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WHY PONANT

Discover the treasures of the land by sea on board luxurious yachts that are built on an intimate, human scale. French crew, expertise, attentive service, gastronomy: set sail in a five-star environment and enjoy a travel experience that is simultaneously authentic and sophisticated.

CRUISES WITH THE FRENCH TOUCH

Onboard Ponant's cruise ships, it is only natural that a certain French art of living permeates on board. Through their accessible crew, French design, refined cuisine, fine wines, and discreet service, Ponant guests enjoy a truly relaxed and elegant experience.

DESTINATIONS

Ponant have designed unique itineraries that will transport you to new destinations and new experiences all around the world: mooring in the heart of Mediterranean hidden bays, sailing between the majestic glaciers of Antarctica, an expedition to the remote lands of Alaska, or island hopping in the Caribbean.

UNIQUE TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

For more than 25 years, Ponant cruises have been offering remarkable experiences to their guests. Sailing aboard one of their ships means enjoying rare encounters with nature in the heart of virgin territories. It means discovering other cultures and traditions, sharing memories with tribes from the other side of the world. It means enjoying the magic of the Ponant Moment.



NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC & PONANT: Discover our new exclusive expedition voyages

From 2019, PONANT and NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC will partner together to bring the spirited adventure traveller a unique opportunity to embark on a selection of new expedition cruises to some of the most intriguing and remote destinations on the planet.

Discover the difference

PONANT, a leader in polar expeditions for almost 20 years, boasts the world's most modern fleet of expedition ships. Designed to sail the distinct seas in comfort and safety, their small size and manoeuvrability help reach the most remote lands. Over the past 130 years, NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC has sent scientists, storytellers and adventurers across continents and into remote cultures, down to the oceans' depths and up the highest mountains in an effort to better understand our planet.

Now PONANT and NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC have joined forces and combined their expertise to offer a selected range of new, unique and enriching expedition cruises to some of the world's most intriguing, remote and pristine destinations, in the very places where the most amazing pages of exploration were written.

Knowledge: Let PONANT experts guide you

When you travel with NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC and PONANT Expeditions, you gain access to inspiring experts. You are enriched by the knowledge on the PONANT expedition team and by National Geographic experts and photographers. You'll be surrounded by people who are steeped in knowledge and insights about the places PONANT go and they're passionate about sharing that knowledge with you.

Exploration happens because of you

When you travel with NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC & PONANT Expeditions, you help further the work of PONANT scientists, explorers and educators around the world. Every year, PONANT distribute a portion of their proceeds to the National Geographic Society, creating more opportunities to work toward a planet in balance.





PONANT Advantages

A cruise with PONANT is always a unique experience, and at times the occasion to celebrate a specific event such as a honeymoon or wedding anniversary, or to share an exceptional voyage with family or friends. Discover the advantages we have in store for you.

Welcome offer -FIRST TIME CRUISER

- As a first time cruiser with PONANT you will receive a saving of AUD \$400 per person
- The first time cruiser offer is combinable with PONANT bonus savings and Back to Back Cruise Savings

Referral Program - YOU GET REWARDED WHEN REFERRING PONANT

For past PONANT guests: As a referrer, you will receive a reduction of AUD \$800 per stateroom off your next cruise, based on a twin share basis, after your referee has deposited on their first cruise. The number of referrals is unlimited. Referral savings can be accumulated up until final payment is due on your booking. You are eligible to refer once your first cruise is deposited.

For past PONANT Guest's friends: The referee will enjoy a reduction of AUD\$800 per stateroom off their first cruise, based on a twin share basis.

The referral program is combinable with the Welcome Offer; Ponant Yacht Club Benefits;

Note: Solo Travellers receive AUD\$400 per stateroom for both referrer and referee.

Back to Back Cruising

Take advantage of our special back to back cruising offer.

 Book a consecutive cruise on any PONANT ship within 10 days of disembarkation and receive an additional 10% discount

Friends and Family Savings

Because you often want to share your cruise with friends or family we are now proposing a special offer.

• From the fifth person onwards, all those on one booking benefit from a 5% reduction on the cruise port/port (port taxes not included)

Honeymoon Offer – MORE TREATS

Honeymoon bookings will receive:

- 5% off the cruise-only rate, combinable with Ponant Bonus
- Bottle of champagne upon arrival
- A photography session and 5 photos (except on board Le Ponant)
- 2 spa treatments valued at 120 Euros max per treatment (except on board Le Ponant)



Life on board

Aboard, everything is designed to ensure that your cruise is a serene break from everyday life. High end service and facilities come together to pamper you and make every moment a special one.

