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COASTAL ADVENTURES ABOARD  
*SEA CLOUD* & THE LINDBLAD EXPEDITIONS-  
NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC FLEET

# It's Time to See Europe Differently

A photograph of two people on a boat at sunset. The person on the left is in profile, wearing a white shirt and a dark vest. The person on the right is seen from behind, also in a white shirt and dark vest. They are looking out at a large, multi-masted sailing ship with its lights on, set against a sunset sky with scattered clouds. The water is dark, and the overall scene is serene and evocative.

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*Cover photo: St. Kilda, Outer Hebrides off the northwest coast of Scotland. © Jim Richardson.  
This page: Guests returning to Sea Cloud in the evening.*

# Expertly Crafted Coastal European Adventures

*Explorers have long found inspiration on the shorelines of Europe, from the Vikings who launched their longships from Norwegian fjords to the navigators who set sail from Portugal's golden sands. Today, coastal Europe still holds the promise of discovery for expedition travelers.*

On the fringes of the continent, little-known wonders are found along captivating seafronts—treasures like an ancient basalt sea cave in Scotland, volcanic Azorean vineyards, and prehistoric standing stones in the Corsican countryside.

To sail Europe with Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic is to encounter both the iconic and unfamiliar, exploring a wide range of geographies to gain unique perspectives on the threads that connect their histories and cultures. Our small ships sail deftly among windswept archipelagos, through historic canals, and into open water, inviting you to see Europe's seascapes through the eyes of the explorers who came before. And the team at the helm of each expedition—including naturalists, cultural experts, historians, and certified photo instructors—offers expert insights into Europe's past to help illuminate her present.

We take you to the front doors of grand medieval cities and picturesque Mediterranean harbors, approaching them in an authentic, time-honored way and immersing you in their illustrious histories. And the special experiences we arrange on shore with local chefs, fishermen, musicians, and art curators help you forge deeper connections to the cultures that helped shape these storied places. Explore Europe with Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic and discover new perspectives on timeless treasures.





*Bonifacio, Corsica.*



*National Geographic Explorer approaching Tower Bridge, London, England.*



*Shetland, Scotland.*



*Northern gannets, British Isles.*

# Experience More When You Explore by Small Ship

**A QUARTET OF STYLISH AND COMFORTABLE SMALL SHIPS PLAY HOST TO OUR EUROPEAN VOYAGES.**

Our 81-cabin flagship *National Geographic Explorer* is a world-class expedition vessel, equally at home on the high seas or in the small harbors of Europe. Our new, state-of-the-art sister ships *National Geographic Endurance* and *National Geographic Resolution* each feature 69 cabins, sleek Scandinavian design, and special amenities such as infinity hot tubs and twin saunas. Last, but certainly not least, the historic and sumptuously appointed 30-cabin *Sea Cloud*—once Marjorie Merriweather Post’s private yacht—harkens back to the golden age of sailing.

Our ships are outfitted with cutting-edge exploration tools so you can explore Europe’s stunning seascapes and shorelines up close. Kayak beneath waterfall-laced fjords in Norway or between the rocky, windswept islets of Sweden’s Åland Islands. Board a Zodiac for a cruise into the dramatic Fingal’s Cave in Staffa, or ride directly into the picturesque Slovenian harbor of Piran. You’ll get unique viewpoints—and new perspectives—exploring these natural and cultural wonders at water level.





Choir concert, Visby, Sweden.



National Geographic Explorer.



Dinner on board.

## SPEND LESS TIME UNPACKING AND MORE TIME EXPLORING

Traveling Europe by ship allows you to experience a variety of countries and cultures without the effort of getting yourself from one place to the next. Unpack once and wake up daily in a new destination, refreshed and ready for a multitude of adventures. Our vessels take you from vibrant coastal cities to tiny seaside villages steeped in tradition, as well as to rugged and remote islands—all without the hassle of transferring at airports, boarding trains, or changing hotels.

## A CULINARY JOURNEY AT EVERY MEAL

Sampling the local cuisine is a highlight of traveling in Europe, and we take great care to bring the culinary riches of this diverse continent to every meal you enjoy on board. Each ship's Executive Chef designs unique and innovative menus that feature modern takes on classic cuisine as well as essential dishes from the regions you visit, whether it's *paella* from Valencia or *peka* from the Croatian island of Vis. While you're out exploring, our chefs go ashore

to harvest and source sustainable ingredients from farms and markets. And special onshore culinary experiences, like a chef-guided market visit in the Azores, give our guests a chance to be part of the process.

## CULTURAL ENCOUNTERS ON SHORE AND ON BOARD

A voyage through coastal Europe offers abundant opportunities to share in local cultural traditions, whether you're learning about the marsala-making process from a vintner in the Sicilian countryside or witnessing age-old Finnish fishing techniques in Mariehamn. On our expeditions, cultural exchange continues onboard the ship, with events like onboard demonstrations from local artists, special music and dance performances, and concerts curated by ethnomusicologist Jacob Edgar on select voyages.



Acoustic lunch performance, Bruges.

**ALL IN:** Activities and excursions are always included in the voyage price.

**EXPLORE WITH FRIENDS AND FAMILY:** Special savings for groups of 8 or more.







“The sun rose at about 5:50 and by 6:15 we were alongside the dock in Cagliari. Our morning in Sardinia was a perfect one—the sun was already showing suggestions that it would be warm and the winds were slight. At one point on our journey through the unspoiled Sardinian countryside to the prehistoric site of Su Nuraxi, we passed a flock of flamingos feeding in the salt flats that abound here.”

—Tom Heffernan, Historian

# Hidden Places, Unexpected Experiences

*Our voyages are expertly curated to include unique destinations and excursions that allow you to experience a different side of Europe. Alongside our knowledgeable Expedition Teams and handpicked local experts, discover little-known gems like an Iron Age settlement in Orkney, and enjoy special experiences, from a private tour of Guggenheim Bilbao to a hurling demonstration in Cobh.*



1

Visit a local hurling club in **Cobh** for a demonstration of this stick-and-ball game with Gaelic origins. Meet the players, then pick up a wooden hurley and try your hand at passing the sliotar down the field.



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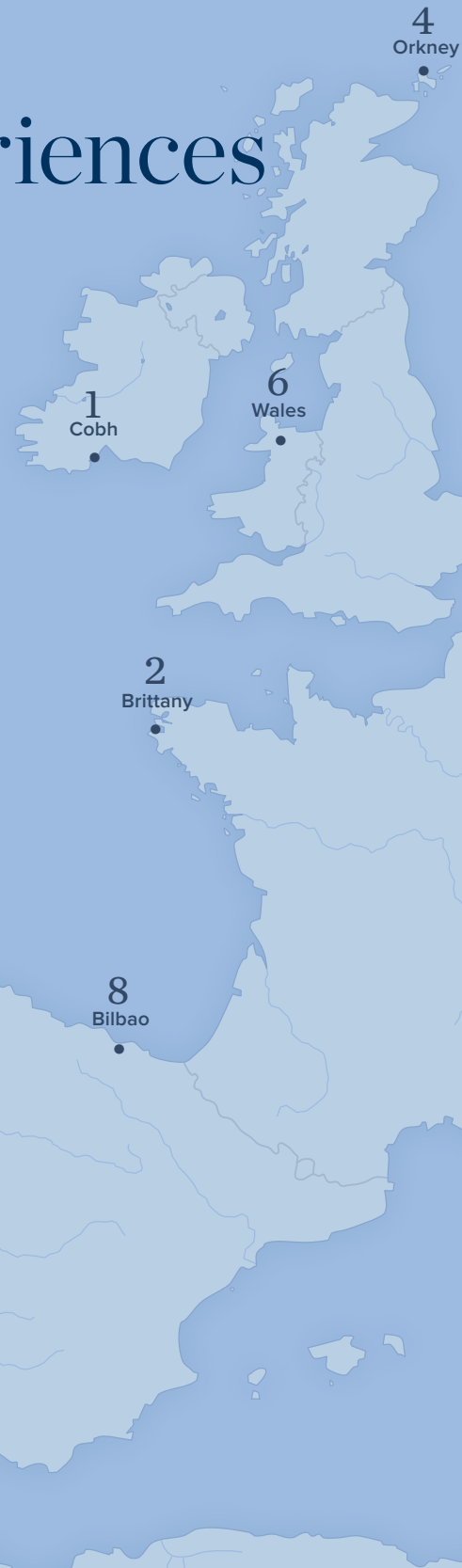
At the far western point of France, explore the scenic coastal trails and beaches of **Brittany's** Iroise National Nature Reserve, which harbors colonies of gray seals, dolphins, and pelagic birds like the elegant Eurasian spoonbill.

