

### 2025-2026 All-Inclusive Expedition Cruises

Northwest Passage & Arctic Canada | Alaska & British Columbia Galápagos | South & Central America



## **Welcome to HX!**

I'm very excited to share with you some of the places we'll be exploring in the 2025/2026 season. With HX, we invite you to discover some of the world's most fascinating destinations, like Antarctica, the Galápagos Islands, and the fabled Northwest Passage. What's more, for the first time, we are offering sailings starting and ending in Nuuk, bringing you closer to Greenland's jaw-dropping scenery.

But first, why the new name and the new look?

Well, we wanted to make it easier for you to distinguish between Hurtigruten Expeditions and our sister brand, Hurtigruten. Giving ourselves a new name makes this possible, and so our world-leading expedition cruising company Hurtigruten Expeditions is becoming simply HX. It's a slightly different name, but our love of adventure in some of the most awe-inspiring destinations on our planet remains unchanged.

2026 will be an incredible year in our history as explorers — one in which we celebrate 130 years since our first expedition voyage. It's a moment where we remember the depth and longevity of our heritage, the quality of the experiences we offer and the pioneering way we're treading the path to a more sustainable future. So, take a look at the incredible destinations we are offering and get dreaming!

Yours adventurously,

Daniel Skjeldam CEO - HX

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# Change the Way You See the World

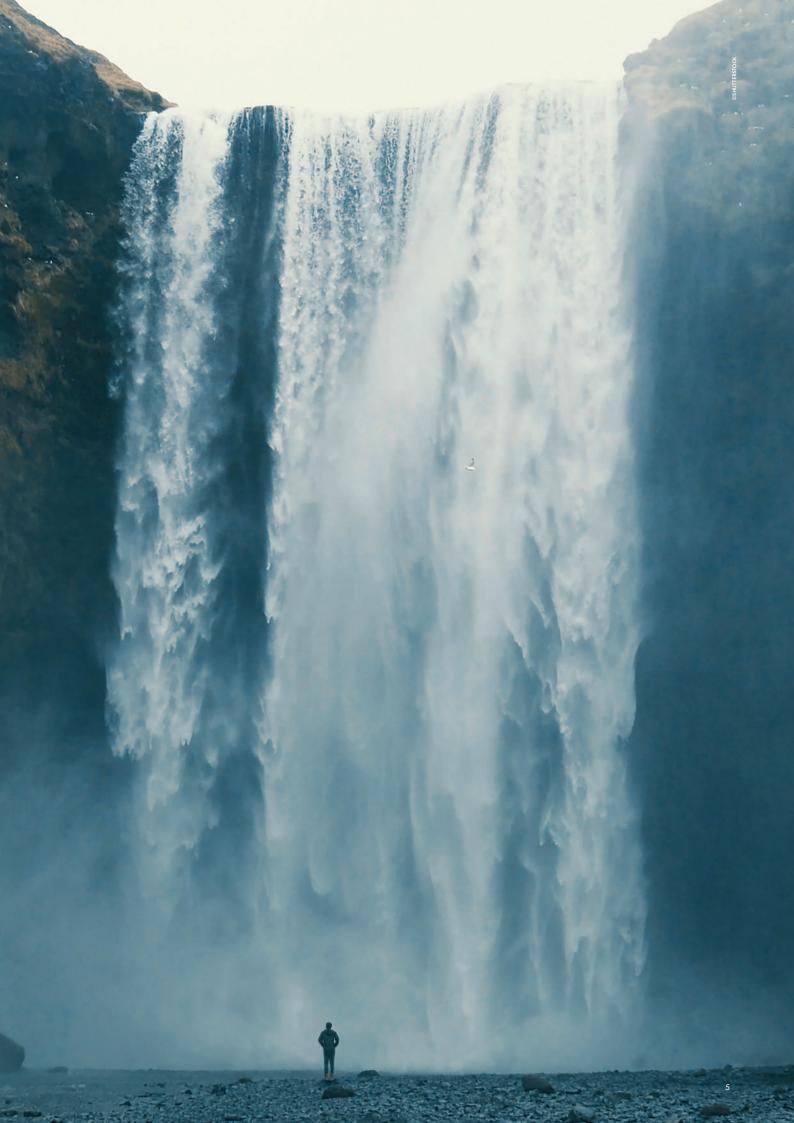
In 1896 we set out on a journey of exploration from our homeland in Norway. Driven by a passion to discover what lies beyond the horizon, we sailed in the wake of the pioneering seafarers redrawing the boundaries of our world.

Today, we're leaders in expedition cruising, taking you to those places that lure the curious traveller. Whether it's spotting polar bears in the pristine landscapes of the Arctic, watching marine iguanas bask on the Galápagos Islands, or getting up close to Antarctica's penguins in our stylish, purpose-built expedition ships, an HX expedition brings you closer to a world of wonder.

With onboard lectures and Science Centres, your Expedition Team will illuminate your mind with talks about history, culture, science and art, ensuring you return home with a deep understanding and love of the places you explore.

Our mission is to be the world's most sustainable expedition travel company. With the best ESG ranking in 2023 of a cruise company by Morningstar Sustainalytics, we've led the industry by being the first to eliminate single-use plastics and heavy fuel oils, and our hybrid-powered cruise ships were a world first.

Join us as we continue our journey to change the way you see the world.







# The Perfect Choice for Curious Adventurers

We've been sailing the world expedition-style for a long time. For almost 130 years, we've honed the art of exploring by sea, and our lineage stretches back to a golden age of exploration. Today, as then, we invite you to join us.

Our purpose-built ships bring you closer to adventure, and our range of activities and excursions mean you'll dive deeper into your destination. You'll find yourself inspired, and your mind illuminated. And you'll come back home with an intimate knowledge of the region you've just explored. Here are some of the reasons people choose to join an HX voyage time and again.

#### Striking the Right Balance between Adventure, Comfort and Sustainability

Since we first set out in 1896, we've been refining our ships to suit the conditions in which we explore. They're large enough to carry a full suite of expedition equipment, including fleets of small boats and kayaks, while a dedicated tender deck means you'll be at sea level getting to and from shore landings. At the same time, they're also small enough to go off the beaten track and venture to where larger ships cannot reach. With sustainability in mind, we're continuously striving to achieve a lower ecological footprint while keeping plenty of room for restaurants, lecture areas and quiet window seats. After all, we believe having room to breathe on your expedition cruise shouldn't be a luxury.



#### High Standards in a Casual Atmosphere

With HX the luxury is laid-back, and the atmosphere is informal and authentic. For us, having high standards doesn't mean being stuffy. As we see it, your ship is your base camp at sea, a place where you should feel completely at home. There's no dress code, so if you want to enjoy fine dining wearing a comfy fleece and hiking shoes, rest assured you won't be alone. And just like at home, there's no bill waiting at the end of your meal\* or after your nightcap† – it's all included. You'll find your Captain, crew and Expedition Team approachable and friendly – they're permanent staff members, so your ship is also their home – and they love nothing more than to chat with fellow travellers and swap stories. And in such warm and relaxed surroundings, it's easy to make new friends.