Take care of yourself

All PONANT ships (except Le Ponant) have an onboard spa. Equipped with massage booths, hammam, a hair salon and fitness room that has panoramic ocean views, the well-being centre offers a large range of **luxury treatments** in association with the **French beauty house SOTHYS Paris** ™.

Enjoy moments of conviviality

Aboard, different areas and lounges will enable you to find a moment of peace and quiet or to meet up with friends and share convivial moments:

- The main lounge, an ideal place to meet over a drink and watch daytime or evening events.
- The panoramic lounge, an intimate piano-bar with a vast panorama to the horizon. Perfect for reading or for listening to our selection of classical music.
- The outdoor bar with access to the pool and the solarium.

Make the most of your free time

Sitting comfortably in **the theatre**, attend talks by lecturers and guides as well as the various shows, concerts and performances held on board.

In the **library**, a choice of books and board games as well as computers with Wi-Fi, is available for you. In your stateroom, use our Video on Demand service to access quality French and international films.

The shop, open during sailing hours, offers a refined selection of clothing, jewellery and accessories. Gift articles, souvenirs, technical accessories or quite simply impulse buys: make the most of a high-quality range at tax free prices.





NATURAL WONDERS OF CENTRAL AMERICA

14 days | Puerto Quetzal to Guayaquil | Le Soléal

Departing 23 Sep 2019

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Set sail aboard *Le Soléal* for a 14-day expedition cruise crossing no fewer than six countries. An all-new circuit discovering the most beautiful sites of Central America, featuring nature parks, idyllic islands and encounters with the local populations.

Visit the impressive and majestic Mayan site of Tikal, and the wonderful baroque monuments of La Antigua de Guatemala. Travel to Granada, at the foot of the Mombacho volcano, a town is teeming with architectural treasures, and Moorish, Andalusian, Baroque and neo-Classical styles. Experience the beautiful Poas Volcano National Parc, & Cocos Island's amazing ecosystem, housing turtles, manta rays, dolphins and whale sharks. Enjoy Pearl Islands, Darien National Park. A UNESCO corner of paradise home to remarkable plants and wildlife. Sandy beaches, rocky coastlines, mangroves, swamps and tropical rainforests. This will also be the occasion for meeting the astonishing semi-nomadic Emberas community.

The encounters with the wildlife described above illustrate possible experiences only and cannot be guaranteed.

- Outings and shore visits in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- An expedition cruise discovering the nature parks, biodiversity and tribes of Central America.
- UNESCO World Heritage sites: La Antigua de Guatemala from Puerto Quetzal, the national park of Cocos Island, Darien National Park, the historic centre of Quito from Guayaquil.
- Before your cruise, discover the famous Tikal pyramid and La Antigua Guatemala.
- Cocos Island, considered by Jacques-Yves Cousteau to be "the most beautiful island in the world".
- Birdwatching opportunities around Pacheca Island.
- Encounter with the indigenous Emberas tribe in the Darien National Park.
- For the first time, a port of call at Bahia Solano.
- After your cruise, visit the historic centre of Quito.



Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$9,280*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$9,730*pp



CORDILLERA & ANDEAN SECRETS

13 or 14 days | Guayaquil to Talcahuano (or reverse) or Guayaquil to Valparaiso | *Le Soléal or Le Boreal*

Departing 6 Oct 2019; 9 Oct 2020 & 14 Mar 2021 Included: Transfer from Talcahuano to Concepion & economy flight from Concepcion to Santiago for 09 2020 and 14 Mar 2021 departure dates

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Unforgettable journey full of cultural discoveries. Discover the ruins of Chan Chan, the largest adobe citadel of Pre-Colombian America and former capital of the Chimu kingdom, the ancient city of Cusco, discovered in 1533 by the conquistadors, Famous site of Machu Picchu, the gigantic lost city, an architectural gem and UNESCO site.

Visit Arequipa, an old colonial city founded in 1540 in a fertile valley at the foot of the majestic El Misti volcano. Arica, the "city of eternal spring" sunny year round, popular for its beautiful beaches and history, be captivated by this surprising city where the Inca people once lived. Explore Iquique exceptional historic centre inherited from the Gold Rush and nearby Humberstone, a disused mining town where the buildings now house museums listed as UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Many UNESCO World Heritage Sites: the saltpeter mining towns of lquique, the historic centre of Arequipa from Matarani, the historic centre of Lima, Cuzco, the site of Machu Picchu, the archeological zone of Chan Chan from Salaverry.
- Discover the major pre-Columbian sites and the mysterious geoglyphs.
- Exceptional architectural heritage, testimony to the colonial era.
- Discover Arequipa and the Santa Catalina Convent from Matarani.
- Specialist lecturers aboard to share their passion for their subject and their knowledge with you.



