

Begin your morning tour of Hanoi, and learn about 'Uncle Ho', widely considered the father of modern Vietnam, by seeing his mausoleum from outside. Continue to Ho Chi Minh Quarter to see his humble stilt house and the small but iconic One Pillar Pagoda before moving to the nearby Temple of Literature. The Temple of Literature was Vietnam's first university, originally established to educate Vietnam's royalty, mandarins, and members of the elite. The university functioned for an incredible 700 years, and its gardens and well preserved architecture offer a fascinating glimpse into the country's past. Bid farewell to Hanoi, and transfer to Hanoi airport to board your flight to



Halong Bay, Vietnam

Ho Chi Minh City, formerly known as Saigon. After checking into the Sheraton Saigon Hotel, you're free to explore the city before enjoying dinner at a local restaurant.

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 6 Ho Chi Minh City

Make your way from Ho Chi Minh City to Cu Chi Tunnels, watching the city skyline fade into the distance, as the road winds through rice paddies, villages, and landscapes typical to southern Vietnam. Spend your time traversing Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide before your return to Ho Chi Minh City. The afternoon and evening are yours to enjoy at leisure, or you can join one of our exciting **DiscoverMORE** excursions.

 Included Excursion



Explore Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide

Hear how the residents constructed an intricate, underground network of tunnels during the French and American Wars, and listen to incredible tales about the unusual foods the residents ate to survive. Also, see other ingenious items used by the residents to defend themselves such as bamboo traps and camouflaged pits.

 An evening Saigon Street Food walking tour

 One Night in Saigon

Meals: Breakfast



Ta Prohm temple, Siem Reap, Cambodia



Gondolas at Bayon, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Day 7 Ho Chi Minh City - Emerald Harmony embarkation

After checking out of your hotel, enjoy a tour of the city, visiting the Notre Dame Cathedral, Opera House, and Town Hall. Then, visit the Reunification Palace before transferring to the port where you will board your award-winning Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. You'll be welcomed on board by your captain and crew before setting sail after lunch towards My Tho in the Mekong Delta, travelling through the bustling Cho Gao enroute. This evening, enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow guests, where your cruise director will conduct a port talk to review the activities and itinerary for the days ahead.

 An orientation tour of Ho Chi Minh City

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Days 7 to 14/16 Mekong river cruise



Mekong river cruise

Cruise the Mekong River on an 7 or 9 night cruise on board Emerald Harmony.

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Day 14/16 Emerald Harmony disembarkation – Siem Reap

Disembark Emerald Harmony in the morning, and travel onwards to Siem Reap for your included three-night stay. Revel in the beautiful Shinta Mani, a deluxe boutique property of world-class design that takes great care in honouring the environment and paying homage to traditional and local aesthetics. This evening, attend Phare, the Cambodian Circus, where a combination of acrobatics, music, and dance tell a uniquely Cambodian story.

EmeraldPLUS



Phare, The Cambodian Circus performance

This evening, witness the Cambodian Circus, Phare, a spectacle of acrobatics, theatre, dance and music.

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 15/17 Siem Reap

Start today with a visit to Angkor Thom, one of the most remarkable royal cities of the Angkor Period and an architectural wonder. As the last capital of the Khmer Empire, it was a fortified city, home to priests, officials of the palace, the military, and buildings essential for administering the kingdom. Afterwards, visit the sacred temple of Ta Prohm. In an incredible standoff between human creation and nature, the jungle's root systems have reclaimed this spiritual location now enshrouded in wild vegetation. The backdrop to many Hollywood scenes, the incredible Ta Prohm is both a cinematic and contemplative location. This evening is free to visit 'Pub Street' or to enjoy a **DiscoverMORE** excursion.

-  Visit to Angkor Thom
-  Visit to Ta Prohm Temple
-  Evening – Sunset drinks and Gondola Boat at Bayon
-  Evening – Dinner in the Rice Field
-  Evening – Cambodian Street Food Discovery Tour

Meals: Breakfast and lunch



Banteay Srei, Angkor, Cambodia

Apsara dance, Cambodia

Day 16/18 Siem Reap

Rise early and witness the breathtaking sunrise over Angkor Wat. Afterwards, stroll through this UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, known for its elaborate decorations and intricate carvings throughout. This afternoon, you'll enjoy free time to visit the town and markets or to try a **DiscoverMORE** tour. Later this evening, enjoy your farewell dinner accompanied by an Apsara dance performance.

-  Vespa tour of Siem Reap
-  A visit to Banteay Srei
-  A visit to Tonlé Sap
-  A culinary tour of Cambodia
-  Senteurs d'Angkor Workshop
-  Apsara dance and dinner Show

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 17/19 Depart Siem Reap

After breakfast this morning, you will be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

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Statues at South Gate Bridge Angkor Thom, Cambodia



Tonlé Sap Cambodia



Ta Phohm, Siem Reap, Cambodia

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7 or 9-night
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Banteay Srei, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Hanoi to Ho Chi Minh City

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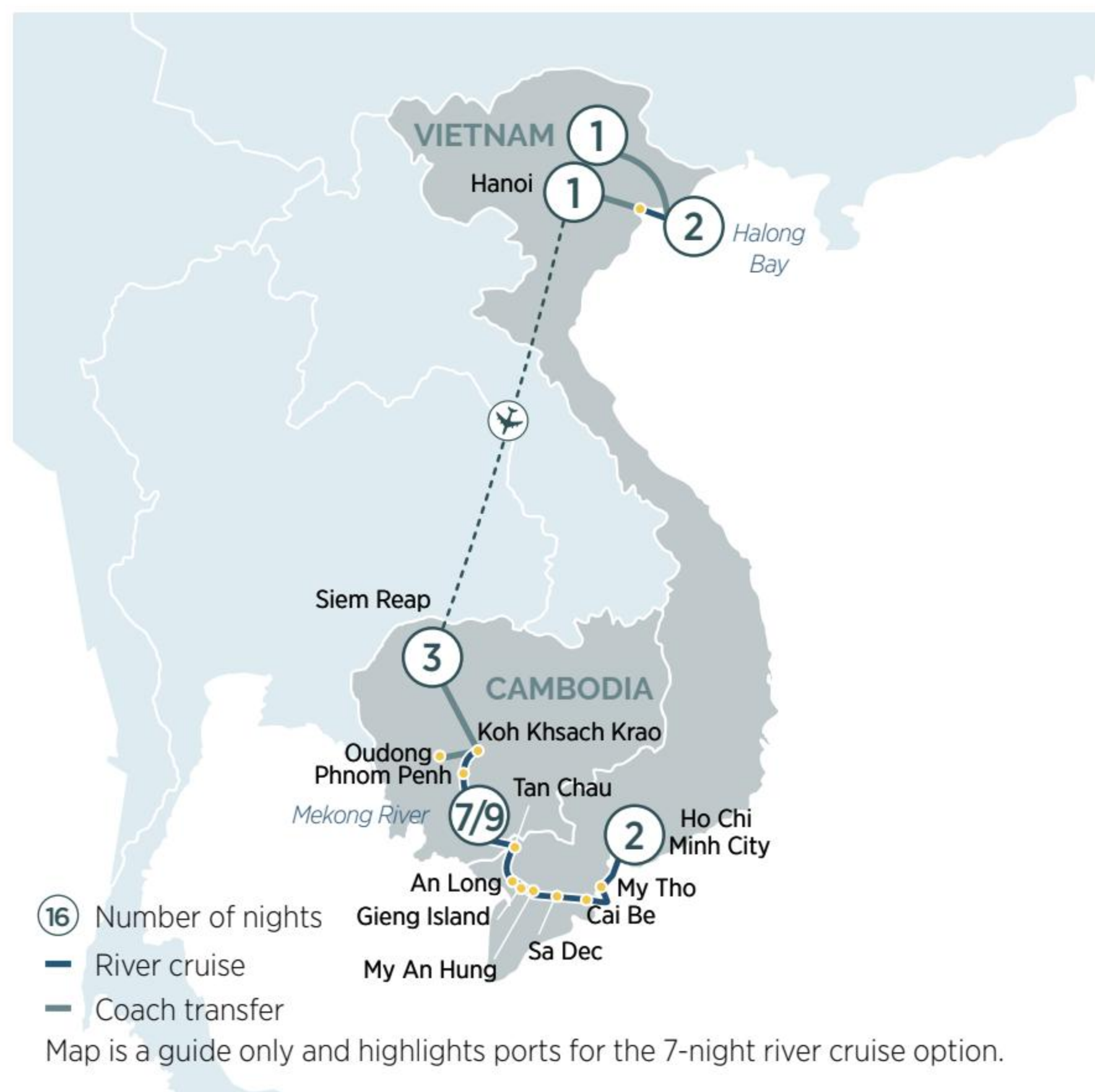


Street Market, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam



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Phnom Penh by night



Halong Bay, Vietnam

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Lunch at KOTO Restaurant



A traditional water puppet show

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Bid farewell to Hanoi and transfer to Hanoi airport to board your flight to Siem Reap. You'll be met at the airport by a member of our friendly greetings team and transferred to the Shinta Mani hotel for your included three-night stay in Siem Reap. In the evening, you'll enjoy an Apsara dance performance.



Apsara dance and dinner show

Meals: Breakfast and dinner



Water Puppets, Hanoi

Day 6 Siem Reap

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Visit to Angkor Thom



Visit to Ta Prohm temple



Evening – Sunset drinks and Gondola Boat at Bayon



Evening – Dinner in the Rice Field

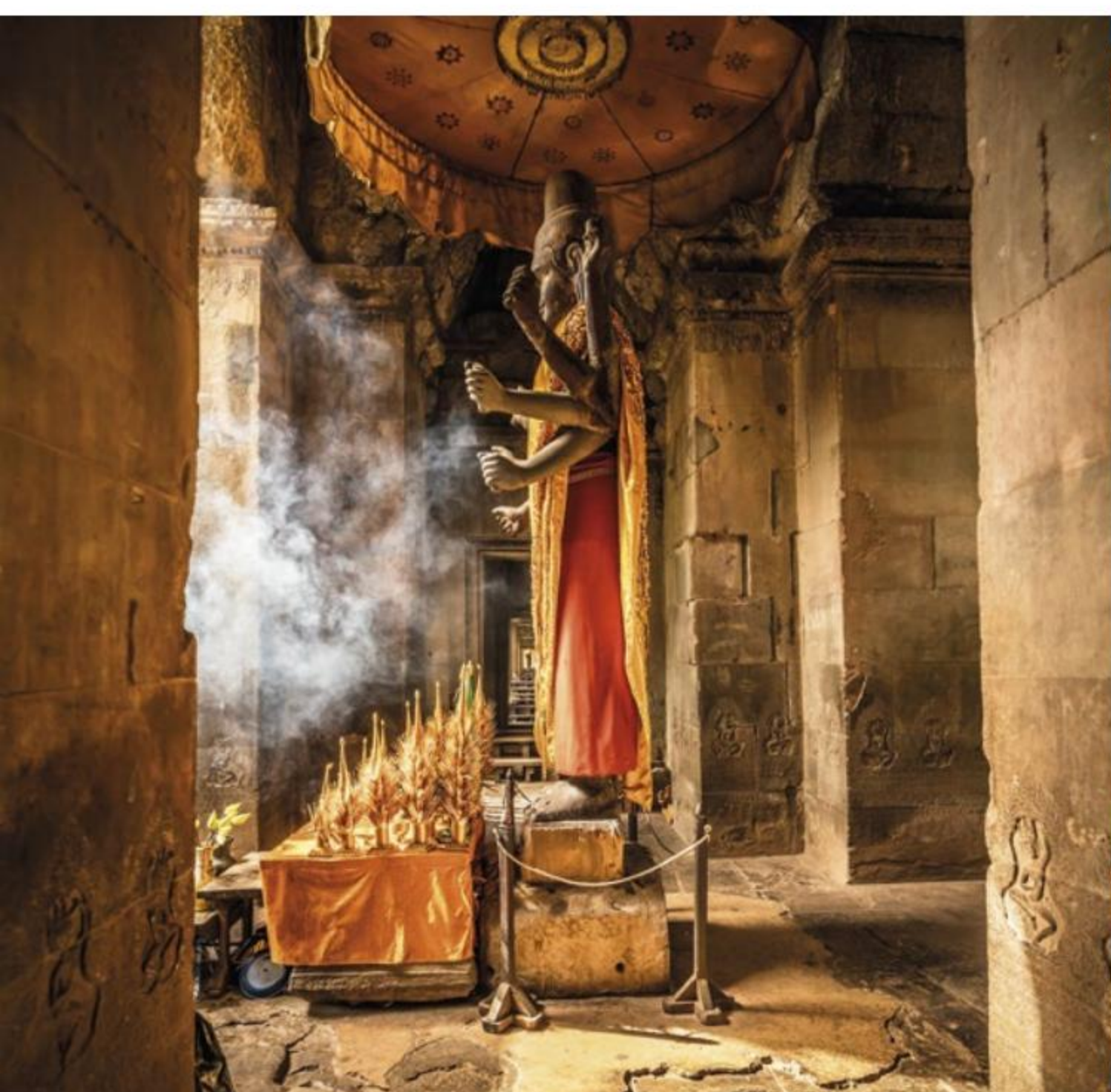


Evening – Cambodian Street Food Discovery Tour

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 7 Siem Reap

Rise early and witness the breathtaking sunrise over Angkor Wat. Afterwards, stroll through this UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, known for its elaborate decorations and intricate carvings throughout. This afternoon, you'll enjoy free time to visit the town and markets or to try a **DiscoverMORE** tour.



Angkor Wat, Siem Reap, Cambodia



Main hall, Oudong Monastery, Cambodia

Included Excursion



Sunrise visit to Angkor Wat

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- Vespa tour of Siem Reap
- A visit to Banteay Srei
- A visit to Tonlé Sap
- A culinary tour of Cambodia
- Senteurs d'Angkor Workshop

Meals: Breakfast

Day 8 Siem Reap – Emerald Harmony embarkation

Today, you'll leave Siem Reap and travel to embark your award-winning Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. On arrival, you'll be welcomed by your friendly captain and crew before setting sail and enjoying your first dinner on board.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Days 8 to 15/17 Mekong river cruise



Mekong river cruise

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Day 15/17 Emerald Harmony disembarkation – Ho Chi Minh City

Make your way from Ho Chi Minh City to Cu Chi Tunnels, travelling through rice paddies, villages, and landscapes typical to southern Vietnam. Spend your time traversing Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide before your return to Ho Chi Minh City to check into the Sheraton Saigon Hotel. The afternoon and evening are yours to enjoy at leisure, or you can join one of our exciting **DiscoverMORE** excursions.

Included Excursion



Explore Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide

Hear how the residents constructed an intricate network of tunnels during the French and American Wars. Also, see other ingenious items used by the residents to defend themselves.

- An evening Saigon Street Food walking tour
- One Night in Saigon

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 16/18 Ho Chi Minh City

Enjoy a guided tour of Ho Chi Minh City, starting with a visit to the city's most iconic building, the Reunification (or Independence Palace). Formerly the South Vietnamese Presidential Palace, images of the building were seen around the world on 30th April 1975, when tanks stormed the gates, and Saigon fell to the North Vietnamese. Then, stroll through Ho Chi Minh City's colonial quarter, walking past scenes of everyday life on the way. Admire the beautiful architecture of the Opera House, Notre Dame Cathedral, City Hall, and the old Saigon Post Office, listening to the glory days stories of French Indochina and how that era continues to influence aspects of modern Vietnamese culture. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow guests.

