

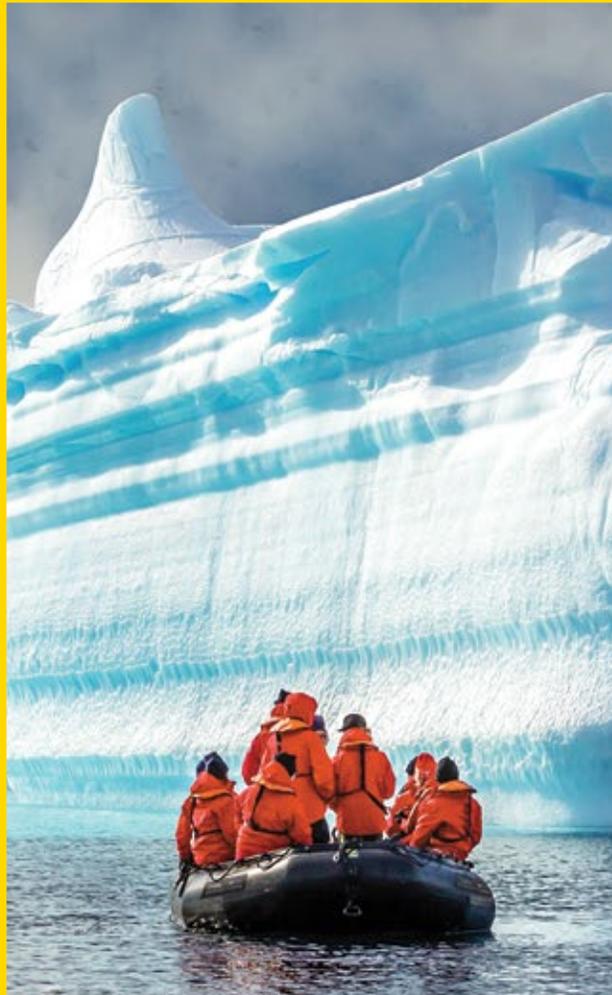


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*Cover photo: Guests approach a towering Antarctic iceberg by Zodiac.
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Left: Sea lions on a white-sand beach in the Galápagos. © Perrin James



“We share a belief with Lindblad that travel is more than recreation. It’s an opportunity to see the wonder of the world so that people are inspired to protect it.”

JILL TIEFENTHALER

CEO of the National Geographic Society

Read the interview on page 10.





DEAR TRAVELER,

I am writing this from the Gerlache Strait on the Antarctic peninsula, where the sun is bright and the sky nearly cloudless. The morning started with a hike along the edge of a large penguin colony,

followed by kayaking amongst giant icebergs. Back on board, I saw a most improbable iceberg and rushed to find the captain to see if we could safely get closer. Soon, the ship's entire complement was on the bow, witnessing this magnificent sculpture. A lively dinner was then interrupted by a pod of killer whales hunting penguins, which brought many of us back out on deck.



Gerlache Strait, Antarctica.

Most of the guests on board have never been to Antarctica, but even team members like myself who've visited many times were stunned by all we'd seen in the span of a single day. These moments drive me and the rest of the team to do what we do: facilitate opportunities for magic to unfold.

As I reflect on the past year, the reverence of this day felt especially profound. Since 2004, Lindblad Expeditions has had the good fortune to collaborate with National Geographic—an organization that represents “the world and all that’s in it,” disseminating stories and information about an endlessly fascinating

planet. Lindblad Expeditions takes people to many of the places illuminated by National Geographic. It is a natural fit—and last November, this collaboration was renewed until at least 2040.

Guests will experience this unique relationship in a multitude of ways. For instance, you might travel with a National Geographic photographer or National Geographic Explorer whose work helps you understand your chosen destination more deeply. Or, you may improve your photographic skills by engaging with one of the National Geographic-certified photography instructors that joins every voyage. Or you might gain access to a place where National Geographic researchers are doing important conservation work.

In the pages that follow, there are diverse possibilities to consider. But, whether you choose to explore a vast wilderness like Antarctica or experience one of the Mediterranean itineraries presented in collaboration with *Food & Wine*, I genuinely believe that if the notion of an expedition appeals to you, this fleet is best equipped to fulfill—and hopefully exceed—your expectations.

After all, National Geographic and Lindblad Expeditions have been doing this together for a very long time—connecting curious travelers with incredible experiences. And expertise really does matter.

Sincerely,

Sven Lindblad

NEW & NOTEWORTHY

THE LATEST IN EXPEDITION TRAVEL

Bold new expeditions are set to embark in destinations near and far. This year, refresh your travel plans and push the boundaries of discovery with National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions.

Quest for the Antarctic Circle | 16 Days

Spend nine days exploring Antarctica—several days longer than any other voyage in the portfolio—and attempt the pinnacle of expeditionary travel, pursuing the Antarctic Circle. **View itinerary on pg. 23.**



Kayaking amid icebergs in southeast Greenland.

Southeast Greenland:

Exploring at the Edge of the Ice Cap | 10 Days

Get up close to the glaciers that flow from Greenland's legendary ice field and the fjords and mountains carved into the country's southern coastline. [View itinerary on pg. 47.](#)



The Ring of Brodgar in Scotland's Orkney Islands.

Sailing the St. Lawrence Seaway and Canadian Maritimes | 11 Days

Journey along the St. Lawrence River in autumn, with stops in Québec City; St-Pierre, the only remaining French territory in North America; and Îles de la Madeleine, rich in French Acadian culture. [View itinerary on pg. 87.](#)

North Atlantic Wonders:

Iceland, Scotland and the Faroes | 11 Days

Discover the seafaring culture of the Faroes, ancient wonders in the Orkneys and Shetlands and Iceland's volcanic Westman Islands. [View itinerary on pg. 57.](#)



Sea Cloud II.

Exploring Arenal Volcano, Pearl Islands and the Panama Canal | 9 Days

Experience an array of wonders on a voyage that pairs an inland exploration of Costa Rica's Arenal Volcano with a maritime journey through the Panama Canal to Portobelo and the Pearl Islands. [View itinerary on pg. 102.](#)

Antigua to the BVIs: Hidden Cays and Azure Seas Aboard Sea Cloud II | 8 Days

Feel the thrill of traveling from one Caribbean isle to the next under the billowing sails of *Sea Cloud II*, and go ashore to explore vibrant villages, turquoise coves and lush jungles. [View itinerary on pg. 89.](#)



Hiroshima Bay, Japan.

Epic Northwest Passage: From Iceland to Japan | 69 Days

Set out on an odyssey across the top of the globe that combines four expeditions, giving you the option to book two or more back-to-back legs—or join the entire epic 69-day journey. [View itinerary on pg. 117.](#)



Learn More

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MORE TO EXPLORE

ANNOUNCING NEW CHARTER SHIPS

In 2026, National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions will add new chartered voyages to the expedition portfolio. The *Delfin III* joins long-time charter *Delfin II* in the Upper Amazon, offering an immersive six-day voyage along this storied river as well as an expedition that combines the Amazon and Machu Picchu. Two new journeys through Indonesia's Spice Islands and Raja Ampat aboard the state-of-the-art *Aqua Blu* mark National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions' highly anticipated return to the heart of the Coral Triangle, renowned for its exceptional diving and snorkeling.

Last but certainly not least, National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions will make a long-awaited return to India for a unique land-and-river expedition. *Charaidew II* takes guests along India's sacred Brahmaputra River for a voyage rich in culture and wildlife, with highlights that include a visit to the Taj Mahal and safaris in search of Bengal tigers and the Indian rhinoceros.



Lounge, Charaidew II.



Andes Suite, Delfin III.

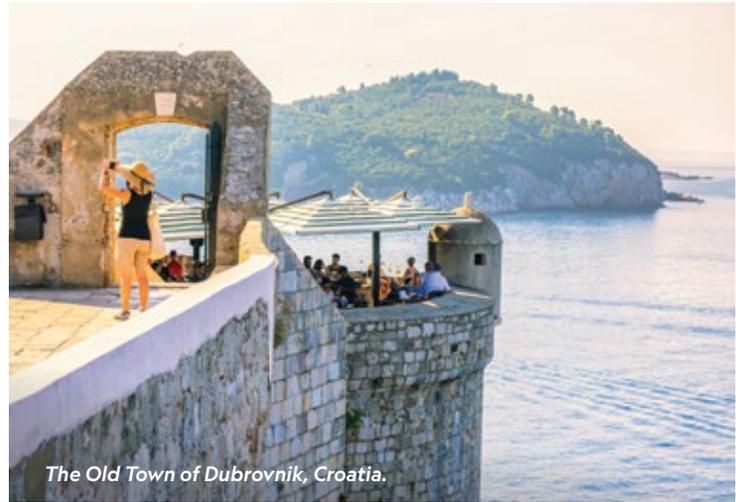
Taj Mahal, Agra, India.



FOOD & WINE

SAILING THE MEDITERRANEAN IN COLLABORATION WITH *FOOD & WINE*

Following the success of the inaugural journeys with *Food & Wine* in the Pacific Northwest, National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions will once again team up with the iconic culinary brand in 2025 for a series of new Mediterranean voyages designed to highlight some of the region's best wines. On any of five expeditions aboard *National Geographic Orion*, delve into the sustainable food and wine customs that are central to the Mediterranean's rich culinary culture, and sample onboard wines personally selected by *Food & Wine* magazine's Executive Wine Editor, Ray Isle.



The Old Town of Dubrovnik, Croatia.



Guests wine tasting at Relais and Wine San Tommaso in Croatia.



In Case You Missed It: Private Galápagos Voyages

Beginning this year, National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions will offer sailings aboard the 16-guest catamaran *National Geographic Delfina*, perfectly sized for private groups. These intimate voyages offer the same exceptional experience available on larger Galápagos ships, including access to the exclusive National Geographic Explorers-in-Training



Young explorer sketching on board.

program, which teaches young travelers to explore their wild surroundings like scientists through fun and educational activities.

IN CONVERSATION WITH JILL TIEFENTHALER AND SVEN LINDBLAD

TO ILLUMINATE AND PROTECT

After collaborating for more than 20 years to connect curious travelers with transformative experiences, National Geographic and Lindblad Expeditions recently agreed to renew their collaboration through 2040. Lindblad Expeditions founder Sven Lindblad recently sat down with Jill Tiefertalder, CEO of the nonprofit National Geographic Society, to discuss how the unique collaboration between these two organizations supports the Society's mission to illuminate and protect the wonder of our world.



The mission of the National Geographic Society is to “use the power of science, exploration, education and storytelling to illuminate and protect the wonder of our world.” How does the mission guide your work?

Jill Tiefertalder: Many people are familiar with the media reach of National Geographic, but they don't realize that we are a mission-driven organization. We support about 3,000 active National Geographic Explorers around the world—scientists, conservationists, educators and storytellers—working to tackle some of the most urgent issues of our time.

How does expedition travel with National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions support the mission of the Society?

Jill Tiefertalder: We share a belief with Lindblad that travel is more than recreation; it's an opportunity to see the wonder of the world so that people are inspired to protect it. As National Geographic Explorer and photographer David Doubilet says, “If you want to protect nature, you first have to love it. And if you want to love it, you first have to understand it. And if you want to understand it, you first have to see it.”

Sven Lindblad: Lindblad Expeditions was founded to help improve the relationship between people and the planet by taking them up close to nature and culture—and so

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— SVEN LINDBLAD,
Founder of Lindblad Expeditions

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CEO of the National Geographic Society



our mission is uniquely aligned with that of the National Geographic Society.

National Geographic photographers join select expeditions. How do they enhance storytelling and education on the voyages?

Sven Lindblad: Many of us became interested in different aspects of the world because of the photographs in National Geographic magazine. When guests rub shoulders with these photographers—learning skills they can apply—it’s something they find hugely valuable.

What is the value of bringing younger travelers on an expedition cruise?

Sven Lindblad: I think everybody has the potential to be an explorer in one form or another, and I would like for more people to see themselves that way. Experiences in the wild have the power to ignite the explorer that lies within each of us, and even a small spark in a young person can inspire a

lifelong love for exploration and the planet.

Dr. Tiefenthaler, have you been on a voyage with National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions, and can you tell us about your experience?

Jill Tiefenthaler: I have been on several and all have been amazing trips, but my recent voyage to the Galápagos Islands was a highlight. I was blown away by the expertise of the staff, and the other guests on board were a naturally curious group—we really bonded and had a wonderful time together.

Mr. Lindblad, you’ve been on countless voyages, and you’ve visited certain destinations several times. What keeps you coming back to places?

Sven Lindblad: Nobody has the same experience in nature because it changes every day. I love going back to Antarctica and Alaska because I learn something new and my relationship to these places deepens every time I visit—and I think that’s just wonderful.



Learn More

Since 2008, the Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic Fund has invested more than \$24 million in projects that are restoring critical marine and coastal habitats, protecting the ocean and fostering environmental stewardship—including projects led by National Geographic Explorers.

IN GOOD COMPANY

TRAVEL WITH NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC EXPLORERS

For over a century, National Geographic Explorers have revealed the beauty and wonder of the world through masterful storytelling. From archaeologists and historians to marine biologists, these experts have received grants, fellowships or awards from the National Geographic Society to advance the important work they do in their fields. They travel aboard select departures, sharing insights with guests or using the ships to conduct research as part of the fleet's Visiting Scientist Program.



National Geographic Photographer Kike Calvo instructs a guest on capturing the landscapes of National Park in Chilean Patagonia.

David Doubilet, Marine Biologist

A photojournalist focused on oceanic environments, David Doubilet has contributed more than 70 feature stories to *National Geographic Magazine*. Doubilet has been called the “Audubon of the Sea” for using photography as a voice for the vanishing ocean. He is currently documenting at-risk UNESCO World Heritage marine sites. (See pg. 28, 38, 40 & 50.)



William Saturno, Archaeologist

William Saturno specializes in the myths and histories of early civilizations. A former NASA research scientist, he has conducted fieldwork around the globe—both on the ground and from space—to understand the foundations for great empires of the past, weaving together archaeological, anthropological and historical data. (See pg. 62, 63 & 69.)



Natalie Catherine Sinclair, Marine Biologist

Natalie Sinclair is a Scottish marine biologist who conducts animal behavior research and conservation monitoring using non-invasive research technologies, such as bioacoustics. In 2019, Sinclair received a grant from the Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic Fund to examine the cultural evolution of humpback whale songs in the Cook Islands. (See pg. 59 & 60.)



Santiago Ramírez Said, Botanist

Colombian Lebanese botanist Santiago Ramírez Said works on the sustainable development and conservation of Indigenous peoples across the Americas. He collaborates directly with communities in places like Panama and Colombia to protect their cultural practices, storytelling traditions and historical uses of native plants. (See pg. 99.)



Brian Kastl, Ecologist

Dr. Brian Kastl leads aquatic conservation projects across the Pacific, leveraging local knowledge to study fisheries, rivers and reefs. Since 2019, the Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic Fund has supported his work to protect endangered coho salmon by tracking their migrations with microchips in the Russian River of California. (See pg. 85.)



CONSERVATION IN ACTION



Every journey with National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions promises adventure, but some voyages—particularly in the Arctic, Antarctica and Galápagos—give guests the chance to observe research and conservation in action through the Science at Sea program. **Ashley Knight**, the program’s manager, reveals how science takes the thrill of exploration to the next level.



Researchers deploy the National Geographic Deep Sea Camera System in the Galápagos.



Top to bottom: Visiting scientists in the Science Hub aboard National Geographic Endurance; orca researchers use a drone to collect whale health data in Antarctica; guests help National Geographic Explorer Rachael Miller collect water samples.

What is the Science at Sea program?

It is defined by three pillars—first, the Visiting Scientist Program, where scientists are invited on board to collect data for their studies and to interact with guests. The second is citizen science—established programs where, with the guidance of naturalists, guests can collect data in the field. The third is a collaborative program, where the fleet’s own naturalists support ongoing research.

What makes National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions voyages the ideal platforms for Science at Sea?

For more than 50 years, the fleet has been taking people out into nature—exploration and education are in the company’s DNA. To have a scientist on board collecting data gives an even deeper perspective about what is happening in a destination. Guests are always curious and eager to learn, so the opportunity for one-on-one interactions with the scientists is highly prized.

Talk about a notable discovery made by a visiting scientist.

One team has joined the polar fleet each season in Antarctica for over 10 years. They assess the health of whales by collecting identification images to monitor population status. Aerial photographs are analyzed to estimate size and body condition. This long-term data set has produced more than two dozen publications, which are invaluable to understanding the impacts of rapid warming on whale health in Antarctica.

What is the biggest value-add of having scientists join expeditions?

They become part of the community and unite travelers and expedition teams with a common purpose. One example is visiting scientist Rachael Miller, who studies microplastics. She invites guests out on the Zodiac to help her collect water samples by “throwing the bucket,” and everyone has fun taking their turn. It creates camaraderie and reinforces that everyone is on this journey together.