#### True Pioneers of Mindful Exploration

When it comes to sustainability, we've always been at the vanguard. We were the first to stop using heavy fuel oils and single-use plastic in our fleet, and we introduced the world's first hybrid-powered expedition ships. But that's far from the whole story. We try to buy our food as locally as possible; we trade with the communities where we sail; and we clean up marine plastics from remote beaches. What's more, we partner with global scientific institutions, giving their scientists free onboard space to do their research, while our charitable foundation supports community and conservation projects around the globe.

#### Sharing the Wonder of Discovery

Exploring with HX is far from a sightseeing tour. We don't just point out the landmarks, we hike up mountains with you and look down on the ship from the summit. We don't just admire the view, we jump in the kayaks and become part of it. We seek out wildlife and then learn about the science of the entire ecosystem in talks and hands-on Citizen Science projects. And as we're welcomed into the sometimes-remote communities we visit, we feel like honoured guests meeting old friends. Because the thrill of exploration and authentic connection is what drives us, we feel privileged to be able to share all of this with you. After all, awakening you to a world of wonder is what we're all about.

\*Charges apply for cabin guests dining in Lindstrøm.

'Subject to local licensing laws. For cabin guests, premium drinks are not included; for suite guests, premium cocktails, beers and spirits are included (premium wines including sparkling at extra cost). See travelhx.com/uk for full Terms & Conditions.







## **A True Expediton**

Embrace the spirit of pure adventure as you explore the planet on an HX expedition cruise. We take you beyond the ordinary, to places where you'll encounter the extraordinary. Whether that's remote island communities, spectacular wildlife or pristine natural beauty, you'll find yourself immersed in a world of wonder.

You'll travel to where nature is at its most raw, where the wildlife roams free, and where the elements rule. Because this is no ordinary cruise, and our itineraries are not completely set in stone. Routes flex to respond to nature's challenges, and we grasp opportunities for spontaneous adventure and exploration as they arise.

Some days on our voyages are called exploration days. On these freestyling days, our Captains and Expedition Team members use their expert local knowledge to seek out the best adventures and experiences. Maybe an extraordinary wildlife watching opportunity has arisen, or perhaps there are reports of spectacular icebergs to observe. Once we set sail, we are ready for anything.

Even sea days are an opportunity to delve deeper into the destination. Your Expedition Team will keep you enthralled with lectures and demos, and there could be opportunities to try your hand at making local crafts or learning about improving your photography techniques. Get engrossed in a Citizen Science project and help contribute to global research and plan your upcoming hiking and kayaking excursions with expert insight.

So, don your life jacket, pull on your rubber boots and jump into an expedition boat – adventure awaits!

# Activities to Bring You Closer

From snorkelling through shape-shifting clouds of fish to camping on Antarctic snow, you'll get a deeper sense of connection to the places you explore with our range of included activities and optional excursions.

#### Closer to the Water

On an HX expedition cruise you'll go to some of the most spectacular coastlines on the planet. Get out on the water to explore up close on kayaking trips and small expedition boat cruising, or take exploration into your own hands by snorkelling or stand-up paddleboarding.

#### Boots on the Ground

On shore landings, we'll take you off the beaten track to remote sites where you can seek out hidden treasures on nature walks and hikes. When visiting remote settlements, you might be treated to cultural performances, and in historic cities, you can join guided tours.

#### Forming Special Bonds

Excursions bring you closer to the spirit and essence of a destination. In Greenland, for example, you could find yourself hiking up an Arctic mountain or attending a traditional *kaffemik* social gathering, while in Iceland you might discover the joys of soaking in a hot geothermal pool following a nature hike to a beautiful waterfall. Every destination offers something precious and unique.

#### **Activities Included Every Day**

Whatever the destination, every single day includes activities as part of your cruise. Other activities, such as kayaking and some guided hikes, may be at additional cost and are bookable either in advance or when you're on board. But with a fantastic range of options on every sailing, you're guaranteed being able to indulge your sense of adventure and passion for discovery.







## **Adventure Is All-Inclusive**

An HX trip includes everything from daily excursions and activities to our onboard Science Centre, meals, gratuities, drinks and more. All designed to give you the expedition experience of a lifetime.

## Daily expeditions and activities

Every day, hand-picked experts from a range of fields will lead you on discoveries whether on shore or on board including hikes, community visits, talks and more.

## Breakfast, lunch and dinner, every day

Make your expedition an indulgent one and choose from a huge range of delicious foods at every meal, as well as house wine, beer and soft drinks.

## All-inclusive drinks on every voyage

Enjoy wine, beer and spirits throughout the day and evening\*, as well as a great selection of soft drinks including speciality teas and coffee.

## Wi-Fi at no extra cost

We were the first cruise line to introduce Starlink to help you keep in touch while you're away, and it won't cost you anything extra.

## All gratuities are included

Fantastic service is standard at HX and we'll never add discretionary charges onto your bill (though if you'd like to leave something extra, it's always appreciated).

## Full access to our Science Centre

Our interactive science programme is like nothing you'll find elsewhere — join our onboard scientists, hear from experts, and collect samples to study under our powerful microscopes.

## Spoil yourself in the sauna, hot tubs and more

Make some time to relax in your ship's onboard sauna<sup>†</sup> and hot tubs — they really make coming back from your day's adventure all the more rewarding.

## Professional photos from onboard photographers

Every expedition has an onboard photographer who'll capture stunning images from your voyage — sent to you as a beautiful digital album after you've returned home.

## Expedition gear and water bottle – yours to take home

You'll be given a polar expedition jacket, a backpack, or another piece of HX kit for the area you're exploring. And as the first cruise line to ban single use plastics, you'll receive a complimentary water bottle to refill on board.

# The Expedition Team — Your Companions in Adventure

Among your fellow explorers are the onboard Expedition Team. They're just as passionate about travel as you are, and they'll be your friendly expert guides on your journey of discovery.

Made up of skilled professionals and destination specialists, the Expedition Team love adventure and they have an intimate knowledge of the places we sail to. Whether they're guiding you through ancient ruins, across the Arctic tundra, or down cobbled alleys in historic cities, they'll make sure you get the best experience possible.

Some members of the team are scientists, and they'll engage you in lively talks covering subjects such as glaciology, ecology, geology and climate science. You can help them collect samples for analysis in the Science Centre, and join them as they launch underwater drones, pan for gold, lead wildlife watches out on deck, and much more.

The Expedition Team care deeply about the protection of the places to which we voyage. With a commitment to sustainability, they're trained to safeguard not only you but also the wildlife, fragile habitats and welfare of the local communities we visit.