3



3  
Azores

Guided by a local chef in the **Azores**, select fresh ingredients at a market and prepare and enjoy cozido, an Azorean specialty stew that's naturally cooked underground by the volcanic activity of São Miguel's verdant Furnas Valley.



4

Venture into a remote, well-preserved Iron Age settlement, **Orkney's** Midhowe Broch, where the cliff-top remains of a round stone tower—with visible room partitions, water tank, and fireplace—reveal details of life thousands of years ago.



5  
Visby

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Be dazzled by the world's largest treasure trove of Viking silver coins and bracelets recently unearthed on Sweden's Gotland island, where we explore the UNESCO World Heritage site of **Visby**, with its cobbled streets, 13th-century wall, and outstanding museum.



7  
Copenhagen

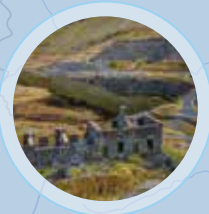
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During a dockside concert in **Copenhagen**, tap your feet to the unique 21st-century folk tunes of Habadekuk, an award-winning Danish band that plays everything from festive polkas and jigs to lyrical waltzes and rowdy sea shanties.



6

In **Wales**, tour the manor house of a slate baron and descend into a former mine to learn firsthand about the technical achievements and grueling work of this critical contribution to the Industrial Revolution.



8

On a private tour of Frank Gehry's iconic Guggenheim **Bilbao**, see celebrated works by Mark Rothko, Jeff Koons, and Andy Warhol, and hear a local's perspective about how the museum has transformed the city.



9

A Mediterranean sunset pairs perfectly with a glass of champagne aboard **Sea Cloud**, where guests can gather in the evenings to watch the crew scale the rigging and raise the billowing sails of this historic square-rigger by hand.



9  
Sea Cloud



“When you think of Lindblad Expeditions and National Geographic you often think of wildlife and remote exotic places—and certainly there are expeditions that fulfill that—but it’s also about culture and history. Lindblad is uniquely qualified with smaller ships, Zodiacs, and land operations to immerse people into different cultures around the world and do it in a small-scale, kind of personal way with all sorts of experts—historians, naturalists, photographers—so you get the most out of your expedition.”

—Todd Gipstein, National Geographic Photography Expert



Pecorino Rosso  
1500

# The Old World Through A New



*“Be ready” and “keep your eyes open” are the first wise words that **David Cothran** imparts to new photographers who join his expeditions. As a Certified Photo Instructor (CPI) for Lindblad Expeditions, David knows how to get the shot. In his three decades with the company, he has been on every expedition, visited 100 countries on seven continents, and taken countless stellar photographs. Recently returned from expeditions in Europe, David is newly energized by the continent and its richly varied offerings, which he believes are best viewed through the lens.*

## **You’ve been everywhere, what is special about expeditions to Europe?**

I just returned from six weeks there, and it never gets old. Of course, we visited the cities and famous sites, but we went deeper than the expected highlights because we want to experience Europe as those who live there do. It is such a wonderfully diverse place, from remote little corners of Scandinavia to the big cities of Northern Europe and then up into the rugged coastlines of Ireland and Scotland. There are so many different environments, people, and cultures. It was truly a holistic experience to encounter all of this on one trip.

## **How does taking photos enhance expedition voyages to Europe?**

There is a fantastic range of subject matter. For some people, it’s all about shooting the amazing architectural and cultural sites. I’m mostly a wildlife and landscape photographer, but I love shooting Europe because it challenges me to learn new techniques and ways to best capture both the historic and more modern buildings.



# Lens

Others are more drawn to photographing Europe's flora and fauna. Because we are voyaging by ship, we have rare access to beautiful, wild places, like the magnificent bird cliffs in northern Scotland, or the delightfully unexpected archipelago of low forested islands right outside of Stockholm.

## What does it mean to be a Certified Photo Instructor (CPI) for Lindblad Expeditions?

Most importantly, we're there as a resource, whether on a canal boat in Amsterdam or landing at a penguin colony in Antarctica, we're shooting alongside guests and are always ready to give technical or compositional advice. Our goal is for everyone to go home with photos that record their amazing journey to proudly share with family and friends.

## What is the most unexpected part about expeditions in Europe?

Serendipity! You never know what you might discover. While on a walking tour of Antwerp we made an unplanned stop and chatted with a local who recommended going to Handelsbeurs, the old Stock Exchange. The 16th-century building wasn't on our tour, and it was the most gorgeous place —beautifully restored with wonderful windows that softly filtered light into the courtyard. I have sensational photos from that unexpected moment.



*This article has been edited and condensed. Read the full version at [expeditions.com/europe-photo](https://expeditions.com/europe-photo)*



**TEST & LEARN:** Capture your best photos alongside a National Geographic photography expert and borrow high-tech equipment from the onboard OM System Photo Gear Locker on every departure of the National Geographic Resolution, National Geographic Endurance, and National Geographic Explorer.

# Explore More: Extend Your Expedition

We design our European voyages so that they can be experienced back-to-back, giving our guests the opportunity to explore multiple regions on their visit to the continent. For example, you might find yourself marveling at an array of intriguing UNESCO World Heritage sites—including the Santiago de Compostela and Mont-Saint-Michel—on voyages that take you from Lisbon to Dublin. Or, you could explore the treasures of both the Baltic and North Seas on consecutive expeditions aboard the *National Geographic Explorer*.



Viru Gate, Tallinn, Estonia.



Dancers in Spain.

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**SPECIAL SAVINGS:** Book your expedition in Europe, then stay on board for the subsequent voyage and you'll enjoy special savings of 10% off the cost of both trips.



São Bento Station,  
Porto, Portugal.





National Geographic Endurance, Azores.

Our Europe itineraries also offer pre- and post-expedition extensions in and around our port cities. Head deep into the Scottish Highlands; get a taste of Montenegro, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Croatia; and more. Join local experts for curated, land-based experiences designed to further immerse you in a region's rich history, culture, and nature.





An aerial photograph of a coastal town built on a hillside overlooking a harbor. The harbor is filled with numerous sailboats and yachts. A large white and blue expedition ship is docked in the foreground. The town features a mix of white and colorful buildings, and a church with two spires is visible in the lower right. The background shows rolling green hills under a clear sky.

# Europe Aboard Our Expedition Fleet

*National Geographic Explorer, National Geographic Endurance, and National Geographic Resolution* navigate to Europe's coastal cities and wild isles, taking travelers to fascinating destinations from the Baltic Sea to the Azores. Experience the continent's historic ports and storied shores in a unique way—on Zodiac, kayaking, hiking, and biking excursions—and enjoy expert insights from our expedition teams, whose passion and knowledge enhance your experience.

# Islands of the Azores: Fado Music to Fin Whales



**10 DAYS | FROM \$10,000/PP**  
Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/azores](https://expeditions.com/azores)

## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- With the help of some of the best whale spotters in the world, search for **fin, blue, sei, and pilot whales**, just to name a few.
- Take advantage of the ship's **state-of-the-art amenities**, from spa treatments to gourmet dining options.
- Discover the **varied past and the stories of explorers, whalers, and conquerors** who all had a part in weaving the tapestry of island history.
- Experience the commitment the locals have to **sustainable growth** and protecting the natural beauty and **ecosystems of the archipelago**.

## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./São Miguel, Azores, Portugal/Embark

Day 3: Pico

Day 4: Faial

Day 5: São Jorge

Day 6: Graciosa

Day 7: Terceira

Day 8: Vila de Porta, Santa Maria

Day 9: São Miguel

Day 10: São Miguel/Disembark/U.S.