Learn More

Visit expeditions.com/science to read more about Science at Sea and learn about new and ongoing research projects aboard the National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions fleet.

LIFE ON BOARD

SETTLE IN AT SEA

Each ship in the National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions fleet is a destination in its own right, featuring experiences and amenities to ensure that your time on board is equally rewarding as your time on shore.



Video

All guests aboard *National Geographic Endurance* and *National Geographic Resolution* are invited to the chef's table dining experience featuring a special zero-waste tasting menu.



WELLNESS AT SEA

Greet the day with a sunrise stretch session or unwind in the spa with a massage, serenaded by the sound of soothing waves. Dedicated wellness spaces—including treatment rooms, saunas, fitness centers and more—encourage travelers to tap into the natural rhythms of their surroundings. Treatments are tailored to your individual needs, and each fully accredited wellness specialist is also a licensed massage therapist.

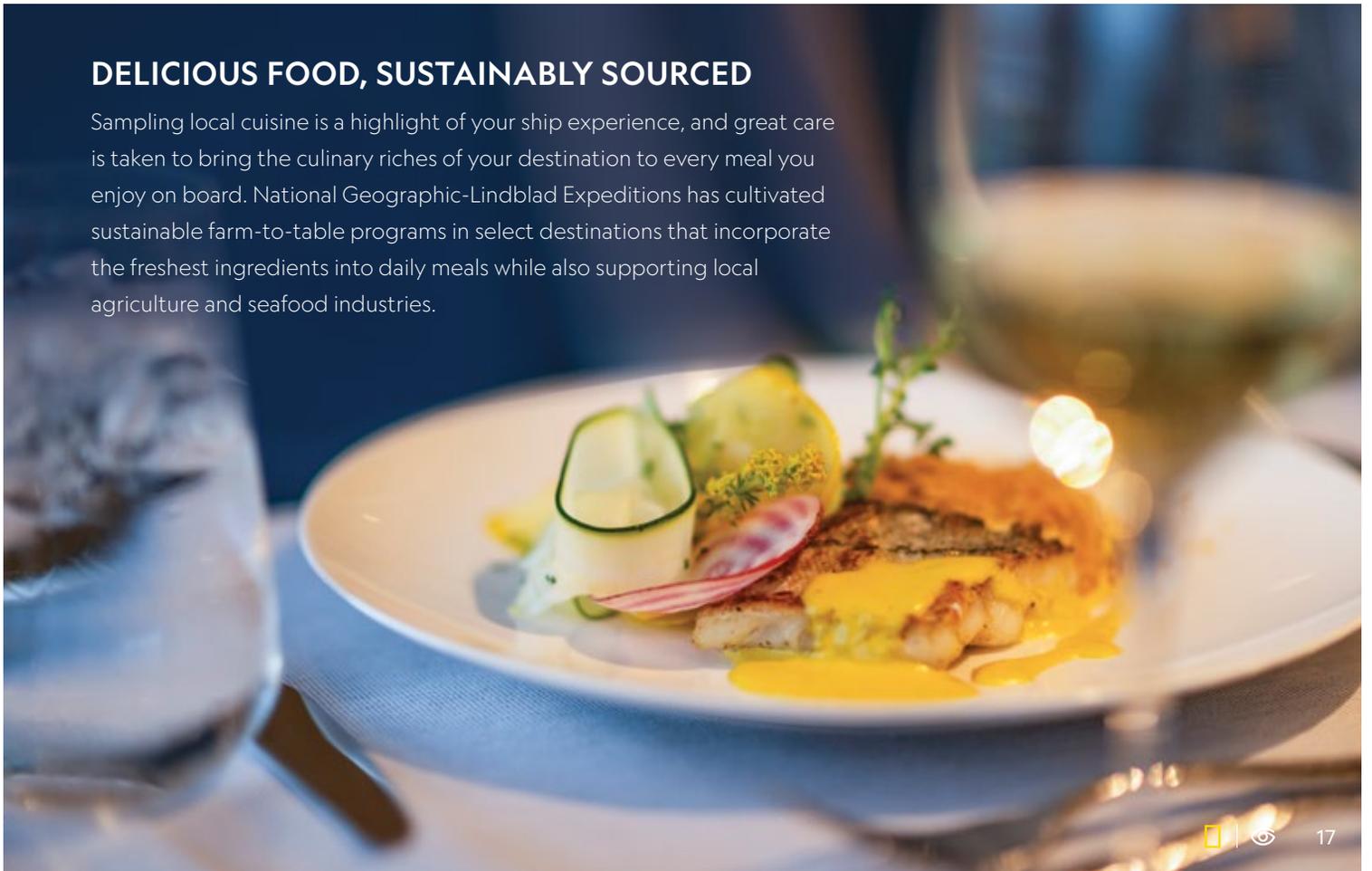


SUITE EXCLUSIVES

The suites in the fleet are your elegant retreat at sea, featuring spacious living areas and incredible ocean views—and booking one of these beautifully appointed accommodations comes with even more benefits. The Suite Exclusives package gives guests staying in eligible cabins access to an array of amenities designed to enhance your onboard experience, including priority booking for spa treatments, an in-room espresso maker, complimentary laundry and other exclusive perks.

DELICIOUS FOOD, SUSTAINABLY SOURCED

Sampling local cuisine is a highlight of your ship experience, and great care is taken to bring the culinary riches of your destination to every meal you enjoy on board. National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions has cultivated sustainable farm-to-table programs in select destinations that incorporate the freshest ingredients into daily meals while also supporting local agriculture and seafood industries.





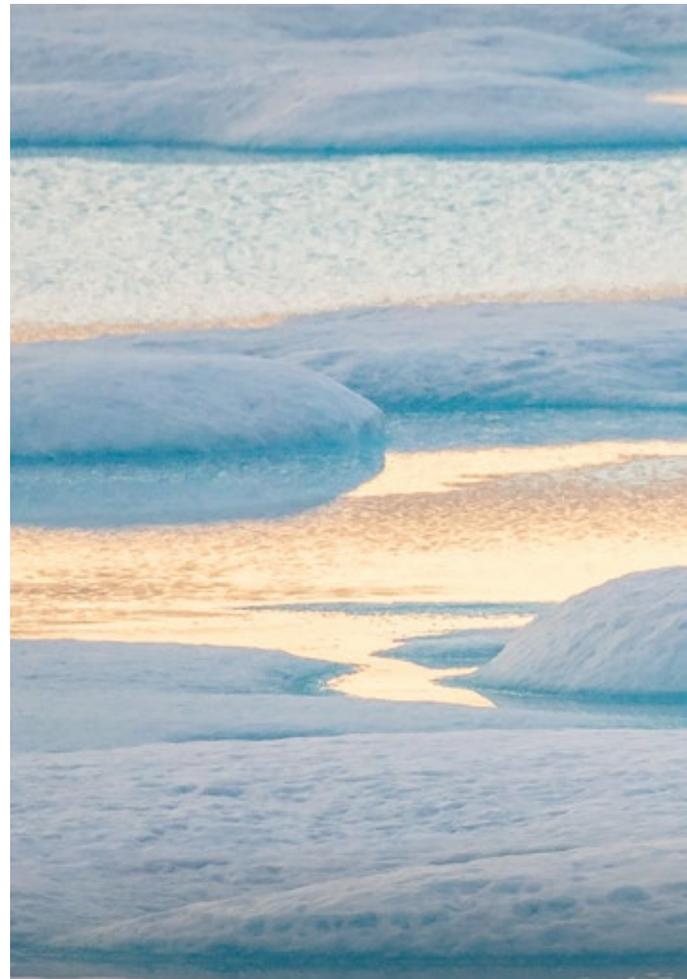
ADÉLIE PENGUINS, ANTARCTICA
Voyage to Antarctica, February, 2024.



LA CUMBRE VOLCANO ERUPTION, GALÁPAGOS
Galápagos Escape, April, 2024.



PUERTO PROFUNDO, PATAGONIA, CHILE
Patagonia: Chilean Fjords and Argentina's Staten Island, March, 2024.



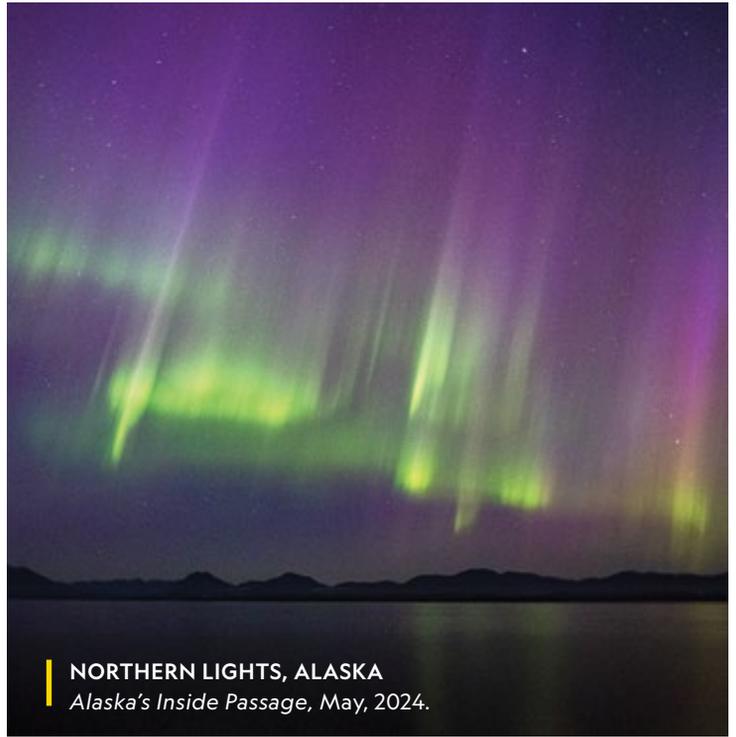
EXPLORATION IN FOCUS

Year after year, National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions travels far and wide in search of fresh perspectives on wonders of the world. In the rich tradition of the fleet, travelers capture what they witness under the guidance of the National Geographic-certified photo instructors who accompany every departure and the National Geographic photographers who join select voyages. Each image tells a story of new relationships forged in the natural world; let them inspire you to make your own new memories in exploration.



See More

Visit expeditions.com/yearinexploration to view the 24 best expedition photos of 2024.



NORTHERN LIGHTS, ALASKA
Alaska's Inside Passage, May, 2024.



POLAR BEAR, SVALBARD, NORWAY
Norway's Fjords and Arctic Svalbard, May, 2024.

This image was taken using a long-focus camera lens.

A wide-angle photograph of an Antarctic landscape. In the foreground, a vast, smooth expanse of snow and ice stretches across the frame. In the middle ground, a small, dark inflatable boat with several people wearing orange life jackets is navigating through a field of smaller ice floes. The background features a massive, towering ice formation with a sharp, vertical edge, set against a sky with soft, diffused light. The overall color palette is dominated by various shades of blue and white, creating a serene and majestic atmosphere.

ITINERARIES

ANTARCTICA & PATAGONIA

Venturing to the bottom of the globe is a chance to discover the world's last great wildernesses, where whales swim, penguins flock and albatrosses soar. Discover Antarctica, Patagonia or the wild isles of the South Atlantic on voyages informed by more than five decades of sailing these untamed waters.





Guests exploring by Zodiac.

Voyage to Antarctica



12 DAYS | FROM \$13,584pp

2025 Feb., Nov., Dec. | 2026 Jan., Nov., Dec. | 2027 Jan., Feb.

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

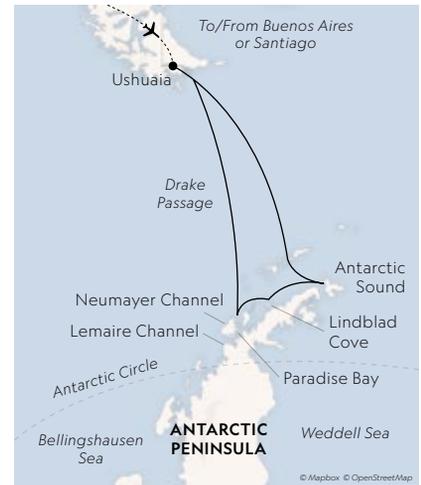
Visit expeditions.com/antarctic for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the last great wilderness with a team of top naturalists aboard a state-of-the-art polar ship.
- Photograph penguin colonies—gentoo, Adélie and chinstrap—with a National Geographic photographer.
- Watch whales off the bow. Glide around enormous icebergs in Zodiacs. Hike on shore, kayak—and even possibly cross-country ski in early November.
- Discover the unexpectedly dazzling world beneath the waves in footage shot by an undersea specialist.
- Extend your expedition and immerse yourself in the art and architecture of Buenos Aires or go on a culinary adventure in Santiago. Or, visit magnificent Iguazú Falls.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Experts **William Saturno** on Jan. 28, 2025 and **Erin Pettit** on Feb. 18, 2026. Join National Geographic Photographers **Rich Reid** on Nov. 27 and Dec. 7, 2025, and **Chris Rainier** on Dec. 29, 2025.



Quest for the Antarctic Circle



16 DAYS | FROM \$27,513pp

2027 Jan.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/antarctic-circle for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience a once-in-a-lifetime event, venturing ever south in pursuit of the Antarctic Circle (conditions permitting)—and then celebrate the crossing with a group toast.
- Sail aboard the state-of-the-art *National Geographic Endurance*, a top-tier ice-class vessel with safety technologies that far exceed industry requirements.
- Explore the last great wilderness in the company of a team of veteran naturalists and take epic photographs with the help of a National Geographic photographer on board every departure.
- Watch whales off the bow, glide around enormous icebergs in Zodiacs, explore on shore and kayak near porpoising gentoo, Adelie and chinstrap penguins.
- Discover the unexpectedly dazzling marine realm with a dedicated undersea specialist.



These are examples of expedition locations.

Gentoo penguins.





Kayakers and an Adélie penguin.

Antarctica Direct: Fly the Drake Passage



8, 9 and 10 DAYS | FROM \$11,975pp

2025-2026 Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec. | 2027 Jan., Feb.



National Geographic Explorer, National Geographic Orion

Visit www.expeditions.com/fly-the-drake for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Get a head start on your Antarctica experience by flying from Puerto Natales across the Drake Passage to King George Island, landing at the Chilean research station that permanently operates there.
- Explore the world's last great wilderness in the company of top naturalists and the most experienced polar captains in Antarctica, with over 55 years of expedition heritage.
- Hike amid magnificent mountains, see huge glaciers, kayak in protected waters and observe a parade of gentoo, Adélie and chinstrap penguins.
- November departures offer the possibility to cross-country ski or snowshoe across the frozen sea ice, conditions permitting.
- With the National Geographic Global Explorers program, kids and teens can learn about the seventh continent through immersive, hands-on activities.



These are examples of expedition locations.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Nick Cobbing** on Nov. 16, 22 and 28, 2025 on *Antarctica Direct: Fly the Drake Passage 9-Day* and on Dec. 4, 2025 on *Antarctica Direct: Fly the Drake Passage 8-Day*.

Antarctica Direct: Sail and Fly the Drake Passage

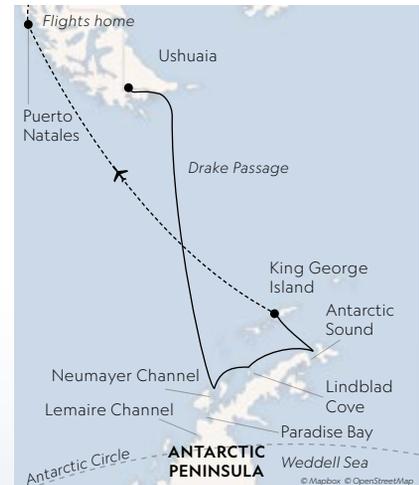


10 DAYS | FROM \$12,707pp
2025 - 2026 Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec. | 2027 Jan., Feb.
National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/sail-fly for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience it all—cruise the legendary Drake Passage aboard the *National Geographic Explorer* and then enjoy the ease of returning on a two-hour direct flight from King George Island to Puerto Natales.
- Explore the world's last great wilderness in the company of top naturalists and the most experienced polar captains in Antarctica, with over 55 years of expedition heritage.
- Hike amid magnificent mountains, see huge glaciers and observe a parade of gentoo, Adélie and chinstrap penguins.
- Kayak in protected waters, paddling in the Antarctic stillness as penguins swim nearby.
- November departures offer the possibility to cross-country ski or snowshoe across the frozen sea ice, conditions permitting.
- With the National Geographic Global Explorers program, kids and teens can learn about the seventh continent through immersive, hands-on activities.



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Gentoo and Adélie penguins leaping off ice in Lindblad Cove.