Map & itinerary is based on 9 Oct 2020 & 14 Mar 2021 departure date

Category	Pricing twin share
Deluxe Stateroom	from \$6,540*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 4	from \$6,860*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$7,040*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$7,420*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$10,540**pp
Prestige Suite Deck 6	from \$10,840**pp
*Prices for Deluxe Stateroom through to Prestige	

Stateroom Deck 5 are based on 6 Oct '19 departure date

**Prices from Prestige Stateroom Deck 6 and Prestige Suites are based on 9 Oct '20 & 14 Mar '21 departure dates



ADVENTURE IN THE BIJAGOS ARCHIPELAGO

9 days | Dakar return | Le Dumont D'urville

Departing 8 Oct 2019 & 10 Apr 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Unspoiled nature, encounters with populations respecting their ancestral traditions, observation of exceptional biodiversity during this all-new 9-day circuit in the Bissagos Islands.

The Bissagos archipelago, is one of the most preserved and protected on the planet. Classified as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, it is made up of 88 islands, most of which are uninhabited. Nestling in the heart of an environment which often remains untouched by humans, they offer the rare visitors who explore them the opportunity for a unique and authentic experience.

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Outings and shore visits in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- The discovery of preserved islands with exceptional biodiversity, in an area classified as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve.
- The diversity of the fauna: saltwater hippos, crocodiles, sea turtle, rays, sawfish, otters, manatees, dolphins, birds of prey, pelicans, large wading birds, snakes, gazelles, monkeys.
- Visit of traditional villages and encounters with the Bidyogo people who have ancestral traditions.
- The mangrove swamp, covering more than a third of the emerged part of the archipelago.
- The possibility of visiting Dakar, in Senegal, and Gorée Island, a major site in the history of slavery.



Map is based on 10 Apr 20 departure date

Category	Pricing
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$7,800*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$8,180*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$16,160**pp
Deck 6	from \$16,160**p

*Prices based on 8 Oct '19 departure date

**Pricing for Prestige Suite Deck 5 based on 10 Apr '20 departure date



THE BIJAGOS ARCHIPELAGO AND CAPE VERDE WITH NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

12 days | Praia to Dakar | Le Dumont-D'urville

Departing 24 Oct 2019 Included: Economy flight from Paris to Praia and transfer from airport to pier

SAVE UP TO 25%*

In partnership with National Geographic Expeditions.

Discover two exceptional archipelagos including wild nature, cultural heritage and encounters with the local populations. In the first half of your cruise, experience pristine mountain landscapes, friendly inhabitants and lively traditions. A gigantic volcanic cone emerging from the Ocean, Fogo or "volcano island" is the most unusual in the Cape Verde archipelago. With scenery of savannah and fields of sugar cane, scattered with peaceful hamlets, Fogo offers you extraordinary panoramas.

The second part of your cruise will take place in the Bijagos Islands. This archipelago is one of the most preserved and protected on the planet. Classified as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, it is made up of 88 islands, most of which are uninhabited and nestling in the heart of an environment which often remains untouched by humans.

- A cruise in partnership with National Geographic Expeditions offering enrichment with a National Geographic Photographer and an Expert onboard.
- Outings and shore visits in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- UNESCO World Heritage Site: Cidade Velha, the historic centre of Ribeira Grande (island of Santiago)
- City of Mindelo and its elegant buildings with British & Portuguese colonial influences.
- Sugar cane plantations and savannah on Fogo, the volcano island.
- Diversity of the fauna in the Bissagos: saltwater hippos, crocodiles, sea turtle, rays, sawfish, otters, manatees, dolphins, birds of prey, pelicans, large wading birds, snakes, gazelles, monkeys.
- Visit traditional villages and encounters with the Bidyogo people
- The mangrove swamp, covering more than a third of the emerged part of the Bissagos archipelago.



Category	Pricing
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6 *Only 3 cabins remaining	from \$14,560*pp



THE ESSENTIAL OF THE CARIBBEAN

13 days | Fort-de-France return | Le Dumont-D'urville

Departing 13 & 25 Nov 2019

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Sail the idyllic waters of the Caribbean Sea to discover stunning islands, as well as historical and architectural landmarks. An experienced diving instructor is on board for the entire cruise, enabling you to safely enjoy swimming and scuba diving.