- An orientation tour of Ho Chi Minh City

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 17/19 Depart Ho Chi Minh City

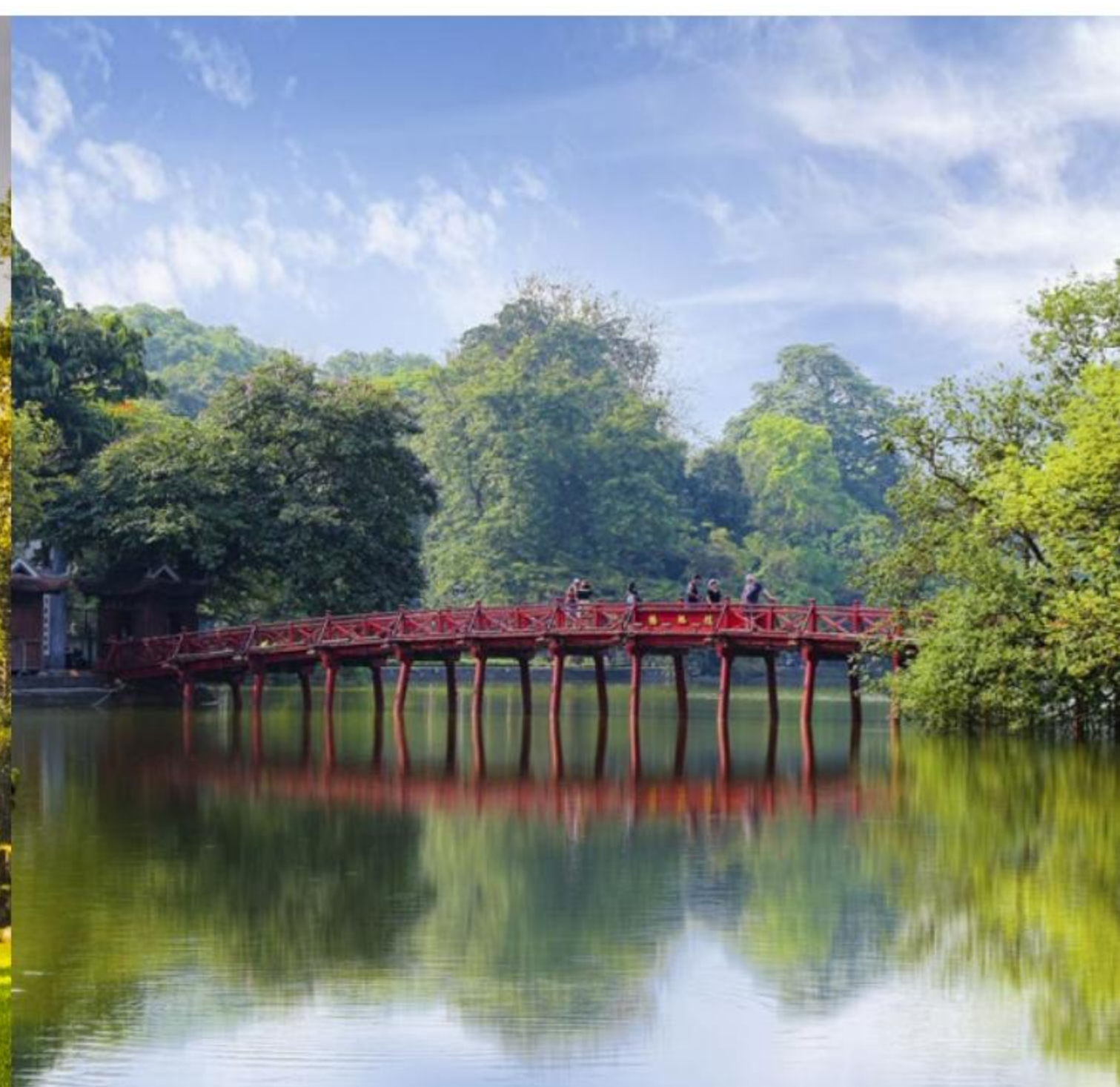
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Reunification Palace, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam



Kiem Lake, Hanoi, Vietnam

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Earlybird	€6.040	€6.390	€5.740	€6.040	€6.390	€6.390	€5.740	€5.340
Grand Balcony Suite S	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM	FROM
Full Fare	€7.740	€8.090	€7.440	€7.740	€8.090	€8.090	€7.440	€7.040
Earlybird	€7.140	€7.490	€6.840	€7.140	€7.490	€7.490	€6.840	€6.440
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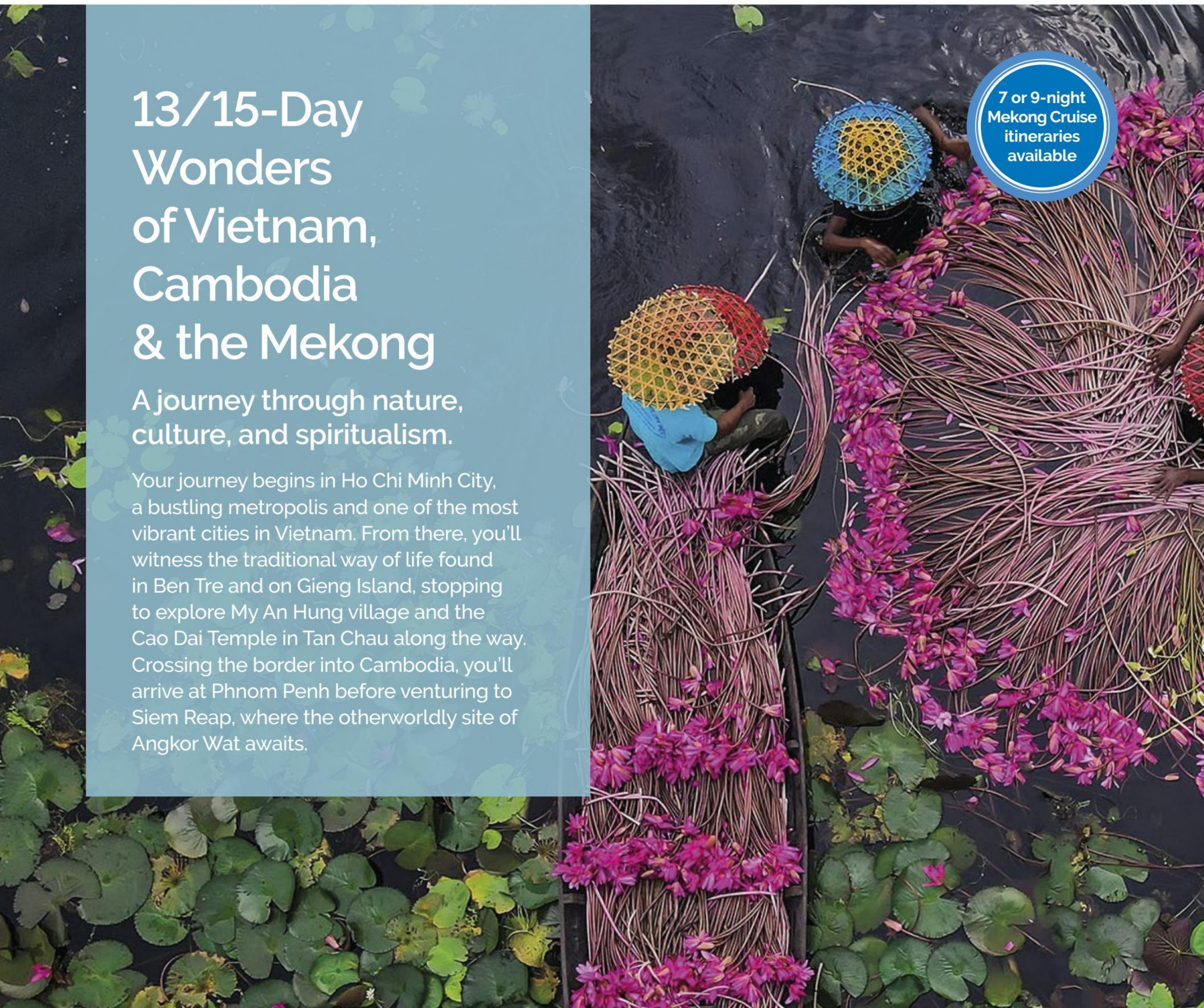
Tran Quoc Pagoda, Hanoi, Vietnam

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A journey through nature,
culture, and spiritualism.

Your journey begins in Ho Chi Minh City, a bustling metropolis and one of the most vibrant cities in Vietnam. From there, you'll witness the traditional way of life found in Ben Tre and on Gieng Island, stopping to explore My An Hung village and the Cao Dai Temple in Tan Chau along the way. Crossing the border into Cambodia, you'll arrive at Phnom Penh before venturing to Siem Reap, where the otherworldly site of Angkor Wat awaits.

7 or 9-night
Mekong Cruise
itineraries
available



Mekong Delta, Vietnam

Ho Chi Minh City to Siem Reap

Departing: January 2024 – December 2025

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- Day 2 Ho Chi Minh City
- Day 3 Ho Chi Minh City
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(Begin your 7 or 9 night Mekong river cruise)
- Day 10/12 Emerald Harmony disembarkation
– Siem Reap
- Day 11/13 Siem Reap
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Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam



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- Complimentary water provided on board and during excursions
- A variety of on board evening entertainment
- Complimentary Wi-Fi on board
- Bodia luxury toiletries on board
- First-class service from English-speaking crew and knowledgeable local guides
- Earn **EmeraldEXPLORER** loyalty points
- Complimentary River Cruise Cover
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- All gratuities on board and onshore

Emerald**DISCOVERY** highlights unique to your itinerary:

Emerald**PLUS**

- Visit to My An Hung village
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- Tour the local Cao Dai Temple, Tan Chau
- Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour
- Traditional Buddhist monk blessing, Oudong
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- Phare, The Cambodian Circus, Siem Reap

Included Excursions

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Discover**MORE**

- 13 optional excursions, available at an additional cost – see pages 70-71



Emerald**PLUS** Lion Dance



Ho Chi Minh city, Vietnam

Day 1 Ho Chi Minh City

Xin chao, and welcome to Ho Chi Minh City. On arrival, you'll be met by your friendly Emerald Cruises representative and transferred to the Sheraton Saigon Hotel, situated in downtown District 1, for a two-night stay. After checking in, you're free to explore the city before meeting your tour director for your welcome briefing and dinner at a local restaurant.

Meals: Dinner

Day 2 Ho Chi Minh City

Make your way from Ho Chi Minh City to Cu Chi Tunnels, travelling through rice paddies, villages, and landscapes typical to southern Vietnam. Spend your time traversing Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide before your return to Ho Chi Minh City. The afternoon and evening are yours to enjoy at leisure, or you can join one of our exciting **DiscoverMORE** excursions.

 **Included Excursion**



Explore Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a knowledgeable local guide

Hear how the residents constructed an intricate, underground network of tunnels during the French and American Wars, and listen to incredible tales about the unusual foods the residents ate to survive. Also, see other ingenious items used by the residents to defend themselves such as bamboo traps and camouflaged pits.

-  An evening Saigon Street Food walking tour
-  One Night in Saigon

Meals: Breakfast

Day 3 Ho Chi Minh City – Emerald Harmony embarkation

After checkout, enjoy a tour of the city, visiting the Notre Dame Cathedral, Opera House, and Town Hall. Then, visit the Reunification Palace before transferring to the port where you'll board your Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. You'll be welcomed on board by your friendly captain and crew before setting sail after lunch down the Saigon River to Cho Gao Canal. This evening, enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow travellers where your cruise director will conduct a port talk to review the activities and itinerary for the days ahead.

 An orientation tour of Ho Chi Minh City

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner

Days 3 to 10/12 Mekong river cruise



Mekong river cruise

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Day 10/12 Emerald Harmony disembarkation – Siem Reap

Disembark Emerald Harmony in the morning, and travel onwards to Siem Reap for your included three-night stay. Revel in the beautiful Shinta Mani, a deluxe boutique property of world-class design that takes great care in honouring the environment and paying homage to traditional and local aesthetics. This evening, attend Phare, the Cambodian Circus, where a combination



Rice field, Siem Reap, Cambodia

of acrobatics, music, and dance tell a uniquely Cambodian story.

 **EmeraldPLUS**



Phare, The Cambodian Circus performance

This evening, witness the Cambodian Circus, Phare, a spectacle of acrobatics, theatre, dance and music.

Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 11/13 Siem Reap

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-  Visit to Ta Prohm Temple
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-  Evening – Dinner in the Rice Field
-  Evening – Cambodian Street Food Discovery Tour

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 12/14 Siem Reap

Rise early and witness the breathtaking sunrise over Angkor Wat. Afterwards, stroll through this UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, known for its elaborate decorations and intricate carvings throughout. This afternoon, you'll enjoy free time to visit the town and markets or to try a **DiscoverMORE** tour. Later this evening, enjoy your farewell dinner accompanied by an Apsara dance performance.



Included Excursion

Sunrise visit to Angkor Wat

Explore the wonders of the Ancient UNESCO World Heritage-listed Angkor Wat at the most peaceful time of day. Walk through the incredible temple complex as the morning sun soaks the elaborate stone carvings.

- A culinary tour of Cambodia
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- Apsara dance and dinner show

Meals: Breakfast and dinner

Day 13/15 Depart Siem Reap

After breakfast this morning, you will be transferred to the airport to board your onward or homebound flight.

Meals: Breakfast

- Vespa tour of Siem Reap
- A visit to Banteay Srei
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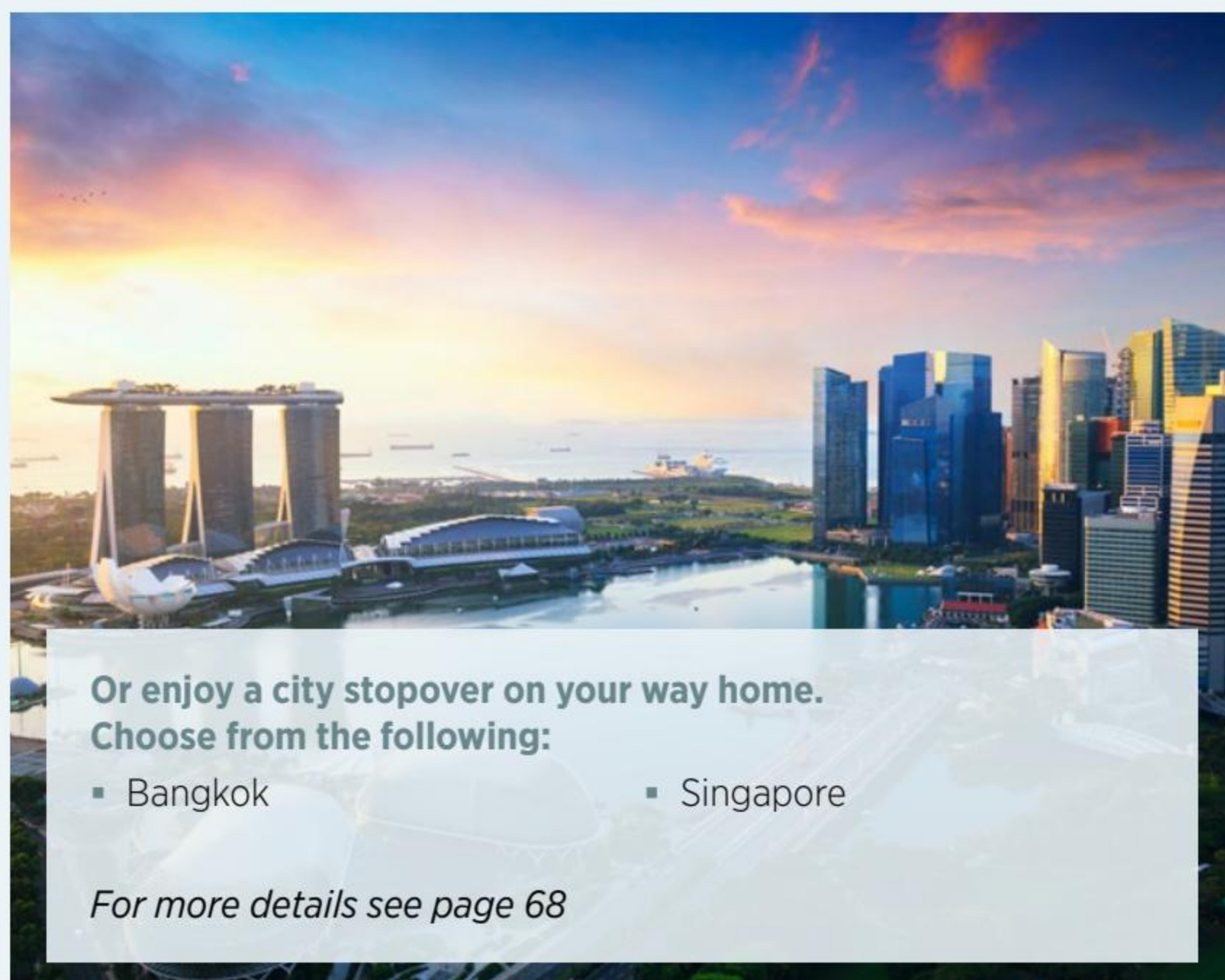
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13/15-Day Wonders of Vietnam, Cambodia & the Mekong

From the grand and iconic to the poignant and local.

Discover the Wonders of Cambodia, Vietnam & the Mekong, starting your journey in Siem Reap where you'll marvel at the blend of ornate and natural beauty of Angkor Thom and the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Angkor Wat. Sailing into Vietnam, you'll gain a deep appreciation for the villagers of Gieng Island, My An Hung, and Ben Tre before enjoying a three-night stay in the cultural centre of Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh City.