Antarctica, South Georgia and the Falklands



22 DAYS | FROM \$25,474pp

2025 Feb., Oct., Nov. | 2026 Feb., Oct., Nov. | 2027 Feb.

National Geographic Explorer, National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

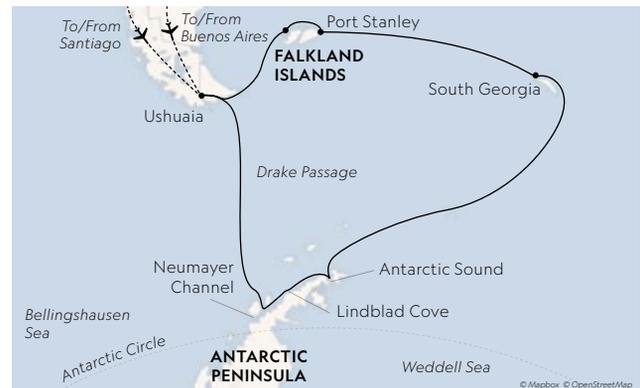
Visit expeditions.com/asgf for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- This voyage has it all: the impossible beauty of Antarctic ice, the vast king penguin colonies of South Georgia and the Falklands' amazing albatross colonies.
- In South Georgia, be greeted by 100,000 king penguins. See the Falklands' impressive colonies of nesting rockhopper, Magellanic and gentoo penguins.
- Get your best shots ever with a National Geographic photographer at your side.
- Conditions permitting, early season departures offer the possibility to cross-country ski on the frozen sea ice.
- Enjoy an exclusive onboard screening of *ENDURANCE* from National Geographic Documentary Films, which tells the epic tale of Sir Ernest Shackleton's lost ship and the quest to find it.
- Extend your expedition in historic Buenos Aires or enjoy Santiago's culinary scene. Or, visit the magnificent Iguazu Falls.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **Jasper Doest** on Oct. 18, 2025 and **Jeff Mauritzen** on Nov. 19, 2025. On Oct. 30, 2025, join **Mensun Bound**, marine archaeologist and director of exploration for the 2022 discovery expedition of Shackleton's *Endurance*.



These are examples of expedition locations.

King penguin colony, South Georgia.







Zodiac cruising, Antarctic Peninsula.

Antarctica and Patagonia: Legendary Ice and Epic Fjords



17 & 18 DAYS | FROM \$29,757pp

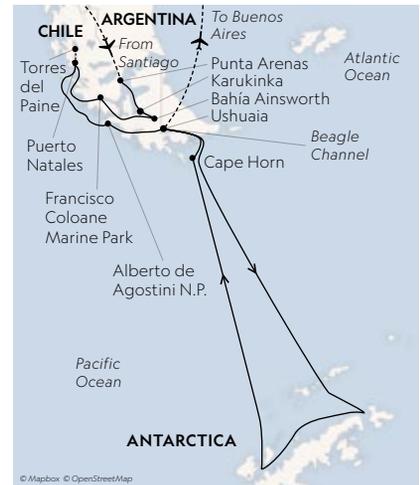
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National Geographic Explorer, National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/epicfjords for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the celebrated wonders of the Antarctic Peninsula, southern Patagonia and the Chilean fjords—all in a single, epic voyage.
- These are places of unimaginable beauty, where humpback whales breach and penguins gather, icebergs shimmer and sapphire-hued fjords harbor virgin forests.
- Seek out Antarctica’s iconic wildlife—including penguins, leopard seals and orcas.
- Navigate Chile’s coastal fjords and explore spectacular “Glacier Alley,” where monumental glaciers calve into the sea.
- Explore beneath the snowcapped “horns” of Torres del Paine National Park, discover private reserves such as Karukinka and cruise Chile’s newest marine park.
- Extend your expedition and get a taste for Santiago’s famous valley wine region or explore historic Buenos Aires.



Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **David Doubilet & Jennifer Hayes** on Jan. 26, 2026, **R. Isaí Madriz** on Feb. 22, 2025 and **Macduff Everton** on Oct. 12, 2025.

Patagonia, Falklands, South Georgia and Antarctica Odyssey



25 DAYS | FROM \$40,706pp

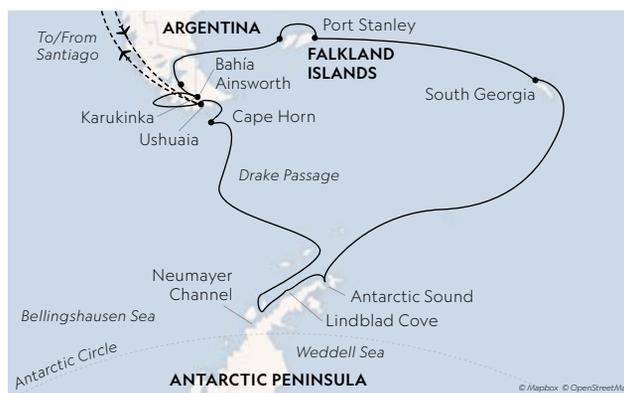
2027 Jan.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/antarctic-odyssey for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover four iconic regions in the company of top naturalists, National Geographic photographers, and the most experienced polar captains in Antarctica, with 55+ years of expedition heritage.
- Navigate Chile's coastal fjords and explore spectacular Glacier Alley, where monumental glaciers calve into the sea.
- Visit Stanley, the capital of the Falkland Islands and a charming outpost of British culture tucked into a small bay.
- Observe elephant seals, gentoo penguins and 100,000 pairs of king penguins on a single beach in South Georgia.
- Seek out Antarctica's iconic wildlife—including penguins, seals and orcas—and marvel at incandescent icebergs using the ship's fleet of kayaks and Zodiacs.



These are examples of expedition locations.

National Geographic Resolution
in Patagonia, Chile.



New



Southern right whale.

Wild Coasts of Argentina, South Georgia and the Falklands



25 DAYS | FROM \$31,322pp

2025 Oct.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/wildcoasts for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Seek out the whale-rich waters of UNESCO World Heritage-listed Peninsula Valdés to observe southern right whales in their annual breeding grounds—one of the world's great wildlife spectacles.
- Capture the windswept beauty of the Falklands—and the black-browed albatrosses and penguins that thrive here—with guidance from a National Geographic photographer.
- Trace the spellbinding story of Shackleton's fateful expedition on South Georgia and witness tens of thousands of stately king penguins.
- Discover the burgeoning wine region of Bahía Bustamante and visit Patagonia Austral National Park and Blue Patagonia UNESCO Biosphere Reserve.
- Extend the expedition to the magnificent Iguazú Falls, or explore historic Buenos Aires.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographer **Martin Gregus** and Expedition Leader and Naturalist **Bud Lehnhausen** on Oct. 7, 2025.



Patagonia: Chilean Fjords and Argentina's Staten Island



10 DAYS | FROM \$13,588pp

2025 Oct. | 2026 Feb., Oct. | 2027 Feb.

*National Geographic Explorer, National Geographic Endurance,
National Geographic Orion*

Visit expeditions.com/short-patagonia for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore this remote and largely inaccessible landscape, dotted with massive glaciers, dramatic fjords and soaring snow-covered peaks.
- Venture through wildlife reserves not easily accessible to the public, including Karukinka Natural Park in Tierra del Fuego.
- Kayak and Zodiac cruise breathtaking Chilean fjords that are only accessible by expedition ship.
- Transit the legendary Beagle Channel and look out for shearwaters, petrels, albatrosses and more.
- By special permission, be one of the few people ever to explore Isla de los Estados (Staten Island), located at the extreme end of South America.
- Extend your expedition and immerse yourself in the art and architecture of Buenos Aires, go on a culinary adventure in Santiago or visit magnificent Iguazú Falls.

MORE TO EXPLORE: On the 14-day *Chilean Patagonia: Fjords, Glaciers and Torres del Paine*, experience all the highlights of the region, including a two-night stay at a luxurious eco-lodge in Torres del Paine National Park and a night at The Singular Patagonia in Puerto Natales. Visit expeditions.com/best-patagonia for itinerary details.



Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographer
Drew Rush on Feb. 27, 2026.

National Geographic Resolution *cruising the
breathtaking Chilean fjords.*



Southern Patagonia: Glaciers, Fjords and Wildlife



17 DAYS | FROM \$26,759pp

2026 Feb.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/glaciers for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit a marine reserve on the Chilean coast where humpback whales and dolphins gather.
- Glide into Patagonia's "Glacier Alley" and navigate among floating icebergs by Zodiac and kayak.
- Explore iconic Torres del Paine National Park with expert naturalists.
- Discover private reserves, such as Karukinka, and enjoy special access to Argentina's extraordinary Isla de los Estados (Staten Island).
- Extend your expedition in vibrant and historic Buenos Aires, or venture to magnificent Iguazú Falls.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Robert Hernandez** on Feb. 25, 2026.



Calving glacier, Tierra del Fuego.





Bernal Glacier.

Classic Patagonia: Glaciers and Peaks



9 DAYS | FROM \$12,130pp

2026 Oct.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/classic-patagonia for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at the best of Patagonia's craggy peaks, winding fjords and narrows and majestic glaciers.
- Kayak and Zodiac cruise beneath towering walls of blue ice, and hike wild beech forests with naturalists by your side.
- Gain special access to Karukinka Natural Park, home to Andean condors, albatrosses and elephant seals.
- Spend an afternoon navigating by foot, or Zodiac cruise the scenic Montañas Fjord, surrounded by towering peaks and highlighted by the stunning Bernal glacier.
- Experience true expedition travel as your captain and expedition leader guide you to some of their favorite spots as well as uncharted landings.





ITINERARIES

THE ARCTIC

Under the guiding light of the North Star, voyage to some of the planet's most remote places. Navigate shores and seascapes ruled by a roster of near-mythic creatures—from polar bears to elusive narwhals—and meet the people who call this icy frontier home.



New



Guests on a photo walk through the charming town of Siglufjörður, Iceland.

Fire and Ice: An 8-Day Sail Around Iceland



8 DAYS | FROM \$8,140pp

2025-2026 May-Aug.

National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/iceweek for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail around the Island of Fire and Ice, discovering its wealth of wildlife, striking geological formations and a culture steeped in saga and exploration history.
- Explore a variety of landscapes across the island, from lava fields and geothermal springs to black-sand beaches and thundering waterfalls.
- Hike the rim of a volcanic crater for spectacular views of the Westman Islands.
- Visit Godafoss, the largest waterfall in Iceland, and cruise among ethereal icebergs in a glacier lagoon.
- Explore Iceland's remote countryside by venturing into the uniquely shaped Asbyrgi Canyon and surveying the glacial canyons of the northern coast.
- Extend your expedition with a tour of the Golden Circle and Blue Lagoon or a solar eclipse viewing in August 2026.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographer **Jonathan Kingston** on May 27 and Jun. 3, 2025 and local Icelandic Undersea Specialist **Sævör Erlendsdóttir** on Jun. 17, 21 and Jul. 1, 2025



A Circumnavigation of Iceland



10 DAYS | FROM \$18,400pp

2025 Jul. | 2026 Jun., Jul.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/circumnavigate for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

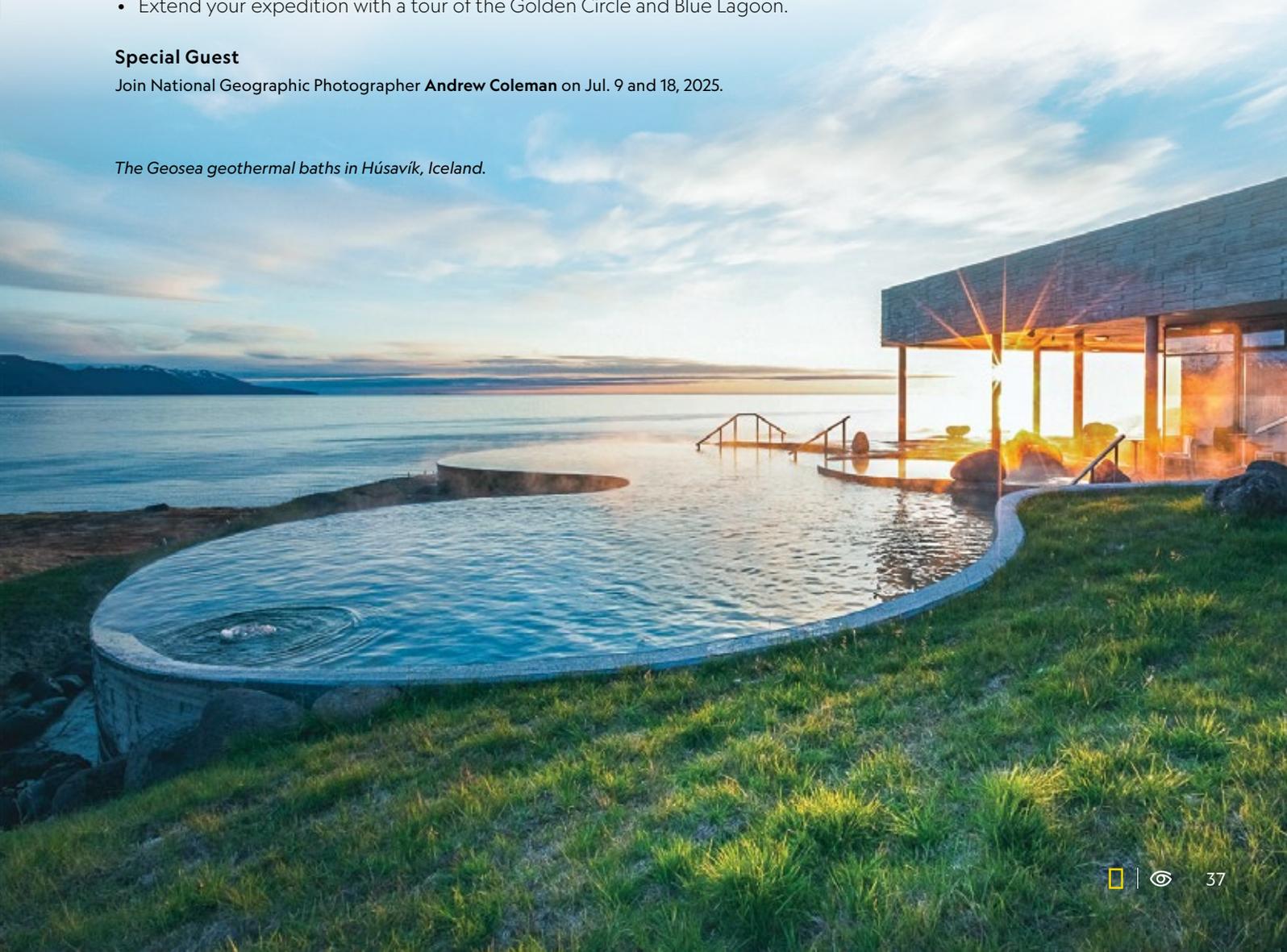
HIGHLIGHTS

- Hike up mountain trails, kayak in protected fjords, bike through remote highlands or take a Zodiac cruise around a seabird colony.
- Experience traditional Icelandic life, from the once-booming herring industry to eiderdown production or local forestry associations.
- In Skagafjörður, gateway to northern Iceland, take a float trip along the glacial Jökulsá river or visit a historic turf farm for a glimpse at rural Icelandic life.
- Explore Drangey Island to learn about Grettir the Strong and the saga named after him.
- Extend your expedition with a tour of the Golden Circle and Blue Lagoon.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Andrew Coleman** on Jul. 9 and 18, 2025.

The Geosea geothermal baths in Húsavík, Iceland.



Exploring Iceland: Fjords, Waterfalls and Wildlife



6 DAYS | FROM \$6,645pp

2025 Aug.

National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/icescape for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Actively explore Iceland's pristine fjords and mysterious lava fields on daily hikes, Zodiac cruises and more while accompanied by a dedicated team of naturalists.
- Delve into the rural history of Iceland at a turf farm or float down a glacial river in the northern region of Skagafjörður.
- Discover the rich biodiversity of the remote Westfjords, spotting nesting puffins along the coast and watching for humpback and minke whales in the surrounding waters.
- Capture your picture of the most photographed mountain in Iceland, Kirkjufell, alongside a certified photo instructor or National Geographic photographer.
- Extend your expedition with a tour of the Golden Circle and Blue Lagoon.



Kirkjufell waterfall and mountain, Iceland.





Polar bears walk on pack ice.

This image was taken using a long-focus camera lens.

Svalbard: In Search of Iconic Arctic Wildlife



10 DAYS | FROM \$15,358pp

2025 Jun. | 2026 May

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/bear for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Aboard a high ice-class vessel, circumnavigate Svalbard and visit its rugged eastern shores, on the look out for polar bears that inhabit the area's drifting sea ice.
- Experience the dramatic landscape via naturalist-led walks, and cruise among beautiful icebergs in a Zodiac or a kayak.
- Watch for a variety of Arctic wildlife, from walrus and reindeer to arctic foxes, whales and myriad birds.
- Take advantage of the legendary midnight sun side-by-side with a National Geographic photographer.
- Sail up to rock-wall rookeries teeming with thousands of birds, see pelagic species from the ship's rail while sailing and Zodiac cruise near a cloud of feeding arctic terns.
- Extend your expedition and explore Norway's southern fjords.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **David Doubilet** and **Jennifer Hayes** on Jun. 7, 2025 and Naturalist and Svalbard expert **Erland Folstad** on Jun. 10 and 17, 2025.