Friendly, enthusiastic and natural storytellers, they love nothing more than sharing little-known facts and anecdotes. And if you catch them in the Explorer Lounge & Bar, they may even tell a funny story or two.





# Driven by Curiosity,<br/>Science and Discovery

With the most comprehensive science and learning programme of any expedition travel company, when you join an expedition with HX you'll be a part of something much bigger. With our Science & Education Program on board, you'll find international scientists and state-of-theart Science Centres — and you too can take part in our Citizen Science projects to aid important research and conservation.

Curiosity and learning are at the heart of everything we do. When we venture to some of the furthest corners of the planet we're driven by a sense of wonder, with an urge to understand life's complex web. That's why we offer the most extensive science and learning opportunities you'll find anywhere. And it's also why we invite scientists on board to conduct their important research work and share their passion for science.

We also invite you to help with exciting scientific research while you're on board, and this is where our supported Citizen Science projects come in. Whether you're photographing humpback whales for a global digital conservation database, logging species to help botanists using the iNaturalist app, or sending data to NASA to aid in the GLOBE Observer project, there's bound to be something that'll turn your trip into a scientific adventure.

On every ship we have a Science Centre, and it's here that the magic of onboard discovery happens. With high powered microscopes, large screens, lecture halls and libraries, you'll listen to fascinating lectures, analyse collected samples, and watch mind-expanding demos. You can also watch footage captured by our underwater drones as they explored the depths under and around the ship.\*

Scientists from leading global research institutions will be among the guests on board, and often they'll give engaging talks on specialist subjects that relate to your destination. These could be anything from the life cycles of dolphins to climate change, or the geological secrets behind electric batteries to how volcanoes form. You'll come back home from your expedition with a wealth of knowledge and a deeper understanding of the ecosystems you will visit with HX and the science of nature.

#### **HX Leads the Way in Onboard Science**

When it comes to protecting nature through scientific understanding, we believe we're all in the same boat. On our expeditions we bring together international researchers, dedicated science professionals and you – our valued Citizen Scientists. These are just a few of the highlights from 2023 we're proud to share.



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Citizen Science projects



1,887

Cruise nights donated to global scientific researchers



30+

Number of research projects we've supported

<sup>\*</sup>Science facilities may vary by ship.



#### Meet Some of the HX Science Squad

On an HX cruise you'll see science going on wherever you look. From Expedition Team members and guest lecturers to Citizen Scientists and field researchers — these are the kinds of enthusiastic and friendly people you're likely to meet.



#### Verena Meraldi HX Chief Scientist

Verena heads the HX Science & Education Program and brings together researchers from all over the world in partnerships and collaborations. Much of her work is hands-on in places like Antarctica, and she can often be found collecting samples for collaborators or giving talks unlocking the mysteries of nature. "Seeing people's faces light up when they discover something new is deeply satisfying. We explore things from different angles to really bring it alive. That's what people love — it's like we are awakening the child within."



### Thomas Hale

#### **Guest Lecturer**

Thomas, a geologist from the US, is undertaking a PhD at the University of Delaware and was invited on board to aid his research. A passionate advocate of everything to do with rocks, his focus is on the green energy transition and mineral mining. "Travelling to the Arctic is expensive and difficult for a researcher," he says. "HX gets me to places where I can engage with individuals and communities. Seeing people in my lectures experience those 'a-ha!' moments when I explain how geology works is what I love. You could say my job rocks!"



#### Diana, HX Guest

#### Citizen Scientist

Self-confessed 'science nerd' Diana, from England, came on her first expedition cruise in 2023. Since retiring as a maths teacher, she has been indulging her passion for learning. When on board she can often be found in the Science Centre and enjoys helping out with collecting plankton samples and contributing to Citizen Science projects. "Having studied the Greenland Ice Cap and how its melting is affecting ocean currents, I was keen to see the effects close-up. To be honest, I was surprised there was so much science on board — I love it."

# Going Further, Treading Lighter

In the most remote regions, we witness the fragility of our planet firsthand. Protecting it has never been more important.

When done right, travel can be a force for good. It can open minds, preserve vulnerable ecosystems and strengthen local communities. But the industry has work to do to achieve this. At HX, we believe we have both a duty and an opportunity to make a positive difference and inspire others to do so too.

We apply our pioneering spirit to our approach to sustainability, and our ambitions are bold. We want to reuse and recycle 100% of our waste by 2030, and aim to be emissions-free by 2050. Overall, our mission is to be the most sustainable expedition travel company in the world.

Our sustainability principles are infused throughout our operations, and we all share the same passion for protecting our extraordinary planet and the wonders it holds.

We believe the explorers of tomorrow should have the same unique experiences as our guests of today, so we make our adventures purposeful and mindful. As you explore with us, we tread lightly, we empower local communities, we share our knowledge, and we inspire change.





#### **Emissions**

We're investing heavily in reducing our emissions by introducing hybridpowered ships and investigating zero-emissions technology.



#### Nature

Using both science and advocacy, we strive to protect the oceans, landscapes and delicate ecosystems to which we venture.



### **Community**

We work with local communities, supporting them socially and adding value economically. This creates positive ripple effects even when we've left.



### People

Whether it's our employees, guests or the people we visit, we celebrate differences and aim to be the most inclusive travel company in the world.



# Pioneering Change: What We've Achieved So Far

Our mission is to be the world's most sustainable expedition company, and our list of achievements already goes back a long way. These are some of the pioneering moves we've made, and what we're doing to continue that legacy.

- We quit using heavy fuel oil back in 2009, and we still campaign for a worldwide ban.
- In 2018, we were the first to introduce a fleet-wide ban on non-essential single-use plastic.
- We launched the world's first hybrid-powered cruise ships.
- We're investigating zero-emissions ships and pushing environmentally friendly onboard technology.
- We established the HX Foundation in late 2015 to fund projects that create a positive impact on oceans, wildlife and local communities.
- In 2023, we introduced a 'Rapid Response Fund', allowing our onboard teams to allocate funds directly to projects when they encounter a community in need.
- We support communities by working with small-scale local suppliers wherever possible.

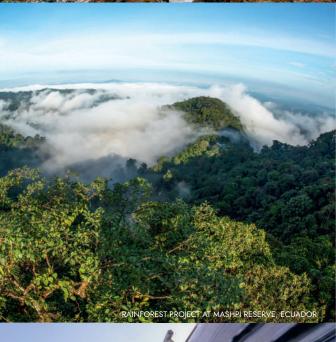
- We're reducing our food waste and increasing our spending with local food and beverage suppliers.
- We offer full menus of healthy and delicious plant-based dishes on board.
- We advocate for stricter visitor regulations in the fragile destinations we explore, and we're board members of AECO and IAATO, which work to protect the polar regions.
- We inspire our guests to be environmental ambassadors and to contribute to global research by participating in Citizen Science projects.
- We collaborate with various international scientific institutes and share vital data.
- We engage in voluntary beach clean-ups in many of the areas where we sail.
- We are fully transparent with our sustainability data and publish an annual ESG report.