## DEPARTURES

**National Geographic Endurance**  
2023-2024 April

## GLOBAL VOICES

Join **Andrew Garling**, co-founder of Earth Day, and National Geographic Photography Expert **Sisse Brimberg** on the April 2023 departure.

## OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Explore Lisbon and enchanting Sintra on a post-voyage extension. See pages 32-33 or visit [expeditions.com/azores-ext](https://expeditions.com/azores-ext) for more details.

## SPECIAL OFFERS

Book by Jan. 13, 2023: 2024 departures at 2023 rates. See page 46 for terms.

*Risso's dolphin.*





Santiago de Compostela, Spain.

## Culture & Cuisine: From Porto to Basque Country



7 DAYS | FROM \$6,990/PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/basque](https://expeditions.com/basque)

### EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Sample fine port wines on a tour of their birthplace, the UNESCO site of Porto.
- Spend a day discovering Galicia, **collecting mussels with local fishermen**, listening to **traditional music**, and visiting a splendid Galician estate.
- Join a pilgrimage to the medieval cathedral at **Santiago de Compostela**, consecrated in 1211.
- Discover an **array of iconic architectural masterpieces**—from the Roman Tower of Hercules in A Coruña to Bilbao’s Frank Gehry-designed Guggenheim Museum.
- In San Sebastián, taste Basque tapas and wines and hear the chords of a **traditional instrument called the *trikitixas***.

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Lisbon, Portugal/Embark

Day 3: Porto

Day 4: Vilagarcía de Arousa, Spain/  
Santiago de Compostela

Day 5: Bilbao

Day 6: San Sebastián

Day 7: Bordeaux, France/Disembark/U.S.



### DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Resolution*  
2023 April

### GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography Expert **Robin Moore** on the April 2023 departure.

### OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Explore Lisbon and enchanting Sintra on a pre-extension. See pages 32-33 or visit [expeditions.com/basque-ext](https://expeditions.com/basque-ext) for more details.



View from Peñíscola Castle, Valencia, Spain.

# Barcelona to Basque Country: Tracing History & Culture on the Iberian Peninsula



13 DAYS | FROM \$21,370/PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/iberia](https://expeditions.com/iberia)



## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Circle the **Iberian Peninsula**, tracing history from the Romans and Moors to the explorers that spearheaded the Age of Discovery.
- Explore seven UNESCO World Heritage sites, including **Seville's Alcázar palace**, the **Alhambra**, the **Tower of Belém** in Lisbon, and **Porto's old city**.
- Learn how cork oak is harvested in the **orchards of the Algarve**, and collect mussels with **local fishermen in Galicia**.
- Experience **Basque country** in the **music and culture** of northern Spain and the markets of southwest France.
- Capture your best images alongside a **National Geographic photography expert**.



## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1: Barcelona, Spain/Embark

Day 2: Valencia/Albufera National Park

Day 3: Cartagena

Days 4 & 5: Granada/Málaga

Day 6: Cádiz/Sevilla

Day 7: Portimão, Portugal

Day 8: Lisbon/Sintra

Day 9: Porto

Day 10: Vilagarcía de Arousa, Spain

Day 11: Bilbao

Day 12: Saint Jean-de-Luz, France/San Sebastian, Spain

Day 13: Bordeaux, France/ Disembark

## DEPARTURES

**National Geographic Explorer**  
2024 May

*Note: In 2024, Day 1 will no longer reflect "depart U.S." but "arrival to city" where your expedition begins. The actual duration of the expedition will remain unchanged. See page 47 for details.*



# Navigating the Atlantic Coast: Brittany, Wales & England's Channel Islands



10 DAYS | FROM \$11,320/PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/atlantic-coast](https://expeditions.com/atlantic-coast)



## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail along the picturesque and culturally rich coasts of **Brittany, Cornwall, and Wales**—each with their own unique essence, yet intertwined throughout history.
- Get a taste for the region's culinary specialties—including freshly-harvested oysters, **Bordeaux's world-famous wines**, and **Cognac's renowned eau de vie**.
- In Brittany, experience the **historic maritime harbor of Brest** and explore charming Dinan, with its medieval ramparts and half-timbered houses.
- **Discover Land's End**, Cornwall's peninsula known for its headlands, artist community, and relaxed countryside.
- Delve into Welsh history with visits to several **Ring of Iron castles** built by King Edward or take in the country's natural beauty along the Isle of Anglesey.



## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Bordeaux, France/  
Embark

Day 3: Royan/Cognac/La Rochelle

Day 4: Brest

Day 5: Saint-Malo

Day 6: Jersey & Guernsey, Channel Islands

Day 7: Penzance, England

Day 8: Treviso, Isles of Scilly

Day 9: Holyhead, Wales

Day 10: Dublin, Ireland/Disembark/U.S.

## DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Resolution*  
2023 April

## GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography Expert **David Wright** on the April 2023 departure.

*St Michael's Mount, U.K.*





Dunnottar Castle, Scotland.

# Exploring Scotland's Wild Isles: Shetlands, Orkneys & Inner Hebrides



10 DAYS | FROM \$12,350/PP  
Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates  
or visit [expeditions.com/scotlandisles](https://expeditions.com/scotlandisles)

### EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Encounter **vivid histories and stunning scenery** on a voyage from Dublin to Edinburgh by way of the Scottish Isles.
- Ride Zodiacs for a close-up view of the unique **geometric basalt columns of Staffa**, a tiny island in the Inner Hebrides.
- Peer into the past in the prehistoric homes of **Skara Brae** in the Orkney Islands and **Jarlshof** in the Shetland Islands.
- Venture to the ruins of **Dunnottar Castle**, set dramatically on an isolated headland on Scotland's east coast.
- Encounter colonies of **puffins and other seabirds** on Northern Ireland's rugged Rathlin Island.

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Dublin, Ireland/Embark  
Day 3: Rathlin Island  
Day 4: Iona, Scotland/Staffa  
Day 5: Inverewe  
Day 6: Noss & Lerwick, Shetland Islands

Day 7: Papa Westray & Rousay, Orkney Islands  
Day 8: Kirkwall, Orkney Islands  
Day 9: Stonehaven  
Day 10: Edinburgh/Disembark/U.S.



### DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Resolution*  
2023 April

### GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography Expert **Macduff Everton** on the April 2023 departure.

### OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS

Discover the Scottish Highlands on a post-extension. See pages 32-33 or visit [expeditions.com/scotlandisles-ext](https://expeditions.com/scotlandisles-ext) for more details.



# Norwegian Fjords & Scottish Isles



10 DAYS | FROM \$12,350/PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/isles](https://expeditions.com/isles)

## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail across the North Sea aboard the brand-new *National Geographic Resolution* in the wake of early Viking explorers, learning about the region's dramatic history.
- Glide beneath the dramatic cliffs of the second-largest fjord in Norway, Hardangerfjord.
- Explore the towering cliffs of Noss, a nature reserve that harbors thousands of seabirds including puffins, guillemots, and kittiwakes.
- See the U.K.'s northernmost lighthouse, Muckle Flugga, at Unst and remote, ancient sites including the 5,000-year-old settlement of Skara Brae.

## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Edinburgh, Scotland/  
Embark

Day 3: Stonehaven

Days 4 & 5: Orkney Islands

Day 6: Shetland Islands

Day 7: Lerwick/At Sea

Day 8: Hidra, Norway

Day 9: Hardangerfjorden

Day 10: Bergen/Disembark/U.S.



## DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Resolution*  
2023 May

## GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography Expert **Macduff Everton** on the May 2023 departure.

## OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS

Discover Scotland's Highlands on a pre-extension. Extend your voyage in Bergen or in Norway's fjords on a post-extension. See pages 32-33 or visit [expeditions.com/isles-ext](https://expeditions.com/isles-ext) for details.

*Ring of Brodgar, Scotland.*





Østerlars Church on the island of Bornholm, Denmark.