Norway's Fjords and Arctic Svalbard



16 DAYS | FROM \$24,607pp

2025 May

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/cape for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail into Norway's spectacular fjords and discover secluded inlets and coves by kayak or Zodiac, or on foot.
- Witness the rarely visited northern fjords, threading the ice-carved narrows and standing on the bow as the captain noses up to waterfalls.
- Actively explore: hike, walk and kayak through stunning scenery.
- Search the wilds of Svalbard for ice, bears and other Arctic wildlife.
- Capture your best images alongside a National Geographic photographer.
- Extend your expedition by exploring Norway's fjords from Bergen to Oslo.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **Nick Cobbing**, **Daniel Westergren**, and **Sergio Pitamitz** in 2025.



Lofoten Islands, Norway.





Kittiwakes, Bear Island.

Norwegian Discovery: Svalbard and the Northern Fjords



12 DAYS | FROM \$17,425pp

2025 Jun. | 2026 Apr.

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/nordiscovery for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Utilize state-of-the-art exploration tools to explore the icy waters of Svalbard and keep a watchful eye for resident wildlife.
- Zodiac cruise along the remote, towering cliffs of Bear Island that rise straight from the sea and are home to tens of thousands of raucous seabirds.
- Hike Senja Island, considered one of the most beautiful landscapes of coastal Norway.
- Explore the wild fjords of Sørøya by Zodiac, kayak or on foot.
- Capture your best images alongside a National Geographic photographer.
- Extend your expedition by actively exploring the hidden gems of Norway's capital, Oslo.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **David Doubilet** and **Jennifer Hayes** on Jun. 14, 2025.



Svalbard in Spring: Arctic Wildlife, Light and Ice



10 DAYS | FROM \$14,276pp

2025 Apr., May

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/spring for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Be among the few travelers to sail the region at this time of year, exploring aboard the supremely comfortable *National Geographic Resolution*, whose polar-class capabilities allow her to navigate these icy waters.
- Search for the rare and endemic Svalbard reindeer and keep a lookout for the apex predator of the north: the polar bear.
- Witness the pristine snowy landscapes of the early season, including ice conditions that are especially hospitable to polar bears.
- Walk on the frozen sea in the Arctic, an adventure only possible in early spring.
- Photograph the exceptional Arctic light with a National Geographic photographer.
- Extend your expedition with an active pre-voyage extension in Oslo.



Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **Camille Seaman** on Apr. 29, 2025 and **Nick Cobbing** on May 6, 2025.

High Arctic landscape, Svalbard.





Wet landing, Svalbard.

Svalbard, Iceland and Greenland's East Coast



16 DAYS | FROM \$21,269pp

2025 Jun.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/svalbard for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Venture to the most remote parts of the Arctic using satellite imagery and the ice-strengthened hull of the ship to explore the ice.
- Focus on wildlife, with an itinerary driven by opportunities to observe walrus, whales, reindeer and polar bears in their natural habitats.
- Explore by kayak or Zodiac, gliding between astonishing icebergs flowing from the North Pole along Greenland's coast.
- Go ashore with naturalists to hike vast, ice-covered tundra and explore remote Icelandic villages.
- Discover unique geology and black-sand beaches on rarely visited Jan Mayen.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Jeff Mauritzen** on Jun. 24, 2025.



Coastal Wonders of Norway, the Faroe Islands and Iceland



15 DAYS | FROM \$20,265pp

2025-2026 Jun.

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/faroes for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail into Norway's spectacular fjords and explore secluded inlets and coves by kayak or Zodiac.
- Encounter the Bronze Age ruins and Viking longhouses of Jarlshof, a prehistoric settlement in the Shetlands.
- Discover the unique culture of the Faroe Islands, where residents proudly share their age-old customs and traditions.
- Witness the traditional cod-drying racks and picturesque landscapes of the Lofoten Islands.
- Sail past dramatic sea cliffs in the North Atlantic to see nesting puffins, gannets and northern fulmars.



Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Sisse Brimberg** on Jun. 24, 2025.

Traditional turf-roof cottages in the Faroe Islands.





Guests exploring by Zodiac in Scoresbysund, Greenland.

Iceland's Wild West Coast to East Greenland



12 DAYS | FROM \$18,412pp
2025 Jul., Aug. | 2026 Aug.

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/greence for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the wild west coast of Iceland, with its incredible geology, quiet coves and majestic waterfalls.
- Hike to a remote waterfall, explore the fjords by kayak or enjoy a Zodiac cruise with stunning scenery in the Westfjords of Iceland.
- Explore the largest national park in the world—Northeast Greenland National Park—and search for polar bears, musk oxen, whales and more.
- Sail into Scoresbysund, the world's largest and longest fjord system and home to remote Inuit communities.*
- Learn how to capture northern lights displays as the nighttime sky returns with a National Geographic photographer by your side.*
- Witness a total solar eclipse on the August 5, 2026 departure as the captain navigates to the best position within the path of totality.*

*Conditions permitting

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **Camille Seaman** on Jul. 9, 2025 and **Dan Westergren** on Jul. 27, 2025.



Iceland and Greenland: Edge of the Arctic



18 DAYS | FROM \$21,237pp

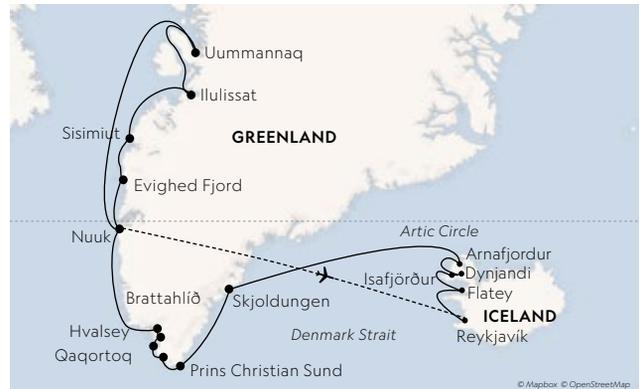
2025-2026 Jul.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/arcticedge for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore Greenland's vast and varied landscapes: the iceberg-filled channels of the Ilulissat Icefjord, the bustling streets of capital city Nuuk, the backcountry tundra of Disko Island and more.
- Alongside local residents and visionaries, learn about the rich layers of Greenlandic culture on visits to remote farms and fishing villages, and enjoy traditional tastings and vibrant customs.
- Visit Brattahlíð, the 10th-century agricultural estate of Erik the Red, and meet locals continuing his farming traditions in the UNESCO World Heritage-listed Kujataa.
- Capture stunning photos of glacier-filled fjords with help from a National Geographic photographer.



Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Kiliii Yuyan** on Jul. 20, 2025.

Humpback whale, Ilulissat.





Skjoldungen, southeastern Greenland.

Southeast Greenland: Exploring at the Edge of the Ice Cap



10 DAYS | FROM \$15,679pp

2026 Jun., Jul.

National Geographic Resolution, National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/icecap for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail aboard a state-of-the-art polar vessel through stunning, glacier-carved fjords dramatically framed by the Greenland Ice Cap.
- Experience the feeling of being a modern-day explorer as your expedition team charts new paths through this rugged wilderness.
- Kayak among towering icebergs, hike across pristine landscapes and Zodiac cruise along glacier fronts in search of Arctic wildlife.
- Discover Paleo-Eskimo and Thule archaeological sites that reveal the rich story of the ancient settlers who once thrived along King Frederick VI Coast.
- Visit historic bays where early explorers first set foot on Greenland, and keep a lookout for a newly studied and genetically unique population of polar bears.



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Arctic Odyssey: Iceland, Greenland and Canada



15 or 16 DAYS | FROM \$18,571pp

2025–2026 Aug.

National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/odyssey for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Hike in Iceland's remote Westfjords to observe puffin colonies along scenic cliffs.
- Take in picturesque views while sailing through dramatic fjords and past glaciers and ice floes in southern Greenland.
- Step back in time at Viking ruins, like Erik the Red's farm in Greenland and the 11th-century village at L'Anse aux Meadows, a UNESCO World Heritage site in Canada.
- Navigate across the Denmark Strait, home to the world's largest underwater waterfall, and the Labrador Sea, known for its nutrient-rich, cold-water currents.
- Keep watch on the open Bridge for polar bears, falcons, whales and other wildlife along the stunning coast of Labrador.
- Witness a total solar eclipse on the 2026 voyage as the captain navigates to the best position within the path of totality (conditions permitting).



Puffin colony.





Tasermiut Fjord, commonly referred to as Arctic Patagonia.

South Greenland: Fjords, Waterfalls and Fishing Villages



11 DAYS | FROM \$13,955pp
2025 Aug.

National Geographic Endurance

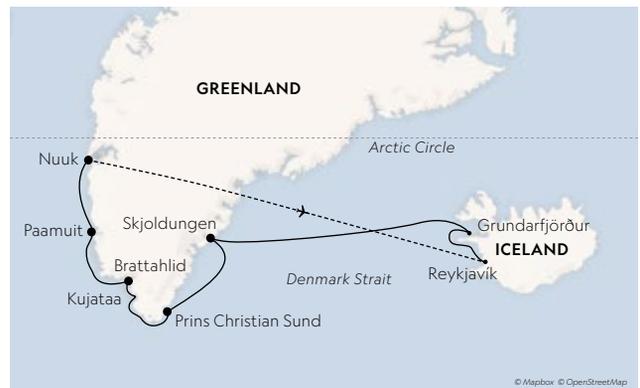
Visit expeditions.com/sogreen for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the icebergs and deep fjords of southeastern Greenland by Zodiac, kayak and backcountry hiking excursions.
- Explore the UNESCO World Heritage region of Kujataa, known for its 10th-century Viking ruins of Brattahlid, founded by Erik the Red and his family, and visit with the current farmers who continue to farm this region along the edge of the Arctic.
- Discover Inuit tradition and history along the southern fjords in Qaqortoq through music, food tastings and demonstrations.
- Hike the Snæfellsnes Peninsula, with its volcanic peaks, breathtaking waterfalls and Norse history.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Macduff Everton** on Aug. 18, 2025.



High Arctic Archipelago: Canada and Greenland



24 DAYS | FROM \$47,143pp

2025 Aug.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/epicgreen for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Venture into the dramatic high Arctic islands, up to the ice edge, and learn dramatic stories of explorers and adventurers who sought this remarkable, frozen frontier.
- Glide between soaring icebergs at the mouth of Greenland's Ilulissat Icefjord, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- In Qaanaaq, enjoy Inuit performances of music, dance and stoytelling, and try your hand at traditional athletics.
- Explore remote Ellesmere Island and be on the lookout for polar bears, ringed seals, belugas and the elusive narwhal.
- Capture your best images alongside a National Geographic photographer.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Kiliii Yuyan** on Aug. 26, 2025.



Serrmermiut Fjord, Ilulissat, Greenland.





Polar bears walk on pack ice.
This image was taken using a long-focus camera lens.

Northwest Passage: Greenland to Alaska



23 DAYS | FROM \$47,813pp
2025 Aug. | 2026 Jul.
National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/nwpassage for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail aboard a state-of-the-art polar ship to the northernmost coastlines of the planet, where few have explored before.
- Venture through the fabled Northwest Passage and learn dramatic stories of the explorers and adventurers who sought this magnificent icy frontier.
- Glide between soaring icebergs at the mouth of Greenland's Ilulissat Icefjord, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Visit local communities throughout the passage to learn about their traditions, culture and daily life.
- Observe polar bears, walrus, ringed seals, belugas and bowhead whales, and capture your best images alongside a National Geographic photographer.



Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **David Doubilet** and **Jennifer Hayes** on Aug. 4, 2025.



ITINERARIES

EUROPE

Ancient ruins and medieval cities, cliff-top castles and picturesque ports—Europe is seen in its full splendor on a National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions voyage. Uncover fresh perspectives on this timeless continent, exploring the culinary, artistic and historical treasures that have shaped places both storied and secret.



New



Medieval streets in the old town in Visby, Sweden.

Scandinavia and the Baltic Sea: Coasts, Islands and Archipelagos



8 DAYS | FROM \$8,111pp

2026 May, Jun.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/scandinavia for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the stunning beauty of Baltic Sea archipelagos, including the Åland Islands and the Stockholm Archipelago.
- Experience pristine beaches, rugged coastlines and charming seaside villages as you island hop across southern Scandinavia.
- Step into the past with stops in historic cities like Copenhagen, Bornholm and UNESCO-designated Visby.
- Explore Stora Karlsö, the second oldest nature reserve in the world, which teems with fascinating birdlife and geology.
- Visit Stockholm's Vasa Museum to marvel at a spectacularly preserved 17th-century warship embellished with hundreds of wooden sculptures.



Norway, Sweden and Denmark: Nordic Flavors and Scenic Landscapes



8 DAYS | FROM \$8,111pp

2026 May, Jun.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/nordic for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Zodiac, kayak and hike among 6,000 marine species, including 60 different endemic marine sponges, in Kosterhavet National Park, Sweden's first National Marine Park.
- Search for bottlenose dolphins and taste locally made whiskey along the River Spey in Moray Firth.
- Explore the narrow, whitewashed streets of Mandal, one of Norway's oldest trade villages, and discover its historic arts scene.
- Visit North Zealand, the summer home of Knud Rasmussen and refuge for the Danish royal family over the centuries.



*Ancient house near the lighthouse,
Hundested, Denmark.*



New

Coastal Norwegian Voyage: Between Tromsø and Edinburgh



11 DAYS | FROM \$11,587pp

2026 May

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/norwegian for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail into Norway's stunning, waterfall-laced fjords to discover their pristine beauty by kayak, Zodiac or on foot.
- Learn the Hanseatic legacy of Bergen as you explore its charming wharf and colorful wooden buildings, designated a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Visit Tromsø, known as the "Gateway to the Arctic," and learn about the many historic Arctic expeditions that set off from the city.
- Witness abundant birdlife and search for whales and other wildlife in the magical Lofoten Islands, Møre og Romsdal and Tysfjorden.
- In Nordfjorden, take one of the world's steepest cable cars up Mount Hoven for spectacular, panoramic views of peaks and fjords.



Aerial view of Bergen, Norway.





Atlantic puffins, Faroe Islands.

North Atlantic Wonders: Iceland, Scotland and the Faroes



11 DAYS | FROM \$11,587pp

2026 May, Jun., Sep.

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/northatlantic for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience a deep dive into the cultural connections and striking landscapes of these North Atlantic islands—a photographer and history buff’s dream.
- In Kirkwall, the capital of the Orkney Islands, uncover layers of history amid its palaces, cathedrals and tombs.
- Immerse yourself in the eclectic culture of the Shetland Islands as you discover dramatic coastlines, abundant wildlife and Viking traditions.
- Witness the beauty of the Faroe Islands in picturesque villages with welcoming locals and on hikes overlooking spectacular fjords.
- In Iceland, encounter fascinating geology—from the black-sand beaches and fjords of the east coast to Heimaey in the Westman Islands, the site of a dramatic volcanic eruption in 1973.



New



Rathlin Island, Ireland.

Scotland's Wild Isles: Shetlands, Orkneys and Inner Hebrides



8 DAYS | FROM \$8,111pp

2026 Apr.

National Geographic Endurance

Visit expeditions.com/scotlandisles for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Spend time on Rathlin Island, home to Northern Ireland's largest puffin colony and the unique "upside down lighthouse."
- Embark on an expedition day on the western coast of the Isle of Skye to explore its rugged shoreline and dramatic landscapes.
- Hike across pristine landscapes and Zodiac cruise along glacier fronts in search of Arctic wildlife.
- Uncover the Viking heritage and stunning scenery of the remote Shetland and Orkney Islands: delve into their unique cultures with local historians, explore ancient brochs and hike across island trails.
- Stroll through the renowned and picturesque Inverewe Gardens in Loch Ewe while keeping an eye out for the "Scottish big five"—red squirrel, red deer, otter, seal and golden eagle.
- Extend your expedition with an immersive pre- or post-voyage Northern Ireland experience.



Ancient Isles: England, Ireland and Scotland



12 DAYS | FROM \$12,245pp

2025 May | 2026 Apr.

National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/british for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit the striking Callanish Standing Stones, a 5,000-year-old UNESCO World Heritage site that predates Stonehenge.
- Zodiac around Staffa Island's Fingal's Cave, formed from hexagonal basalt columns (conditions permitting), and observe a puffin colony.
- In the Inner Hebrides, see the stunning 12th-century Iona Abbey—believed to be the birthplace of Christianity in Scotland.
- Explore wild, windswept peninsulas of Western Ireland; search for whales, dolphins and seals; and see vast seabird nesting sites.
- Discover the Stone Age megaliths of the Ring of Brodgar and the 5,000-year-old village of Skara Brae on Orkney.
- Walk along Cornwall's scenic cliffside trails, and experience the peninsula's rich history and culture with visits to local producers and country estates.
- Extend your expedition in the Scottish Highlands.



Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographer **Jim Richardson** on May 2, 2025 and **Mary Robinson**, former President of Ireland, on May 2 and May 13, 2025.

*Ring of Brodgar,
Scotland.*





Lord of the Glens, Caledonian Canal, Scotland.

Scotland's Highlands and Islands Aboard *Lord of the Glens*



8 DAYS | FROM \$9,678pp
2025 Jun.-Aug. | 2026 May, Jun., Aug.
Lord of the Glens

Visit expeditions.com/scotland for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail through the heart of Scotland via the Caledonian Canal, and explore remote and beautiful islands of the Inner Hebrides.
- Stroll across the battlefield at Culloden, where Bonnie Prince Charlie was dramatically defeated in 1746.
- Hike through stunning scenery in Glenfinnan or kayak on Loch Linnhe beside the towering grandeur of Ben Nevis, Britain's highest mountain.
- Discover Clava Cairns, a Bronze Age circular chamber tomb, and the medieval ruins of Iona Abbey, where Macbeth is buried.
- Transit Neptune's Staircase, a series of eight interconnected locks on the Caledonian Canal that transcend 64 feet.
- Enjoy culinary specialties and learn about cultural traditions that live on.
- Extend your expedition in Edinburgh. On select departures, experience the iconic Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo.



Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Natalie Sinclair** on Jul. 21, 2025.

Mediterranean Wonders: Sicily, Greece, Sardinia and Beyond



13 DAYS | FROM \$16,172pp

2025–2026 May

National Geographic Orion

Visit expeditions.com/med-wonders for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore vestiges of Greek, Roman and Talayotic civilizations across the Mediterranean alongside expert historians and archaeologists.
- Step back in time at UNESCO World Heritage sites, including Delphi—the center of the ancient Greek world—and Sicily’s historic city of Ortigia.
- Learn about the rich history of Sardinia and Corsica, Italian and French respectively, and take in their stunning landscapes.
- Navigate the narrow Corinth Canal, an important manmade waterway that separates the Peloponnese Peninsula from mainland Greece.
- Swim the vivid blue waters of the Ionian Sea and be on the lookout for sea turtles and shipwrecks.
- Sample regional specialties like Greek olives and Sicilian wine.
- Extend your expedition in Athens or Crete.



FOOD & WINE

This itinerary is part of a unique wine collaboration with *Food & Wine* in 2025.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Experts **Macduff Everton** and **Dirk Booms** on May 12, 2025.

Bonifacio, Corsica, France.



Greek Isles Odyssey: Mythology, History and Cerulean Seas



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,888pp
2025 May-Sep. | 2026 Jun., Jul., Sep.
National Geographic Orion

Visit expeditions.com/greece for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Swim, kayak or paddleboard in the turquoise waters of the Cyclades, and take in classic Aegean sunsets from the beautiful open deck of *National Geographic Orion*.
- Indulge in gourmet menus guided by the rhythms of the season, featuring sustainable ingredients primarily sourced from the Mediterranean.
- Sail the sapphire waters of Santorini's volcanic caldera, and go ashore to explore the enchanting town of Oía, with its sugar-cube buildings and world-famous sunsets.
- On Milos, visit the Bronze Age settlement of Phylakopi and the farm where the famed Greek sculpture of *Venus de Milo* was evacuated.
- Stroll the quaint harbors and scenic villages of Sifnos—a local favorite known for its rich flavors, picturesque beaches, many churches and poetic charm.
- During a cooking class and wine tasting, sample the culinary delights of the Cyclades.
- Extend your expedition in Athens or Crete.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Experts **Dirk Booms** on Jul. 5, 2025 and **William Saturno** on Aug. 2, 2025.

Santorini island, Greece.



FOOD & WINE

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Library of Celsus, Ephesus, Turkey.

Crossroads of the Ancient World: Exploring Greece and Turkey



11 DAYS | FROM \$11,556pp

2025-2026 Jul., Sep.

National Geographic Orion

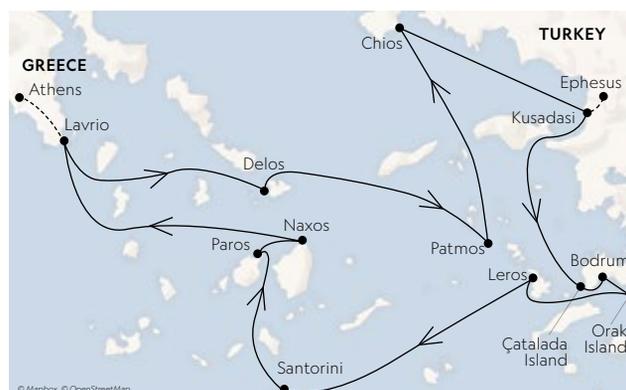
Visit expeditions.com/crossroads for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Approach iconic coastal villages from the sea, and paddleboard the surrounding turquoise waters.
- Taste the region's best wines, including bottles selected by *Food & Wine* magazine's Executive Wine Editor, Ray Isle.
- Experience ancient Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site, followed by a mesmerizing performance by whirling dervishes.
- Enjoy a cooking class and delve into the rituals surrounding Turkish coffee in Kusadasi and Bodrum.
- Extend your expedition in Athens or Crete.

Special Guest

Join accomplished wine and spirits author and speaker **Anthony Giglio** on Jul. 23, 2025.



FOOD&WINE

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New



The Old Town of Dubrovnik, Croatia.

Ancient Mediterranean: Exploring Greece, Croatia and Albania



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,493pp
2025 Jun., Aug. | 2026 Jun., Aug., Sep.
National Geographic Orion

Visit expeditions.com/ancientmed for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Navigate the iconic Corinth Canal, a spectacularly scenic cut that is inaccessible to larger ships.
- Immerse yourself in Delphi, the center of ancient Greek civilization, once home to the famed Oracle of Delphi.
- Explore Dubrovnik while strolling atop its ancient walls, oystering or participating in a cooking or silk embroidery class.
- Discover ancient ruins at Albania's Butrint National Park, and go birding in Divjakë-Karavasta National Park, home to over 200 avian species.
- Wander a maze of streets in Corfu's enchanting Old Town.
- Experience the lesser-visited island of Vis, uncovering its sea caves, historic tunnels and charming town centers.
- Extend your expedition in Athens or Crete.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Experts **Susan Seubert** on Jun. 28, 2025 and **Massimo Bassano** on Aug. 30, 2025.



FOOD&WINE

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Croatia's Dalmatian Coast and Montenegro



8 DAYS | FROM \$9,243pp

2025-2026 Aug.

National Geographic Orion

Visit expeditions.com/split for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience Croatia's stunning shades of blue and green on the forested isle of Mljet and amid the picturesque waterfalls and gem-like pools of Plitvice Lakes National Park.
- Explore UNESCO World Heritage-listed Dubrovnik while strolling atop the ancient walls, oystering or participating in a cooking or silk embroidery class.
- Marvel at the medieval charms of Kotor, Montenegro and learn about olive oil production or explore submarine tunnels built by the Yugoslavian Navy.
- Discover the captivating island of Vis, and experience the vibrancy of Hvar during kayaking excursions, island tours and scenic hikes.
- Go hiking or birdwatching amid the waterfall-laced landscapes around Krka National Park or delve into a centuries-old jewelry tradition on the island of Zlarin.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Experts **Massimo Bassano** on Aug. 16 and 23, 2025 and **Jeff Mauritzen** on Aug. 16, 2025.

The charming town of Hvar on Croatia's Dalmatian coast.



FOOD & WINE

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Aerial view of a seaside town on Santa Maria Island in the Azores.

Islands of the Azores: Basalt Peaks to Volcanic Vineyards



8 OR 9 DAYS | FROM \$9,095pp

2025 Apr. | 2026 Apr., May

National Geographic Endurance, National Geographic Orion

Visit expeditions.com/azores for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Search for whales, follow scenic hiking trails and learn the volcanic history unique to the Azores.
- Soak up Azorean culture while sampling local wine and cheese and dining on *cozido*, a delectable local specialty: a stew cooked underground by volcanic heat.
- Discover the varied past and stories of the explorers, whalers and conquerors who all had a part in weaving the tapestry of island history.
- Experience the commitment locals have to sustainable growth and protecting the natural beauty and ecosystems of the archipelago.
- New 2026 departures added aboard *National Geographic Orion* due to popular demand.

Special Guests

Join National Geographic Photographers **Gemina Garland-Lewis** on Apr. 2 and 10, 2025 and **Krista Rossow** on Apr. 18, 2025.



Exploring Cabo Verde, the Canary Islands and the Azores



16 DAYS | FROM \$19,735pp

2025 Apr. | 2026 Mar.

National Geographic Orion

Visit expeditions.com/atlantic-chronicles for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit several UNESCO World Heritage sites, including Cabo Verde's historic Cidade Velha and the Canary Islands' densely forested Garajonay National Park.
- Discover Madeira's diverse flora and fauna—from monk seals to the emblematic bird of paradise flower—and learn about the island's rich Portuguese heritage.
- Explore the imposing volcanic history of the Atlantic Ridge, from Cabo Verde's Fogo Island to the Azores' Faial Island.
- Learn how local traditions and architecture evolved in these remote archipelagos.
- Encounter natural and culinary delights as you follow scenic hiking trails, taste cheese made exclusively in these islands and enjoy wine from the grapes that have grown in the nutrient-rich volcanic soil.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Sisse Brimberg** on Apr. 19, 2025.



Madeira, Portugal.





Sailors climb the rigging aboard the ship Sea Cloud II.

Dubrovnik, Hvar and Zadar Aboard the Sea Cloud Fleet



9 DAYS | FROM \$12,148pp

2025 May, Jun., Aug.

Sea Cloud, Sea Cloud II

Visit expeditions.com/croatia for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Bask in the romance of a tall ship as you sail the turquoise waters of the Adriatic Sea among picturesque isles.
- Discover ancient ruins, centuries-old architecture and several UNESCO World Heritage sites that narrate the story of Croatia's past.
- Visit Pula's amphitheater, built in the first century A.D.—the only remaining Roman amphitheater to have four side towers entirely preserved.
- Learn about the rich history of Vis island, from its traditional *falkuša*—boats used in Europe's oldest regatta—to Tito's once-secret Cold War tunnels.
- Witness a Moreska sword dance performance, one of Korčula's proudest traditions, dating back to the 15th century.
- Extend your expedition in picturesque Split, Trogir and Mostar.



Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Todd Gipstein** on Aug. 20, 2025.

CROATIA IN PHOTOS: Get a glimpse of this captivating voyage in a photo essay by staff photographer David Vargas at expeditions.com/sail-croatia

Under Sail: Greece and the Dalmatian Coast Aboard *Sea Cloud*



11 DAYS | FROM \$15,796pp

2025 Aug.

Sea Cloud

Visit expeditions.com/dalcoast for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail the pristine waters of the Aegean, Ionian and Adriatic Seas aboard a historic sailing vessel once owned by Marjorie Merriweather Post.
- Step back in time at five UNESCO World Heritage sites, including the evocative ruins of Olympia in Greece and Albania's historic city of Butrint.
- Skim across Montenegro's Gulf of Kotor to Our Lady of the Rocks, a tiny islet built of rocks from the mainland and sunken fishing boats.
- Spend a day among the marble-paved lanes and ramparts of Dubrovnik's Old Town.
- Extend your expedition in Athens, or explore historic Mostar, Trogir and Split.

LAST CHANCE: The 2025 season marks your final opportunity for the foreseeable future to sail aboard *Sea Cloud* before she enters dry dock for an extensive refurbishment.



Special Guest

Join archaeologist and National Geographic Expert **Bill Saturno** on Aug. 10, 2025.

Perast in the Bay of Kotor, Montenegro.





Church of the Seven Martyrs, Sifnos.

Sailing the Greek Isles Aboard the Sea Cloud Fleet



8 DAYS | FROM \$12,709pp

2025 Jun., Sep.

Sea Cloud, Sea Cloud II

Visit expeditions.com/greekisles for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy the Aegean Sea aboard *Sea Cloud* or *Sea Cloud II*, two of the most beautiful tall ships on the water today.
- On UNESCO World Heritage-listed Delos, the mythological birthplace of twin gods Artemis and Apollo, visit the Temple of Apollo, an important archaeological site.
- At Tinos, see the active pilgrimage site of Panagia Evangelistria and beautiful terraced hillsides.
- Explore the cliffside Panagia Hozoviótissa monastery in Amorgós and visit the excavated ruins of Akrotiri, a Minoan town preserved under volcanic ash.
- Extend your expedition in the ancient city of Athens or on the island of Crete.



Special Guest

Join archaeologist and National Geographic Expert **Dirk Booms** on Aug. 30, 2025.

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The Ancient Shores of Sicily and Malta Aboard *Sea Cloud II*



10 DAYS | FROM \$14,158pp

2026 May, Jun.

Sea Cloud II

Visit expeditions.com/ancientshores for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the splendors of the Golden Age of Sail aboard the gracious *Sea Cloud II*.
- Step into the past in cities and temples left behind by the Romans, Greeks, Carthaginians and prehistoric peoples.
- Visit the Greco-Roman ruins in Agrigento's Valley of the Temples—a UNESCO World Heritage site considered one of the finest examples of Greek architecture outside of Greece.
- Explore enchanting piazzas and winding alleyways in picturesque towns like Erice and Taormina.
- Discover Malta's ancient temples of Ġgantija, a UNESCO site consisting of structures built between c.3600 and c.3200 B.C.
- Experience Sicily's unique cuisine at a wine tasting in Marsala and a private lunch at Castello degli Schiavi—an 18th-century castle used in *The Godfather* films.



Sea Cloud II under sail.



ITINERARIES

EGYPT

Follow in the footsteps of the ancient pharaohs through 5,000 years of history, exploring alongside expert Egyptologist guides. Discover one highlight after another—from the great Pyramids of Giza to Abu Simbel’s rock-hewn temples—and spend unhurried days sailing the Nile aboard an elegant ship, taking in modern life along this storied river.





Oberoi Philae sailing the Nile.

Passage Through Egypt Aboard Oberoi Philae



12 DAYS | FROM \$16,429pp
2025-2026 Jan.-Mar., Sep.-Nov.
Oberoi Philae

Visit expeditions.com/longegypt for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail the Nile while seamlessly connected to the landscape by French balconies and gracious open spaces, making *Oberoi Philae* the elegant centerpiece of your trip.
- Explore all the must-see sites and more—from the great Pyramids of Giza to the Temple of Dendera.
- Travel effortlessly and in style with first-class hotels and private internal flights.
- Exceptional Egyptologists and certified photo instructors greatly enrich the expedition experience.
- Extend your expedition in Cairo or Jordan, including Petra and the Dead Sea.



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GRAND EGYPTIAN MUSEUM NOW OPEN: Join Egyptologist guides on a tour of this highly anticipated museum and be among the first to witness the King Tutankhamun exhibit this fall. Plus, enjoy special up-close access to the Sphinx.

Exploring Egypt Aboard *Sun Goddess*



9 DAYS | FROM \$10,127pp

2025 Jan., Feb., Oct., Nov. | 2026 Jan., Feb., Oct.-Dec.

Sun Goddess

Visit expeditions.com/shortegypt for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Sail the legendary Nile aboard the luxurious all-suite *Sun Goddess*, stepping off to visit riverside temples and villages.
- Experience the thrill of exploring celebrated sites of antiquity, like the Great Pyramids, Abu Simbel and the Valley of the Kings.
- Premier hotel accommodations and private internal flights ensure a seamless, sumptuous experience.
- Travel alongside certified photo instructors and accredited Egyptologists, who provide expert insights into monumental sites.
- Extend your expedition in Cairo or Jordan, including Petra and the Dead Sea.



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Sphinx and the Great Pyramids.





ITINERARIES

NORTH AMERICA

From sea to shining sea, North America showcases her majesty with sky-scraping trees, sawtooth peaks and waters rich with marine life. Discover the abundance of wild beauty and cultural treasures at your doorstep, from the glacier-fed channels of Alaska to Baja California's whale-inhabited waters.





Orca, Southeast Alaska.

Alaska's Inside Passage



8 DAYS | FROM \$6,604pp
2025-2026 May-Aug.

National Geographic Quest, National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/alaskawilderness for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Hike through lush forests and muskegs, kayak into secluded inlets and cruise by Zodiac among electric blue icebergs and curious wildlife.
- Encounter iconic Alaska wildlife, such as humpback whales, bears, otters and bald eagles.
- Witness calving glaciers and search for puffins and mountain goats on a full-day exploration of Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve.*
- Meet representatives from the Alaska Whale Foundation (schedules permitting) and learn how you can contribute to their research throughout your voyage.
- Discover Alaska's seldom-seen, vibrant marine life, revealed by an undersea specialist.
- Extend your expedition in Denali National Park.