Mekong Delta, Vietnam

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Phnom Penh by night on a remark (Tuk-Tuk) tour



Angkor Wat, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Day 1 Arrive Siem Reap

Sous sdei, and welcome to Cambodia. You'll be met at the airport by a member of our friendly greetings team and transferred to the Shinta Mani hotel for your included three-night stay in Siem Reap. In the evening, you'll meet your Cambodian tour director to learn more about the days ahead before enjoying a welcome dinner accompanied by an Apsara dance performance.

 Apsara dance and dinner show


Meals: Dinner

Day 2 Siem Reap

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 Vespa tour of Siem Reap

 A visit to Banteay Srei

 A visit to Tonlé Sap

 A culinary tour of Cambodia

 Senteurs d'Angkor Workshop

Meals: Breakfast

Day 4 Siem Reap – Emerald Harmony embarkation

Today, you'll leave Siem Reap and travel to embark your award-winning Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. On arrival, you'll be welcomed by your friendly captain and crew before setting sail and enjoying your first dinner on board.

Meals: Breakfast, lunch and dinner



Banteay Srei, Cambodia

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Meals: Breakfast and lunch

Day 12/14 Ho Chi Minh City

Enjoy a guided tour of Ho Chi Minh City, starting with a visit to the city's most iconic building, the Reunification (or Independence) Palace. Formerly the South Vietnamese Presidential Palace, images of the building were seen around the world on 30th April 1975 when tanks stormed the gates as Saigon fell to the North Vietnamese. Then, stroll through Ho Chi Minh City's colonial quarter,

walking past scenes of everyday life on the way. Admire the beautiful architecture of the Opera House, Notre Dame Cathedral, City Hall, and the old Saigon Post Office, and listen to the stories about the glory days of French Indochina and how that era continues to influence aspects of modern Vietnamese culture. Tonight, enjoy your farewell dinner with your fellow guests.

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Meals: Breakfast and dinner

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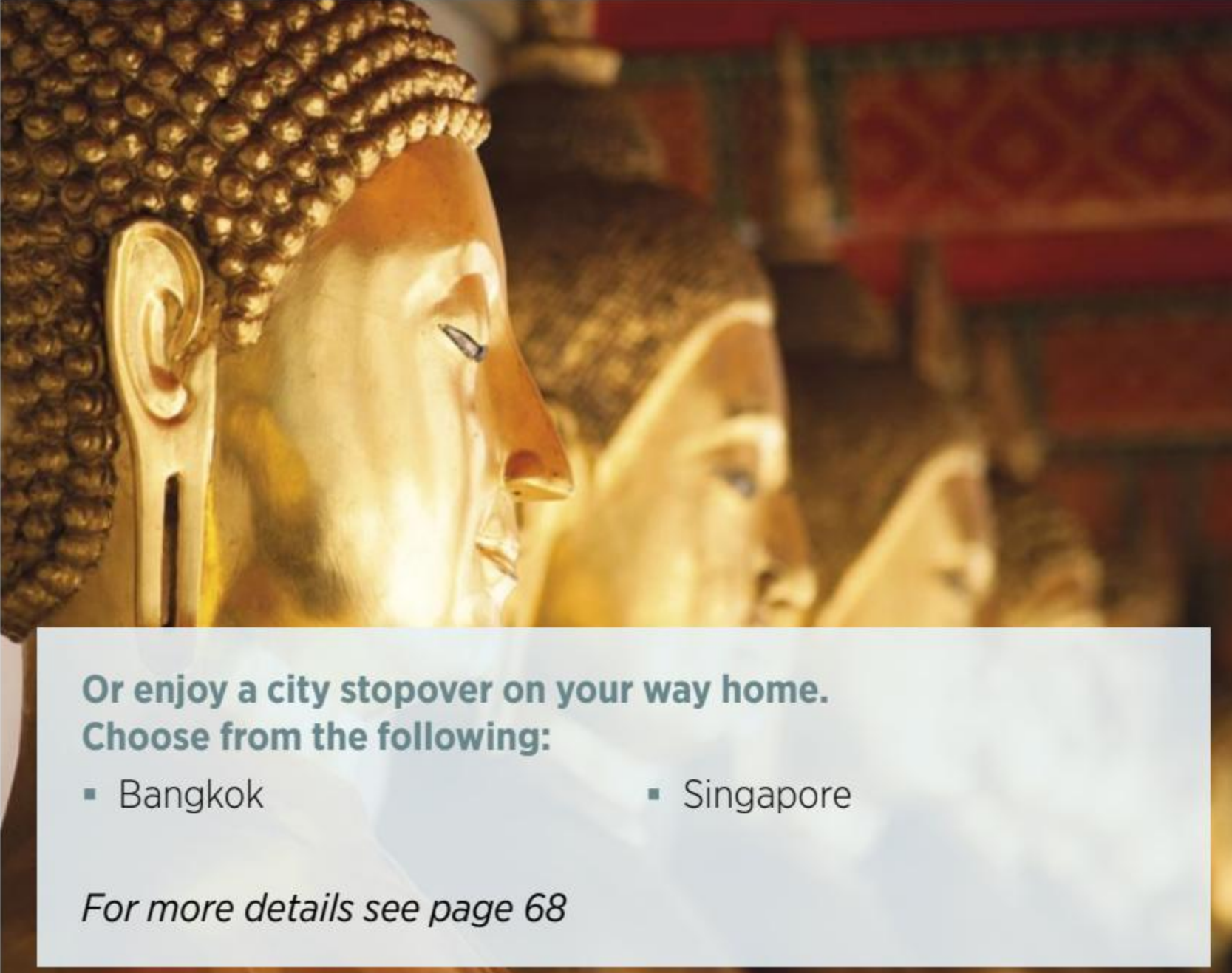
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Included hotels

Enjoy a stay in the region's most exquisite hotel offerings.

A carefully selected collection of included hotels brings you closer to each destination you visit, chosen for their exceptional quality, ideal location and impeccable service.



Sheraton Saigon Hotel, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam



Indochine Palace, Hue, Vietnam



Historic Hotel, Hoi An



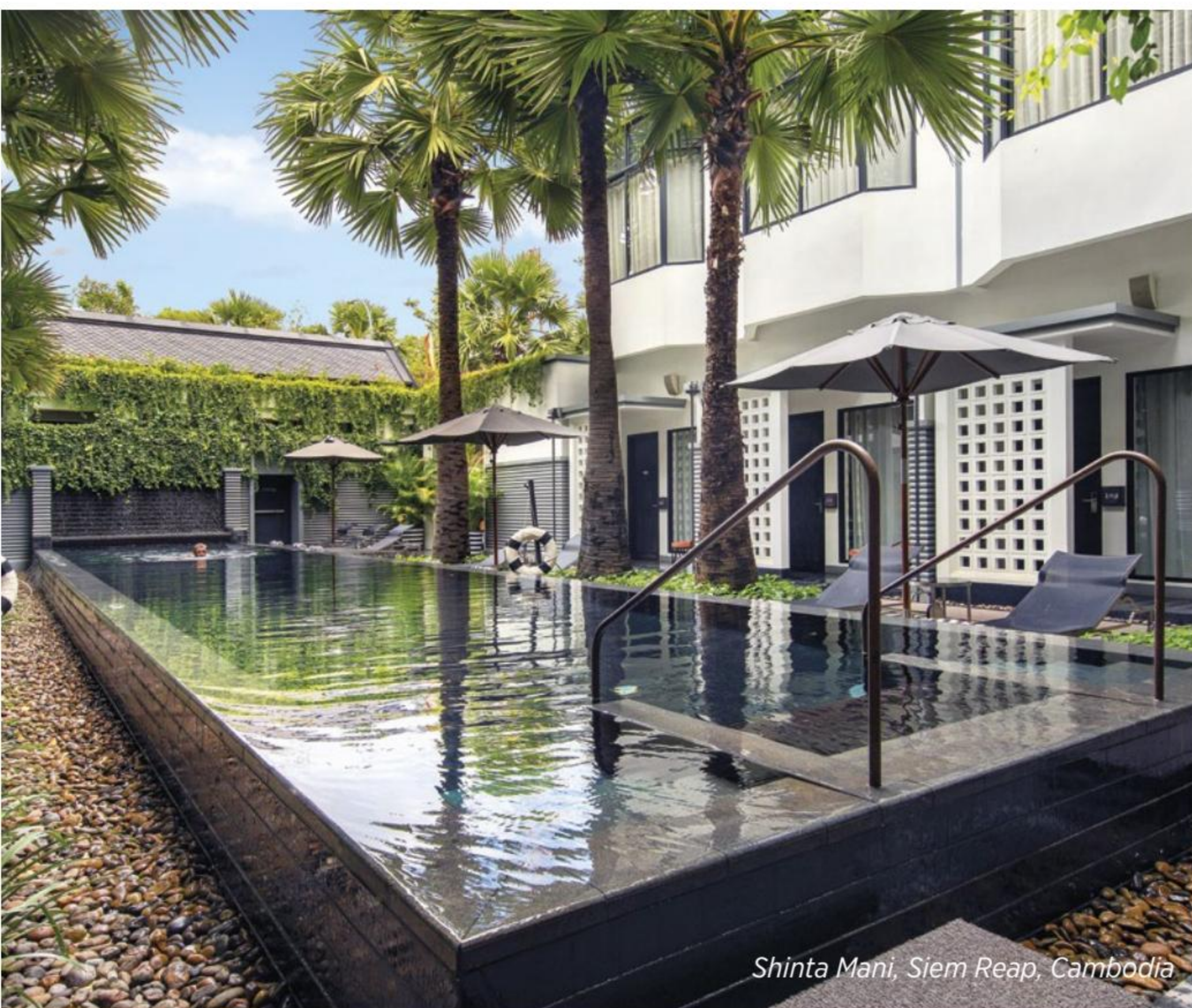
Anatole Hotel, Hanoi

Hanoi – Anatole Hotel

Your comfortable Deluxe City View room is the perfect base from which to explore Hanoi. Located within the Old Quarter neighbourhood, the Anatole Hotel Hanoi blends modern conveniences with classic charm, and don't forget to take advantage of the rooftop infinity pool, offering views of the Old Quarter rooftops, Hoan Kiem Lake and St. Joseph's Cathedral.

Ho Chi Minh City – Sheraton Saigon Hotel

This hotel is the perfect starting point for exploring the city. Located in the heart of Saigon, this spectacular modern-style hotel is a short walk from the banks of the Saigon River. Stunning, spacious rooms look out over Ho Chi Minh City or the hotel's picturesque pool, and the rooftop wine bar serves a wide range of beverages with panoramic views of the city.



Shinta Mani, Siem Reap, Cambodia

Siem Reap – Shinta Mani

This upscale boutique-style resort is centrally located within the city's leafy French Quarter. Its Khmer-inspired design complements its close proximity to Angkor Wat and it's just a short walk from the Old Market and the famous Pub Street.

A stunning swimming pool and flourishing tropical garden make it a tranquil place in which to reside during your visit, as does the onsite spa and rooftop bar and café.

Hoi An – Historic Hotel

This relaxed hotel is set within leafy grounds, close to the UNESCO World-Heritage ancient town. A poolside bar and excellent amenities provide the perfect place to unwind.



Hue – Indochine Palace

A short walk from the Perfume River and Hue Royal Palace, this palatial setting is encircled by lush exotic gardens setting a new standard for excellence in Hue. Sumptuously appointed rooms with stylish, contemporary facilities complement the opulent colonial design aesthetics and several lounge bars, and the spa offers space for relaxation and indulgence during your stay.

Extend your stay

Make the most of your Southeast Asian adventure.

Make the most of your trip to Southeast Asia and extend your holiday with an inbound stopover in Singapore, Bangkok, Dubai or Hong Kong. Discover somewhere new for two or three nights — the perfect opportunity for you to recharge your batteries during a long-haul journey.

You'll stay in world-class hotels, recognised for their excellent location, close to the main attractions. With everything you could need on your doorstep, you'll truly be able to immerse yourself in the atmosphere of whichever city you choose.

Discover the majestic beauty of Bangkok's Grand Palace



Singapore

Inclusions:

- Enjoy one night (or add additional nights) at the Parkroyal Collection Marina Bay (or similar)
- Breakfast daily
- Airport transfers

Available on: Grand Tour of Vietnam & Cambodia, Treasures & Temples of Vietnam & Cambodia, Wonders of Vietnam, Cambodia & the Mekong, Majestic Mekong



Bangkok

Inclusions:

- Enjoy one night (or add additional nights) at the Banyan Tree Hotel (or similar)
- Breakfast daily
- Airport transfers

Available on: Grand Tour of Vietnam & Cambodia, Treasures & Temples of Vietnam & Cambodia, Wonders of Vietnam, Cambodia & the Mekong, Majestic Mekong



Witness the stunning vista of Sapa's rice terraces, Vietnam

6-Day Sapa tour

Regard the breathtaking scenery and cultural diversity of this spectacular part of Vietnam in awe. Visit the Hmong and Red Zao people of the traditional hill tribes and learn all about their fascinating lives. Pay a visit to the bustling Sapa market and the nearby villages of Sa Seng and Sau Chua, surrounded by beautiful mountains where ancient ways of life remain.



Get lost in the natural beauty of Luang Prabang's stunning waterfall, Laos

4-Day Luang Prabang tour

Explore the ancient capital's glistening temples and discover why the city boasts UNESCO World Heritage-listed status. Peruse museums and hidden laneways, experience a traditional Baci ceremony and catch the sunset from Mt. Phousi. Observe Monks collecting alms, take in Kuang Si Falls and immerse yourself in traditional life on the river.



Red Zao people



DiscoverMORE

If you're looking to explore further afield, our distinguished DiscoverMORE excursions are curated specially to grant rare insights that venture beyond the ordinary travel encounters.

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Discover the hidden gem of Banteay Srei Temple and its exquisite architecture, Cambodia

Cambodia

Phnom Penh

Craft Beer Adventure by remork

Travelling around Phnom Penh by local remork, visit multiple local breweries to enjoy a tour of their facilities, and of course, some samples of their craft. Try Cambodia's best-selling commercial beers to determine which of the three most popular lagers is your favourite. Visit a cosy beer garden to enjoy beers paired with either beef or falafel sliders and fries, before finishing up at a German influenced beer garden complete with German food.

Silk Farm Tour at Koh Oknha Tei

Visit a silk farm in Koh Oknha Tei and learn about the silk creation process, from the growing and harvesting of food for the silkworms, to breeding, their life cycle, and finally the spinning and dying process. Best of all, you may find a lovely handmade souvenir you had the opportunity to see being created.

Includes: Local guide • Transfers

Siem Reap

Khmer Cooking Class

Uncover the secrets of Khmer cuisine and join a chef for a cooking class. Buy ingredients at a local market and cook them up in a traditional village kitchen before tasting the finished product. This authentic culinary experience gives you the opportunity to embrace the regional produce and immerse yourself in the local culture.

Includes: Local guide • Tasting • Transfers



Discover My Son, Vietnam's ancient historic kingdom

Tour of Banteay Srei Temple

Banteay Srei or “Citadel of the Women” remains the best preserved temple in Cambodia. Built between the 11th and 13th centuries (allegedly solely by women), it is made of pink sandstone, that’s seen nowhere else in Angkor. Here, you will find some of the finest bas-relief art and examples of Khmer art that depict the Hindu god Shiva.

Includes: Local guide • Transfers

Tour to Tonlé Sap

Tonlé Sap is a UNESCO Biosphere site and the largest lake in Southeast Asia. It is of extreme importance to the Cambodians who live there and earn their living from fishing. You will have the unique opportunity to visit some of the local floating villages located on the lake and experience the lifestyle of these inhabitants.

Includes: Local guide • Transfers

Please note: This is a seasonal tour that is only offered from July to March.



Explore Tonlé Sap, Cambodia’s captivating floating villages and local culture

Vespa Tour of Siem Reap Countryside

Riding tandem on the back of an iconic, elegant Vespa makes for a tour like no other. This incredible experience will take you through the Cambodian countryside in style, where the splendour of these striking surroundings, and the friendly locals will let you discover Siem Reap’s authenticity away from the tourist hotspots.

Includes: Local guide • Vespa ride

Please note: Only recommended for guests with no mobility issues.