## Circumnavigating the Baltic Sea



16 DAYS | FROM \$19,090 /PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/baltsea](https://expeditions.com/baltsea)

### EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Delve into the captivating cities of **Stockholm and Helsinki**, discovering their timeless Old Towns as well as their flourishing contemporary culture.
- Discover UNESCO sites, including the **Hanseatic trade center of Visby** and the **Old Towns of Riga and Tallinn**.
- Explore round churches and charming fishing villages on the **Danish islands of Christiansø and Bornholm**.
- **Explore Neolithic sites on Öland**, and discover the unique maritime culture of Finland's Åland Islands, an autonomous, Swedish-speaking region.
- Get immersed in local cultures through **musical performances curated by our ethnomusicologist Jacob Edgar**.

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Copenhagen, Denmark/Embark

Day 3: Christiansø/Bornholm

Day 4: Gdańsk, Poland

Day 5: At Sea/Riga, Latvia

Day 6: Riga

Day 7: Tallinn, Estonia

Days 8 & 9: Helsinki, Finland

Day 10: Exploring Coastal Finland

Day 11: Åland Islands

Days 12 & 13: Stockholm, Sweden/  
Cruising Stockholm Archipelago

Day 14: Visby, Gotland

Day 15: Öland

Day 16: Copenhagen, Denmark/  
Disembark/U.S.

### GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography Expert **Sisse Brimberg** on either May 2023 departure.



### DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Explorer*  
2023 May 2024 June\*

\*This departure follows a modified route.

### SPECIAL OFFERS

Book by Jan. 13, 2023: 2024 departures at 2023 rates. See page 46 for terms.



# North Sea Voyage: Northern Europe & the Normandy Beaches



11 DAYS | FROM \$10,050/PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/northsea](https://expeditions.com/northsea)

## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Take in the stunning architecture of medieval **Bruges, Antwerp, and Lübeck**—capital of the Hanseatic League founded in 1143.
- **Transit the Kiel Canal**, the busiest artificial waterway in the world, accommodating more ships than the Suez and Panama Canals combined.
- Explore **top museums** with experts—including the iconic Rijksmuseum to see **Rembrandt's "The Night Watch."**
- Walk in the footsteps of Allied soldiers along **Omaha Beach**, and visit several other crucial WWII sites, including the famous **Pegasus Bridge**.
- Sail past England's **Cliffs of Dover**, rising 350 feet from the sea, and navigate up the River Thames to London.

## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Copenhagen, Denmark/  
Embark

Day 3: Lübeck, Germany

Day 4: At Sea/Transit the Kiel Canal

Day 5: Amsterdam, Netherlands

Days 6 & 7: Antwerp & Bruges, Belgium

Days 8 & 9: Normandy Beaches &  
Battlefields

Day 10: Dover, England

Day 11: London/Disembark/U.S.



## DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Explorer*  
2023 June

## GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography  
Expert **Sisse Brimberg** on the June 2023  
departure.

## OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Extend your expedition in London on a  
post-extension. See pages 32-33 or visit  
[expeditions.com/northsea-ext](https://expeditions.com/northsea-ext) for details.



*Holsten Gate, Lübeck, Germany*



*Gilded crown on Stockholm's Skeppsholm Bridge.*



The Opera House, Oslo, Norway.

# Scandinavian Discovery: Vibrant Cities, Coastal Villages & Seafaring History



13 DAYS | FROM \$18,990/PP

Scan QR code for itinerary details and current rates or visit [expeditions.com/scandinavia](https://expeditions.com/scandinavia)



## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Delve into the captivating capital cities of four Scandinavian countries—**Helsinki**, **Stockholm**, **Copenhagen**, and **Oslo**—discovering their timeless Old Towns as well as their flourishing contemporary culture.
- Explore peaceful wooded islands and small rocky islets of **Ekenäs Archipelago National Park** aboard a kayak or Zodiac.
- Experience the unique maritime culture of Finland's **Åland Islands**, an autonomous Swedish-speaking archipelago, and explore **Visby**, a UNESCO site and one of the best-preserved medieval towns in **Scandinavia**.
- Capture the beauty of the **southern Norwegian fjords** and their quaint fishing villages alongside a **National Geographic photography expert**.
- Get immersed in local Danish culture through a special **musical performance** curated by our **ethnomusicologist Jacob Edgar** during your two days in **Copenhagen**.

## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1: Helsinki, Finland/Embark  
 Day 2: Ekenäs National Park  
 Day 3: Mariehamn  
 Days 4 & 5: Stockholm, Sweden  
 Day 6: Visby  
 Day 7: Åhus  
 Days 8 & 9: Copenhagen, Denmark

Days 10 & 11: Oslo, Norway  
 Day 12: Southern Fjords of Norway  
 Day 13: Bergen/Disembark



## DEPARTURES

**National Geographic Explorer**  
 2024 July

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Warehouse district of Speicherstadt in Hamburg, Germany.

## Coastal Powers of the North Sea: Medieval Capitals & Vibrant Cultures



11 DAYS | FROM \$10,990/PP

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### EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Dive into the intricate past of countries bordering the North Sea: **Norway**, **Germany**, the **Netherlands**, **Belgium**, and **France**—and learn how these independent nations have an intertwined past.
- Explore UNESCO-designated Old Towns including **Bryggen**, **Speicherstadt**, and **Lübeck** with a **National Geographic photography expert**.
- Visit the **Delta Works** project of Neeltje Jans, the storm surge barrier keeping the Low Countries protected from the surges of the North Sea.
- Get a taste of everyday life in and outside of major cities, local **culinary specialties**, and some of the **biodiversity** this region has to offer.

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1: Bergen, Norway/Embark

Day 2: Flekkefjord

Day 3: At Sea/Hamburg, Germany

Day 4: Hamburg

Day 5: At Sea

Days 6 & 7: Amsterdam, Netherlands

Day 8: Antwerp, Belgium

Day 9: Ghent or Brussels

Day 10: Dunkirk, France

Day 11: London/Disembark

*Note: In 2024, Day 1 will no longer reflect "depart U.S." but "arrival to city" where your expedition begins. The actual duration of the expedition will remain unchanged. See page 47 for details.*



### DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Explorer*  
2024 July



# Ancient Isles: England, Ireland & Scotland



16 DAYS | FROM \$17,770/PP

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## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Trace a maritime thread around the isles, exploring the wild and beautiful places where **Celtic and Viking influences** still thrive in local languages and customs.
- Sail around magical **Skellig Michael**, which is crowned with a seventh-century beehive monastery.
- See the stunning 12th-century **Iona Abbey**, and Zodiac into Fingal's Cave in Scotland alongside a **National Geographic photography expert**.
- **Explore wild, windswept outer isles**; search for whales, dolphins, and seals; and see vast, important seabird nesting sites.
- Explore the Outer Hebrides and **uninhabited St. Kilda**, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Discover the Stone Age megaliths of the **Ring of Brodgar** and the 5,000-year-old village of **Skara Brae** on Orkney.

## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./London, England/Embark  
 Day 3: Portsmouth  
 Day 4: Fowey  
 Day 5: Isles of Scilly  
 Day 6: Cobh, Ireland  
 Day 7: The Skelligs/Dingle  
 Day 8: Inishmore/Exploring Aran Islands

Day 9: Exploring Northwestern Ireland  
 Day 10: Iona and Staffa, Scotland  
 Day 11: St. Kilda & Callanish  
 Day 12: Orkney  
 Days 13 & 14: Exploring Shetland Islands  
 Day 15: Shetland Islands/At Sea  
 Day 16: Bergen, Norway/Disembark/U.S.



## DEPARTURES

*National Geographic Explorer*  
 2023 June 2024 July

## GLOBAL VOICES

Join National Geographic Photography Expert **Todd Gipstein** on the June 2023 departure.

## OPTIONAL EXTENSIONS

Explore London or the picturesque Scottish Highlands on a voyage pre-extension. Spend additional time in the seaport town of Bergen on a post-extension. See pages 32-33 or visit [expeditions.com/brit-ext](https://expeditions.com/brit-ext) for details.

## SPECIAL OFFERS

Book by Jan. 13, 2023: 2024 departures at 2023 rates. See page 46 for terms.