ESG stands for Environmental, Social and Governance, and in 2023 Hurtigruten Group, which includes HX, was given the best ESG ranking of any cruise company by sustainability monitor Morningstar Sustainalytics.







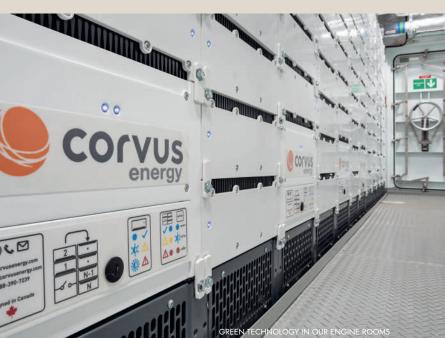
## **Travel Done Right**

When we talk about 'sustainability' what do we mean? At HX, we believe that when it's done right, travel can be a force for good. By keeping our environmental impact small, supporting local communities and ecosystems, and taking direct actions such as cleaning beaches of marine plastics, we have a positive impact wherever we sail.

Want to learn more?









# Giving Back to the Places We Explore

At HX we believe exploring the world opens our minds and inspires us in so many ways. But we also think the privilege of exploring comes with responsibility. Expedition cruising — done right — can have a positive impact on the places we visit, whether that's helping restore a marine ecosystem, protecting endangered animals, or lending support to a local community. In 2015, HX Foundation was set up to enable us to make that possible. Funded by our onboard Green Stay option, as well as charity auctions and donations from guests, HX Foundation supports projects and initiatives around the world that really make a difference.

Since HX Foundation was launched, we've donated more than 1 million euros and supported more than 150 projects in 23 different countries. We don't just donate and move on — we're actively engaged in every project, and we measure their impact. Each one aligns with our stated missions to help preserve endangered wildlife, battle marine litter, and support local communities wherever we sail. On the facing page are just three of the projects HX Foundation contributes to — if you'd like to learn more and see a full list of the projects we support, visit our website.



#### Whale Conservation Research in Antarctica

We're delighted to have teamed up with world-renowned conservationist Dr Ari Friedlaender of the University of California, providing financial backing for his research into the effects of climate change in Antarctica on humpback whales. But that's not all — we'll be hosting Dr Friedlaender on many of our Antarctic sailings to provide him with field work opportunities, giving you a front row view of how conservation research at sea works. What's more, you too can contribute to important cetacean research on board by joining the Happywhale Citizen Science project.

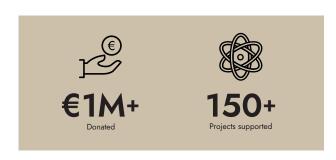


The world's largest island is a place of deep silence and pristine landscapes, with human settlements limited to its icy margins. In communities dotted along Greenland's west coast, volunteers from the Association of Greenlandic Children run the inspirational project *lkioqatigiinneq*, which means 'helping each other'. The positive impact their activities have on children in local communities throughout Greenland and the support the association provides them with is why we're proud to have been their partners since HX Foundation was established.



#### Showing Some Love for Svalbard's Shores

Remote, wild, beautiful ... there are so many reasons explorers love to visit Svalbard. To help keep it that way we are a backer of *Aktiv i Friluft*, which has removed over 10 tonnes of marine and plastic waste from the beaches and coasts of this Arctic archipelago. On one recent clean-up, the lives of three reindeer were saved as their antlers had become entangled with ghost fishing nets. If you join one of our Svalbard expeditions, you may also help with our beach cleans!







With HX, an onboard experience filled with relaxation, learning, camaraderie and a little indulgence is all part of the journey.

Life on board is relaxed and the atmosphere is calm and informal. The only dress code is that there isn't one. Your expedition ship is your home away from home, and it has everything you need to make the most of your time at sea. You can enjoy fine or fuss-free dining options, keep fit in the gym, chill out in the on-deck hot tubs and kick back in the spacious bar and lounge areas.

This laid-back atmosphere is reflected in the ship's effortless style. Top to bottom, bow to stern, you'll see fresh, modern interiors inspired by simple Scandinavian style, with added homely touches and original artworks here and there. We've made every effort to use natural materials like pine, slate and leather, imbuing your onboard environment with an earthy, elemental feel reminiscent of the places you'll be exploring.

What's more, our expedition ships are optimised for space, adventure and stability. They're far smaller than many cruise ships, meaning we can get to places that are truly off the beaten track. At the same time, they're big enough to give guests plenty of space and provide a stable experience for those times when the seas are not as calm as we'd like them to be. Not too big, not too small — you'll find your expedition ship is the perfect balance!

#### Socialise with Kindred Spirits

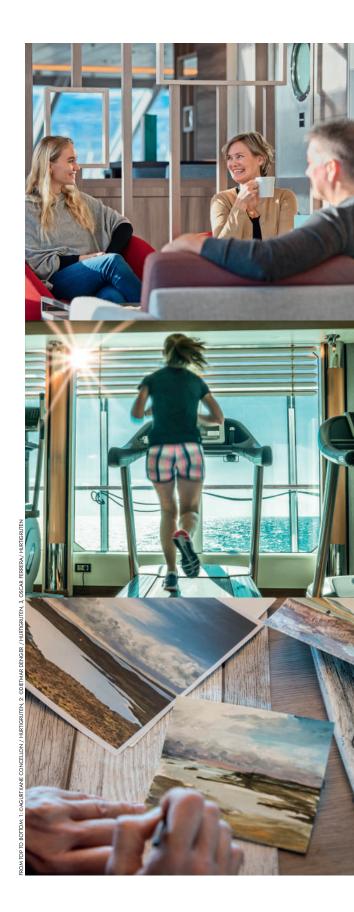
Enjoy swapping stories with your travel companions in the various bars, lounges and seating areas dotted around the ship. These generally have great views so that you don't miss a thing. Most evenings there's something going on in the Explorer Lounge & Bar or out on deck in warmer locations. This could be talks or storytelling, or something completely different. Pull up a few cosy armchairs, order drinks from the bar, and enjoy an evening of relaxation with your fellow explorers.

#### **Bringing the Outside Inside**

The public areas of your spacious and comfortable expedition ship, be it the restaurants, gym, lounge, bar or even sauna, keep you connected with the natural world. There are wide windows, many floor to ceiling, that blur the line between outside and inside — perfect for spotting whales over dinner or dolphins over cocktails. The open-plan setting bathes public areas in natural light and gives you an ever-changing gallery of passing scenery to lose yourself in.

#### **Indulge your Creative Spirit**

An expedition cruise with HX is the ideal time to learn fresh skills and try something new. Every voyage has a different programme of creative workshops, so you might find yourself learning to carve Viking runes, knitting with Icelandic wool, painting landscapes, or doing a crash course in Greenlandic. And with regular photography workshops — sometimes including image editing — you'll learn to get the best from your equipment, whether that's a top-end SLR camera or a humble mobile phone.