Evening – Sunset Gondola Boat at Bayon

On the moat of Angkor Thom, cruise the waters surrounding the ancient city wall in a private gondola paddle boat. Enjoy the scenery as you sip your sparkling wine and enjoy canapes on a 40-minute paddle out to the southwest corner of the wall. Enjoy the setting sun from your gondola boat before returning back to the South Gate of the city.

Evening – Cambodian Street Food Discovery Tour

Tonight, sample the offerings of Siem Reap’s famous street food hawkers. After a stop at the famous Bugs Café, explore the streets around Psar Chas (Old Market), which are lined with various food stalls. Wash down your food at the Sombai ice wine workshop to sample a selection of spirits made from fermented rice. Continue the culinary adventure around Wat Damnak, where eateries serve some of Siem Reap’s most popular BBQ meat street food. End the evening at one of the family-run dessert stalls near Wat Polanka.

Evening – Dinner in the Rice Field

Enjoy a short cruise on the man-made reservoir of West Baray, an impressive engineering feat that was once integral to the complex Angkorian rice irrigation system. Once on the north side of the Baray, it’s a short walk into a local village before following the path to Villa Chandara, a wonderful spot to relax in the quiet of the countryside and enjoy a romantic dinner.

NEW – Senteurs d’Angkor Workshop

Visit this Botanical garden to learn all about Cambodia’s herbs, spices and fruits and see locals at work in workshops dedicated to the preservation of the arts and crafts of Cambodia. Through the different workshop stations, be guided by the scents and flavours of Cambodia as local artisans make by hand soap with coconut oil, natural cosmetics, subtly scented balms, aromatic candles and also their packaging called “smok” and “krebei riel” boxes. Try your hand at making your own candle and packaging to take home as a keepsake.

Includes: Local guide

Please note: Not recommended for guests with limited mobility.

An Long

Tam Nong Ramsar Bird Sanctuary in Tràm Chim National Park

Visit Vietnam’s magical 1500-hectare Tam Nong Bird Sanctuary. Located in the Tràm Chim National Park, this sanctuary is estimated to house a quarter of the bird species found in Vietnam. You will be guided on a tranquil paddle boat along narrow channels through the gnarled, green sunken forest watching the most unique fauna.

Includes: Local guide • Bird watching

Please note: Not recommended for guests with limited mobility.

Vietnam

Hoi An

My Son Historic Kingdom Tour

Visit a workshop where bronze goods are crafted using traditional techniques. Continue to the UNESCO World Heritage-listed temple complex at My Son, soak up the atmosphere and learn about the Cham culture, its rulers, and their impressive reign.

Includes: Local guide • Transfers

Vietnamese Cooking Class – Red Bridge

Indulge in the wonderful flavours of Vietnamese cooking during a hands-on cooking class at the Red Bridge Cooking School. After buying your ingredients at Hoi An’s morning market with your chef, take their boat along the Thu Bon River to the school for a cooking class and self-made lunch.

Includes: Cooking demonstration • Lunch

Hoi An Rural Life

Head into the tranquil countryside for an unforgettable Hoi An cycling tour. Discover unknown regions of Hoi An from ancient temples and water coconut forests to communal organic gardens where you can help the locals with their daily tasks. Paddle to lunch in a traditional basket boat before being rewarded with a delicious local feast.

Ho Chi Minh City

Evening – Ho Chi Minh Street Food Tour

Join your guide on a journey of incredible food discovery during a memorable evening out in Ho Chi Minh City. A walking tour through the city’s fascinating streets will provide you with the opportunity to sample a variety of delicious local foods from different restaurants and food stands featuring some of Saigon’s best dishes.

Includes: Local guide • Food tasting

Evening – One Night In Saigon

Experience an in-depth look into the food and nightlife scene of Ho Chi Minh City. Discover modern Saigon through its contradicting vibes of charming and quiet local restaurants nestled in back alleys to local popular restaurants located on busy streets. Sample local craft beers at specialist bars and finish with a cocktail at an elegant and trendy rooftop venue whilst admiring the amazing panoramic views of Saigon by night.



Experience Vietnam’s cuisine with a hands-on cooking class

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With limited places available, secure your place on your chosen Discover**MORE** activities before you travel.

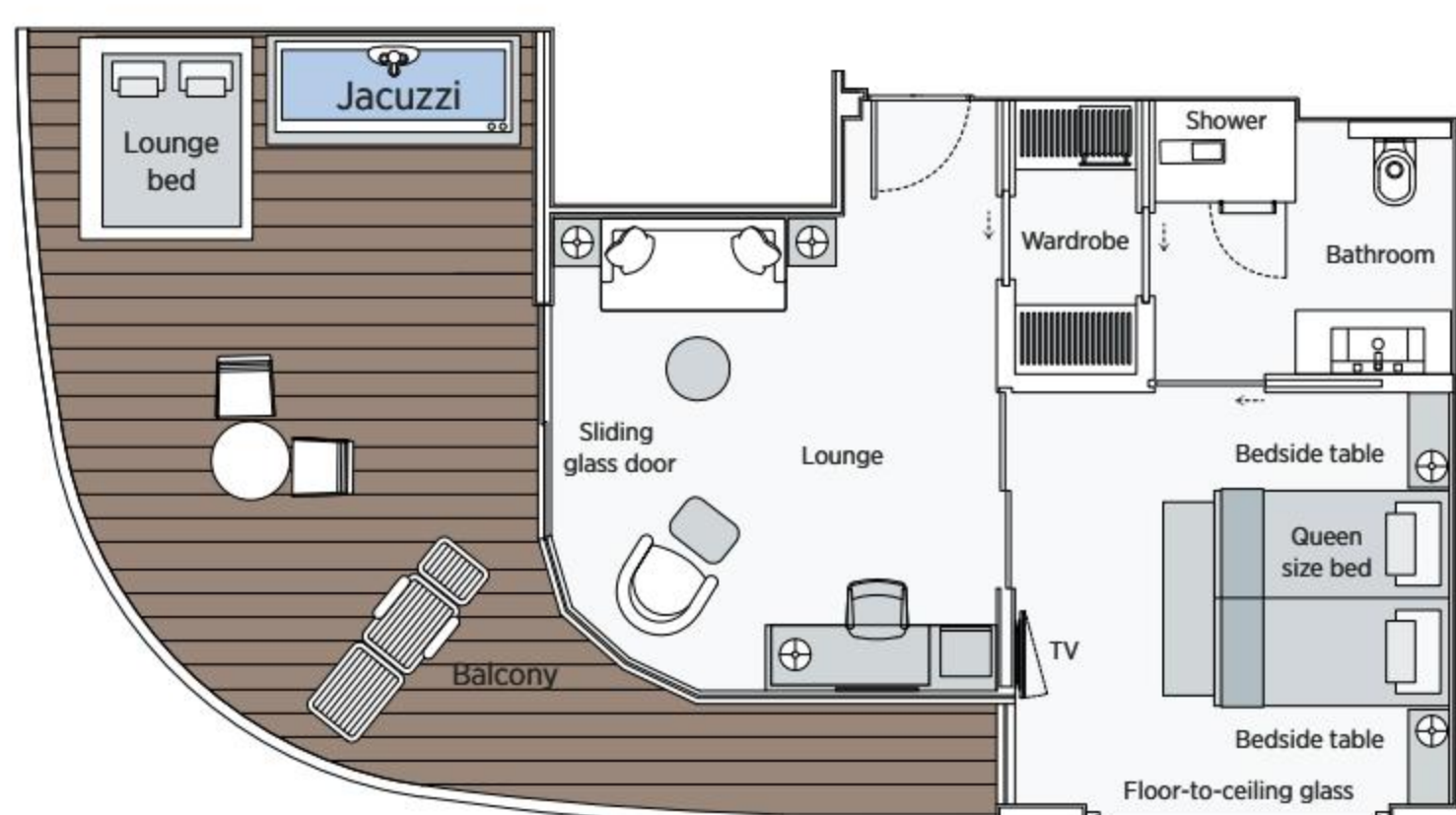
Cabin plans



Owner's One-Bedroom Suite

CAT SA

At 452ft² (42m²), this truly spectacular suite boasts separate bedroom and lounge areas, a luxurious en-suite bathroom and a queen-size or twin-style bed, plus enjoy a private terrace, with an additional space of 323ft² (30m²) complete with a hot tub.



Owner's One-Bedroom Suite

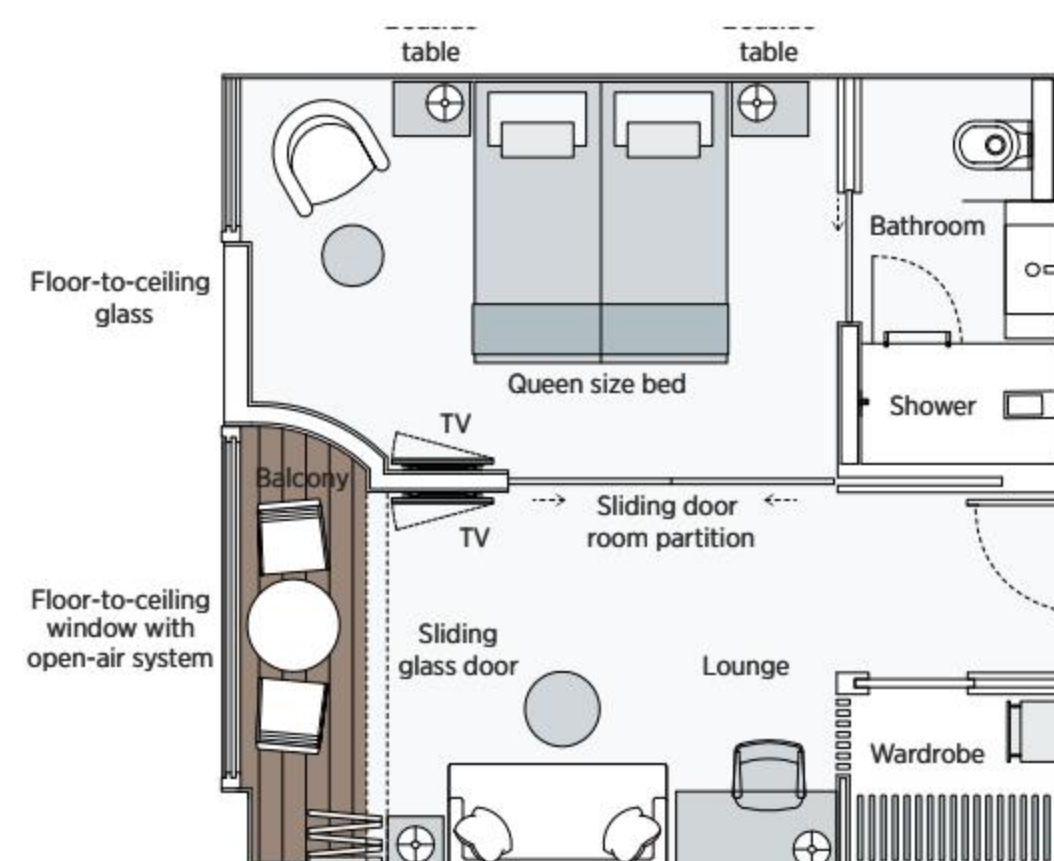
- 452ft² (42m²) plus 323ft² (30m²) terrace
- Private terrace with hot tub
- Separate bedroom and lounge area
- Bathroom with shower, indulgent toiletries, hairdryer, complimentary bathrobes and slippers to use whilst on board
- Walk-in wardrobe
- Complimentary in-suite mini-bar, restocked daily with wine, beer and soft drinks
- Complimentary Nespresso™ machine
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Queen-size or twin hotel-style beds
- Pillow menu
- ESPA toiletries
- Telephone
- Alarm clock
- Hairdryer
- Safe for your valuables
- Individual climate control
- Flat-screen TV and infotainment system
- Continental breakfast, pre-dinner canapés and after-dinner sweet treats served in your suite
- Four items of laundry a day



Grand Balcony Suite

CAT S

Beautifully appointed with a private balcony, these luxurious suites reach 398ft² (37m²) and host a separate bedroom and lounge. Guests staying in these suites can enjoy the opulent surrounds of the en-suite bathroom, as well as breakfast, canapés and after-dinner treats.



Grand Balcony Suite

- 398ft² (37m²)
- Indoor private balcony with open-air system and separate door to close from living room
- Separate bedroom and lounge area
- Bathroom with shower, indulgent toiletries, hairdryer, complimentary bathrobes and slippers to use whilst on board
- Walk-in wardrobe
- Complimentary in-suite mini-bar, restocked daily with wine, beer and soft drinks
- Complimentary Nespresso™ machine
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Queen-size or twin hotel-style beds
- Pillow menu
- ESPA toiletries
- Telephone
- Alarm clock
- Hairdryer
- Safe for your valuables
- Individual climate control
- Flat-screen TV and infotainment system
- Continental breakfast, pre-dinner canapés and after-dinner sweet treats served in your suite
- Two items of laundry a day



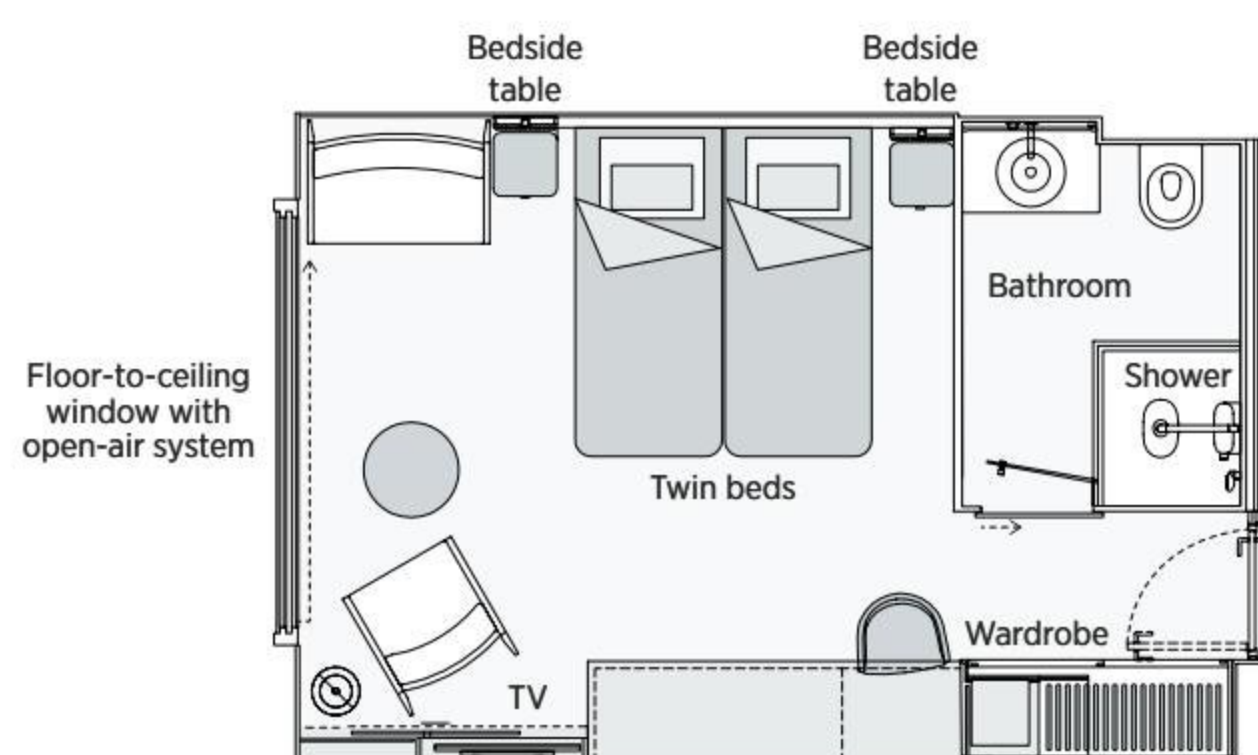
Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite

CAT AP

CAT A

CAT B

A private indoor balcony design and drop-down window are perfect for enjoying the ever-changing views. Reaching 273ft² (25.4m²), relax and unwind in your opulent en-suite bathroom, complete with ESPA toiletries, and sleep soundly in your queen-size or twin hotel-style bed.



Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite

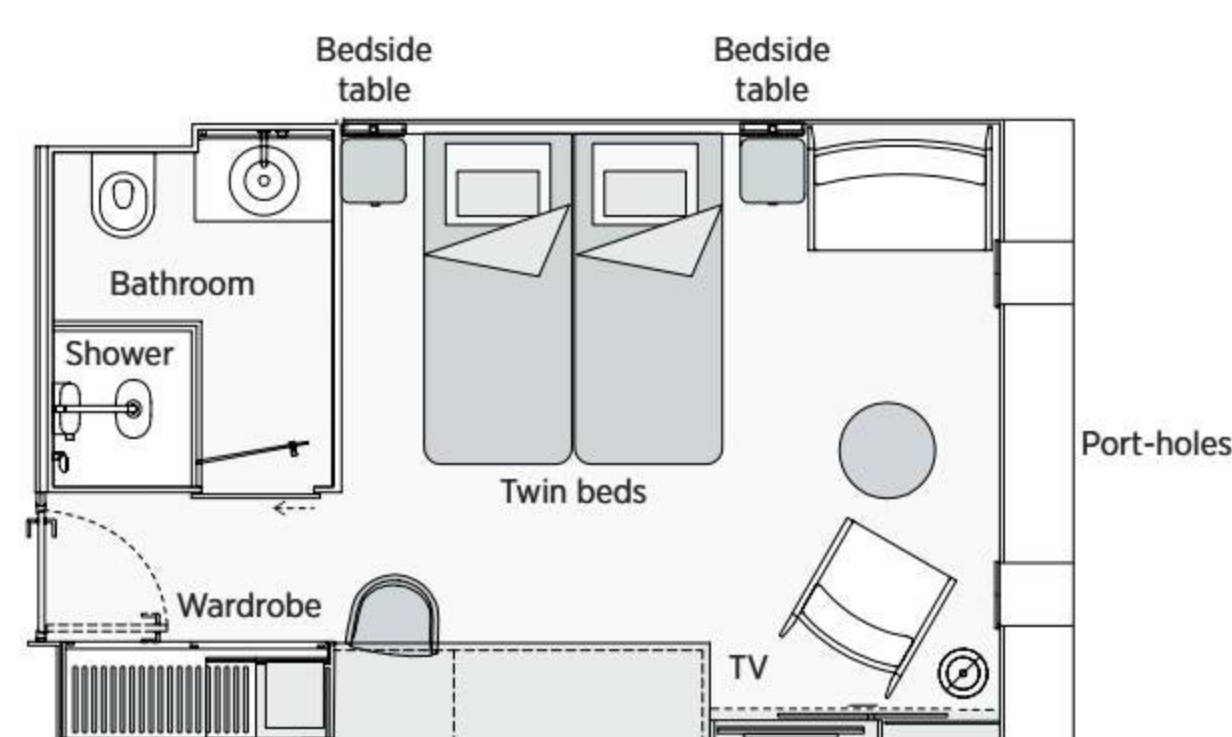
- 273ft² (25.4m²)
- Indoor balcony with open-air system
- Bathroom with shower, indulgent toiletries, hairdryer, complimentary bathrobes and slippers to use whilst on board
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Queen-size or twin hotel-style beds
- ESPA toiletries
- Telephone
- Alarm clock
- Hairdryer
- Safe for your valuables
- Individual climate control
- Flat-screen TV and infotainment system
- Mini-fridge



Emerald Stateroom

CAT D

Providing excellent value for money, these staterooms boast ample space in which to relax. Enjoy your time on board in your home-away-from-home, with everything you could possibly need. Emerald Staterooms have port-hole windows, a flat-screen TV and a mini-fridge.

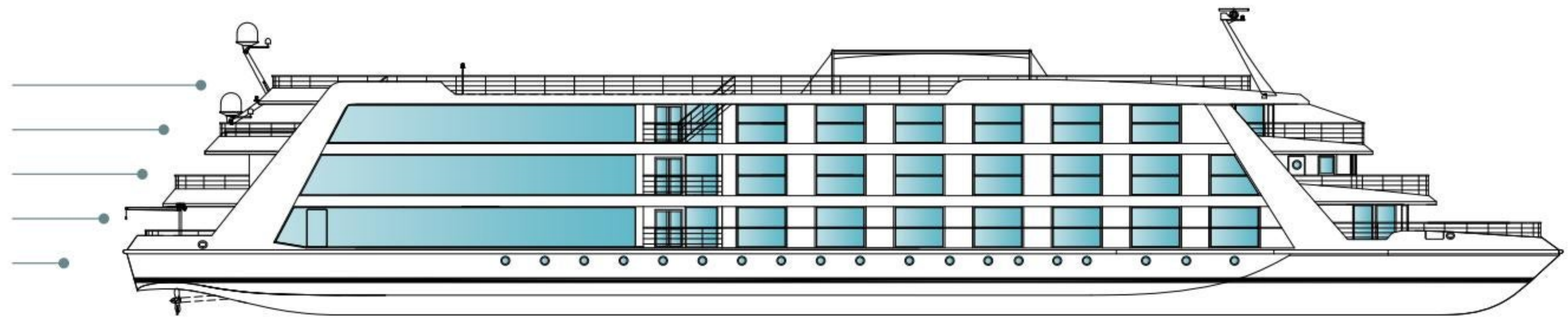


Emerald Stateroom

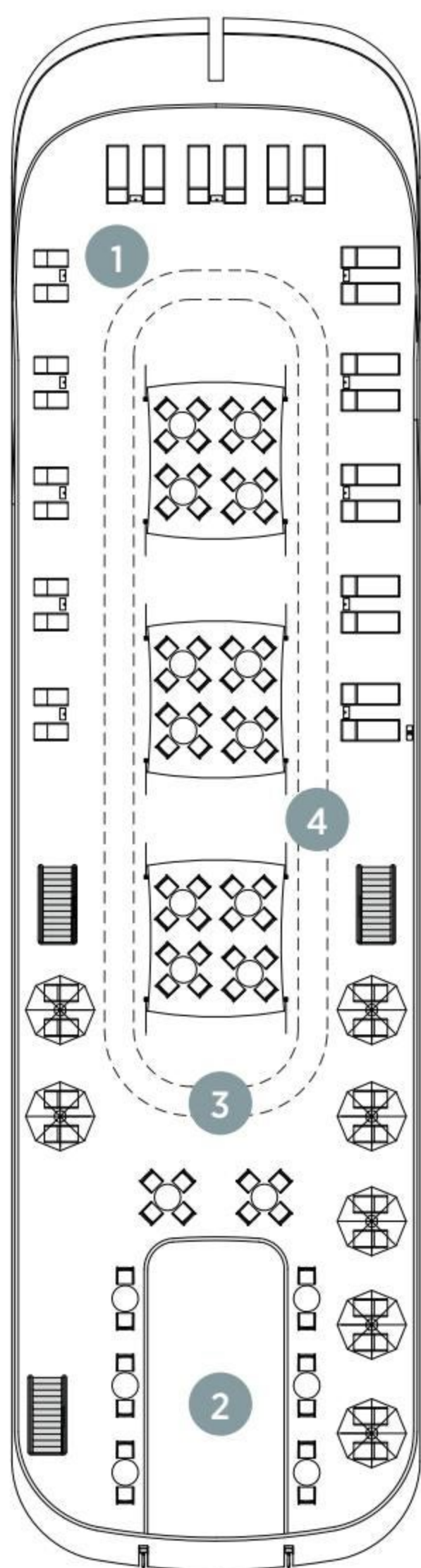
- 256ft² (23.8m²)
- Port-hole window
- Bathroom with shower, indulgent toiletries, hairdryer, complimentary bathrobes and slippers to use whilst on board
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Queen-size or twin hotel-style beds
- ESPA toiletries
- Telephone
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- Individual climate control
- Flat-screen TV and infotainment system
- Mini-fridge

Deck plans

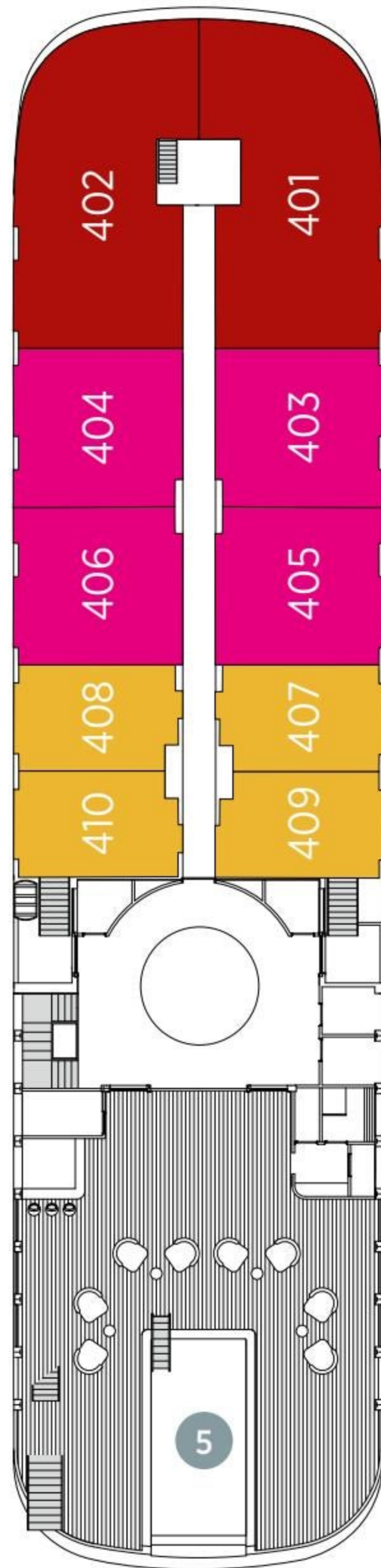
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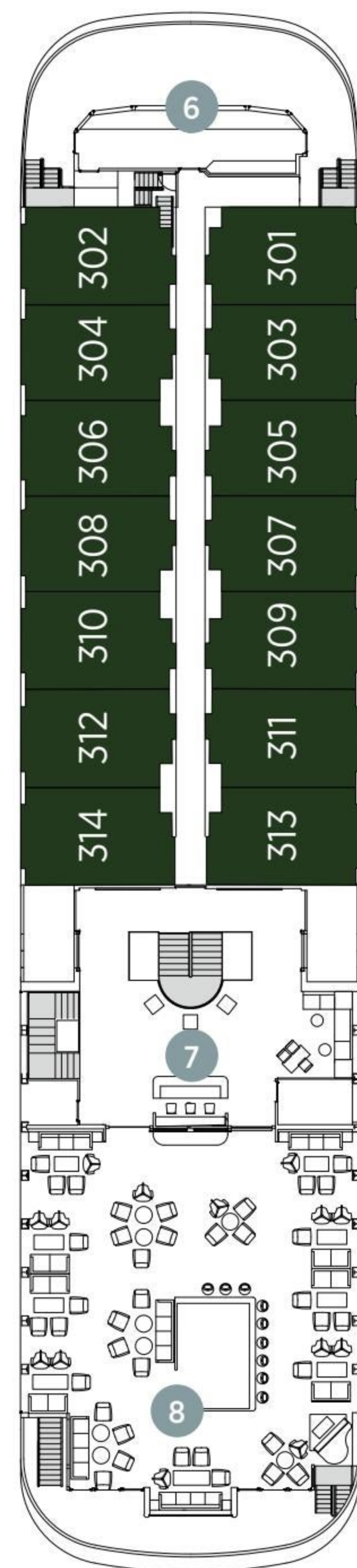
**Deck 6
Sun Deck**



**Deck 5
Pool Deck**



**Deck 4
Horizon Deck**

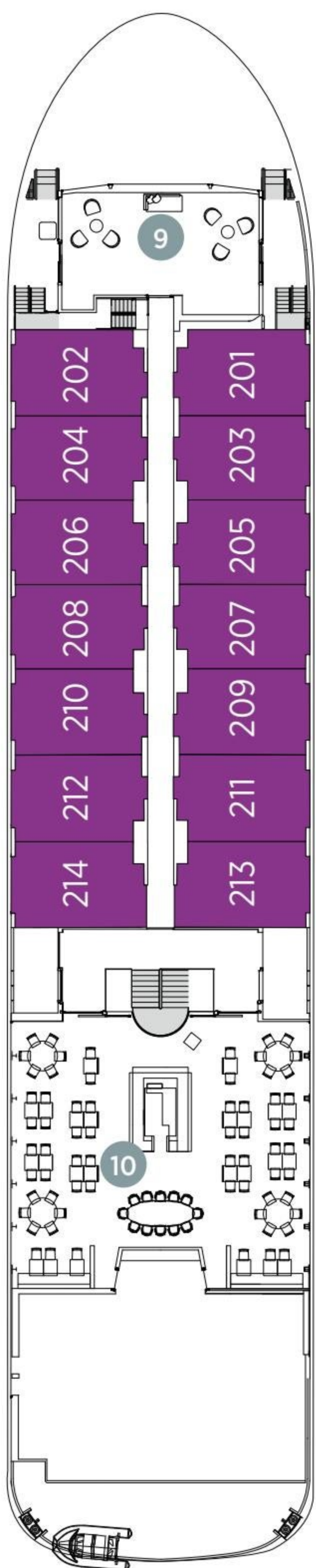


Emerald Harmony Reception

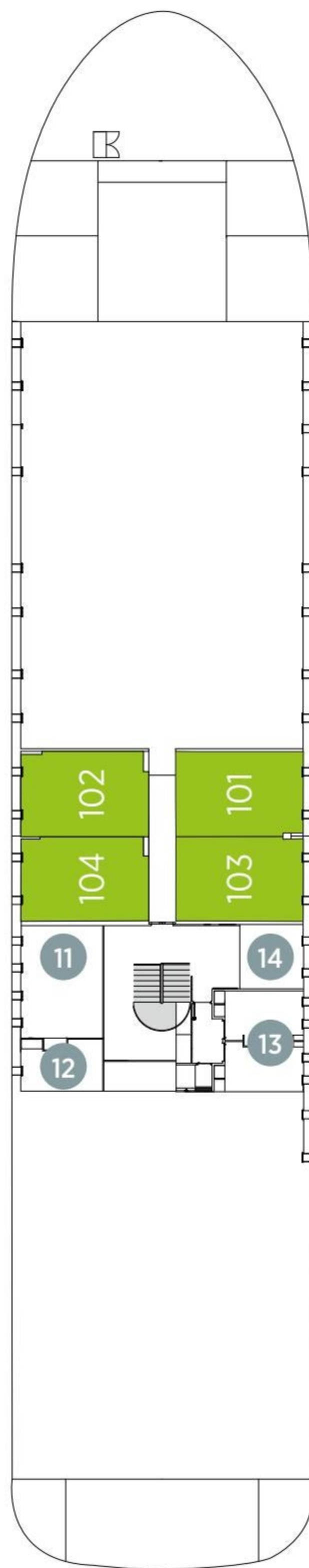


Emerald Harmony

Deck 3 Vista Deck



Deck 2 Riviera Deck



- Built: 2019
- Length: 239ft (73m)
- Guests: 84
- Cabins: 42
- Crew Members: 40

- 1 Sun Deck with Deck Chairs^
- 2 Retractable Sun Shade Roof
- 3 Games Area
- 4 Walking Track
- 5 Daytime Pool & Bar
- 6 Wheel House
- 7 Reception
- 8 Horizon Bar & Lounge
- 9 Lotus Lounge
- 10 Reflections Restaurant
- 11 Fitness Area
- 12 Guest Self-Service Laundry
- 13 Wellness Area
- 14 Hairdresser

Cabin Categories

Pool Deck		Size (m ²)
SA	Owner's One-Bedroom Suite	42m ²
S	Grand Balcony Suite	37m ²
AP	Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite	25.4m ²
Horizon Deck		Size (m ²)
A	Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite	25.4m ²
Vista Deck		Size (m ²)
B	Emerald Panorama Balcony Suite	25.4m ²
Riviera Deck		Size (m ²)
D	Emerald Stateroom	23.8m ²

Important Information: The cabin, deck plans, sizes and photographs are an indication only and are subject to variation. ^Due to safety, the Sun Deck will be closed when travelling under low bridges. Cabin 202 has a smaller bathroom than other Category B bathrooms. Cabins 301 & 302 have a partially obstructed view from the balcony. The balcony window size is not impacted however the Star-Ship structure covers a section of the window.

Our commitment to a sustainable future

Emerald Cruises' Cherish the Planet ethos is our commitment to creating positive changes through sustainable practices and rich community partnerships.

Built in accordance with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, our sustainability agenda reinforces a commitment to environmentally responsible tourism and protecting the locations we operate in.

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



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Booking terms & conditions

Scenic Cruises International GmbH: terms and conditions of travel applicable to ocean cruises and river cruises (package holidays)(Germany)

Please read these terms and conditions of travel carefully before you book. These apply to all bookings made from 1 March 2021 and govern, to the extent effectively agreed, the contractual relationship between you and Scenic Cruises International GmbH (hereinafter referred to as "SCENIC") in addition to the statutory provisions.