*Mousa Broch, Shetland, Scotland.*



# Expedition Fleet Voyage Extensions

## Bergen

**2 DAYS | FROM \$1,380/PP\***

A once-bustling seaport nestled amid the fjords of southwestern Norway, Bergen offers a unique window onto the Hanseatic League that once dominated this harbor town and the surrounding region during medieval times. Take an expert-led walking tour of the UNESCO-designated Bryggen area, with its colorful wooden clapboard buildings that line the old wharf. Learn about the town's seafaring history at the Maritime Museum, take in the panoramic views of the city from Mount Fløyen, step into the intricate wooden Fantoft Stave Church, and more.

Add it after:

- | [Ancient Isles: England, Ireland & Scotland](#)
- | [Norwegian Fjords & Scottish Isles](#)

## Norway's Fjords

**2 DAYS | FROM \$1,380/PP\***

Kick off your journey through southern Norway's stunning landscapes in the medieval town of Bergen, where you will learn about the rich history of this former trading center for the Hanseatic League. Spend time exploring the thundering waterfalls and snowy peaks of the two longest fjords in Norway—Sognefjord and Hardangerfjord—and kayak, canoe, and hike along breathtaking lakes. Enjoy a ride on the Flåm Railway, one of world's most scenic train journeys, then wrap up your Norwegian experience with a day in cosmopolitan Oslo.



Add it after:

- | [Norwegian Fjords & Scottish Isles](#)





## Scotland's Highlands

5 DAYS | FROM \$4,650/PP\*

Scotland's rich history and culture come to life on a journey through the renowned Scottish Highlands. Begin in the capital city Edinburgh, a UNESCO World Heritage site, where you will visit The Royal Yacht Britannia and sample Scotch Whiskey during a guided tasting. Then journey inland to explore some of the country's most iconic mountain ranges—notably the Nevis range, home to the country's highest mountain—visit Neptune's Staircase on the Caledonian Canal, and tour storied castles, including Urquhart Castle set along the shores of Loch Ness.

Add it before:

**| Norwegian Fjords & Scottish Isles**

**| Ancient Isles: England, Ireland & Scotland**

Add it after:

**| Exploring Scotland's Wild Isles: Shetlands, Orkneys & Inner Hebrides**



## London

4 DAYS | FROM \$3,990/PP\*

Your London extension starts with a guided tour of the city's most iconic sites, from St Paul's Cathedral and Big Ben to the Houses of Parliament and the Churchill War Rooms. Tour the magnificent Windsor Castle—official residence of the late Queen Elizabeth II—and marvel at its Royal Collection, which includes masterpieces by Rembrandt and Rubens. Top off your time in the city with a special curated experience: a private, after-hours tour of the Household Cavalry Museum, home to the most elite regiment in the British Army, and Horse Guards Gin & Tonic tasting—crafted with the regiment's very own Gin.



Add it before:

**| Ancient Isles: England, Ireland & Scotland**

Add it after:

**| North Sea Voyage: Northern Europe & the Normandy Beaches**

## Lisbon

3 DAYS | FROM \$3,850/PP\*

Lisbon's sweeping river views, lavishly ornamented churches and monuments, and hilltop castles never fail to enchant. Walk winding medieval streets to photograph colorful azulejos, the colorful stone tiles that decorate the city. Stand where great explorers like Ferdinand Magellan and Vasco de Gama launched their historic expeditions, and visit Sintra's stunning Pena and Queluz palaces. You will also experience the region's distinctive cuisine, wine, and music during a dinner at a typical Fado restaurant and a wine tasting in the beautiful Alentejo region.



Add it before:

**| Culture & Cuisine: From Porto to Basque Country**

Add it after:

**| Islands of the Azores: Fado Music to Fin Whales**

\*All pricing is per person, double occupancy.





# Europe Aboard the Historic *Sea Cloud*

Experience the elegance of the Mediterranean aboard a ship fit for this timeless region. Once the private yacht of Marjorie Merriweather Post, *Sea Cloud* evokes the splendor of European travel from a bygone era, with her billowing sails, opulent furnishings, and the wood-decked “Blue Lagoon” lounge offering panoramic sea views. Step aboard this historic square-rigger and sail from one storied port to the next, discovering the antiquities of the Mediterranean in classic style.



The Roman Theatre in Cartagena, Spain

## Sailing the Western Mediterranean: Spain to Corsica aboard Sea Cloud



16 DAYS | FROM \$25,170/PP

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### EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the glamour and sophistication of the **historic *Sea Cloud*** under sail—from the sight of the crew scrambling high in the riggings to the incomparable hospitality aboard this legendary vessel.
- Delve into **UNESCO World Heritage sites** in Seville and Granada, including Giralda Tower, the Alcazár, and the Alhambra.
- Admire the work of **Gaudí** in Palma de Mallorca, and the paintings of **Velázquez** on a private tour of Seville’s stunning Hospital de Los Venerables.
- Explore **Roman ruins** in Cartagena, see mysterious megaliths on Menorca, and wander among **standing stones** in the Corsican countryside.



### DEPARTURES

*Sea Cloud*  
2023 April

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

- Days 1 & 2: U.S./Lisbon, Portugal/ Embark
- Days 3 & 4: At Sea
- Day 5: Cádiz, Spain/Seville
- Day 6: At Sea
- Day 7: Almeria/Granada
- Days 8 & 9: At Sea/Cartagena/At Sea
- Day 10: Palma De Mallorca, Mallorca
- Day 11: At Sea/Mahón, Menorca
- Day 12: At Sea
- Day 13: Alghero, Sardinia, Italy
- Day 14: Bonifacio, Corsica, France
- Days 15 & 16: At Sea/Naples, Italy/ Disembark/U.S.

### OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Explore Lisbon, Sintra, and Portugal’s wine country on a pre-extension. See [expeditions.com/westernmed-ext](https://expeditions.com/westernmed-ext) for more details.

# Extraordinary Adriatic: Croatia & Slovenia Under Sail



10 DAYS | FROM \$14,670/PP

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## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail aboard the historic *Sea Cloud*—once the private ship of Marjorie Merriweather Post—from the sight of the crew scrambling high in the riggings to the incomparable hospitality.
- Venture to Croatian sites that tell the region's rich history, from Neolithic Vis to the Roman ruins of Pula and the Venetian gems of Rovinj and Hvar.
- Step into history at Slovenia's cliff-side Predjama Castle, and see hidden World War II bunkers and tunnels in Vis.
- Visit UNESCO World Heritage sites including Diocletian's Palace complex in Split and the lovely city center of Ljubljana.

## ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 & 2: U.S./Venice, Italy/Embark

Day 3: At Sea

Day 4: Piran, Slovenia/Ljubljana

Day 5: Rovinj, Croatia/Pula

Day 6: At Sea

Day 7: Split/At Sea

Day 8: Komiža, Vis

Day 9: Hvar/At Sea

Day 10: Dubrovnik/Disembark/U.S.

*Island of Vis, Croatia*



## DEPARTURES

*Sea Cloud*  
2023 August

## OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Add a four-day post-trip extension to Kotor, Trebinje & Dubrovnik. Visit [expeditions.com/adriatic-ext](https://expeditions.com/adriatic-ext) for details.