## **Dining Options**

In our stylish onboard restaurants we serve exceptional dishes to nourish body and soul. Leave your dinner jacket at home – this is fine dining without the fuss.

## Aune Expedition Dining

In Aune, you'll be set up for the day with a bountiful breakfast including continental fare and short-order cheffing; indulge in a generous hot and cold lunch buffet including delectable desserts; and in the evenings linger over a full waiter service dinner paired with selected wines.

## Fredheim The Dynamic Diner

From the open kitchen, Fredheim offers truly mouthwatering dishes throughout the day. Treat yourself to favourites that might include gournet burgers, lobster rolls, NY-style hot dogs and delicious plant-based fare, with classic milkshakes, pancakes and waffles to finish. This is casual dining at its best.

### Lindstrøm Classic à la Carte

In elegant Lindstrøm, you'll enjoy a premium menu featuring exceptionally presented dishes inspired by the regions we explore and prepared using locally sourced ingredients. Complement your gourmet meal with a recommendation from our extensive wine list.

### Beagle Gourmet Galápagos

MS Santa Cruz II's Beagle Restaurant serves cuisine fit for the modern explorer. A hearty breakfast buffet sets you up for the day's adventure, and you'll find a wide range of dishes made from local ingredients by local chefs, including evolved international fare, often with a South American twist.

Ship	Aune	Lindstrøm	Fredheim	Beagle
MS Roald Amundsen	Χ	Х	Х	
MS Fridtjof Nansen	Х	Х	Х	
MS Spitsbergen	Х*			
MS Fram	Х	Х		
MS Santa Cruz II				Х

Dining in restaurants Aune and Fredheim, or Beagle on MS Santa Cruz II, is included for all guests. For suite guests, dining in restaurant Lindstrøm is part of your package. Charges apply for cabin guests dining in Lindstrøm.

<sup>\*</sup>Evening buffet replaces waiter service.



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## A Day on Board

What will a typical day on your HX expedition cruise look like? It could be something like this ...

#### Early morning — fresh and rested

Nothing can beat the feeling of waking up after a relaxing night's sleep knowing you have a day of exciting experiences ahead of you. Perhaps you'll go out on deck and survey your new surroundings. As you breathe in the fresh morning air there could already be people doing morning exercises or yoga — maybe you'll be one of them. Breakfast is a real smorgasbord, with a fantastic spread of everything from fruit, yoghurt and smoothies to freshly baked breads and fried platters cooked right in front of you. As you sip a cup of refreshing coffee you might take a look at the onboard app and see what activities, talks and excursions are taking place today, both generally and specific to you.

#### After breakfast - your day of exploration begins

If you're going on an early excursion or landing you'll go down either to the expedition launch to board a small expedition boat, or simply head out on foot if the ship has docked. From here you'll likely be starting out on a hike or beach landing, or maybe you'll go on a guided walk. This could last for several hours, and perhaps you've picked up a packed lunch from the restaurant to bring along. If you decide to go aboard for lunch you can simply hop into one of the expedition boats as they shuttle back and forth. By lunchtime, on most ships, the drop-in Fredheim restaurant will also be open and serving an array of diner-style dishes including heavenly burgers and milkshakes.



#### Afternoon - excursions, lectures and workshops ... or just relax

Afternoons might involve more excursions and wildlife watching opportunities, as well as talks by the Expedition Team. Maybe you've opted to take part in a Citizen Science project and will head out collecting samples. Or perhaps you're attending a workshop to learn more about photography, art or weaving ... there's always something going on! Of course, you can have a lazy day if you like, spending it reading a book or getting some sun on deck. Or maybe you'd prefer to be more active, going out on a pre-booked kayaking trip. As ever, you set the pace.

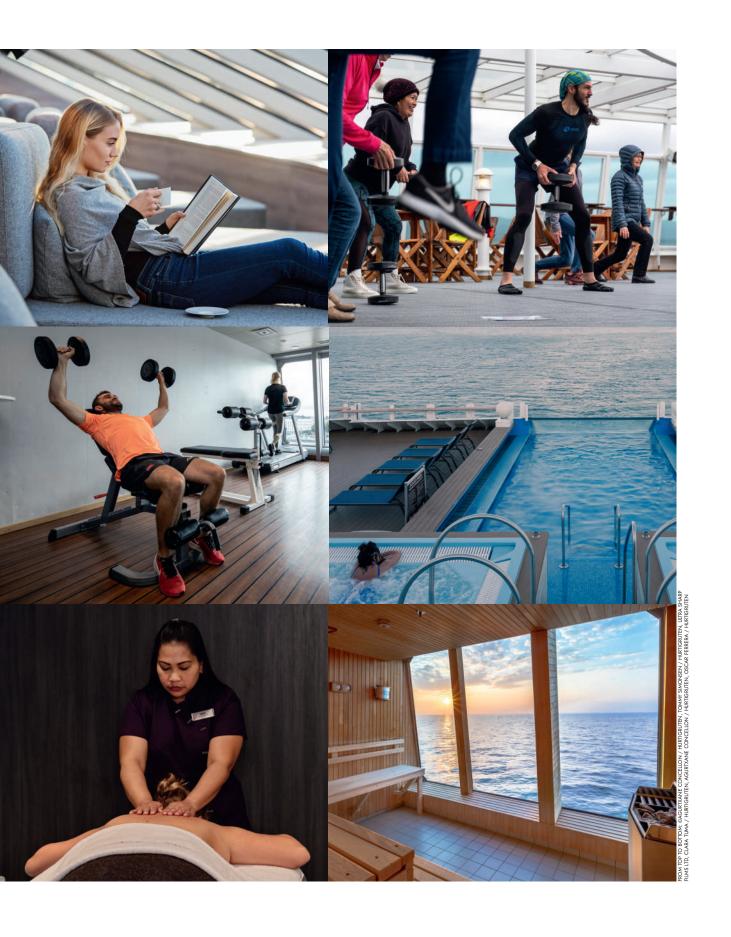
#### Evening - recap, restaurant, rewind ... repeat

In the early evening it's time for a recap of the day's adventures by the Expedition Team, and a briefing of what to expect tomorrow. If it's a designated expedition day, the team will present a range of possibilities based on the expected weather and conditions, and you'll then feel primed and prepared, knowing what to look forward to and which sights and wildlife to look out for. Then it's time to enjoy a table-service dinner in either Aune or — if you want to treat yourself to some next-level dining — Lindstrøm. Feeling more casual? Fredheim is your go-to option and enjoy a drink or two, they're included after all\*. Sometimes there may be a bit of entertainment, such as a talk or story.

And so ends another eventful day on board, as you drift off to sleep knowing that tomorrow will bring fresh experiences, opportunities and wonders.