For flights the conditions of carriage of the operating air carrier apply in addition; in the case of scheduled flights with international airlines also the general conditions of carriage apply, which are available from your travel agent or online.

Before you enter into a package travel contract, we are required by law to provide you with the significant details of your package holiday and to notify you of your rights under EU Directive 2015/2302.

- Information on your package holiday is set out in the general and specific descriptions of travel services and in these terms and conditions of travel.
- Your rights under EU Directive 2015/2302 are set out at the end of these terms and conditions in the standard form required by law.

Please take note in particular of the following information:

- If, for any reason, you cancel your holiday, **cancellation charges** will apply. In cases provided for in these terms and conditions, we may also cancel your booking.
- You may make amendments to your booking but there will be a **charge** for this.
- We recommend that you take out travel insurance that is appropriate to your needs.
- We are responsible for your package holiday in accordance with these terms and conditions of travel and in the case of defective performance will pay compensation when appropriate.

1 GENERAL

The following terms and conditions of travel form, together with the general information and tour specifications in our travel brochure, your contract with Scenic Cruises International GmbH, phone: 0800 554 1415, email: info@scenic.eu, hereinafter referred to as "SCENIC", with a registered business address of Wallbrunnstrasse 24, 79539 Lörrach, Germany.

SCENIC operates river and ocean cruises and shore excursions (accompanied tours) in accordance with the following terms and conditions under the brands Scenic Luxury Cruises & Tours and Emerald Cruises.

All references in these terms and conditions of travel to "holiday", "booking", "cruise", "travel/tour" or "arrangements" refer to these travel services unless otherwise stated. In these terms and conditions of travel, "traveller", "passenger", "you" and "your" means all persons named in the booking (including all persons who are added or substituted at a later date) and "we" "us" and "our" means SCENIC.

In these terms and conditions, headings are intended exclusively for ease of overview and not to be binding as regards the substance or the interpretation of the clauses.

The terms and conditions of travel shall be effective if provided to the traveller before or on entering into the contract. The terms and conditions are included with the travel brochure provided to the traveller / given to the traveller in the travel agency and, in addition, provided again together with confirmation of receipt of the booking enquiry.

2 TRAVEL CONTRACT, CONCLUSION OF THE CONTRACT

(1) By making a travel booking, the traveller makes a **binding** offer to SCENIC to enter into a travel contract (booking request). The booking may be made in writing or orally. Electronic bookings (by email or online) are made directly with SCENIC or through travel agents and/or their electronic booking systems, contracted by SCENIC to sell its holidays. Where bookings are made electronically, an electronic confirmation of receipt of the booking shall not constitute acceptance of the offer to enter into a contract.

(2) The person who makes the booking is the **lead traveller**; he functions as the contact person also on behalf of all the other **travellers listed in the booking**. The lead traveller shall be responsible for all contractual obligations of the fellow travellers, on whose behalf he books, as if they were his own, provided always that he has undertaken this obligation by an express and separate commitment.

(3) The travel contract comes into effect only on receipt of a **written booking advice** from SCENIC with effect for all the travellers named in the booking and on the basis of the specifications set out in the travel confirmation/invoice and these terms and conditions of travel.

(4) If the content of the booking advice differs from that of the booking, this constitutes a new offer to the traveller.

SCENIC shall be bound to this for a period of 10 days from receipt of the booking advice. The travel contract comes into effect on the basis of the new offer where the traveller accepts the offer within this period by express declaration, payment of a deposit or the outstanding amount or by starting the travel.

(5) SCENIC wishes to draw your attention to the fact that, according to the **German statutory provisions** governing package contracts entered into at a distance (e.g. by letter, telephone, email, teledisplay or online services), no right of withdrawal exists; only the statutory or contractual rights to terminate the contract apply.

3 SCOPE OF SERVICES

(1) SCENIC's obligation to provide services comprises the transportation and accommodation and any further services agreed for the registered travellers and results exclusively from the content of the booking advice in conjunction with the travel brochure/catalogue valid for the dates of travel and/or the description of travel including all information and explanations set out therein. Ancillary agreements or other agreements that modify the scope of the contractual services require SCENIC's written confirmation.

(2) Booking offices (e.g. travel agents, tour operators) and service providers (e.g. hotels, transport companies) are not authorised by SCENIC to agree arrangements, provide information or make changes.

(3) If a booking office provides the traveller with hotel or local brochures or other information, the information contained therein shall not affect the travel services agreed with SCENIC unless expressly agreed with SCENIC and confirmed by SCENIC.

4 TOUR PRICE AND PAYMENT, INSOLVENCY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

(1) The tour price is based on the cabin category as indicated in the travel brochure or catalogue valid for the date of the travel booking and/or the description of travel including all information and explanations set out therein.

Upgrades to other cabin types may be **available at additional cost**. Please note that individual cabin number requests are a request only and cannot be guaranteed.

You must check the price of your chosen holiday at the date of booking. Departure taxes are not included in the tour price. These are payable by the passenger locally.

(2) The tour price is payable directly to SCENIC by credit card or bank transfer. Unless otherwise expressly agreed with SCENIC, payments to travel agents do not discharge your liability to make payment.

(3) To protect travellers' payments SCENIC has arranged insolvency insurance. **The certificate of insolvency protection is included with your booking advice.**

(4) After entering the contract and receipt of the certificate of insolvency protection a **deposit** is payable which will be credited towards the tour price. **The deposit is 20% of the tour price.** The deposit must be paid within **seven (7) days by bank transfer or credit card** to SCENIC's bank account as specified in the booking advice. The outstanding amount is due no later than 30 days before the start of travel provided that the certificate of insolvency protection has been supplied. Where bookings are made less than 30 days before the start of travel, the full tour price is due immediately on receipt of the certificate of insolvency protection.

(5) The electronic travel documents will be sent after full payment has been received and full passport details of all the travel participants registered by the lead traveller have been supplied.

5 FAILURE TO PAY

(1) If the traveller does **not fulfil his payment obligations within the periods specified**, SCENIC may, after having issued an overdue notice to the traveller setting a new deadline for payment and such period expiring without payment being made, terminate the travel contract and claim compensation in the form of a **cancellation fee as specified in clause 10** of these terms and conditions of travel. This is without prejudice to the right of the traveller to prove that no costs arose or that the costs were considerably lower. SCENIC reserves the right to pass on to the traveller **the additional expenses arising** (e.g. bank charges, fees for failed direct debits, debt collection fees) **as a result of non-payment or a failure to make full payment** and where a formal overdue notice is issued to charge the traveller the cost of such notice.

(2) Unless the tour price is paid in full, the traveller shall not be entitled to the travel documents and the provision of travel services by SCENIC. The travel documents that provide the traveller with a legal entitlement towards service providers to provide the travel services are, as a matter of principle, only supplied on full payment of the tour price.

6 VARIATIONS TO THE SERVICES

(1) We expressly **reserve** the right – before confirming

your travel – to make changes for objective reasons to the prices and information stated concerning the contractual travel services and to the catalogue particulars and/or description of travel and, in particular, to correct errors. SCENIC will naturally inform the traveller of all changes before entering the contract.

(2) **Changes to travel services** to the services contractually agreed that become necessary after entering the contract are permitted. This applies in particular but is not limited to changes resulting from the particular characteristics of shipping.

This is conditional on the **changes being insignificant** within the meaning of section 651f, subsection 2, of the German Civil Code, SCENIC not acting in bad faith in their introduction, and the changes being reasonable and not affecting the overall design or the overall character of the booked travel. The same applies in particular also to changes to sailing times and port stays and/or to routes (in particular for safety or weather reasons), which are a matter exclusively for the captain responsible for the vessel to decide. This shall be without prejudice to any warranty claims of the traveller.

SCENIC and/or its agents shall inform the traveller of such a change to the services in a clear, comprehensible and prominent manner on a durable medium (e.g. by letter, fax or email) without delay on becoming aware of the reason necessitating the change and before the start of travel, as provided for in section 651f, subsection 2, of the German Civil Code. If objections to the changes are raised, the booking advice shall prevail.

(3) If after entering the contract SCENIC can provide the travel only with a **significant alteration** to one of the main characteristics of the travel services or cannot meet special requirements requested by the passenger which have become contractually agreed, SCENIC is entitled before the start of the travel to propose to the customer a corresponding contractual change or, at its discretion, to offer the customer an alternative tour (substitute travel) (section 651g of the German Civil Code). SCENIC may, before the start of the travel, require the traveller within a reasonable period specified to accept the significant variations to the contract or to terminate the contract without paying a cancellation fee. In the notification of the changes, SCENIC shall expressly draw the traveller's attention to this deadline.

The traveller may respond to the notification by either accepting the contractual change, requesting to participate in substitute travel, where this was offered to him, or terminating the contract without a fee. If the traveller does not respond or does not respond within the specified period, the amendment notified is deemed accepted. This shall be without prejudice to any warranty claims, however, if the amended services are not in conformity with the contract.

(4) **The traveller must bear and/or reimburse** any additional expenses arising by reason of a **quarantine** beyond the scope of SCENIC's responsibility.

(5) Please note that the **allocation of seats by airlines** is **limited** by the number of seats available in **each category**. Airlines accept changes to advance seat reservations until shortly before departure. Further, seat reservations are possible, at the earliest, when flight times have been published. In addition, in accordance with official safety rules, certain seats, in particular those in the emergency exit rows with greater legroom (XL seats), cannot be reserved for all categories of traveller.

7 CHANGES TO THE TRAVEL ROUTE

(1) Following the start of travel, SCENIC shall inform travellers without undue delay within a reasonable period of any changes to the route of their ocean or river cruise (hereinafter both ocean cruises and river cruises are referred to as a "cruise").

(2) Circumstances that can result in a change to the travel route or cruise, in particular for safety or weather reasons, are, **for example, high or low water levels** in a waterway or port, ports or locks that are closed, storms, storm warnings and unforeseen circumstances beyond the control of SCENIC. Changes to the travel route or cruise may, in addition, include:

- (a) the use of substitute vessels for part or all of the cruise;
- (b) cabin changes on a vessel;
- (c) additional embarkations and disembarkations;
- (d) changes to the destinations to be visited and to departure and arrival times;
- (e) a reduction or increase in the period of stay in a particular location.

This shall be without prejudice to any warranty claims.

8 PRICE CHANGES

(1) SCENIC reserves the right to change the price stated and confirmed in the booking subject to the following conditions.

(a) The period between the date the contract was entered

and the agreed date of travel amounts to more than 20 days; the circumstances resulting in the increase occurred after the contract was entered and the price increase is limited to the passing on of increased costs and fees resulting from the increased price of the carriage of passengers resulting from higher costs for fuel or other power sources, an increase in the level of taxes and other fees for agreed travel services such as tourist taxes, port or airport taxes or changes to the exchange rates applicable to the relevant package travel.

(b) Where the increase applies on seat-by-seat basis, SCENIC may require the traveller concerned to pay the additional amount. In other cases, the additional costs of carriage imposed by the carrier per vehicle shall be divided by the number of seats in the agreed vehicle. SCENIC may require the traveller to pay the resulting increase in the price of an individual seat.

(c) SCENIC shall notify the traveller clearly and comprehensibly on a durable medium of the price increase and its justification and provide a calculation for the increase in price. A price increase shall be effective only if it fulfils these requirements and the traveller is notified no later than 20 days before the start of the travel.

(2) Where a **price increase exceeds 8%** SCENIC may require the traveller either to accept the offer relating to the price increase or to terminate the travel contract in good time (within a period specified by SCENIC) without paying a cancellation fee. An offer relating to a price increase cannot be made where 20 days or fewer remain before the travel is due to start. Following the expiry of the period specified by SCENIC, the offer relating to the price increase shall be deemed accepted unless the traveller has terminated the contract. In the offer relating to a price increase, SCENIC may also offer the traveller an alternative tour.

(3) **SCENIC must grant the traveller a reduction in the tour price if and to the extent that, after entering the contract and before the start of the travel, the abovementioned prices, taxes or exchange rates have changed, resulting in decreased costs for SCENIC.** If the traveller has paid more than the amount due following such reduction, SCENIC must refund the overpayment. SCENIC may, however, deduct administrative expenses actually incurred from the amount to be refunded. At the traveller's request, SCENIC must prove that the administrative expenses were incurred.

9 CHANGING THE BOOKING, TRANSFER OF THE PACKAGE TO ANOTHER TRAVELLER

(1) If, **after entering the contract and before the start of the travel**, the traveller requests **changes to the contract** (e.g. dates of travel, destination, accommodation, means of transport, departure airports), SCENIC will endeavour to satisfy the traveller's request. **Travellers do not have a right to amend or change their booking.** If, at the traveller's request, changes are made not affecting the overall profile of the tour (maintaining, in particular, the duration of the tour and the tour price), SCENIC shall charge a processing fee of **EUR 50** per traveller. Change fees are due immediately.

(2) Before the start of the travel, the traveller may notify SCENIC in writing that another traveller is replacing him in relation to the rights and obligations under the package travel contract. SCENIC must receive the notification no later than seven days before the start of travel. SCENIC may reject the transfer to another traveller if this person does not satisfy the contractual travel requirements or his participation is precluded by legislative provisions or official order.

If the contract is transferred to another traveller, the original traveller and the new traveller (the transferee) shall be jointly and severally liable to SCENIC for the payment of the tour price and the additional costs arising from the transfer. SCENIC may claim the reimbursement of additional costs if and to the extent these are reasonable and SCENIC has actually incurred such. SCENIC will provide the traveller with proof of the additional costs arising from the transfer to another traveller.

(3) On scheduled flights **a change of passenger is only possible, provided availability exists, by cancelling the existing booking and making a new booking.** In this case, the provisions of clause 10 (Termination by the traveller) shall apply accordingly.

10 TERMINATION BY THE TRAVELLER

(1) The traveller may terminate the contract **at any time before the start of the travel by notifying his travel agent or SCENIC directly (TERMINATION or CANCELLATION).**

Travellers are recommended to communicate the termination in writing. In determining the relevant date, receipt of the notice of termination by SCENIC or the travel agent shall be decisive.

If the traveller terminates before the start of the travel or does not participate in the tour, SCENIC shall be entitled to appropriate compensation unless the termination is attributable to SCENIC or unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances occur at the place of destination or its immediate vicinity, significantly affecting the performance

of the travel services or which significantly affect the carriage of passengers to the destination. Circumstances shall be regarded as unavoidable and extraordinary within the meaning of this clause, where they are outside the control of the party who invokes them and their consequences could not have been avoided even if all reasonable measures had been taken.

The amount of the compensation is determined in accordance with the cruise fare less the value of SCENIC's cost savings and the income SCENIC generates from alternative deployment of the travel services. The compensation will be standardised and differentiated in accordance with the period between the date at which the traveller's notice of termination is received and the start of the travel and the nature of the travel booked. In application of these principles, SCENIC may claim compensation for each traveller registered in accordance with the following scale:

- 150 days or more before the start of the travel
3 % of the tour price

- 149 to 50 days before the start of the travel
20 % of the tour price

- 49 to 30 days before the start of the travel
30 % of the tour price

- 29 to 22 days before the start of the travel
40 % of the tour price

- 21 to 15 days before the start of the travel
60 % of the tour price

- 14 days or less before the start of travel
80 % of the tour price

- no-show, cancellation on the day on which travel begins and cancellation after the tour
95 % of the tour price

(2) Compensation / cancellation fees are due immediately.

(3) In the case of a partial cancellation, where one full fare paying traveller originally booked in a cabin on the basis of two persons sharing cancels and as a consequence the remaining traveller uses the cabin booked as a single cabin, SCENIC shall be entitled to the cancellation fees specified in the above table and, in any event, standardised compensation amounting to no less than 80 % of the pro-rata tour price.

The same shall apply in the case of a partial cancellation where one full fare paying passenger booked in a cabin on the basis of several persons sharing cancels and as a consequence the cabin originally booked on the basis of full occupancy is used by a reduced number of passengers. In this case, SCENIC reserves the right to change the cabin booked.

(4) If service providers, in particular transport companies, charge SCENIC higher fees, cancellation fees up to the price of the travel and/or the flight may apply. Where external service providers involved in the provision of the tour have cancellation terms and charges which differ from those set out here, their cancellation terms shall apply where this is expressly stated in the booking advice.

(5) SCENIC reserves the right to claim in place of the standardised compensation set out above a higher level of compensation calculated on an individual basis on condition that SCENIC proves that it has occurred costs that are significantly greater than those covered by the standardised level of compensation. In this case, SCENIC must provide proof of the compensation asserted, setting out a detailed calculation which takes account of the costs saved.