Temple of Concordia and the statue of Fallen Icarus. Sicily, Italy

## Isles of Antiquity: Malta, Sardinia & the Balearic Sea



15 DAYS | FROM \$25,990/PP  
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### DEPARTURES

*Sea Cloud*  
2024 April

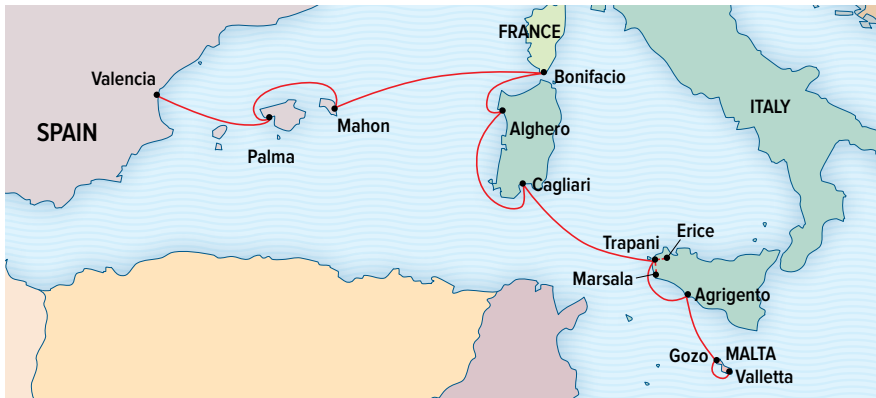
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### EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail aboard the historic *Sea Cloud* and discover the romance of tall ship sailing as you effortlessly visit major islands of the Mediterranean like Sicily, Malta, and Corsica.
- Encounter multiple **UNESCO World Heritage sites**—including Sardinia’s Su Nuraxi di Barumini and the city of Valletta—brought to life by **expert historians and archaeologists**.
- Explore **Menorca’s Bronze Age** village of Torralba d’en Salord and see the characteristic T-shaped stone monuments left by the Talayotic peoples.
- Savor **celebrated culinary specialties** on visits to markets and vineyards.

### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

- Day 1: Valencia, Spain/Embark
- Day 2: At Sea
- Day 3: Palma, Mallorca
- Day 4: At Sea/Mahón, Menorca
- Day 5: At Sea
- Day 6: Bonifacio, Corsica, France
- Day 7: Alghero, Sardinia, Italy
- Day 8: At Sea
- Day 9: Cagliari, Sardinia
- Day 10: At Sea
- Day 11: Erice and Marsala, Sicily
- Day 12: At Sea/Agrigento
- Day 13: Gozo, Malta/At Sea
- Day 14: Valletta
- Day 15: Valletta/Disembark





*Sea Cloud—the last of the private tall ships—  
is the destination, regardless of where she sails.  
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## *National Geographic Endurance & National Geographic Resolution*

**CAPACITY:** 126 guests in 69 outside cabins.

**REGISTRY:** Bahamas. **OVERALL LENGTH:** 406 feet.

*National Geographic Endurance* and *National Geographic Resolution* are next-generation expedition ships, purpose-built for polar navigation. Fully stabilized, highly strengthened, ice-class Polar Code PC5 (Category A) vessels, they are designed to navigate both polar passages and temperate waters year-round, and safely explore uncharted waters, while providing exceptional comfort. The patented X-bow® is key to their design; its powerful wave-slicing action provides an extremely smooth ride even in adverse conditions, and even reduces spray on deck for superior observation. They carry a full suite of expedition tools, and offer a variety of experience enhancing amenities.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** Observation lounge with bar, three dining areas, gym, wellness area, infinity-style outdoor hot tubs, library, main lounge with full service bar, 24-hour beverage, state-of-the-art facilities for films, slide-shows and presentations, and a photo workshop area; plus, an expedition base with lockers for expedition gear, and an “open Bridge” for access to our Captain, officers and the art of navigation.

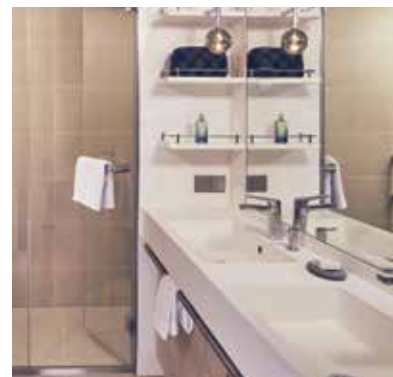
**MEALS:** Two restaurants, featuring local, sustainable choices and unassigned seating for flexible, inclusive dining; plus a Chef’s table for intimate, small group dining. Main restaurant has 270° views, and the observation deck restaurant features lighter, made-to-order fare.

**CABINS:** All cabins face outside with large windows, private facilities and climate controls. 53 cabins have balconies. Cabins are equipped with expedition command centers with tablets and USB/mobile device docking, TVs, Wi-Fi connections, and hair dryers.

**EXPEDITION TOOLS:** Zodiacs, kayaks, Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) and underwater video camera for unique access to polar marine world, hydrophone, aerial remote-controlled camera and video microscope.

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** A full-time doctor, undersea specialist, National Geographic Photography Expert, Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic certified photo instructor and video chronicler, an internet cafe and laundry.

**WELLNESS:** The vessel is staffed by our wellness specialists and features a glass-enclosed yoga studio, gym, treatment rooms and spa relax area, and high and low-heat saunas with ocean views.



*From top: spacious bathroom; library with a view.*





Clockwise from left: Two Seven Zero® restaurant; standard cabin; suite with balcony.

**CATEGORY 1:** Fore Deck #406, 408, 411, 413, 415 Cabins face outside with two large windows, and feature alcove seating.

**CATEGORY 2:** Fore Deck #410, 412, 414, 416-419, 421-427 Cabins face outside with two large windows and feature alcove seating.

**CATEGORY 3:** Main Deck—#512, 514-524 Suites face outside with a balcony, feature a seating area and a pull-out sofa.

**CATEGORY 4:** Lounge Deck—#608, 610, 612, 613-623 Suites face outside with a balcony, feature a seating area and a pull-out sofa.

**CATEGORY 5:** Bridge Deck—#708, 709, 711, 713 Suites face outside with a balcony, feature a seating area and a pull-out sofa.

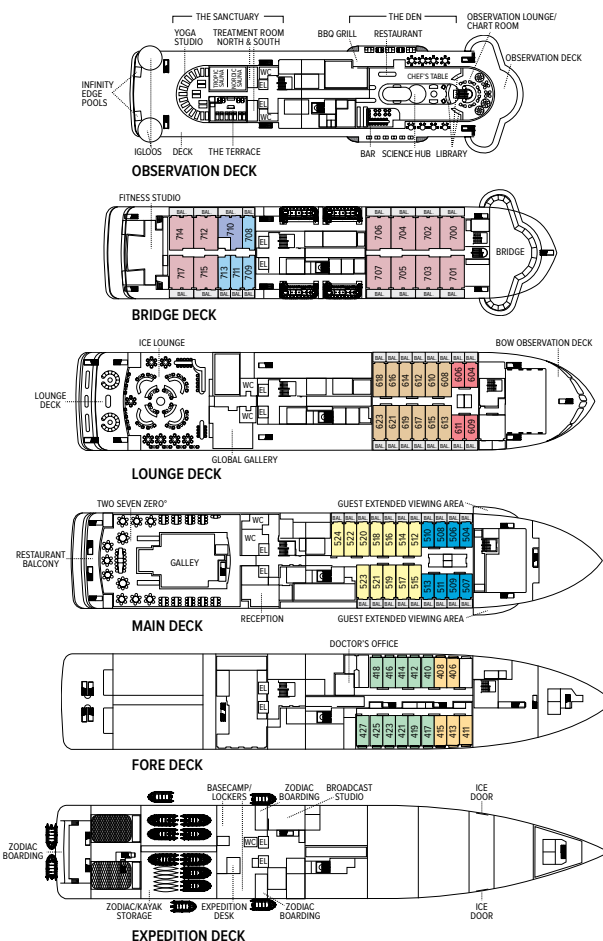
**CATEGORY 6:** Bridge Deck—#710 Suite faces outside with a balcony, features a seating area and a pull-out sofa.

**CATEGORY 7:** Bridge Deck—#700-707, 712, 714-717 Junior Suites face outside with a balcony, feature a seating area, pull-out sofa and a bathtub.

**CATEGORY A SOLO:** Main Deck—#504, 506-511, 513 Cabins face outside with a balcony.

**CATEGORY B SOLO:** Lounge Deck—#604, 606, 609, 611 Cabins face outside with a balcony.

All cabins have: Ability to set up as queen or two singles (except solo cabins, which are set up as one single), command center with docking for multiple devices, atlas, clock, barometer, TV, phone, digital tablet for onboard info, hair dryer, safe, refrigerator.