* The National Park Service, Department of Interior authorizes Lindblad Expeditions as a Concessioner to provide Tour Vessel Services within Glacier Bay National Park & Preserve.



Photo Expeditions

Join National Geographic Photographer **Annie Griffiths** on May 10, 2025. .

Alaska Escape: LeConte Bay, Wrangell and Misty Fjords



6 DAYS | FROM \$4,084pp

2025-2026 May-Aug.

National Geographic Sea Bird, National Geographic Sea Lion

Visit expeditions.com/alaskasouth for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Cruise among glacier-carved icebergs in LeConte Bay or Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness.
- Encounter iconic Alaska wildlife, including humpback whales, bears, bald eagles and more.
- Visit a tribal house and a beach famous for native petroglyphs on remote Wrangell Island, or take a jet boat up the Stikine River. Or join an optional excursion to Anan Creek Bear Observatory and witness black and brown bears feasting on salmon (select departures only).
- Explore Misty Fjords National Monument and hike the moss-draped spruce and hemlock forests of Southeast Alaska islands.
- Extend your expedition in Denali National Park.



Alaska Escape: Haines, the Inian Islands and Tracy Arm Fjord



6 DAYS | FROM \$4,003pp

2025-2026 May-Aug.

National Geographic Sea Bird, National Geographic Sea Lion

Visit expeditions.com/alaskanorth for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Actively explore Alaska's dramatic bays via kayak or Zodiac, keeping an eye out for wildlife.
- Encounter an abundance of active wildlife in the Inian Islands, including sea lions, sea otters, bald eagles and possibly humpbacks and orcas.
- Explore Haines, the "adventure capital of Alaska," via bike and hiking trails, or try fly-fishing.
- Zodiac cruise at water level around magnificent icebergs calved from South Sawyer or Dawes Glacier.
- Extend your expedition in Denali National Park.



New



A pod of humpback whales bubble-net feeding in Southeast Alaska.

Exploring Southeast Alaska's ABC Islands



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,801pp

2026 Jun., Jul.

National Geographic Sea Lion

Visit expeditions.com/abcislands for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Kayak or paddleboard along the rugged coastline of Chichagof Island, home to one of the highest concentrations of brown bears in the world.
- Hike through remote areas of Tongass National Forest, with an option for an adventurous all-day bushwacking excursion.
- Cruise through an ice-filled fjord towards the face of a glacier in the Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness Area.
- Venture into Frederick Sound or Chatham Strait, on the lookout for breaching humpbacks and pods of orcas.
- Search for intertidal treasures along the rocky shorelines, including a variety of sea stars, shape-shifting sea cucumbers, anemones and more.
- Spot puffins along cliff walls and listen for bald eagles calling out from the tops of towering spruce and hemlock trees.



Treasures of the Inside Passage



14 OR 15 DAYS | FROM \$10,404pp

2025-2026 Apr., May, Sep.

National Geographic Venture, National Geographic Quest

Visit expeditions.com/treasures for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Hike the forests and shorelines of Alaska, British Columbia and the San Juan Islands and cruise remote inlets and bays in search of wildlife.
- By special permit, spend a full day cruising Glacier Bay National Park.*
- Visit Alert Bay, one of the oldest First Nations village sites in British Columbia, and participate in culture-sharing with the Kwakwaka'wakw people.
- In Misty Fjords National Monument, Zodiac cruise along sheer, glacially carved cliffs and forested backwaters.
- Search for marine mammals, including humpbacks, Pacific white-sided dolphins, sea lions and more from the bow of a small ship.

* The National Park Service, Department of Interior authorizes Lindblad Expeditions as a Concessioner to provide Tour Vessel Services within Glacier Bay National Park & Preserve.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Expert and ecologist **Lauren Eckert** on Apr. 27, 2025.



Brown bear, Pavlof Harbor, Southeast Alaska.



Voyage to Alaska, British Columbia and Haida Gwaii



15 DAY | FROM \$11,189pp

2025–2026 Apr., Aug., Sep.

National Geographic Sea Bird, National Geographic Sea Lion

Visit expeditions.com/remarkable for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Spend four days in Haida Gwaii, a UNESCO World Heritage site, where the Haida have granted special access to their mossy forests and protected ancestral sites.
- Actively explore where iconic wildlife can be spotted—whales, bears, eagles and more.
- By special permit, spend a full day cruising Glacier Bay National Park.*
- Explore at water level in Tracy Arm or Endicott Arm for an up-close view of calving glaciers, towering forests and harbor seals afloat on iridescent icebergs.
- Capture your best images with the help of a National Geographic photographer (select departures).
- Extend your expedition in Denali National Park.

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Photo Expeditions

Join National Geographic photographers on dedicated photo departures. Visit expeditions.com/photo for details.



Guests exploring Misty Fjords National Monument, Southeast Alaska.





Rare capture of the elusive spirit bear in Great Bear Rainforest.

Voyage to the Great Bear Rainforest



8 DAYS | FROM \$5,961pp

2025-2026 Sep.

National Geographic Venture

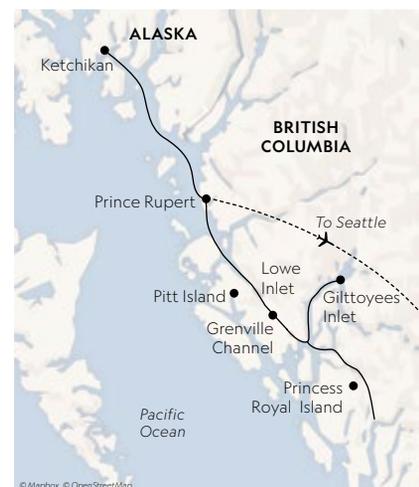
Visit expeditions.com/greatbear for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Take kayaks and Zodiacs deep into verdant fjords and along wildlife-rich shores, in search of bears, bald eagles, pods of orca whales and more.
- Journey into the most pristine, beautiful forests in the region, inaccessible by road and managed by First Nations people.
- Cruise the eastern coast of Princess Royal Island in search of the elusive spirit bear, a rare but thrilling sighting.
- Learn the human history of the region from a cultural interpreter (schedules permitting) and on visits to fascinating First Nations museums.
- Kayak among massive smacks of jellyfish and witness the surprising undersea realm through video shot by an undersea specialist.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Expert and ecologist **Lauren Eckert** on Sep. 1, 2025.





Gulf Islands, British Columbia.

Exploring British Columbia and the San Juan Islands



8 DAYS | FROM \$5,897pp
2025 Sep., Oct. | 2026 Oct.
National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/sanjuan for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Kayak, hike and explore aboard Zodiacs along the wildlife-rich coasts of Desolation Sound and the Gulf Islands.
- Visit Alert Bay, one of the oldest First Nations village sites in British Columbia, and participate in culture-sharing with the Kwakwaka'wakw people.
- Explore the San Juan Islands and learn about local orca populations from a researcher at the Center for Whale Research.
- In lovely Victoria, tour private gardens, take a bike ride and enjoy a private evening event at the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria.
- Search for marine mammals, including humpbacks, Pacific white-sided dolphins, sea lions and more from the bow of a small ship.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Expert and marine biologist **Tierney Thys** on Oct. 11, 2025.



Columbia and Snake Rivers: Food, Wine and History



6 OR 8 DAYS | FROM \$4,243pp

2025–2026 Mar., Apr., Sep., Oct.

National Geographic Sea Bird, National Geographic Sea Lion

Visit expeditions.com/columbiasnake for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Indulge in gourmet, seasonal menus featuring sustainable ingredients sourced primarily from the surrounding Pacific Northwest region.
- Enjoy nightly tastings of the region's best wines, personally selected by *Food & Wine* magazine's Executive Wine Editor, Ray Isle.
- Explore art galleries, sweets shops and tasting rooms in delightful downtown Walla Walla.
- Witness the region's geological wonders—from Multnomah Falls to the Palouse—and explore up close and at water level aboard kayaks and Zodiacs.
- Gain exclusive access, including a private reception at the Columbia Gorge Museum as well as private tours and tastings with local winemakers.
- Savor cocktails, canapes and spectacular scenery while transiting towering locks in the evening.
- Voyage alongside experts with deep knowledge of the region's history, geology and food and wine.

Special Guests

Join Sommelier and podcast host **Amanda McCrossin** on the Apr. 8, 2025 departure. Join National Geographic Experts **Lauren Eckert** on the Oct. 18, 2025 departure and **Brian Kastl** on the Oct. 25, 2025 departure.



Note: The six-day itinerary will not include Astoria or Hells Canyon.

FOOD & WINE

For 2025 and 2026, this itinerary is part of a unique wine collaboration with *Food & Wine* magazine.

Columbia River Gorge.



The Canadian Maritimes and Newfoundland



10 DAYS | FROM \$11,200pp

2025-2026 Aug., Sep.

National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/maritimes for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Circumnavigate Newfoundland and visit coastal villages and small islands, like Cape Breton and Red Bay.
- Explore two UNESCO sites: Gros Morne National Park and the 11th-century Viking village at L'Anse aux Meadows.
- Discover the dunes, sandstone cliffs and Acadian culture of the Îles de la Madeleine.
- Visit Baddeck, Alexander Graham Bell's summer home, and tour the museum dedicated to his life and inventions.
- Extend your expedition in St. John's, Newfoundland's vibrant capital city, or at the acclaimed Fogo Island Inn, dedicated to preserving the rich, centuries-old traditions of a Newfoundland outpost isle.

Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Sara Hylton** on Aug. 31 and Sep. 9, 2025.



National Geographic Explorer,
Baddeck, Nova Scotia.



Parc National du Fjord du Saguenay, Québec, Canada.

Sailing the St. Lawrence Seaway and Canadian Maritimes



11 DAYS | FROM \$12,688pp

2026 Sep.

National Geographic Explorer

Visit expeditions.com/stlawrence for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Look for majestic belugas and minke whales in the Saguenay River Fjord and right whales in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.
- Stroll the charming streets of Québec City to explore its historic architecture, vibrant culture and renowned culinary scene.
- Immerse yourself in the region's gastronomy both on and off ship—from Indigenous recipes like traditional Bannock bread to fresh-caught seafood in fishing villages.
- Explore the stunning landscapes of the Îles de la Madeleine—its miles of dunes, grassy hills and red sandstone cliffs—in the company of local experts.
- Throughout the voyage, enjoy the unique sounds of Acadian music, with roots in French and Celtic traditions.



New

Sailing St. Lucia, Dominica and Beyond Aboard *Sea Cloud II*



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,881pp

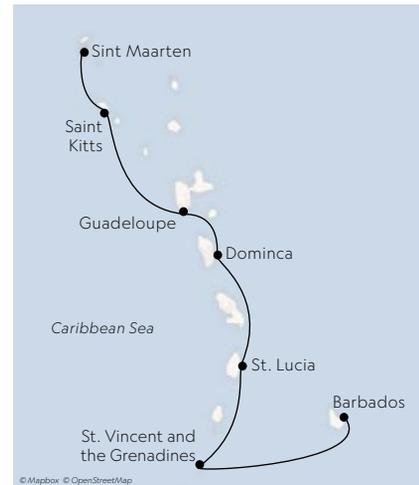
2026 Feb.

Sea Cloud II

Visit expeditions.com/carb-north for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover Union Island, nicknamed the "Tahiti of the West Indies," with its dramatic volcanic landscape, turquoise waters and local flavors.
- Explore Saint Kitts' 17th-century Brimstone Hill Fortress, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and visit the ruins of Fort Shirley, an 18th-century British garrison on Dominica.
- Go for refreshing swims from remote beaches, enjoy a BBQ lunch or relax with a beverage and good book.
- Take in the beauty of St. Lucia's iconic UNESCO-designated twin peaks, The Pitons, and set out on a hike through a lush rainforest on Dominica, known as "the nature island."
- Stroll among charming shops selling jewelry, accessories and hand-dyed linen in Guadeloupe's Terre-de-Haut, a French overseas territory.



Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.





Saint Barthélemy.

Antigua to the BVIs: Hidden Cays and Azure Seas Aboard *Sea Cloud II*



8 DAYS | FROM \$8,865pp

2026 Feb.

Sea Cloud II

Visit expeditions.com/antigua-bvi for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the natural wonders of the Caribbean, from remote cays and volcanic peaks to a variety of birds, reptiles and sea turtles on tropical shores.
- Learn about the colonial history of tucked-away islands as you stroll through historic town squares and tour centuries-old forts.
- Snorkel among colorful reefs and mysterious shipwrecks from the days of buccaneers and brigands.
- Hike to St. Kitts' Brimstone Hill Fortress, a UNESCO World Heritage site built by the British in the 17th and 18th centuries.
- Explore the region's sights, sounds and tastes as you settle into the laid-back tranquility of Caribbean life.





Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, California.

Discovering Channel Islands National Park: A 5-Day Voyage



5 DAYS | FROM \$3,310pp
 2025 Apr., May, Oct. | 2026 Oct., Nov.
National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/wildchan for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the islands’ breathtaking landscapes by walking miles of trails, paddling sparkling waters by kayak or stand-up paddleboard and exploring by Zodiac.
- Hike in a Torrey Pine grove, one of only two on Earth, and enjoy a picnic lunch with sweeping views of the natural harbor.
- See endemic species found only on the islands, such as the Channel Island fox, island scrub jay and coastal sage scrub.
- Take in the colorful history and architecture of Avalon, a haven for movie stars in Hollywood’s golden era.
- Explore by Zodiac among vast kelp forests, or on an optional scuba dive if certified.

Special Guest

Join geologist and National Geographic Expert **Kirt Kempter** on Apr. 28 and May 2, 2025.



Channel Islands National Park to Baja California



13 DAYS | FROM \$9,444pp

2025-2026 Nov.

National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/latolapaz for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Follow the migration of birds and humpback whales on an epic journey from Los Angeles to Loreto.
- Discover one of the nation's best-kept secrets: Channel Islands National Park.
- Go behind the scenes and enjoy a private lunch at a boutique vineyard in the world-renowned Valle de Guadalupe.
- Explore Islas de San Benito, home to thousands of breeding elephant seals.
- Roam the ever-shifting sand dunes of Isla Magdalena, harboring a variety of wintering and resident bird species.
- Snorkel in Cabo Pulmo National Marine Park, a hard coral reef with over 220 species of fish.



*Breaching humpback whale,
Baja California.*



Baja California: Among the Great Whales



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,120pp

2026-2027 Jan.-Mar.

National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/bajawhales for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Board local pangas for up-close encounters with gray whale mother-calf pairs and search for humpbacks, blue whales and more aboard a small ship.
- Snorkel amidst the vibrant sea life and pristine coral reefs of Cabo Pulmo National Marine Park, a conservation success story.
- Hike desert isles, including Espíritu Santo Archipelago National Park, and witness the variety of flora and fauna thriving in this region.
- Conditions permitting, swim with playful sea lions at Los Islotes.
- Spot myriad bird species, including diving pelicans, magnificent frigatebirds and brown and blue-footed boobies.
- Add a one-night pre-voyage extension in Loreto and visit the historic San Javier Mission.



Guests observe a gray whale in a birthing lagoon.





Gray whale encounter, Bahía Magdalena.

Baja California: Observing the Whales of Magdalena Bay



6 DAYS | FROM \$3,750pp

2025-2027 Jan., Feb., Mar.

National Geographic Sea Bird

Visit expeditions.com/magbay for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Live among gigantic gray whale mothers and their calves in the nursery waters of Bahía Magdalena, delighting in up-close encounters.
- Kayak and paddleboard stunning mangroves, or beachcomb along endless beaches.
- Explore diverse landscapes; fat-tire bike along desert island terrain.
- Scan the skies for bird species, from diving pelicans to magnificent frigatebirds.
- Extend your expedition in Loreto and search for blue and fin whales, or add a culture and cuisine extension in Todos Santos and La Paz.





Bottlenose dolphins, Isla San Marcos.

Baja California Holiday: A Living Sea and Desert Isles



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,556pp
2025-2026 Dec.

National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/wildislands for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Spend your holiday season in search of large pods of dolphins, blue and humpback whales and other marine mammals.
- Explore the sculpted desert shoreline by kayak, hike uninhabited beaches and snorkel among colorful fish and acrobatic sea lions.
- Take in the stunning hues of a Baja California sunset at a festive, holiday-themed celebration.
- Conditions permitting, visit Isla Rasa, where 90 percent of the world's Heermann's gulls come to breed.
- Visit the old mining town of Santa Rosalía, with its wooden homes and historic steel church designed by Gustave Eiffel.



Baja California Discovery: Exploring Mexico's Gulf of California



11 DAYS | FROM \$10,128pp

2025-2026 Mar., Apr.