(6) The traveller is entitled to prove to SCENIC that no loss has occurred or that the loss arising is considerably lower than the costs accounted for in the standardised compensation amount applicable in that case.

(7) The traveller is hereby expressly advised that travel insurance including cancellation cover is recommended. However, travel insurance including cancellation cover is not included in the tour price.

11 TERMINATION BY SCENIC

(1) SCENIC reserves the right in the following cases to terminate the travel contract in full or in part before the start of travel (Rücktritt) or after the start of travel (Kündigung):

(a) **Where the number of persons enrolled is smaller than the minimum number specified**, provided that SCENIC has stated the minimum number of persons in the tour description concerned and fixed a date prior to the contractually agreed start of the travel by which the notification must have been received by the traveller and in the booking advice specifies the minimum number of persons and the latest date by which it may terminate or refers to the relevant details in the advertisement for the travel. **SCENIC must notify the traveller of the trip cancellation without undue delay where it is clear that the trip cannot be operated because the number of persons enrolled is lower than the minimum number specified.** The termination of the contract must be notified to the traveller, in the case of trips lasting more than six days, no later than 20 days before the start of the travel and, in the case of trips lasting between two and six days, no later than seven days before the start of the travel. If

it is clear at an earlier date that the minimum number of persons specified for a trip cannot be achieved, SCENIC will exercise its right to terminate without undue delay.

(b) Where performance of the travel contract is prevented because of **unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances as specified in Section 561h, subsection 4, of the German Civil Code**, SCENIC shall terminate the contract immediately on becoming aware of the grounds for termination.

If carriage of the passenger to the place of departure or to another place agreed by the parties (return travel) is covered by the contract and impossible to ensure because of unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances, SCENIC shall, in accordance with Section 651k, subsection 4, of the German Civil Code and subject to the exceptions provided for in Section 651k, subsection 5, of the German Civil Code, bear the cost of necessary accommodation for the traveller for a period not exceeding three nights.

In the cases covered by paragraphs 1(a) and 1(b), SCENIC shall offer the traveller a FUTURE TRAVEL CREDIT (FTC) voucher.

(2) In the event of **non-payment of the tour price** when due, in circumstances where issue of an overdue notice specifying a further deadline for payment has not resulted in payment, as specified in clause 5 (Failure to pay).

(3) Further, before or after the start of the travel, SCENIC may terminate the contract in full or in part without being required to observe a notice period where

(a) the mental or physical condition of a traveller does not allow him to (continue his) travel, as this condition makes the traveller unfit to travel or constitutes a danger for the traveller himself or another person on board. In such a case, carriage may be denied or the traveller's holiday may be terminated at any time. SCENIC shall not be responsible for any additional costs arising. The same applies where as a result of a mental or physical disability a passenger requires special care going beyond the contractually agreed services of SCENIC and the passenger does not have an accompanying person who is able to provide this care;

(b) the traveller brings on board weapons, munitions, explosive or flammable substances or similar; further, when he consumes illegal drugs or brings these on board and/or commits criminal offences. Termination shall also be justified where an attempt is made to commit the above;

(c) the traveller booked providing false details of his identity, address and ID document;

(d) the traveller, despite a formal warning from SCENIC, disrupts the operation of the tour so persistently or behaves contrary to the terms of the contract to such an extent as to justify the immediate termination of the contract.

In these cases, the traveller may be excluded from the trip. SCENIC shall retain the right to the tour price; in this connection account will be taken of the value of the costs saved and the advantages that accrue to SCENIC from alternative deployment of services not used. The traveller shall bear any additional costs for the return journey.

(4) On board ship, the ship's rules apply, which the traveller must observe and comply with without restriction. The captain is responsible for the ship, the passengers and the crew. In exercising his nautical command and for the purposes of ensuring safety and observance of the ship's rules, the captain has sole decision-making power and consequently may order a passenger to leave the ship without compensation. The same applies if any of the situations specified in clause 11(3) arise during the tour.

12 MEDICAL CARE, SHIP'S DOCTOR

(1) The presence of a ship's doctor must only be ensured where this is expressly provided for in the description of travel. The services of the ship's doctor are not contractual services provided by SCENIC. The ship's doctor carries out his activities independently and at his own responsibility and is not subject to directions of any kind from SCENIC or the ship's crew. The travel price does not include any services provided by the ship's doctor; the traveller is exclusively responsible for settling those fees. SCENIC is not under any obligation to provide information concerning treatment under a health voucher (Krankenschein) or at the expense of a statutory health insurer and/or reimbursement for treatment by statutory or private health insurers. The ship's doctor is not a vicarious agent of SCENIC. SCENIC shall not be liable for the accessibility and availability of the ship's doctor, for the observance of specific consultation and treatment times, for any omission to provide treatment or assistance or for errors in treatment.

(2) Treatment on the ship is comparable to consulting a doctor in another country (e.g. Switzerland, the Bahamas, Myanmar or Vietnam). Payment must be made using the boarding card. It is not possible to settle medical fees with a health insurance card. SCENIC shall not be liable for the eligibility of the treatment costs for partial or full reimbursement by the traveller's health insurer.

(3) Comprehensive medical treatment on board is possible

only to a limited extent. Dialysis and dental treatment cannot be carried out on board. The ship's pharmacy holds products for common illnesses and initial emergency treatment. In a medical emergency the patient will have to leave the ship and will be transported to a nearby onshore hospital. The traveller/patient shall bear all the costs arising in this connection. Travellers who are being treated for a medical condition are recommended to carry details of their condition and treatment with them.

(4) SCENIC recommends travellers to inquire from their health insurer before the start of travel as to the scope of their coverage when travelling abroad or to take out foreign travel health insurance which also provides cover for the risks associated with a cruise holiday, including the costs of medical care as well as the costs and expenses that the traveller may incur by reason of evacuation on medical grounds that could possibly be required in remote areas.

(5) **SCENIC does not accept any liability for the provision of medical care or for the appropriateness of any nursing or care services provided.**

13 TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS AND INFANTS AS WELL AS FOR PERSONS WITH REDUCED MOBILITY, TRAVELLERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS AND EXCLUSIONS FROM TRAVEL, YOUNG TRAVELLERS

(1) If the traveller or a member of his party

- has a medical condition or is in comparable circumstances,
- is pregnant,
- has a physical impairment, or
- has special requirements on account of a medical condition or comparable circumstances, that might affect his travel (including any which affect the booking process),

the traveller must notify SCENIC in writing thereof, specifying all the medical or mobility equipment required by that person, before the traveller places the booking so that we can assist you in considering the suitability of the arrangements and/or in making the booking. Some activities on board the ship and onshore at all ports may be unsuitable for persons with reduced mobility.

(2) Further the traveller is under an obligation to notify us following booking of every change or deterioration in the physical impairment and/or medical situation or circumstances or of the onset of a physical impairment, a pregnancy or a medical situation or circumstances which could affect his travel.

(3) We reserve the right to decline a booking for any person or, if full details are not given at the time of booking or the conditions or circumstances concerned / physical impairment develop after booking, prior to the start of the travel, to terminate the contract (Rücktritt) or, after the start of the travel, to terminate the contract (Kündigung) in full or in part as soon as we become aware of these details if we reasonably feel unable to accommodate your special requirements. In these cases SCENIC retains the right to compensation provided for in clause 10.

(4) In the event that the traveller requires assistance with embarking or disembarking as a result of reduced mobility or a physical impairment, the traveller is requested to advise SCENIC of this at the time of booking and in any event no later than 48 hours before the assistance is required. Please also note that assistance is not always available when embarking or disembarking at all ports of call. It is important to note in relation to some of our vessels that

(a) for safety reasons, **wheelchair passengers** cannot be carried on boarding ramps (which may be steep due to water levels) whilst the ship is tied up or at anchor;

(b) collapsible **walkers** may be taken onto tender vessels for transfer to shore for the included touring. However walkers are unable to be taken on the dinghies at any time due to space restrictions. Walking aids must be kept in passenger cabins – there is no additional storage space on board;

(c) passengers must be able to **walk up/down stairs in the event of an emergency** to reach the emergency evacuation points;

(d) **motorised scooters** cannot be used on board;

(e) wheelchairs and walkers can be carried in the **luggage compartment of coaches**, subject to space restrictions;

(f) when embarking and disembarking tender boats: dinghies are accessed via a floating platform and require the **ability to step into and out of the vessels unaided**;

(g) **cabins and bathrooms** may have thresholds or doors which limit access.

(5) For safety reasons and as a consequence of the limited medical care available on board the vessel, **expectant mothers**, who at the date of the start of travel are in the 24th week of pregnancy or later and infants under the age of 12 months are excluded from travel. Pregnant women who at the date of embarkation have been pregnant for less than 24 weeks must produce a certificate of fitness to travel issued by a doctor.

(6) For safety reasons, SCENIC reserves the right to allow persons who are **deaf** or **blind** or who despite

using corrective lenses have no more than 5% of normal eyesight on the better eye and travellers who require a wheelchair on a permanent basis to travel only together with an accompanying adult without a physical or mental impairment who shares their cabin. Travel without such an accompanying person will be authorised on a case-by-case basis.

(7) For safety reasons, and as a consequence of the increased risk of injury, travellers who require a wheelchair on a permanent basis may, at the captain's discretion (depending amongst other things on the weather and port situation), not be permitted to go onshore in tender ports.

(8) If you have any **special requests** (including special diets or in relation to particular foods), you must notify us in writing of these at the time of your booking. Please note that we cannot guarantee to satisfy special requests. Failure to satisfy special requests does not constitute a breach of contract by us. Confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to the corresponding service provider or the inclusion of the special request in your booking advice, invoice or other documents shall not constitute confirmation that the request concerned will be met. If it is important for you, for your own protection you should obtain confirmation in writing that a special request will be complied with (where it is possible to give this). We cannot accept any conditional bookings i.e. any booking which is specified to be conditional on the fulfilment of a particular request. All such bookings will be treated as standard bookings subject to the above provisions on special requests.

(9) **For safety reasons, travellers under the age of 12 are not permitted except with the separate agreement and approval of SCENIC. Passengers aged 12 to 17 must be accompanied by an adult and for safety reasons must share accommodation with an adult.**

14 TRAVEL SERVICES NOT IN CONFORMITY WITH THE CONTRACT, OBLIGATIONS OF THE TRAVELLER

SCENIC must provide the tour booked in conformity with the contractual specifications (frei von Reisemängeln). If the tour is not in conformity with the contract (mangelhaft), the traveller has the rights specified in section 651i of the German Civil Code. In such a case, SCENIC will always do what it can to find an acceptable solution.

(1) **Notification of services not in conformity with the contract (Mangelanzeige)**

Pursuant to section 651o of the German Civil Code, the traveller is required to notify a lack of conformity in the performance of the travel services without delay to SCENIC Wallbrunnstrasse 24, 79539 Lörrach, Germany, phone: 0800 554 1415, email: info@scenic.eu or to a representative of SCENIC (tour representative or travel agent). However, tour representatives, travel agencies and persons employed by suppliers are not entitled and not authorised by SCENIC to confirm that a service is not in conformity with the contract or to recognise any claims against SCENIC.

If as a result of a culpable omission to notify the lack of conformity, SCENIC was unable to remedy such, the traveller is not entitled to a price reduction or to claim damages.

(2) **Remedy**

Pursuant to section 651k, subsection 1, of the German Civil Code, the traveller may require SCENIC to remedy a lack of conformity if during the tour such lack of conformity (Mangel) within the meaning of section 651i, subsection 2, of the German Civil Code arises. SCENIC may however refuse a remedy where this is impossible or entails disproportionate costs, taking into account the extent of the lack of conformity and the value of the travel services affected.

(3) **Price reduction, damages**

If SCENIC cannot remedy the lack of conformity, the traveller is entitled to claim a price reduction in accordance with section 651m of the German Civil Code or damages in accordance with section 651n of the German Civil Code.

(4) **Termination**

If the tour is substantially impaired by the lack of conformity, the traveller may terminate the contract in accordance with section 651l of the German Civil Code provided that the traveller has previously set a reasonable period for SCENIC to remedy the lack of conformity and within this period SCENIC has not done so. It shall not be necessary to set a deadline if SCENIC refuses to remedy the lack of conformity or if immediate remedy is required. If the contract is terminated, SCENIC reserves the right to claim the agreed tour price in relation to the travel services provided and those which are still to be provided and to end the package travel; this shall be without prejudice to the traveller's rights to claim a price reduction and damages. The organiser shall reimburse the traveller for travel services not provided.

15 LIABILITY AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

(1) The contractual liability of SCENIC for loss and damage other than personal injury (also the liability for the infringement of pre-contractual, ancillary and post-

contractual duties) shall be **limited to three times the tour price** provided that the loss and damage sustained by the traveller does not result from culpable conduct by SCENIC. This limitation of liability shall be without prejudice to additional claims brought on the basis of international conventions.

(2) If a travel service is governed by international conventions or statutory provisions based on such conventions according to which a claim for damages against the service provider arises or may be asserted only under certain conditions or limitations or under certain conditions is excluded, SCENIC may also rely on these provisions against the traveller (section 651p of the German Civil Code).

(3) If SCENIC's position corresponds to that of a **contractual air carrier**, SCENIC's liability depends on which provisions of the German Aviation Act (Luftverkehrsgesetz), EU law, the Warsaw Convention as amended by the Hague Protocol or the Montreal Convention apply.

(4) **Carriage by sea** is subject to the liability provisions of the Athens Convention of 1974 as amended by the 2002 Protocol as well as the International Maritime Organisation Reservation and Guidelines for the Implementation of the Athens Convention which was implemented in the European Union by Regulation (EC) No 392/2009.

The rules of this paragraph shall apply unless the rules specified in clause 6(1) result in a lower claim being asserted against SCENIC.

In connection with the liability provisions governing carriage by sea, SCENIC draws your attention to the following points:

(a) Irrespective of the existence of a damages claim, in the event of death or personal injury caused by a shipping incident, SCENIC shall, within 15 days of the identification of the person entitled to damages, make an advance payment in respect of each person and incident and in the case of death no less than EUR 21 000. The advance payment shall not constitute the recognition of any claim whatsoever. The advance payment may be offset against any subsequent damages payable. It must be refunded to SCENIC if the person who received it is not the person entitled to damages (see Article 6(2) of Regulation (EC) No 392/2009).

(b) SCENIC's liability for the loss of and damage to luggage, mobility aids and other special equipment used by travellers and/or members of their party with reduced mobility shall be excluded if in the case of visible damage the traveller and/or members of their party do not report the damage at the latest on disembarkation and in the case of damage that is not immediately visible no later than 15 days after disembarkation. Written notification of the damage is not required if within the period prescribed the parties have jointly agreed the damage.

(c) SCENIC shall not be liable for the loss of or damage to valuables (e.g. money, important documents, negotiable instruments, precious metals, gems, jewellery, artworks, photography and film equipment, portable video systems and mobile devices, such as laptops or tablets, together with the corresponding accessories, etc.) unless they were deposited for safekeeping during carriage.

(5) Further SCENIC shall not be liable for defective performance, personal injury and/or property damage resulting from services provided by third parties which are not part of the contractual travel services. Such services are bought-in services, where we act merely as agent, or are operated by independent third parties, such as, for example, the provision of goods and services (e.g. excursions, sporting events, exhibitions, visits) during the cruise and as such can be identified by passengers as evidently not part of SCENIC's travel services.

This shall not apply where these third parties must be qualified as SCENIC's vicarious agents or SCENIC creates the impression that it is the operator of the services provided by the third parties. SCENIC shall be liable however if and to the extent that the damage sustained by the passenger is caused by the breach of notification, information or organisation duties incumbent on us.

(6) See also "Communication for international travel passengers on limitation of liability" and "Information on limitations of liability for luggage". In addition, in relation to all flights offered the general and special terms and conditions of carriage of the carrying airline apply.

(7) SCENIC recommends that in their own interest travellers should take out travel accident insurance and luggage insurance.

16 LIMITATION PERIOD

The rights of a passenger provided for in section 651i of the German Civil Code, entitling him to bring claims in relation to travel services not in conformity with the contract, become time barred after two years; such period to begin on the date on which the booked travel was contractually due to end.

17 SHIP RULES, EXCURSIONS, LUGGAGE, ADDITIONAL RULES

(1) **Instructions by the captain**

For the **comfort and safety of travellers**, the instructions of the captain, the discovery team (on discovery tours) and the cruise director must be complied with at all times.