You will first sail to St. Kitts, a volcanic island with fine sandy beaches and a rich colonial heritage. Along the journey of idyllic landscapes, The Baths National Park and its huge blocks of granite, surrounded by caves and rock pools. Island of Dominica, known as the Nature Island with its wild and unspoiled coastline. Tobago Cays National Park. This rosary of islands bound together by the most beautiful coral reef in the West Indies, incredible underwater wildlife and its secret coves. Saint Lucia and its two majestic rocky peaks soaring straight from the sea, a unique UNESCO site.

HIGHLIGHTS

- A cruise in the heart of the West Indies.
- Discovering 10 islands on the same cruise: Martinique, St. Kitts, Saint Martin, the British Virgin Islands, Saint Barthelemy, Dominica, Guadeloupe, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Grenada, Saint Lucia.
- UNESCO World Heritage Sites: Brimstone Hill Fortress National Park in St. Kitts and Nevis, Morne Trois Pitons National Park on Dominica, Saint Lucia's rocky peaks.
- Exceptional sea bed with possibility to observe turtles, barracudas, spiny lobsters and parrot fishes.
- Discovering the British Virgin Islands, where each white-sand beach is more stunning than the next.
- On Dominica, the National Park of Cabrits and Fort Shirley.
- Multiple opportunities to swim in crystal-clear waters.
- Possibility of diving (PADI Open Water Diver or equivalent) with an experienced instructor on board.

BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS Virgin Gorda SAINT MARTIN Saint Kitts ST. KITTS AND NEVIS Caribbean Sea FORT-DE-FRANCE MARTINIOUE ST. VINCENT AND Tobago Cays/Mayreau THE GRENADINES GRENADA

Category	Pricing
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$8,980*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$9,410*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$17,740*pp

*Prices & Itinerary based on 13 Nov '19 departure date



THE ESSENTIAL SEYCHELLES

9 days | Victoria, Mahe return | Le Bougainville

Departing 3 Jan & 10 Apr 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Discover the must-see jewels of the Seychelles. Expedition to the heart of this archipelago's Inner Islands for a glimpse of paradise. Visit Sainte Anne Marine National Park, coral reefs & stunning species guarantee unforgettable snorkelling. Curieuse Island, reputed for its red earth and resident Aldabra giant tortoises. Aride, an unspoiled delight of the Indian Ocean, home to thousands of birds including some endemic species. In Praslin, don't miss the chance to visit the Vallée de Mai Nature Reserve. There you will find sea coconuts, gigantic endemic fruits with a very evocative shape, nicknamed the "love nut".

Palm trees, granite rock, white sand and crystal-clear water then await you on Grande Soeur and La Digue. The beaches on these two stunning islands are each more beautiful than the next, guaranteeing moments of relaxation that will live up to your fantasies of the Seychelles.

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- Landing in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- UNESCO site: the Vallée de Mai nature reserve in Praslin.
- Discover 8 islands in the Seychelles on a single cruise.
- The Aride nature reserve, a treasure of the Seychelles with some 73 hectares of colourful vegetation and more than one million birds.
- The bare red earth of Curieuse, a granite island in the Seychelles.
- Anse Source d'Argent, the most famous beach of La Digue, surrounded by large blocks of granite and edged with coconut palms.
- Possibility of observing tortoises on Saint Joseph and Curieuse.
- Encounters with the locals.
- Possibility of diving (PADI Advanced Open Water Diver or equivalent) with an experienced instructor on board and of snorkelling with your expedition team.



Category	Pricing
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$6,540*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$6,860*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$12,980*pp
*Prices & Itinerary based on 1	0 Apr '20 departure date



THE SCATTERED ISLANDS & THE SEYCHELLES

16 days | Durban to Victoria, Mahé | Le Lyrial

Departing 25 Mar 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Sail from Durban, a cosmopolitan city in South Africa, to Victoria, the capital of the Seychelles in the heart of the Indian Ocean. Aboard an expedition cruise experience the exceptional environment of these faraway islands, enjoy relaxing on idyllic beaches, visiting must-see sites, and meeting the local communities.

Surrender to the unique charm of the Scattered Islands (Europa, Juan de Nova and the Glorioso Islands), tiny specks that are part of the French Southern and Antarctic Lands (TAAF). This beautiful archipelago with very few inhabitants is home to exceptional fauna and fauna. After an unforgettable call at Nosy Komba (Madagascar), set sail for the Seychelles, a dream destination of lagoons and turquoise water. Discover Assumption Island, Astove, Alphonse, La Digue and, more notably, Aldabra, an immense raised coral atoll listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. You will end your trip to these heavenly lands by visiting Victoria on Mahé, the main island of the Seychelles.