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## *National Geographic Explorer*

**CAPACITY:** 148 guests in 81 outside cabins.

**REGISTRY:** Bahamas. **OVERALL LENGTH:** 367 feet.

*National Geographic Explorer* is a state-of-the-art expedition ship. It is a fully stabilized, ice-class vessel, with an ice-reinforced hull, enabling it to navigate both polar passages and temperate waters while providing exceptional comfort. It carries kayaks and a fleet of Zodiacs. An undersea specialist operates a remotely operated vehicle (ROV) and sophisticated video equipment, extending access to the underwater world.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** Bistro bar; chart room; restaurant; global gallery; library; lounge with full service bar and state-of-the-art facilities for films, slideshows and presentations; mudroom with lockers for expedition gear, and observation lounge. Our “open Bridge” provides guests an opportunity to meet our officers and Captain and learn about navigation.

**MEALS:** Served in single seatings with unassigned tables for an informal atmosphere and easy mingling. Menu is international with local flair.

**CABINS:** All cabins face outside with windows or portholes, private facilities and climate controls. Some cabins have balconies. Cabins are equipped with Ethernet and Wi-Fi connections and USB ports for mobile devices.

**EXPEDITION EQUIPMENT:** Zodiacs, kayaks, Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV), hydrophone, splash-cam, underwater video camera, aerial remote controlled camera and video microscope.

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** A full-time doctor, undersea specialist, National Geographic Photography Expert, Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic certified photo instructor and video chronicler, internet café and laundry.

**WELLNESS:** The vessel is staffed by a wellness specialist and features a glass-enclosed fitness center, outdoor stretching area, a LEXspa treatment room and sauna.



*From top: the dining room has unassigned seating and an informal atmosphere; glass-enclosed fitness center with 180 degree views.*



Clockwise from left: lounge with full service bar and state-of-the-art facilities for films, slideshows and presentations; Category 7 suite; standard cabin.

**CATEGORY 1:** Main Deck #301-308 Cabins face outside with one or two portholes.

**CATEGORY 2:** Main Deck #317-320, 335-336 Cabins face outside with a large window.

**CATEGORY 3:** Main Deck #313-316, 321-328, 337-340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350 Cabins face outside with a large window.

**CATEGORY 4:** Upper and Veranda Decks #103-104, 107-108, 201-202, 204-207, 210, 212, 217, 226, 228 Cabins face outside with a large window.

**CATEGORY 5:** Upper Deck #209, 211, 214, 216, 218, 220-222, 224 Cabins face outside with sliding glass doors that open to a private balcony.

**CATEGORY 6:** Veranda Deck–Suite #101-102 Cabins face outside with three large windows and feature a separate seating area and pull-out sofa. Upper Deck–Suite #213 Cabin faces outside with a private balcony and features a separate seating area.

**CATEGORY 7:** Upper Deck–Suite #215, 219, 230 Cabins face outside with a private balcony and feature a separate seating area and pull-out sofa.

**CATEGORY A SOLO:** Main Deck #309-312, 329-334 Cabins face outside with a large window.

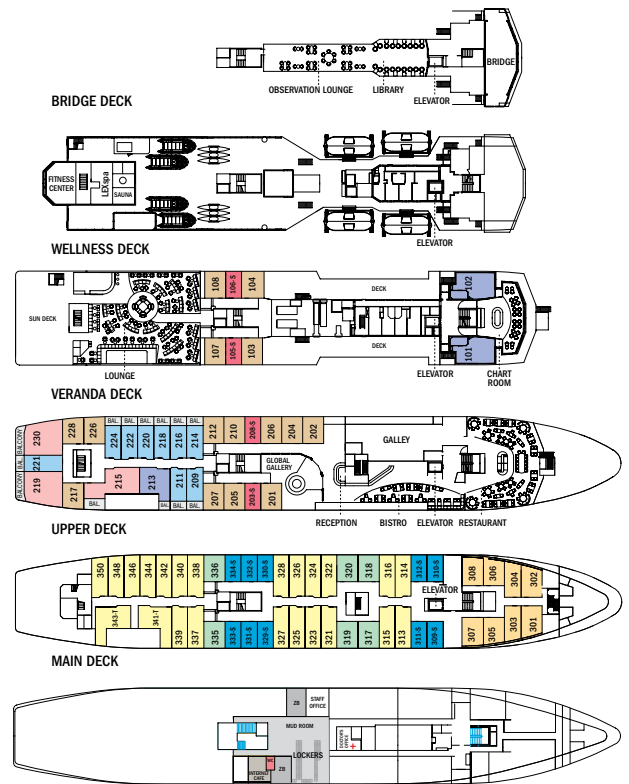
**CATEGORY B SOLO:** Upper and Veranda Decks #105-106, 203, 208 Cabins face outside with a large window.

**CATEGORY 3 TRIPLE:** Main Deck #341, 343 Cabins face outside with a large window and feature a pull-out sofa.

**SHARED ACCOMMODATIONS:** Available in Categories 1 and 2.

**SOLO OCCUPANCY:** Cabins available in Categories A and B.

**NOTE:** Cabins #209, 211, 214, 216-218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 303-306—These cabins have one queen-sized bed. All other double cabins have two single beds; some can convert to a queen-sized bed. Third person rates are available in the designated triple occupancy cabins at one-half the double occupancy rate. Cabins #341, 343, 101, 102, 215, 219, 230 can accommodate a third person.



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## Sea Cloud

**CAPACITY:** 58 guests in 30 cabins.

**REGISTRY:** Malta. **OVERALL LENGTH** 360 feet.

Built in 1931 by Wall Street businessman E. F. Hutton for his wife, Marjorie Merriweather Post, *Sea Cloud* carries 30 sails measuring a total of 32,000 square feet. *Sea Cloud*, the last of the private tall ships, is the destination, regardless of which destination she explores. She spends the winter sailing the trade winds of the Caribbean and heads to the Mediterranean in the summer.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** The covered Lido Bar is a superb place to congregate and enjoy the outdoors. The open-air “Blue Lagoon” is a wonderful place to relax. There is a sumptuous lounge and guests are welcome on the “open Bridge” to learn how *Sea Cloud* is navigated and sailed.

**MEALS:** Served in single seatings and in a casual setting, meals focus on local and Continental cuisine. Wines are included at lunch and dinner. Refreshments are always available.

**CABINS:** The Main Deck cabins have antique and period-style furniture. These cabins are the ship’s original cabins, including the owner’s suites originally occupied by E.F. Hutton and Marjorie Merriweather Post. Cabins on the Promenade and Captain’s Decks have modern, stylish, comfortable furniture.



From top: Lunch on the Lido deck; Relax in the open-air “Blue Lagoon.”



Clockwise from top: Dining room; Marjorie Merriweather Post original Owners Suite; Deluxe Category A cabin

**CATEGORY 1:** #28-29 Cabins have two single beds, a window and shower.

**CATEGORY 2:** #18-25 Cabins have two single beds, a window and shower.

**CATEGORY 3:** #32-37 Cabins have two single beds (which can be pushed together to make a queen-size bed, with one side against the wall), a window and shower.

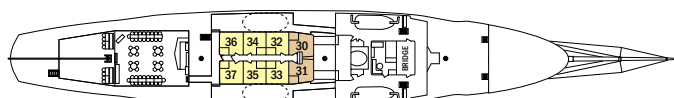
**CATEGORY 4:** #30-31 Cabins have a queen-size bed, a forward-facing window and shower.

**ORIGINAL/DELUXE CATEGORY B:** Original/deluxe cabins, #5, 6, 9, 10 Located on the Main Deck, these large cabins, originally occupied by guests (and the nannies, #9-10) of the owner, have a mix of bed types, decorative motifs, bathrooms with tub or shower. All have portholes.

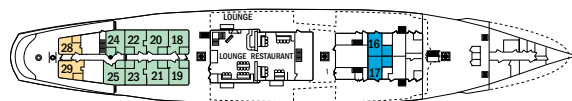
**ORIGINAL/DELUXE CATEGORY A:** Original/deluxe cabins, #3, 4, 7, 8 Located on the Main Deck, these very large cabins, originally occupied by guests of the owner, have a mix of bed types, decorative motifs, bathrooms with bathtubs. All have portholes.