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# **Keeping Body and Soul in Balance**

Whether you want to keep your energy flowing with a yoga session, work up a sweat as you exercise, or simply enjoy some peace and tranquillity in a calm space, HX expedition ships have everything you'll need to keep mind and body in balance at sea.

#### Stay Energised

You'll find a fitness room on all our expedition ships, meaning you can keep yourself in form while away. Along with exercise bikes, there are rowing machines, treadmills\* and free weights.

When travelling on MS Roald Amundsen or MS Fridtjof Nansen, you can enjoy the fresh sea air while getting your heart pumping in the outdoor gym. There's also a small, heated infinity pool, and if you want to get your steps in, look no further than the 150m outdoor circuit and enjoy the sublime feeling of running at sea.

Want to keep your chi flowing? On some of our voyages, there may be daily yoga classes with professional instructors to keep you energised.

#### Rejuvenate and Relax

After a day of hiking and exploration, take some time to unwind in the panoramic sauna\*, which offers floor-to-ceiling windows to gaze out of as the heat works its magic. Or you can soak away any stresses in the outdoor hot tubs and revel in the briny sea air. A meditation session, available on some voyages, will take you on an inner journey and leave you feeling at peace and refreshed.

For the ultimate indulgence, MS Roald Amundsen and MS Fridtjof Nansen have an onboard wellness and spa area, where skilled therapists offer a variety of tension-releasing treatments. Here you can infuse yourself with an aromatherapeutic scrub, savour a full-body massage, or pamper yourself with a special HX signature treatment. Whatever you choose, you'll feel truly revitalised after each visit.

#### Space to Be Yourself In

The laid-back atmosphere and spacious common areas on HX expedition ships means there are plenty of calm and peaceful spots to simply sit and enjoy the view or your surroundings. They're ideal for curling up with a good book and a hot drink or perhaps enjoying an intimate conversation with companions.

For something a little livelier, there's the ship's lounge and bar. With panoramic windows, comfortable seats and occasional evening talks and entertainment, there's no better place to enjoy a drink and a chat with kindred spirits.



# Treat Yourself to an Expedition Suite

With our Expedition Suites you can add some indulgence to your voyage. Spacious and with bed combinations for up to four people, these well-appointed and serviced apartments offer special features such as private balconies, expansive windows, and hot tubs. Complimentary fine dining in our Lindstrøm restaurant is part of the experience, and a take-away service means you can also enjoy dinner exclusively. Naturally, the accommodation includes a full range of premium facilities as well as a minibar, a daily turn-down service and laundry. There's a bottle of champagne on ice awaiting you when you board, as well as a special gift just for you.\*

\*Amenities vary by ship and suite grade. For full details, please see Our Ships section in this brochure.

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# An Untamed Wilderness Like Nowhere Else

The isolated and wild Arctic band stretching from Alaska to Greenland is a vast region of limitless beauty. From the spine-tingling scenery of Baffin Bay to the fabled Northwest Passage and beyond, this is the place where intrepid adventurers can share moments with the resilient peoples who have called these magical lands home for thousands of years.

From the deep blue fjords of Greenland, through the iceberg strewn waters of Baffin Bay and to the untamed wilderness of Arctic Canada and the Northwest Passage, you'll encounter nature in its myriad forms of ice, water and rock. Witness the lofty grandeur of the Torngat Mountains of Labrador, the shimmering otherworldliness of Greenland's Ilulisaat Icefjord and the resplendent colour of Arctic landscapes aflame with summer flowers.

For a unique adventure, join us as we attempt to thread our way through the icy labyrinth of the Northwest Passage, passing from one great ocean to another. Spanning almost 1,700 nautical miles from Baffin Island in the east to the Beaufort Sea in the west, traversing this fabled sea route is a journey like no other and it's only possible for a few weeks of the year. As we navigate our passage, we'll explore some of its innumerable islands and land at some of the historic places etched into the annals of travel literature.

The vast landscapes surrounding the Northwest Passage are some of the most beautiful and untouched places on Earth. We'll see an ever-changing maze of water channels between pristine panoramas and be welcomed into communities by peoples who have lived here since long before the first European explorers appeared. And as we sail through the frigid waters, we'll be on the lookout for polar bears hunting on the ice, Arctic foxes venturing across the tundra, and bowhead whales or narwhal breaking the surface of the water. This is what adventure is truly about.

Farther south, Canada's Newfoundland and Labrador have attracted the adventurous and the curious for centuries, and it's here that ancient cultures have met with more recent arrivals. The Norse explored these lands some five centuries before Christopher Columbus made his epic journey, yet they were by no means the last to arrive. Basque whalers, Moravian missionaries from central Europe and assorted daring explorers all left their mark on these arcadian shores. Now it's your turn to explore this magnificent region.



Learn more:







#### The Art of Ice

In the Northwest Passage, marvel at the breathtaking vistas of ice-clad mountains rising above the tundra, and seascapes of blue water peppered with delicately hued icebergs. In Greenland and around Baffin Bay, you'll discover monumental glaciers and fjords of unimaginable beauty, such as the UNESCO-listed Ilulissat Icefjord. To hear the delicate tinkling sound of glacial ice, and to see the shimmering sparkle of icebergs in the sun is something that you'll never forget.

#### **Polar Bear Territory**

Some 60 percent of the world's polar bears live in the Canadian Arctic — making your chances of spotting this impressive apex predator a distinct possibility. As we sail, you can also look out for whale species, such as minke, bowhead, beluga, and the unicorn-like narwhal. On land, scan for caribou and Arctic foxes, while in the sky you might spot birdlife like kittiwakes, auklets, and the elusive Ivory Gull.

#### Ways of Life, Old and New

Exploring this remote region means you'll encounter remnants of its long history, from traces of the ancient settlements of Vikings and missionaries to the remains of infamous exploration attempts like the doomed Franklin expedition. You'll be welcomed into dynamic Inuit communities as well as modern towns, giving you an insight into some of the unique cultures and ways of life in and around the Arctic.

# Our Northwest Passage and Arctic Canada Expeditions

Join us on an adventure around Baffin Bay from the fjords of Greenland to the wilderness of Arctic Canada or follow legendary routes in attempt to transit the labyrinth of the Northwest Passage.

## Northwest Passage – Across the Top of the World (Alaska to Greenland)\*

26 Days

MS Roald Amundsen

Departure: 8 Aug 2025

Starting in Alaska, we'll sail eastwards through the spectacular Northwest Passage, emerging into Baffin Bay and crossing over to awe-inspiring Greenland. Along the way we'll visit four different traditional Inuit regions and see UNESCO-listed sites, spectacular scenery and abundant wildlife on this epic adventure.

TOUR CODE: AMNWP2508

Outside Cabin from £19,319pp Arctic Superior from £21,158pp Suite from £26,340pp













# The Northwest Passage – Through the Arctic Labyrinth\*

26 Days MS Fridtjof Nansen

Departure: 16 Aug 2025

Experience awe-inspiring Greenland and attempt to sail through the fabled Northwest Passage towards Alaska as you follow in the footsteps of legendary explorers. Discover four different traditional Inuit regions, UNESCO-listed sites, spectacular scenery and abundant wildlife — guided by your expert Expedition Team.