National Geographic Venture

Visit expeditions.com/bajadiscovery for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Immerse yourself in striking desert landscapes, pristine coastal waters and extraordinary biodiversity.
- Embark on regular marine safaris in search of whale sharks, dolphins, sea lions and as many as six different whale species.
- Explore the lesser-visited Midriff Islands, including Isla Rasa, where half a million nesting sea birds occupy a 150-acre island.
- Visit multiple UNESCO World Heritage sites and snorkel in the crystalline waters of protected marine reserves.
- Enjoy a rare opportunity to see and photograph one of the strangest plants on Earth: the otherworldly Boojum tree.
- Extend your expedition with a three-day cultural experience in La Paz and San José del Cabo.



Hiking on Isla San Jose.





ITINERARIES

CENTRAL & SOUTH AMERICA

Rippling with emerald peaks, blanketed in lush forests and scattered with the vestiges of ancient peoples, Central and South America brim with fascinating cultures and wild creatures. Get an intimate look at the region's wonders on expeditions to the Galápagos, the Upper Amazon, Costa Rica and beyond.



Costa Rica and the Panama Canal



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,461pp
2025-2026 Jan.-Mar., Nov., Dec. | 2027 Jan.-Mar.
National Geographic Quest

Visit expeditions.com/wild for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Hike into the lush green of world-renowned Corcovado National Park to spot endemic wildlife, including tropical birds and monkeys.
- Explore the tiny islands in the Gulf of Panama, and snorkel, paddleboard or swim off coral-fringed Isla Coiba, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Go ashore on Barro Colorado Island—the world’s most intensely studied tropical rainforest—to visit the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute.
- Spend two days transiting the engineering marvel of the Panama Canal and observe its complex lock system activity at eye-level.
- Extend your expedition in Panama City or Costa Rica’s Caño Negro Wildlife Refuge.



Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Tamara Merino Bloch** on Nov. 30, 2025.

Mantled howler monkey.





Guanacaste, Costa Rica.

Exploring Costa Rica: Guanacaste, Santa Rosa and Rincón de la Vieja



6 DAYS | FROM \$4,536pp

2025 Jan.-Mar., Nov., Dec. | 2026 Jan.-Mar., Nov.

National Geographic Quest

Visit expeditions.com/guanacaste for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Venture through the Guanacaste Conservation Area by kayak, Zodiac and on foot.
- Glide through a mangrove forest to see reddish egrets, spoonbills, white ibises and crocodiles.
- Discover remote, quiet bays along the wild Santa Elena Peninsula.
- Explore Rincón de la Vieja National Park—alive with active volcanoes and gurgling mud pots—for howler monkey encounters, waterfall hikes and an optional zip-lining excursion.
- Celebrate the finale of your Guanacaste adventure with afternoon refreshments and hors d'oeuvres on the beach.
- Extend your expedition in Costa Rica's Caño Negro Wildlife Refuge.

Special Guest

Join botanist and National Geographic Expert **Santiago Ramirez Said** on Nov. 20 and 25, 2025.



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Old Spanish cannon in Portobelo, Panama.

Panama and Colombia: Exploring the Caribbean Coast



8 DAYS | FROM \$6,810pp

2025–2026 Oct., Nov.

National Geographic Quest

Visit expeditions.com/colombia for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Immerse yourself in Colombia’s incredible variety of flora and fauna as you explore on naturalist-led jungle hikes.
- Explore idyllic islands, snorkel vibrant coral reefs and search for wildlife in healthy mangroves.
- Visit a wide array of remote villages and communities central to the identity of Colombian art and culture.
- Transit the Panama Canal over two days to see it by day and in the coolness of night.
- Extend your expedition in Panama City for immersive historic walking tours.

MORE TO EXPLORE: Set out on the ultimate island-hopping adventure on *Caribbean Sea Chronicles: The Panama Canal to Antigua*. Visit expeditions.com/pan-antigua for itinerary details.



Special Guest

Join National Geographic Photographer **Jennifer Davidson** on Nov. 9, 2025.

The Panama Canal, Pearl Islands and Darién Jungle



8 DAYS | FROM \$7,389pp
2025 Dec. | 2026 Jan., Dec. | 2027 Jan.
National Geographic Quest

Visit expeditions.com/panama for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the storied Spanish architecture and fascinating pirate history of Portobelo, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Explore Isla Iguana Wildlife Refuge and spot sea turtles and black and green iguanas on the beach or while snorkeling offshore.
- Meet the Indigenous Emberá people of Darién and learn about their customs, traditions and deep reverence for their natural surroundings.
- Kayak, hike, Zodiac cruise and snorkel in the tranquil Pearl Islands, a network of 200 isles known for turquoise waters, white-sand beaches and an enduring connection to the pearl trade.
- Transit the legendary Panama Canal over two days to see it by day and dramatically lit up at night—plus, enjoy an exclusive stop at the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute's Barro Colorado Island.
- Extend your expedition in Panama City for immersive historic walking tours.



Local dancer, Portobelo.



New



Arenal Volcano, Costa Rica.

Exploring Arenal Volcano, Pearl Islands and the Panama Canal



9 DAYS | FROM \$6,801pp

2027 Jan.

National Geographic Quest

Visit expeditions.com/zipline for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Actively explore the Arenal Volcano Area as you zipline from peak to peak, hike the rainforest and walk suspension bridges through the canopy.
- Search for wildlife—from toucans to tree frogs—and tour a conservation area founded by locals.
- Take a dip in the Ecotermiales Hot Springs, warmed by volcanic activity.
- Transit the legendary Panama Canal—plus, enjoy an exclusive stop at the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute on Barro Colorado Island.
- Discover the storied Spanish architecture and pirate history of Portobelo, a UNESCO World Heritage site.



Upper Amazon: A River Expedition



6, 9, or 10 DAYS | FROM \$4,947pp
2025-2026: Expeditions year-round
Delfin II, Delfin III

Visit expeditions.com/upperamazon for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the flooded forest of Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve with a team of experienced naturalists.
- Search for elusive Amazon wildlife, including pink and gray river dolphins, monk saki monkeys, piranhas and scarlet macaws.
- Get acquainted with native *riberños* on a visit to a community at the river's edge.
- Gaze at the wilderness from the comfort of the elegant *Delfin II* or *Delfin III*—both Relais & Châteaux members—and enjoy delicious, locally sourced meals.
- Learn from the onboard certified photo instructor.
- Extend your expedition in vibrant, cosmopolitan Lima.



MORE TO EXPLORE: Set out on a new six-day voyage aboard the latest addition to the Amazon fleet, *Delfin III*. Visit expeditions.com/upperamazon6 for itinerary details.

Red howler monkey, Amazon.





Inca ruins at Machu Picchu, Peru.

Exploring Peru: Machu Picchu and the Amazon

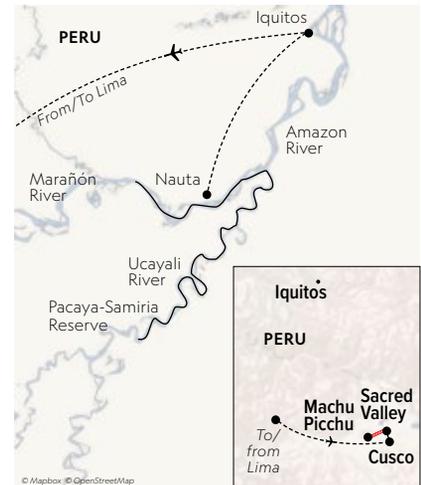


9 OR 10 DAYS | FROM \$9,698pp
2025-2026 Jan.-Sep., Nov., Dec.
Delfin II, Delfin III

Visit expeditions.com/wildperu for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Spend a full day exploring fabled Machu Picchu, royal retreat of Pachacuti.
- Discover the cobbled streets and monuments of Cusco, imperial capital of the Inca.
- Journey to Iquitos and the Amazon for a voyage aboard the *Delfin II* or *Delfin III*, both part of the Relais & Châteaux group.
- Explore the flooded forest of Pacaya-Samiria National Reserve with a team of experienced local naturalists.
- Spot elusive Amazon wildlife, including pink dolphins, monk saki monkeys, piranhas and scarlet macaws.
- Extend your expedition in vibrant, cosmopolitan Lima.



Exploring Galápagos



10 DAYS | FROM \$5,557pp

2025-2027: Weekly expeditions year-round, departing Fridays

National Geographic Endeavour II, National Geographic Gemini

Visit expeditions.com/sailgala for itinerary detail, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Walk among wildlife unfazed by your presence. Loiter on beaches with sea lions, marvel at huge colonies of marine iguanas and see nesting seabirds.
- Snorkel with sea lions, turtles and abundant fish in the protected waters of the Galápagos Marine Reserve.
- Adventure by kayak, paddleboard, glass-bottom boat and Zodiac.
- Observe giant Galápagos tortoises in the wild on an excursion in the highlands of Santa Cruz.
- Explore alongside a National Geographic photographer on dedicated photography departures, and join an optional pre-voyage photo extension to the picturesque Ecuadorian Amazon.
- Extend your expedition, with options to explore colonial Quito, the tropical Andean forests of the award-winning Mashpi Lodge and more.



National Geographic Endeavour II and Kicker Rock.



New



Kayakers observe a blue-footed booby perched on a volcanic shoreline.

Galápagos by Catamaran: An Intimate Voyage



10 DAYS | FROM \$7,952pp

2025-2027: Weekly expeditions year-round, departing Fridays

National Geographic Delfina

Visit expeditions.com/galavoyage for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Encounter Galápagos wildlife up close on an exclusive catamaran with 16 guests and two veteran expedition staff to guide you over a full week in the islands.
- Adventure by kayak, paddleboard and Zodiac across waters rich in marine life.
- Discover wildlife unfazed by your presence: lounge on beaches with sea lions, walk among huge colonies of marine iguanas and delight at the antics of nesting seabirds from ship and shore.
- Extend your expedition in Ecuador with a stay in Quito, or venture to Mashpi Lodge in the tropical Andes.



MORE TO EXPLORE: Discover the culture and history of Peru on the 16-day *Galápagos by Catamaran, Machu Picchu and Peru's Land of the Inca*. Visit expeditions.com/galaperuvoyage for itinerary details.

Exploring Galápagos, Machu Picchu and Peru's Land of the Inca



16 DAYS | FROM \$11,776pp

2025: Weekly expeditions year-round, departing Fridays

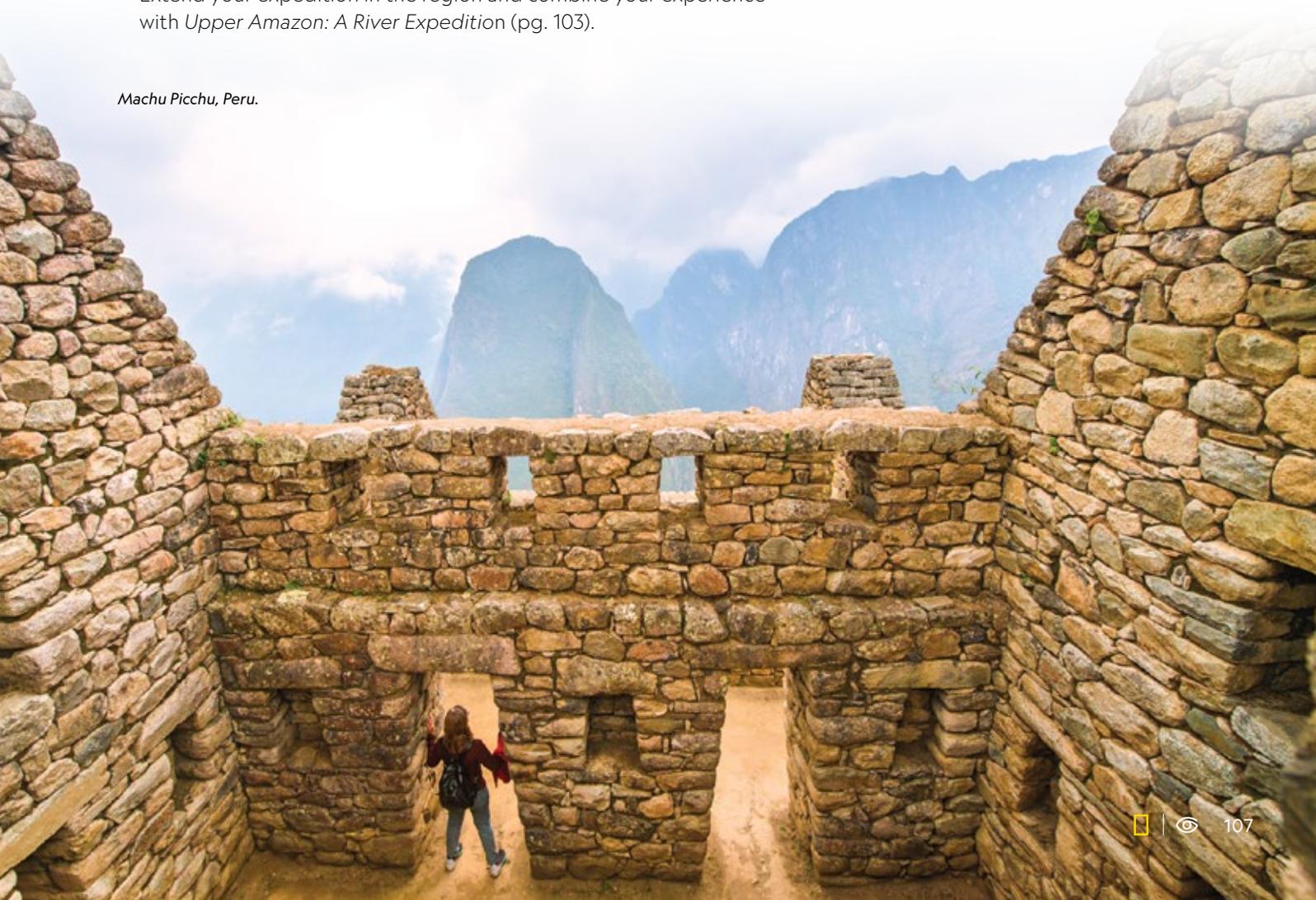
National Geographic Endeavour II,
National Geographic Gemini + Land Excursion

Visit expeditions.com/galapero for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Walk and snorkel among the abundant and fearless wildlife of Galápagos.
- Adventure by kayak, paddleboard and Zodiac along volcanic shores teeming with wildlife.
- Stay at the historic 31-room Belmond Sanctuary Lodge, just steps from Machu Picchu, to explore the site over two days.
- Discover the monuments of imperial Cusco, capital of the Inca empire, and explore the Sacred Valley of the Inca.
- Extend your expedition in the region and combine your experience with *Upper Amazon: A River Expedition* (pg. 103).

Machu Picchu, Peru.



Galápagos Escape



7 or 8 DAYS | FROM \$6,864pp
2025-2027: Expeditions year-round, departing Thursdays
and Saturdays
National Geographic Islander II

Visit expeditions.com/wildgala for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Travel aboard an expedition ship that feels like a private yacht, with only 26 staterooms and suites.
- Maximize your time in the islands with multiple exploration options every day.
- Snorkel and kayak in rich waters among shimmering fish, sea turtles, penguins and playful sea lions.
- Walk among wildlife colonies unfazed by your presence.
- Relax at Hotel Del Parque, a serene tropical refuge and Relais & Chateaux property along the banks of the river in Guayaquil. Or opt for Casa Gangotena in the heart of Quito. Additional nights are available for further exploration.
- Extend your expedition at the famed Otavalo market.



Sea lion, Galápagos.





Machu Picchu, Peru.

Peru and Galápagos Escape



11 or 12 DAYS | FROM \$8,986pp
 2025-2027: Expeditions year-round, departing Fridays
 National Geographic Islander II

Visit expeditions.com/wildgalaperu for itinerary details, extensions and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience two iconic destinations in one fast-paced and active expedition.
- Linger into the late afternoon at fabled Machu Picchu, introduced to the world by Hiram Bingham in the April 1913 issue of *National Geographic Magazine*.
- Spend two nights in the Sacred Valley of the Inca and a night in Cusco, imperial capital of the Inca.
- Maximize your time in Galápagos with multiple exploration options every day.
- Sail into a flooded caldera and visit a birdwatcher's paradise.
- Extend your expedition in vibrant, cosmopolitan Lima or in UNESCO-designated Quito and the famed Otavalo market.



NEW! Beginning in 2026, this voyage has an additional night in Cusco, the capital of the Inca empire.



ITINERARIES

ASIA

Asia's ancient traditions endure amid the floating markets of the Mekong, the temples and teahouses of Japan and the remote rivers of India. Journey to secluded villages and sacred landmarks where age-old customs hold strong, and learn about their importance from the people preserving them for future generations.



India by Land and River: Taj Mahal, Safaris and the Brahmaputra



18 DAYS | FROM \$22,122pp

2026 Mar.

Charaidew II

Visit expeditions.com/india for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience four distinct regions of India in one land and river cruise adventure: Bandhavgarh National Park, Agra, Kolkata and Assam.
- Explore the Agra Fort and Taj Mahal, two renowned UNESCO World Heritage sites, and enjoy Kolkata's cultural treasures and rich history.
- Embark on jeep safaris in Bandhavgarh and Kaziranga National Parks in search of rare species, such as the Asian one-horned rhinoceros and the elusive Bengal tiger.
- Sail aboard the charming *Charaidew II* along the Brahmaputra River, a holy body of water whose banks are home to small, rarely visited communities.
- Extend your expedition in New Delhi.