- Outings and shore visits in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- Visiting Aldabra Atoll, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that is home to the world's largest population of tortoises.
- Discovering the Glorioso Islands, a geological sanctuary with nature reserve status since 1975.
- A variety of idyllic landscapes: atolls, coral reefs, lagoons, mangrove, white-sand beaches.
- A rich and protected fauna and flora.
- Possibility of diving (PADI Advanced Open Water Diver or equivalent) with an experienced instructor on board and of snorkelling with your expedition team.





CAPE VERDE AND CANARY ISLANDS

11 days | Dakar to Lisbon | L'Austral

Departing 1 Apr 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Sailing between Spain, Cape Verde and Portugal, an itinerary at the crossroads of cultures and traditions. Your discovery of Cape Verde will start with a port of call in Santiago, the most populated and also the most African of the archipelago's islands. Continue north for São Vicente and visit Mindelo, the cultural capital and the birthplace of the famous singer of morna, Cesaria Évora. In Las Palmas, on the island of Gran Canaria. Wander through the streets of the historic district of Vegueta, rich in architectural treasures including the Santa Ana cathedral.

Admire the volcanic landscapes before sailing to Madeira, the island of the eternal spring. The lively streets, its old district, and its magnificent botanical garden. Your journey around the Atlantic will conclude in Lisbon, full of nostalgic charm and unique personality, a blend of tramways, museums and listed buildings.

- The clarinettist Christian Morin will be on board.
- UNESCO World Heritage Sites: Cidade Velha, the historic centre of Ribeira Grande (island of Santiago); The Jeronimos Monastery and Belem Tower in Lisbon.
- The varied landscapes of three exceptional archipelagos: Cape Verde, the Canary Islands and Madeira.
- The town of Mindelo in Cape Verde with its elegant buildings influenced by its British and Portuguese colonial heritage.
- Before your cruise, you have the opportunity to visit Dakar in Senegal and Goree Island, the memorial to the slave trade.
- After disembarking, you will have the possibility of visiting Lisbon, the Portuguese capital and its rich cultural offering.





5TH ANNUAL PIANO FESTIVAL AT SEA

11 days | Dakar to Lisbon | Le Dumont-D'urville

Departing 18 Apr 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Set sail for a musical cruise between Spain, Cape Verde and Portugal. A circuit in partnership with RADIO CLASSIQUE, with the exceptional presence of Alain Duault. Experience several UNESCO World Heritage treasures and unforgettable ports of call, punctuated by recitals performed on board by exceptional pianists.

Begin in Santiago, the most populated and most African island of Cape Verde. Sail North for São Vicente and visit Mindelo, the cultural capital of the archipelago, the birthplace of the famous singer of morna, Cesaria Évora. In Las Palmas, island of Gran Canaria, wander through the historic district of Vegueta, rich in architectural treasures including the Santa Ana cathedral. Admire the volcanic landscapes before sailing to Madeira, the island of the eternal spring. The lively streets, its old district, and its magnificent botanical garden. Your journey around the Atlantic will conclude in Lisbon, full of nostalgic charm and unique personality, a blend of tramways, museums and listed buildings.

- A cruise in partnership with RADIO CLASSIQUE, combining an exceptional musical line-up and cultural programme, in the presence of Alain Duault.
- UNESCO World Heritage Sites: Cidade Velha, the historic centre of Ribeira Grande (island of Santiago); The Jeronimos Monastery and Belem Tower in Lisbon.
- The varied landscapes of three exceptional archipelagos: Cape Verde, the Canary Islands and Madeira.
- The town of Mindelo in Cape Verde with its elegant buildings influenced by its British and Portuguese colonial heritage.
- Before your cruise, you have the opportunity to visit Dakar in Senegal and Goree Island, the memorial to the slave trade.
- After disembarking, you will have the possibility of visiting Lisbon, the Portuguese capital and its rich cultural offering.





CELTIC SHORES

8 days | Portsmouth to Dublin | L'Austral

Departing 10 May 2020

SAVE UP TO 30%*

Step aboard the *L'Austral* for an 8-day cruise to lands of legend and romance. Your first port of call will be at Guernsey, then at the Isles of Scilly, a strange little archipelago whose landscapes seem to have come straight out of Enid Blyton's famous story, The Rockingdown Mystery. Here, long sandy beaches stand alongside green fields, while ruins of old castles stand proud on hilltops.

Step ashore at Cobh, a maritime port in County Cork in south west Ireland, and take a trip to discover the picturesque village of Blarney - a village famous for its castle - and Kinsale - a charming little port sheltered within the Bandon Estuary.