TOUR CODE: FNNWP2509

Outside Cabin from £20,058pp Arctic Superior from £21,978pp Suite from £27,389pp



\*Our Attempts are voyages where we challenge the elements in true expedition style. As we explore these remote and captivating areas in a safe way, our adventure will ultimately be guided by nature. If weather, sea or ice conditions do not allow our planned navigation, our experienced crew will deliver an adapted itinerary. Flexibility and our deep knowledge of the area combine to give you an amazing exploration experience.

# Arctic Canada and Greenland Expedition – Circumnavigating Baffin Bay\*

21 Days MS Roald Amundsen

Departure: 31 Aug 2025

Enjoy the best of the western Arctic as you circumnavigate the waters of Baffin Bay, exploring Baffin Island, Devon Island, Northwest Greenland and Disko Bay. Visit remote settlements learning about life in the Far North, and discover incredible landscapes and Arctic wildlife.

TOUR CODE: AMCAN2509

Outside Cabin from £13,649pp Arctic Superior from £14,929pp Suite from £18,535pp









# Greenland, Labrador and Newfoundland – Encounters at the Edge

18 Days

MS Roald Amundsen

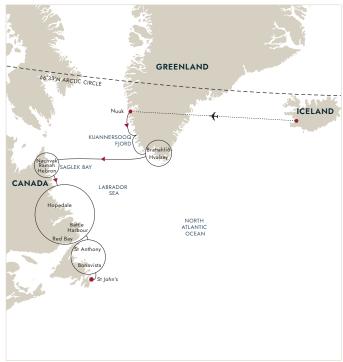
Departure: 18 Sept 2025

Set out from Nuuk and sail the west coast of Greenland before traversing the Labrador Sea and exploring Newfoundland and sub-Arctic Canada. Witness the immense Torngat Mountains and delve into the history of settlers as diverse as the Norse, the Inuit and the Basques at this crossroads of cultures.

TOUR CODE: AMCAN2510

Outside Cabin from £10,886pp Arctic Superior from £11,972pp Suite from £15,034pp





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# Northwest Passage – Across the Top of the World (Alaska to Greenland)

AMNWP2508

Seattle – Reykjavík		From £19,319pp
TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
08.08.2025	02.09.2025	MS Roald Amundsen

# Arctic Canada and Greenland Expedition – Circumnavigating Baffin Bay

AMCAN2509

Reykjavík — Reykjavík		javik	From £13,049pp	
	TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP	
	31.08.2025	20.09.2025	MS Roald Amundsen	

# Northwest Passage – Through the Arctic Labyrinth (Greenland to Alaska)

FNNWP2509

Reykjavík — Sea	ittle	From £20,058pp
TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
16.08.2025	10.09.2025	MS Fridtiof Nansen

# Greenland, Labrador and Newfoundland – Encounters at the Edge

AMCAN2510

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TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
18.09.2025	05.10.2025	MS Roald Amundsen









# Two Big Destinations — One Massive Adventure

The word 'epic' barely does justice to the immensity of Alaska and British Columbia. These two destinations may be parts of different countries, but nature has no borders and together they comprise a seamless ecosystem that is wild, remote and – yes – epic.

To be exposed to The Great Land, as Alaska is sometimes called, is to witness the world on a macro scale. It's a world where many people still live in harmony with its rhythms, honour its wisdom and celebrate their living heritage. Its sheer scale will take your breath away. Here, unparalleled tranquillity is juxtaposed with towering grandeur. Wide glaciers push out icebergs into the Pacific Ocean against a backdrop of lush pine forests, cascading waterfalls and regal snowcapped mountains. And the national parks — well, some are larger than entire nations.

Canada's British Columbia — often shortened to BC — is just as grand, but in a subtly different way. The Inside Passage is the perfect destination for exploration. Studded with islands, this network of channels runs the entire length of Canada's Pacific coastline, and our expedition ships are the perfect size for exploring some of the more hard-to-reach and lesser-visited parts.

The wildlife in Alaska and BC is scaled up compared to most places. Bears as big as horses fish for salmon in fast-flowing rivers, moose with antlers wider than small cars stalk the dark forests, sleek orcas grace the icy, blue waters, as do leviathan-like fin and humpback whales. From your expedition ship and while walking on land you might spot otters, Sitka black-tailed deer and even wolves, all the while keeping a lookout for the iconic Bald Eagle.

In Alaska you'll discover a fascinating and extraordinary history. See Gold Rush—era villages, domed churches built by Russian settlers, imposing totem poles hand-carved by Native Alaskans, and witness the continuing creativity of those working to preserve this heritage. All this and more is brought to life during talks and workshops with our onboard specialists on the Expedition Team. Alaska and BC — two big destinations rolled into one massive adventure.



Learn more:







#### **Rich Cultures**

The native peoples of Alaska treasure their long history and ancient culture. Communities share a great deal of common heritage while retaining many unique traditions and 20 distinct languages. Guided by your Expedition Team — and always with the utmost respect — you'll have the opportunity to meet residents from communities like the Aleut, Haida and Tlingit, and learn about their culture and spiritual traditions, as well as crafts like woodcarving, needlework and jewellerymaking.

#### **Living Waters**

From the deck of your expedition ship, you'll be perfectly placed to observe some of the planet's most majestic marine mammals. Observing from on board or paddling the crystal-clear waters by kayak, you'll be watching out for several species of whales as well as dolphins, porpoises and even pods of orcas. These pristine coastal habitats are also home to over 500 species of bird, including huge albatrosses and comical puffins, as well as rarer finds such as the Kittlitz's Murrelet and the state bird of Alaska, the Willow Ptarmigan.

#### Iconic Wildlife on Land

Whenever conditions allow and it's safe to do so, we'll make our way to the shore to see some of the region's most iconic inhabitants. Bears — whether brown or black — are numerous in Alaska. So-called grizzly bears are simply brown bears that range in the interior and are often smaller than their coastal cousins. The Alaskan moose, standing around seven feet tall at the shoulder, is known as the 'giant moose' for good reason. At night, if we're close enough, hear the wolves howl in the forests.

# Our Alaska and British Columbia Expeditions

Our expedition cruises reveal the wild nature and vibrant cultures of Alaska and Canada's British Columbia. You'll encounter isolated islands where wildlife roams free, towns with extraordinary history, and Indigenous communities in which unique traditions live on.



# Alaska and British Columbia – Wilderness, Glaciers and Culture (Northbound)

14 Days

**MS Roald Amundsen** 

Departures: 4 & 28 May 2025

Journeying north from Vancouver to Seward and onto Anchorage, on this expedition cruise, you'll discover Alaska's captivating fjords, Gold Rush—era history, and rich culture. You'll experience rugged wilderness, the glaciers of Icy Bay and College Fjord, and authentic fishing towns such as Sitka and Cordova.