Taj Maha, India.





Indian rhinoceros, Kaziranga National Park.

India Expedition: Kolkata, Kaziranga and the Brahmaputra River



11 DAYS | FROM \$12,124pp

2026 Mar., Apr.

Charaidew II

Visit expeditions.com/india-river for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Navigate the Brahmaputra River, which plays an important part in Hindu mythology, and meet the inhabitants of seldom-visited communities along the riverbank.
- Explore Kaziranga National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site, on thrilling jeep safaris to spot incredible birdlife, and search for rare species like the Asian one-horned rhinoceros, Asian elephants and the elusive Royal Bengal tiger.
- Spend a full day in Kolkata, India's third largest city and home to colorful flower markets, historic buildings, ornate temples and the center of Mother Teresa's charity work.
- Search for wild water buffalo, hornbills, rare Gangetic dolphins and other fascinating wildlife found in and along the river.



Charaidew II

Your vessel for the journey along the Brahmaputra River is an intimate boutique river ship, beautifully designed in the local Assamese style and geared for in-depth discovery. Visit expeditions.com/charaidewii to learn more.



Angkor Wat, Cambodia.

Sailing Vietnam and Cambodia's Mekong River Aboard *The Jahan*



13 DAYS | FROM \$15,084pp

2026 Jan., Feb.

The Jahan

Visit expeditions.com/vietnamcambodia for itinerary details, extension and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Spend two days exploring the legendary religious sites of Angkor in the company of experts and local guides.
- Visit communities and learn the ways of life along the Mekong River, including subsistence fishing and small industries.
- Explore Phnom Penh and Saigon, touring sites important to the cities' 20th-century histories.
- Travel in extraordinary comfort and see many of the countries' cultural highpoints.
- Enjoy special dining experiences, including a private dinner with traditional music and a dance performance at one of Angkor's temples.
- Extend your expedition in Vietnam and explore Hoi Au, Hue, and Lan Ha Bay, part of the famed Ha Long Bay.



Coastal Japan: Imperial Dynasties and Modern Culture



16 DAYS | FROM \$28,618pp

2026 Sep.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/coastaljapan for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Meander through Koraku-en and Sengan-en, two unique Japanese gardens that are considered some of the most beautiful in the country.
- Explore the cultural legacy of Korea's Silla Dynasty among the ancient ruins of Gyeongju, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Get inspired on the art-filled island of Naoshima and visit museums and studios dedicated to artists and traditional handicrafts in Matsue.
- Learn about the historic past and modern-day lives of the Geisha—the treasures of Kyoto.
- Delve into the history of the samurai and their feudal lords while visiting castles and samurai districts in Matsue and Uwajima.



Koko-en Garden, Japan.



Alaska to Japan: Ring of Fire to Ainu Culture



19 DAYS | FROM \$31,470pp

2026 Aug.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/alaskatojapan for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Watch for a profusion of rare wildlife in Alaska’s and Aleutian Islands—from whiskered auklets and northern fur seals to orca whales, eagles and brown bears.
- Search for the sacred red-crowned crane on a visit to the wetlands of Kushiro on Hokkaido.
- Learn about the culture of Hokkaido’s Indigenous Ainu people on visits to a village and a living history museum.
- Delve into the history of the shoguns and samurai while visiting castle ruins in Sendai and the beautiful Kairakuen Garden in Mito.



Northern Fur Seal, St. Paul Island, Alaska.





A traveler photographs a torii gate in Hiroshima Bay, Japan.

Epic Northwest Passage: From Iceland to Japan



69 DAYS | FROM \$108,285pp

2026 Jul.

National Geographic Resolution

Visit expeditions.com/icelandtojapan for itinerary details and current rates

HIGHLIGHTS

- Set sail on an extraordinary 69-day journey across the top of the globe and down to East Asia—checking off a host of bucket-list experiences along the way.
- Venture into the fabled Northwest Passage and learn the dramatic stories of explorers and adventurers who sought this magnificent, icy frontier.
- Glide between soaring icebergs at the mouth of Greenland's Ilulissat Icefjord, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Watch for a profusion of rare wildlife in Alaska's Pribilof and Aleutian Islands—from whiskered auklets and northern fur seals to Steller's sea eagles and brown bears.
- Delve into the history of the samurai and their feudal lords while visiting Japan's castles, gardens and samurai districts in Matsue and Uwajima.



THE NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC-LINDBLAD EXPEDITIONS FLEET

Meet the fleet of ships that charted a course for expedition cruising, each built small and nimble so you can go deeper into your destination and quickly disembark to spend more time exploring. The vessels are as diverse as the destinations—designed to discover specific geographies and stocked with a curated collection of expedition tools to enhance your experience on shore and on board. While their offerings are varied, key features unite the ships: comfortable, well-appointed cabins; lively social spaces designed to foster a sense of community; and capacities that never exceed 148 guests.

BLUE WATER SHIPS

Built to shine in icy polar seas, the four ships in the blue water fleet comfortably sail deep oceans across the globe. The purpose-built *National Geographic Explorer* is the definitive expedition ship, while the gracious *National Geographic Orion* has a rich tradition of navigating distant shores, from the Atlantic isles to Antarctica.

The new state-of-the-art sister ships *National Geographic Endurance* and *National Geographic Resolution* are charting a course for the future of the fleet, with top-tier ice classes and luxurious amenities, including infinity hot tubs and geodesic igloos for sleeping under the stars at sea.

Clockwise: National Geographic Endurance and National Geographic Resolution in Antarctica; National Geographic Explorer and National Geographic Orion off the coast of Europe; sustainable and regional cuisine wherever possible; category 7 suite aboard National Geographic Explorer.







GALÁPAGOS SHIPS

National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions sails four expedition ships in the Galápagos year-round, each with a unique style to offer a full spectrum of travel options. Geared for in-depth discovery, *National Geographic Endeavour II* and the new *National Geographic Gemini* embody the style of travel refined during more than 55 years of exploration here.

National Geographic Islander II is an expedition vessel with the spirit and soul of a private yacht, featuring shared spaces that emphasize indoor-outdoor living. The catamaran *National Geographic Delfina* is the fleet's most intimate ship in the Galápagos, accommodating 16 guests in eight spacious staterooms.

Clockwise: blue-footed boobies in front of National Geographic Endeavour II; observation deck with plunge pool aboard National Geographic Islander II; National Geographic Delfina; first-class service from shipboard hotel team.





CHARTER SHIPS

Certain destinations are best discovered aboard bespoke vessels that evoke the splendor of their historic ports of call. National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions hand-picks ships that are uniquely suited to sail in these special places and fully charters them just for your travel group.

Step aboard and enjoy all the benefits of traveling with National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions, whether you wish to sail the Mediterranean aboard an elegant square-rigger from the Sea Cloud fleet, glide down one of the world's legendary waterways on a beautifully designed riverboat or navigate through the heart of Scotland's Highlands and islands on board an intimate purpose-built ship.



Clockwise: Sea Cloud and Sea Cloud II under sail; guests looking out on the Amazon River in the Amazon suite aboard Delfin II; guests enjoy kayaking and Zodiac cruises from the National Geographic Venture; spa treatment aboard The Jahan.

U.S. SHIPS

The U.S. fleet includes two pairs of sister ships: the purpose-built *National Geographic Quest* and *National Geographic Venture* and the intimately scaled *National Geographic Sea Bird* and *National Geographic Sea Lion*. Each nimble vessel was designed with a shallow draft to access remote corners of the North and Central American coastlines, from secluded coves in Alaska to jungle rivers in Costa Rica. They also have the advantage of being U.S.-flagged, eliminating the need for domestic customs stops and allowing you more time to explore.



THE FLEET AT A GLANCE

BLUE WATER GALÁPAGOS UNITED STATES

All ships have outside-facing cabins.

					
	National Geographic Endurance Launched 2021	National Geographic Resolution Launched 2021	National Geographic Explorer Refurbished 2023	National Geographic Orion Refurbished 2013	National Geographic Endeavour II Refurbished 2016
Guest Capacity	138	138	148	102	96
Cabins	76	76	81	53	52
Balcony Cabins	59	59	14	8 French Balc.	
Solo Cabins	14	14	12	4	9
Shared Cabin Program	Available in Cat. 1 & 2	Available in Cat. 1 & 2	Available in Cat. 1 & 2	Available in Cat. 1 & 2	Available in Cat. 1 & 2
Connecting Cabins					14
Spa Facilities	2 Saunas, Spa	2 Saunas, Spa	Sauna, Spa	Sauna	●
Fitness Center	Fitness Center, Yoga Studio	Fitness Center, Yoga Studio	●	●	●
Elevator	●	●	●	●	
Swimming Pool/Hot Tub	2 Hot Tubs	2 Hot Tubs		Hot Tub	
Diving Options					Galápagos select departures
OM System Photo Gear Locker	●	●	●	●	
Exclusive Family Programs	Select Antarctic and Arctic itineraries	Select Antarctic and Arctic itineraries	Select Antarctic and Arctic itineraries	Select Antarctic itineraries	Galápagos
Bar Tab Included*	●	●	●	●	●
Basic Wi-Fi Included	●	●	●	●	●
Gratuities Included	●	●	●	●	

*Super premium brands of alcohol are available for purchase; **National Geographic Delfina does not carry an undersea specialist nor a medical professional. Please call with questions.

All ships include:

 Photography Program

 Excursions

 Meals and Beverages

 Free of guest-facing single-use plastic

 Open Bridge

 Tools for Exploration

 Medical Professional**

 World Class Expedition Team

 Undersea Specialist**

 Family Friendly

						
National Geographic <i>Islander II</i> Launched 2022	National Geographic <i>Gemini</i> Launching 2025	National Geographic <i>Delfina</i> Launching 2025	National Geographic <i>Venture</i> Launched 2018	National Geographic <i>Quest</i> Launched 2017	National Geographic <i>Sea Bird</i> Refurbished 2015	National Geographic <i>Sea Lion</i> Refurbished 2015
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	<i>The Jahan</i>	<i>Delfin II</i>	<i>Delfin III</i>	<i>Lord of the Glens</i>	<i>Sea Cloud</i>
Guest Capacity	48	28	42	46	58
Cabins	24	14	21	24	30
Balcony Cabins	24				
Solo Cabins	Available in Cat. 1	On Request, limited	On request, limited	2	2
Triple Cabins		2			
Connecting Cabins		4			
Spa/Massage	●	●	●		
Fitness Center	●	●	●		
Swimming Pool/Hot Tub	●		●		
Diving Options					
Tools for Exploration		●	●	●	
Medical Professional	●	●	●		●
Bar Tab Included	●	●	●	●	●
Wi-Fi Included	●	●	●	●	10GBpp
Free of guest-facing, single-use plastic	●				●

All chartered ships include:

-  Photography Program
-  Open Bridge
-  World Class Expedition Team
-  Excursions
-  Meals and Beverages



Sea Cloud II

Oberoi Philae

Sun Goddess

Charaidew II

Aqua Blu

88

44

60

34

28

44

22

30

17

14

2

30

2

Available in Cat. 1

Available in Cat. 1

Available in Cat. 1

Available in all categories

14

4

2



Exercise area on outdoor deck



Limited to 10 certified divers



Wine & beer with meals

Wine & beer with meals

10GBpp



SPECIAL OFFERS

Offers are valid for new bookings only, subject to availability and may not be combined with other offers unless otherwise noted. Call for details.

Bringing the Kids: Sharing an expedition with children is a life-enhancing experience. Save \$500 off cabin fare for each child under the age of 18 on any departure. Not applicable on extensions or airfare.

10% Off Back-to-Back Voyages: Save 10% on consecutive back-to-back departures. Applicable on cabin fares only and not valid on extensions or airfare.

Save 5% Traveling as a Group: Save 5% when traveling as a group of eight or more adults over age

18. Valid on cabin fares only and not applicable on extensions or airfare. Deposit, final payments and cancellation policies for group travel vary from regular policies.

Celebrate Life's Milestones: Celebrate a milestone with a group of eight or more and enjoy a special amenity package that includes: 5% savings on cabin fares, custom group photo, a total of \$150 shipboard credits for the group and other special gifts. \$150 shipboard credit is allocated to the lead

guest on the booking. Milestone celebration to be communicated at time of booking. Not applicable on airfare or extensions. Deposit, final payments and cancellation policies for group travel vary from regular policies.

Combining Offers: Certain offers may be combinable for 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.

INCLUSIVE PRICING

- Excursions and hotels as indicated in the itinerary
- Airport transfers for flights arriving and departing within the recommended window
- All meals as indicated in the itinerary, plus hors d'oeuvres and 24-hour access to snacks, premium coffees and teas, nonalcoholic beverages and filtered water
- Selection of exploration tools curated to your destination
- Presentations on your destination by expedition staff and expert guest speakers
- The services of a medical professional where applicable
- Morning stretch classes and 24-hour access to exercise equipment where available
- 24-hour access to lounges, observation decks, library stocked with regionally relevant literature and other shared spaces
- Complimentary reusable water bottle to fill at onboard water refill stations
- Park and site entrance fees, special access permits and port taxes
- Complimentary parka or jacket on select polar voyages

Complimentary Wi-Fi: Wireless internet is offered across the expedition fleet through Speedcast and Starlink. Enjoy a complimentary basic Wi-Fi plan that accommodates email, messaging and social media apps. Upgrades are also available:

- Enhanced Wi-Fi plan: accommodates web browsing, video conferencing and other functions that require increased bandwidth. Available for \$25 per day or \$150 for the entire voyage.
- Premium Wi-Fi plan: accommodates most internet needs, including video streaming and uploading and sending large files. Available for \$50 per day or \$300 for the entire voyage.

Complimentary Wi-Fi from other service providers is available aboard *Sea Cloud* and *Sea Cloud II* (10GB per person), *Oberoi Philae*, *Sun Goddess*, *Lord of the Glens*, *Charaidew II*, *Aqua Blu*, *Delfin II*, *Delfin III* and *The Jahan*.

Beer, Wine, Cocktails & Spirits: Your bar tab is included on all departures aboard the expedition fleet, *The Jahan*, *Lord of the Glens*, *Sea Cloud*, *Sea Cloud II*, *Charaidew II*, *Aqua Blu*, *Delfin II* and *Delfin III*, with premium wines and spirits available for purchase. Beer and wine included with meals aboard *Oberoi Philae* and *Sun Goddess*.

Crew Gratuities: Crew tips are included on all departures aboard *National Geographic Endurance*, *National Geographic Resolution*, *National Geographic Explorer*, *National Geographic Orion*, *The Jahan*, *Lord of the Glens*, *Sea Cloud*, *Sea Cloud II*, *Charaidew II*, *Aqua Blu*, *Oberoi Philae*, and *Sun Goddess*.

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*Cocktails and spirits are not included aboard *Oberoi Philae* and *Sun Goddess*.

*Crew gratuities are additional aboard *National Geographic Endeavour II*, *National Geographic Islander II*, *National Geographic Gemini*, *National Geographic Delfina*, *National Geographic Quest*, *National Geographic Venture*, *National Geographic Sea Bird*, *National Geographic Sea Lion*, *Delfin II* and *Delfin III*.

*Basic Wi-Fi plan aboard the Lindblad Expeditions-National Geographic fleet, with services provided by Speedcast and Starlink. Complimentary Wi-Fi from other service providers available aboard *Sea Cloud* and *Sea Cloud II* (10GB per person), *Oberoi Philae*, *Sun Goddess*, *Lord of the Glens*, *The Jahan*, *Aqua Blu*, *Delfin II*, *Delfin III* and *Charaidev II*.

Not Included: Airfare (except flights when indicated as included and/or as required); charter airfare (where applicable, except when indicated as included and/or as required); pre- and post-expedition extensions (except flights when indicated as included); additional hotel nights (except when indicated as included); cocktails and spirits (aboard *Oberoi Philae* and *Sun Goddess*); crew gratuities (except when indicated as included); private transfers (except when indicated as included); additional costs associated with medical services outside onboard physician consultation (where applicable); enhanced and premium Wi-Fi plans aboard expedition fleet; laundry, spa treatments, scuba diving and phone services (except when indicated as included); travel protection plans; passport, visa and immigration fees. For select voyages, completing a medical evaluation form with VIKAND is required. If you utilize your physician, VIKAND's processing fee for your documentation will be added to your National Geographic-Lindblad Expeditions invoice. If you utilize VIKAND's physicians, an additional charge will be due and payable directly to VIKAND.

Itinerary Modifications: Itinerary routing may vary and stops may be subject to modification and/or permitting. Visit website itinerary pages for details and exceptions.

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