In the event that a traveller refuses to comply with the instructions of the captain, the discovery team, the cruise director, another member staff or a service provider, **SCENIC may terminate the contract and exclude the traveller from the cruise with immediate effect where the behaviour of the traveller adversely affects his own health or safety or is a threat to the health, safety or enjoyment of the travel of other passengers.**

(2) Currency and credit cards

Most of the countries visited use the euro although some countries still use another currency. For small purchases onshore or in small towns, it is helpful to carry some local currency. Credit cards are accepted in many places. Before the start of travel, you should check that your card and PIN will work in the countries you will be visiting. All purchases on board are charged to your shipboard account. **The on board currencies on cruise ships are US dollar and euro, depending on the destination.**

(3) Deck plan

The deck plans and cabin layouts/sizes are intended only as a guide and are subject to change.

(4) Noise, vibration and odour

Although we take appropriate measures to minimise the noise, vibrations and odours on our ships, you acknowledge and accept that some noise, vibration and intermittent odours may be experienced on vessels and that we cannot be held liable to you in relation to such noise, vibration or odours.

(5) Dock position

During port stops, ships may dock side-by-side, obstructing views.

(6) Cruise director

An experienced English-speaking cruise director accompanies every cruise. They are there to ensure your comfort, answer your questions and make your holiday relaxed and memorable. Cruise directors are employees of SCENIC.

(7) Electricity and WiFi

Free WiFi is available on board. However, our ships sail in national and international waters. This means that connection speeds using WiFi can sometimes be slow depending on the current position of the ship. In some cases, no signal may be available. We do not guarantee the availability and quality of internet connections. Further, we do not accept any liability for any problems arising.

(8) Onboard power supply

The power supply onboard is 220 volts. You will need a universal travel adaptor to use your electrical appliances.

(9) Sightseeing, excursions and special activities

(a) Sightseeing: sightseeing in many historic towns and cities can only be undertaken by walking as coach access is not possible. Consequently, a reasonable level of fitness is required as the sightseeing tour may involve steps and extensive walking over uneven surfaces;

(b) Mountain excursions: some shore excursions include mountain excursions involving high altitudes.

(c) Discovery experiences: a reasonable level of mobility is required to participate in most tours. discovery experiences including but not limited to dinghy tours are subject to regulatory approval and the prevailing weather conditions. The tours can be booked with your cruise director during the cruise and are subject to availability, seasonal and operational factors. Some activities require a minimum or maximum number of participants to operate.

(d) For Arctic and Antarctic expeditions as well as mountain excursions and discovery experiences (e.g. by dinghy, kayak, helicopter, e-bike, submersible or using scuba diving equipment) participants need to have **an adequate level of physical fitness and health**. Travellers are recommended **to consult a doctor before booking** to ensure that they have an adequate level of physical fitness and are in good health for the trip concerned.

(e) The equipment for sporting and aquatic activities shown in the brochure may not be offered in all ports and/or is subject to availability.

(f) The operation of **all excursions/tours** depends on us having a **minimum number of bookings**. If the minimum booking number is not reached, we may cancel or amend a planned excursion/tour.

(10) Drones

(a) General prohibition: unless provided by us or an operator as part of an organised activity during your tour, the use of drones is strictly prohibited at all times.

(b) You should also be aware that, in addition to the prohibition set out in paragraph (a), the use of drones is regulated or prohibited by law in many locations and that use which is illegal or contrary to the law may result in your arrest or prosecution by the relevant authorities.

(c) If we or an operator allow you to operate a drone as part of an organised activity during your tour, you must strictly comply with all instructions of the activity leader.

(11) Images, diagrams and maps

(a) Unless otherwise stated, we make no representations

about the facilities, quality or dimensions of any accommodation or cruise vessel. All images are for illustrative purposes only and may differ from the actual product or experience available; certain images may also have been digitally enhanced for reproduction purposes.

(b) Maps or diagrams of cruise ship routes included in cruise or other brochures are intended only as a guide and should not be regarded as showing the actual route to be taken during the cruise. The actual travel route is set out in the travel documents.

(12) Luggage

Travellers are entitled to **one suitcase per person. The measurements of the suitcase may not exceed 76.2 x 53.3 x 27.9 cm and it must weigh no more than 23kg.**

(13) Smoking on board

Smoking is limited to the designated smoking areas and is not permitted in the cabins and on balconies and terraces.

(14) (Travel) insurance

Please read your (travel) insurance policies carefully and take them with you on your tour. It is your responsibility to ensure that the insurance protection you take out is suitable and appropriate for your own particular requirements.

18 SERVICE PROVIDERS

Many of the services included in your travel are provided by service providers. These service providers provide the services in accordance with their own terms and conditions of business. Some of these terms and conditions of business may limit or exclude the liability of the service provider towards you, usually in accordance with applicable international conventions. Copies of the relevant parts of these terms and conditions of business and the international conventions are available on request from ourselves or the service provider concerned.

19 INFORMATION, PASSPORT, VISA AND HEALTH PROVISIONS

(1) **The traveller must comply with all laws, ordinances, orders and travel requirements (provisions) of the countries and ports to be visited on the trip as well as all rules and instructions issued by SCENIC and its representatives.**

(2) SCENIC or the travel agent shall inform German nationals, who are not subject to special circumstances (e.g. dual nationality, stateless person, previous passport entries, evidence of refugee status), of the general requirements set out in the passport, visa and health provisions before entering the contract as well as of possible amendments to those requirements before the start of travel. It shall be presumed in that connection that no special circumstances apply in relation to the traveller (e.g. dual nationality, stateless person, previous passport entries). Other EU nationals and nationals of other States should contact SCENIC or the consulate responsible for them.

(3) SCENIC shall inform the traveller of the general passport and visa requirements and the health formalities of the destination country, including the approximate time to obtain any necessary visa, before entering the contract as well as of amendments that are possible before the start of travel.

(4) The traveller himself shall be responsible for obtaining and **carrying the necessary travel documents** (e.g. visas, vaccination certificates), any necessary **vaccinations and complying with customs and foreign exchange provisions** unless SCENIC has expressly undertaken to obtain visas, certificates, etc. The traveller shall bear all disadvantages, in particular the payment of cancellation fees as well as fines, penalties and expenses, that arise from non-compliance with these provisions, except where they result from the culpable provision of incorrect information or a culpable omission to provide information on the part of SCENIC. The traveller must reimburse SCENIC immediately for any amounts that it must pay or deposit in this connection.

(5) In the event of an infringement of or non-compliance with passport, visa, health or other entry requirements, in particular also **by a failure to provide manifest data on time, SCENIC shall be entitled to deny carriage to the traveller and to claim the corresponding standardised compensation specified in clause 10 of these terms and conditions**. In this case, the traveller shall have the right to prove to SCENIC that no loss has occurred or that the loss sustained does not correspond to the amount claimed.

(6) SCENIC recommends that minors travelling without their parents should carry with them a written declaration of consent from their parents. In many countries restrictions apply or embarkation may be denied if no such document can be produced. The declaration of consent should be written and certified in English, as a minimum, and, as a precaution, also in the language of the countries to be visited. The traveller himself shall be responsible for contacting the relevant embassies for information.

20 IDENTITY OF THE OPERATING AIRLINE

SCENIC or its agents will inform the traveller of the identity of the operating airline(s) for all flights to be provided as part of the tour if SCENIC arranges the

flights for travellers.

The EU Regulation on informing passengers of the identity of the operating air carrier (Regulation (EC) No 2111/2005 on the establishment of a Community list of air carriers subject to an operating ban within the Community and on informing air transport passengers of the identity of the operating air carrier) requires SCENIC to inform the passenger at the time of reservation of the identity of the relevant operating airline in relation to each flight to be provided during the booked tour. If at the time of reservation the operating carrier has not yet been determined, SCENIC is required to inform the passenger of the airline(s) that are likely to operate the flight. As soon as SCENIC knows which airline will operate the flight, it must inform the passenger thereof. If the airline which was notified to the passenger as the operating airline changes, SCENIC must inform the passenger of this change. SCENIC must immediately take all appropriate steps to ensure that the passenger is informed of the change as soon as possible. The list of airlines subject to an operating ban in the EU ("the Community list", previously known as a "blacklist") is available via the following link: https://ec.europa.eu/transport/modes/air/safety/air-ban_en

21 DATA PROTECTION

SCENIC handles the data of its travellers responsibly.

The personal data that you provide to SCENIC are processed electronically, stored and used exclusively in accordance with the statutory data protection rules and the European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) to the extent that this is necessary for the performance of the contract, the operation of the tour, customer service or compliance with statutory provisions. Employees and representatives of SCENIC are required to observe data protection rules.

The data protection law applicable grants travellers the following rights against SCENIC in connection with the processing of their personal data:

Right of access by the data subject (Article 15 of the GDPR), right to rectification (Article 16 of the GDPR), right to erasure (Article 17 of the GDPR), right to restriction of processing (Article 18 of the GDPR), notification obligation regarding rectification or erasure of personal data or restriction of processing (Article 19 of the GDPR), right to data portability (Article 20 of the GDPR), right to withdraw the consent given (Article 7(3) of the GDPR) and right to lodge a complaint with a supervisory authority (Article 77 of the GDPR).

Where travellers have questions concerning data protection, they may contact our data protection officer by email: cruises@scenic.eu, Data Protection Officer, Damien Thomas, Scenic Cruises International GmbH, Wallbrunnstrasse 24, 79539 Lörrach, Germany.

Comprehensive information on the nature, scope and purposes of the collection, processing and use of your personal data and on your rights is available at www.scenic.eu.

22 DISPUTE SETTLEMENT PROCEDURES

The European Commission provides a platform for out-of-court online dispute resolution (ODR platform) which can be accessed under www.ec.europa.eu/consumers/odr However, SCENIC is not obliged to participate in this procedure and does not participate in dispute resolution procedures provided by a consumer arbitration service.

23 FINAL PROVISIONS, APPLICABLE LAW, JURISDICTION

(1) The laws of the Federal Republic of Germany with the exception of UN sales law (United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods of 11 April 1980) shall govern these terms and conditions of travel. For travellers who are regarded as consumers this choice of law also applies provided that this does not deprive the traveller of the protection afforded by mandatory provisions of the law of the country in which he has his habitual residence.

(2) Disputes arising in relation to registered traders, persons who do not have a general place of jurisdiction in the Federal Republic of Germany, persons for whom, after the contract has been entered, their domicile or place of habitual residence is unknown at the date the action is lodged and actions where SCENIC is the defendant are subject to the jurisdiction of the courts in Lörrach. Both stipulations shall apply unless mandatory provisions of international conventions provide otherwise.

(3) For the remainder, unless otherwise agreed in these terms and conditions of travel, the statutory rules shall apply.

(4) The invalidity and/or ineffectiveness of individual provisions of the travel contract and/or these terms and conditions of travel shall not result in the invalidity and/or ineffectiveness of the travel contract or the terms and conditions of travel as a whole.

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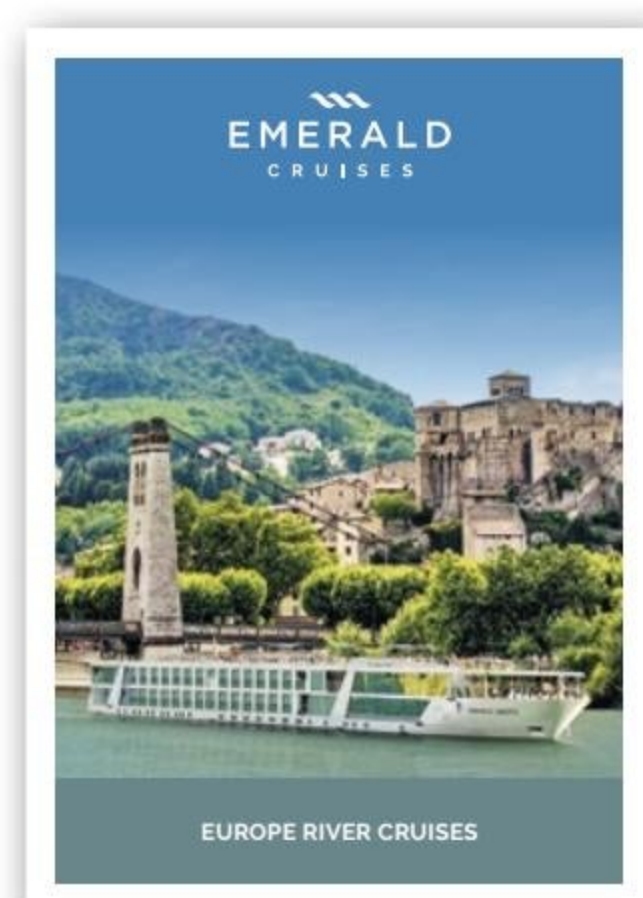
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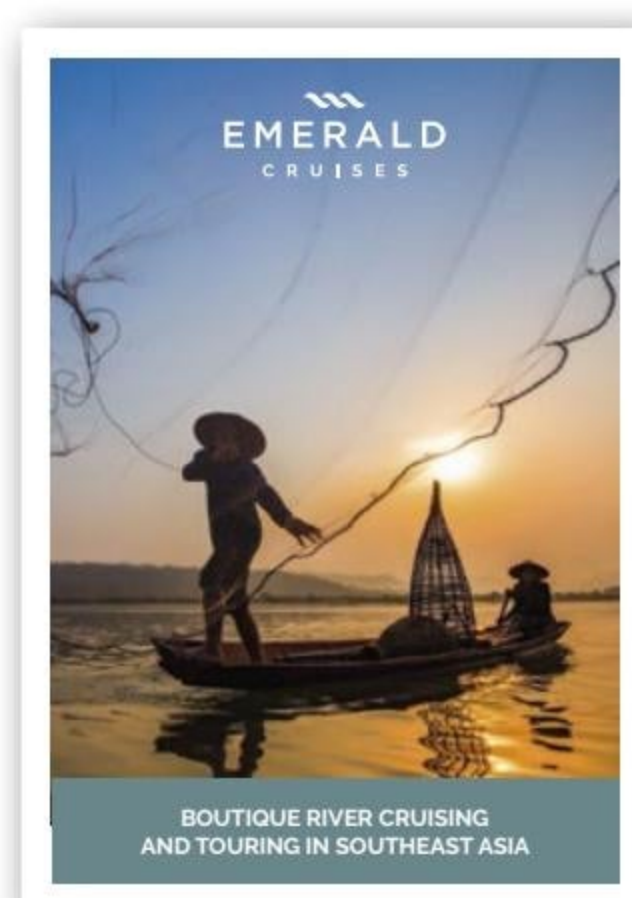
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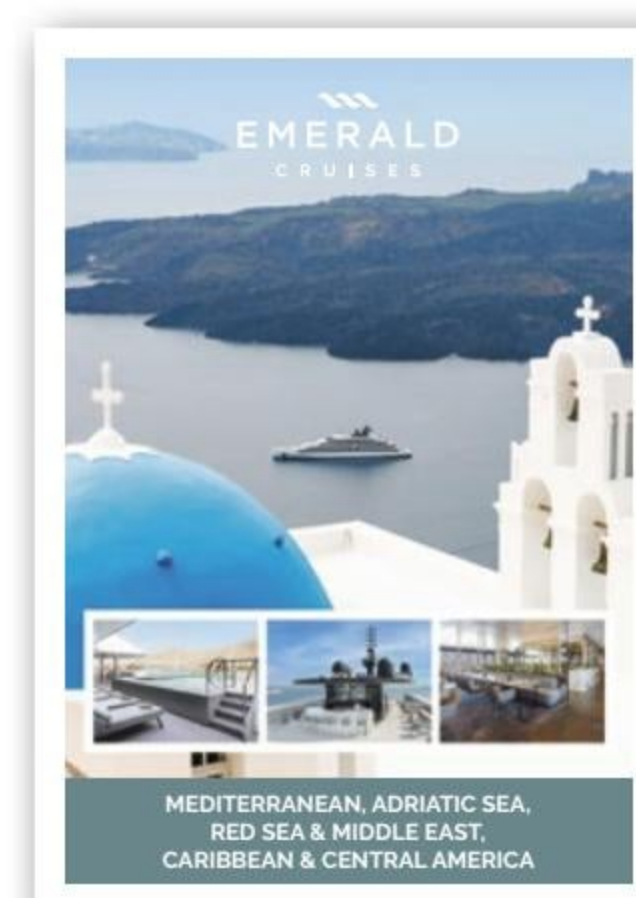
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