**OWNER'S SUITES:** Original owner's suites #1-2 These incomparable suites were occupied by Marjorie Merriweather Post (#1) and E.F. Hutton (#2). They have king-size beds and grand marble bathrooms with bathtubs. Both suites have portholes.

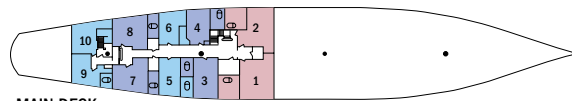
**CATEGORY 1 SOLO:** #16-17 Upper and lower single beds, a porthole and shower.



CAPTAIN'S AND LIDO DECK



PROMENADE DECK



MAIN DECK

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# Take Advantage of our Special Offers

**EARLY BOOKING SAVINGS—BOOK BY JAN. 13, 2023:** If booked by Jan. 13, 2023, 2023 prices are guaranteed on 2024 departures where noted in this brochure. After Jan. 13, 2023, call or visit [expeditions.com](http://expeditions.com) for up-to-date pricing.

**BRINGING THE KIDS:** We believe sharing an expedition with kids or grandkids is a life-enhancing experience. Take \$500 off for each child under the age of 18 on any departure. Offer not applicable on extensions.

**BACK-TO-BACK SAVINGS:** Save 10% on any consecutive voyages taken aboard our expedition ships. Offer not applicable on extensions or airfare.

**TRAVELING AS A GROUP:** Save 5% when traveling as a group of eight or more. Offer applicable on voyage fares only. Not applicable on extensions or airfare. Deposit, final payments, and cancellation policies for group travel vary from our regular policies.

**MILESTONES PACKAGE:** Celebrate a milestone with a group of eight or more and enjoy a special amenity package including: 5% savings on booking, complimentary video chronicle, custom group photo, \$150 shipboard credit, and other special gifts. Milestone celebration to be communicated at time of booking. Available on select voyages starting in 2023.

**COMBINING OFFERS:** Certain offers may be combinable: up to two savings opportunities, except where noted otherwise. For example, travel with a group of eight or more on back-to-back voyages and take advantage of both savings.

**All offers valid on select departures, on expeditions indicated throughout this catalog. Valid for new bookings only, may not be combinable with other offers, and subject to availability at the time of booking. Call for details.**

## Inclusive pricing

We include just about everything you have the opportunity to do as part of your expedition—aboard ship and ashore. The only things that aren't always included on departures across the fleet are those of a personal nature: alcohol, internet usage, tips to the crew, wellness treatments, and other specialized arrangements.

### ABOARD SHIP

- ✓ All meals and non-alcoholic beverages
- ✓ Refillable water bottle
- ✓ 24-hour coffee, tea & soda on demand
- ✓ Hors d'oeuvres & snacks during lounge recap
- ✓ Sauna (where applicable)
- ✓ Fitness center
- ✓ Fully stocked library
- ✓ The guidance and company of our expedition staff

### ASHORE

- ✓ Meals and accommodations on land, as indicated in itinerary
- ✓ Special access permits, park fees, port taxes
- ✓ Transfers to and from group flights
- ✓ The expertise of our expedition staff

### ACTIVITIES

- ✓ All excursions
- ✓ Zodiac & kayak explorations
- ✓ Snorkeling and paddleboarding (where indicated)
- ✓ Lectures & presentations in the lounge

### BAR TAB INCLUDED

We will cover your bar tab on all departures aboard *National Geographic Endurance*, *National Geographic Resolution*, *National Geographic Explorer*, and *Sea Cloud*.

### CREW TIPS INCLUDED

We will cover your tips to the ship's crew on all departures aboard *National Geographic Endurance*, *National Geographic Resolution*, *National Geographic Explorer*, and *Sea Cloud*.



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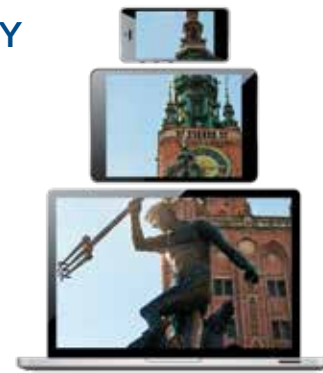
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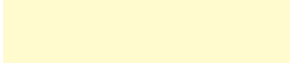
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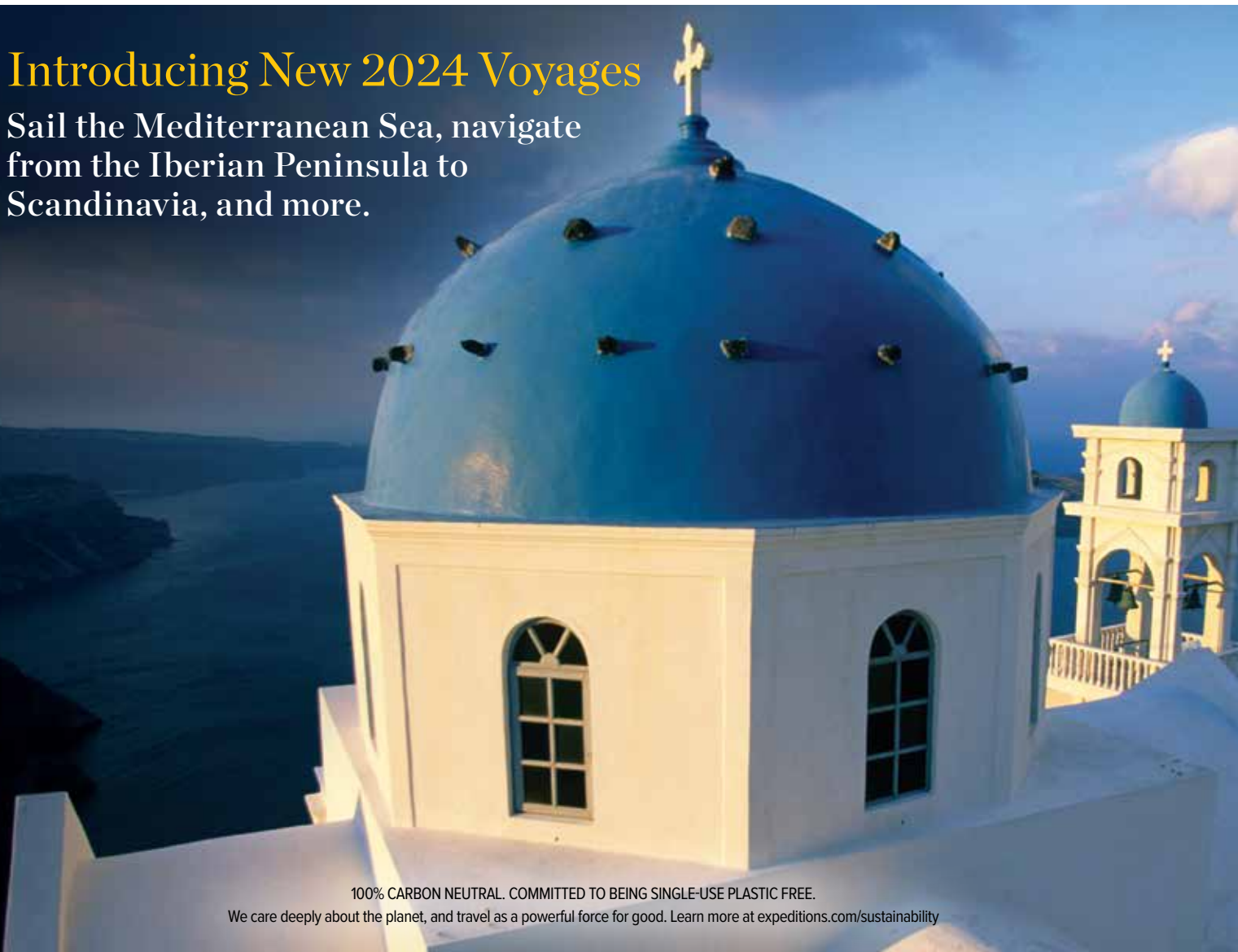
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