Sail to the Isle of Man, located between the United Kingdom and Ireland. You will discover the capital Douglas, a postcard from United Kingdom of yesteryear with a Victorian atmosphere.

During your stopover in Belfast, you can visit the Giant's Causeway. This massive geological formation is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and features over 40,000 basalt columns.

- Between Portsmouth and Dublin, sail into the heart of Celtic shores, lands of magic and legends;
- Unesco World Heritage Sites: from Belfast, the mysterious Giant's Causeway site, the old port of Liverpool, Dublin, city of literature (disembarkation port);
- From Cork, there will be the possibility to visit Blarney Castle, an imposing fortress with numerous hidden treasures, including the famous "Blarney Stone";
- After your cruise, discover Dublin, the Irish capital brimming with convivial atmosphere and authentic charm.





ISLANDS OF THE NORTH SEA

11 days | Copenhagen to Reykjavik | Le Bellot

Departing 2 Jun 2020

From Denmark, your 11-day cruise aboard *Le Bellot*—one of the latest additions to our fleet -will take you to Iceland, via Norway, Scotland, the Orkney Islands and Shetland Islands, as well as the Hebrides.

You will visit Stavanger, a cosmopolitan and prosperous small town with a perfectly balanced blend of old and new. During your stopover, walk the paved streets and admire the wonderfully preserved fishermen's houses that date from the 18th century.

You will then reach the Shetland Islands and the port of Lerwick. This port is well known because just a few kilometres inland lie the remarkable ruins of Scalloway Castle, built in 1600. Then it will be Kirkwall, the capital of the Orkney Islands off the coast of Scotland, home to sea birds, gannets, shags, grey petrels and many other animals.

You will also discover Heimaey, the only inhabited island in the Westmann Islands. Fishing is the main source of income in this exceptional site. You can admire its volcanoes and its almost-desert like landscapes.

Finally, sail to Reykjavik, the most northerly capital in the world, lying slightly above the 64th parallel. Houses with colourful roofs line its streets and this, coupled with the many ducks in its lake, produces a picture postcard setting. It boasts real cultural riches, particularly in contemporary art, notably with the Reykjavik Art Museum.

- A cruise from Denmark to Iceland, visiting several archipelagos in the North Sea: the Shetland Islands, the Hebrides, the Orkneys.
- On your embarkation, there will be the possibility to visit Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark.
- Sailing in the Lysefjord, meaning the "fjord of light", flanked by granite cliffs that are several hundred metres high.
- Heimaey Island provides a possibility to observe the colonies of puffins, the real treasure of this island off the Icelandic coast.
- Portree, the main town of the Isle of Skye, with its lively port and its cultural centre.



Category	Pricing
Prestige Stateroom Deck 4	from \$9,030*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$9,490*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$9,950*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$18,770*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 6	from \$19,710*pp



ON THE TRAIL OF THE GOLD PROSPECTORS

8 days | Juneau to Vancouver | Le Soleal

Departing 19 Aug 2020 Included: Economy Flight from Seattle to Juneau & transfer from airport to pier of Juneau

SAVE UP TO 30%*

This exceptional itinerary will take you from Alaska to British Columbia, to discover magnificent landscapes marked by the Gold Rush.

After embarking in Juneau, the capital of Alaska long inhabited by the Tlingit people, sailing along Tracy Arm, one of Alaska's most beautiful fjords, will undoubtedly be one of the highlights of your cruise.

Do not miss the chance to visit Skagway, where many pioneers came in search of gold at the end of the 19th century, and Haines, where majestic bald eagles are often spotted flying over the houses.

You will then continue sailing between rain forest and glacier valleys to reach the small city of Ketchikan, home to charming, colourful stilt houses, and the wonderful landscapes of the Misty Fjords.

Before disembarking in Vancouver, you will make your way down the east coast of Alaska, whose Inside Passage, shaped by the sculpture of imposing glaciers, is home to vertiginous fjords. Here, the natural environment includes glaciers, coniferous forests, and myriad islands and islets magnified by the wonderful play of light.

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- Discover Alaska's breathtaking landscapes: fjords, glaciers, waterfalls, primary forests, giant sequoias.
- Wildlife: brown bears, black bears, sea otters, orcas, humpback whales, bald eagles.
- Tlingit American Indians Art and traditions in Ketchikan.
- Visit of Skagway, the gateway to the mythical "Golf Rush" with optional walk along the railroad of White Pass.
- Sailing in the Tracy Arm Fjord, close to Sawyer Glacier.



Category	Pricing
Prestige Stateroom Deck 4	from \$7,790*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$8,090*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$8,410*pp



THE NATURAL PARKS & WILDLIFE OF CENTRAL AMERICA WITH NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

14 days | Puerto Quetzal to Guayaquil | Le Soleal

Departing 26 Sep 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

Set sail on an expedition cruise crossing no fewer than five countries, an allnew circuit discovering the most beautiful sites of Central America, featuring nature parks, idyllic islands and encounters with the local populations.

Along the way, explore the majestic Mayan site of Tikal, wonderful baroque monuments of La Antigua de Guatemala, two superb Costa Rican national parks where you may be lucky enough to see multicoloured birds, monkeys and iguana. Cocos Island, more than 500 kilometres off the coast of Costa Rica. This idyllic speck of land has an amazing ecosystem, housing turtles, manta rays, dolphins and whale sharks. Discover the magnificent Darien National Park, this little corner of paradise is a UNESCO site and home to remarkable plants and wildlife. Sandy beaches, rocky coastlines, mangroves, swamps and tropical rainforests vie with each other for beauty. This will be an exceptional opportunity to journey back in time with the Embera tribe. These proud people have successfully preserved their traditions and ancestral way of life.

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- A cruise in partnership with National Geographic Expeditions offering enrichment with a National Geographic Photographer and an Expert onboard.
- An expedition cruise discovering the nature parks, biodiversity and tribes of Central America.
- Outings and shore visits in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- UNESCO World Heritage sites: La Antigua de Guatemala from Puerto Quetzal, the national park of Cocos Island, Darien National Park, the historic centre of Quito from Guayaquil.
- An exceptional call at Cocos Island, considered by Jacques-Yves Cousteau to be "the most beautiful island in the world".
- Birdwatching opportunities around Pacheca Island.
- Encounter with the indigenous Emberas tribe in the Darien National Park.



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THE SEA OF CORTEZ

13 days | San Diego to Puerto Quetzal | L'Austral

Departing 7 Oct 2020

SAVE UP TO 25%*

An unforgettable expedition experience discovering the Sea of Cortez unique landscapes and unrivalled biodiversity.

Enjoy the renowned pleasant climate of San Diego before setting sail along Baja California peninsula and entering the Gulf of California, also known as the Sea of Cortez. For four days, observe the rich marine wildlife of playful sea lions, dolphins, tortoises and dozens of different species of fish. Dropping anchor near a number of islands off the Sea of Cortez, and outings in Zodiac dinghies will offer the chance for unforgettable snorkelling and hiking tours. Your ship will then chart a course towards Huatulco in Mexico and its preserved bays edged with magnificent beaches, before reaching your final destination: Puerto Quetzal in Guatemala, very close to the charming colonial town of Antigua.

The encounters with the wildlife described above illustrate possible experiences only and cannot be guaranteed.

- An expedition cruise, to discover the fabulous biodiversity of the Sea of Cortez, "the world's largest aquarium" according to Jacques-Yves Cousteau.
- Outings and shore visits in Zodiac inflatables with a team of experienced naturalist guides.
- UNESCO World Heritage sites: the islands and protected zones of the Gulf of California (also known as the Sea of Cortez), La Antigua de Guatemala and its colonial architecture from Puerto Quetzal in Guatemala.
- The landscapes: reliefs of red volcanic rock plunging into the turquoise water with the desert as the backdrop in the Sea of Cortez, dazzling white sandy beaches in Huatulco (shore excursion for sale).
- The wildlife: California sea lions, dolphins, sea turtles, tuna, barracuda, rays, pelicans, countless species of fish and sea birds.
- Bathing and swimming with sea lions at Los Islotes.
- Possibility of diving (PADI Advanced Open Water Diver or equivalent) with an experienced instructor on board and of snorkelling with your expedition team.



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Deluxe Stateroom	from \$7,810*pp
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Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$9,140*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$9,590*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$18,080*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 6	from \$18,980*pp



JEWELS OF LATIN AMERICA

13 days | Puerto Quetzal to Callao | L'Austral

Departing 19 Oct 2020

SAVE UP TO 30%*

Taking in no less than five countries, a route to discover the most beautiful sites of Latin America. Before you board the ship in Puerto Quetzal, visit the impressive Mayan site of Tikal and the ruins and baroque monuments of La Antigua de Guatemala.

When your ship calls at San Juan del Sur in Nicaragua, travel to Granada, at the foot of the Mombacho volcano, a town is teeming with architectural treasures combining Moorish, Andalusian, Baroque and neo-Classical styles. After a call at Puerto Caldera, visit the beautiful Poas Volcano National Parc and stop in Quepos, the gateway to one of Costa Rica's finest natural treasures, the Manuel Antonio National Park with forest and abundant wildlife, fringed with idyllic beaches. Your ship will then drop anchor in Guayaquil, Ecuador. It will be the starting point for the visit of the historical centres of Cuenca and Quito, both UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Conclude your journey with the jewels of Peru: the archaeological site of Chan Chan, the largest adobe citadel in pre-Colombian America, as well as the unmissable Machu Picchu, the marvel of Inca architecture.

- UNESCO sites: the archaeological site of Chan Chan from Salaverry; the historic centres of Quito and Cuenca from Guayaquil; Lima and Machu Picchu from Callao; La Antigua Guatemala from Puerto Quetzal.
- Discovering an exceptional architectural heritage, between Granada and its many Andalusian-Moorish constructions (from San Juan del Sur), Lima and Trujillo and their rich colonial heritage.
- Visiting one of the national parks of Costa Rica, pristine natural sanctuaries that cover almost a quarter of the country.
- Before your cruise, discover the famous Tikal pyramid, one of the major sites in pre-Columbian Maya culture.
- After your cruise, discover the mythical site of Machu Picchu from Callao.



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Superior Stateroom	from \$5,600*pp
Deluxe Stateroom	from \$6,030*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 4	from \$6,380*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$6,560*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$6,740*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$9,710*pp
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FROM THE ARABIAN PENINSULA TO INDIA

14 days | Muscat to Colombo | Le Bellot

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Sail on a brand-new 14-day cruise between the Gulf of Oman and the coasts of India and Sri Lanka, departing from Muscat. Come aboard *Le Bellot* and set off to discover the treasures of the desert of Arabia and the luxurious landscapes of India and Sri Lanka.

Your ship will first take you towards Dubai, the kingdom of excessiveness, before dropping anchor in Khasab, the gateway to the sublime "fjords of Arabia" that you will be able to explore aboard a traditional boat.

Le Bellot will then call at Mumbai, India's cultural and economic capital. Make sure you visit the Elephanta Caves, a Hindu sanctuary on an island off the coast of Mumbai, and the Chhatrapati Shivaji Terminus railway station (formerly known as Victoria Terminus), a remarkable example of Victorian neo-gothic architecture: both sites are UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

You will then discover Goa, a former colony of the Portuguese Indies prized for its beaches and its rich cultural heritage, in particular a collection of late 16th-century churches and convents, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Your ship will then arrive in Kerala, on Malabar Coast, in south-western India. From Cochin, you will have the opportunity to discover, aboard traditional boats, the fishing villages settled along the banks of the "backwaters", a network of lakes and canals that criss-cross the lush landscapes of Kerala.

Conclude your journey by disembarking in Colombo, the capital of Sri Lanka, located at the cross roads of the maritime trade routes between Europe and Asia.

- An all-new itinerary discovering Oman, the United Arab Emirates, India and Sri Lanka.
- Treasures of Islamic, Buddhist and Hinduist culture, between tradition and modernity.
- UNESCO World Heritage Sites: the Elephanta Caves and the Chhatrapati Shivaji Terminus railway station in Mumbai, the churches and convents of Goa; in Sri Lanka, the historic city of Polonnaruwa and the golden Temple of Dambulla, the old town of Galle and its fortifications.
- Discover exceptional natural sites: the "fjords of Arabia", canyons and oases, deserts of dunes.
- Overnight in Colombo.



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Deluxe Stateroom	from \$7,570*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 4	from \$8,010*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$8,240*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$8,480*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$12,250*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 6	from \$12,600*pp



JEWELS OF THE CARIBBEAN

9 days | Fort-de-France Return | Le Champlain

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Prestige Stateroom Deck 5	from \$4,870*pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	from \$5,010*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 5	from \$7,220*pp
Prestige Suite Deck 6	from \$7,430*pp

*Prices & Itinerary based on 20 Feb '20, 28 Feb '20 and 8 Mar '21 departure dates



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15 days | Miami to Lisbon | Le Boreal

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- A transatlantic voyage discovering the Bahamas, Bermuda and Azores archipelagos.
- UNESCO World Heritage Sites: the tower of Belem and the monastery of Jeronimos in Lisbon (embarkation port), the town of St George's and its fortifications.
- Visit Ponta Delgada, capital of the Azores: old town, churches, and the famous Portas da Cidade (city gates).
- Beautiful and diverse landscapes: white sandy beaches bordered with crystal clear waters in the Bahamas, idyllic coves and natural swimming pools in Bermuda, volcanoes, mountain peaks, green hills, lakes and cliffs in the Azores.



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