**TOUR CODE: AMALA2503** 

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Outside Cabin from £5,588pp Arctic Superior from £6,160pp Suite from £8,709pp







# Alaska and British Columbia -Wilderness, Glaciers and Culture (Southbound)

14 Days

MS Roald Amundsen

Departures: 16 May, 9 Jun 2025

Starting in Anchorage and cruising south from Seward to Vancouver, you'll experience the historic towns, vibrant culture and vast wilderness of Alaska on this expedition cruise. You'll discover wild landscapes and awe-inspiring fjords, scanning for humpback whales, Bald Eagles and bears along the way.

**TOUR CODE: AMALA2504** 

Outside Cabin from £5,581pp Arctic Superior from £6,144pp Suite from £8,652pp







# Alaska and British Columbia – Inside Passage, Bears and Aleutian Islands (Northbound)

19 Days

MS Roald Amundsen

Departures: 21 Jun, 23 Jul 2025

On this expedition cruise northbound from Vancouver to Nome, you'll explore Alaska's rugged coastline and the remote Aleutian Islands. You'll look out for bears in Katmai National Park and on Kodiak Island, and explore the remote, wild islands of St Paul and St Matthew.

TOUR CODE: AMALA2505

Outside Cabin from £9,285pp Arctic Superior from £10,062pp Suite from £13,521pp LEARN MORE:









# Alaska and British Columbia – Inside Passage, Bears and Aleutian Islands (Southbound)

18 Days

MS Roald Amundsen / MS Fridtjof Nansen

Departures:

RA: 7 Jul 2025 / FN: 8 Sep 2025

Experience Alaska's wild nature and rich culture as you cruise southbound from Nome to Vancouver, exploring the remote Aleutian Islands and towns of the Inside Passage. You'll discover the isolated islands of St Paul and St Matthew, and scout for bears on Kodiak Island and in Katmai National Park.

TOUR CODE: AMALA2506 / FNALA2510

Outside Cabin from £7,941pp Arctic Superior from £8,616pp Suite from £11,623pp





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# Alaska and British Columbia – Wilderness, Glaciers and Culture (Northbound)

AMALA2503

Vancouver — Sev	vard	From £3,388pp
TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
04.05.2025	17.05.2025	MS Roald Amundsen
28.05.2025	10.06.2025	MS Roald Amundsen

#### Alaska and British Columbia — Inside Passage, Bears and Aleutian Islands (Northbound)

AMALA2505

Vancouver — Seattle		attle	From £9,285pp
	TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
	21.06.2025	09.07.2025	MS Roald Amundsen
	23.07.2025	10.08.2025	MS Roald Amundsen

# Alaska and British Columbia – Wilderness, Glaciers and Culture (Southbound)

AMALA2504

Anchorage — Vancouver		ncouver	From £5,581pp
	TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
	16.05.2025	29.05.2025	MS Roald Amundsen
	09.06.2025	22.06.2025	MS Roald Amundsen

#### Alaska and British Columbia – Inside Passage, Bears and Aleutian Islands (Southbound)

AMALA2506 / FNALA2510

Seattle — Vancouver		From £7,941pp	
TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP	
07.07.2025	24.07.2025	MS Roald Amundsen	
08.09.2025	25.09.2025	MS Fridtjof Nansen	









# Adventures in the Crucible of Evolution

An expedition cruise in the Galápagos Islands will change the way you view the natural world forever. You'll discover firsthand just why Darwin was inspired to develop his theory of evolution by natural selection here. In fact, this vast archipelago of volcanic isles plays host to a world beyond imagining, and with its famously tame wildlife it's a delight for any nature lover.

Left to evolve in the midst of the Pacific Ocean for millions of years, some of the world's most enigmatic wildlife now thrives here. Besides the iconic Galápagos giant tortoise are the other members of what's known as the 'Big 15'. These include the playful Galápagos sea lion, the tropical Galápagos Penguin, Boobies both Blue- and Red-footed, and the unique marine iguana — the only lizard species at home in the sea.

A culmination of 70 years of experience in the region, our expeditions to the Galápagos allow you to experience the best of the islands and witness a diverse range of habitats and climatic conditions. You'll explore the best of the islands and witness a diverse range of habitats and climatic conditions. Discover towering cacti and scaly iguanas in rocky, arid landscapes one day, and revel in lush tropical foliage and white sandy beaches the next. At conservation projects, including a hatchery for baby tortoises, you'll see the efforts being made to conserve these unique isles.

Your Expedition Team is comprised of locally hired Galápagos experts. They'll be your guides as you explore the archipelago, leading you on shore landings and nature walks, and sharing their knowledge of the key places to observe and interact respectfully with the wildlife.



Learn more:







#### Take to the Waters

Crystal clear waters surround the islands, and your expedition ship has everything you'll need to enjoy kayaking and paddleboarding. Small-boat cruising is the ideal way to explore, and from our glass-bottomed vessel you can observe marine life from above.

Don a mask and snorkel, and dive in to find yourself immersed in an aquatic world of brightly coloured fish, placid turtles and diving marine iguanas — and perhaps see curious sea lions turning graceful underwater somersaults.

#### In the Footsteps of Darwin

At the Charles Darwin Research Station, more than a hundred scientists, educators and volunteers from all over the world work tirelessly to conserve Galápagos wildlife. You'll see baby tortoises being reared in incubation pens, extensive natural history collections and local photography exhibits. In the San Cristóbal highlands, La Galapaguera is a forest reserve that's also a breeding centre for giant tortoises, and it's easy to see these gentle giants in their natural habitat here.

#### A Deeper Understanding

The Galápagos Islands are the global epicentre for studying of evolutionary biology, and scientists have amassed a huge body of research and insight.

On your voyage, in-depth lectures are offered by the carefully selected local specialists who make up the Expedition Team, who have years of experience and knowledge about the history, wildlife and conservation of the islands. The subject of each lecture is chosen to complement each stage of your expedition.

# Our Galápagos Expeditions

With our range of Galápagos expedition cruises, you can visit different combinations of the main islands depending on your available time. With such a diversity between them, this is a great way to see the varied wildlife — plus, our land and sea adventures also include a trip to Peru's iconic Machu Picchu.

## Galápagos Islands – In Darwin's Footsteps (Eastern Route)

#### 9 Days (7 in Galápagos) MS Santa Cruz II

26 Mar, 7 & 21 May, 4 & 18 Jun, 2, 16 & 30 Jul, 13 & 27 Aug, 10 & 24 Sep, 8 & 22 Oct, 5 & 19 Nov, 3, 17 & 31 Dec 2025; 14 & 28 Jan, 11 & 25 Feb, 11 & 25 Mar 2026

Embark on a journey of ecological discovery as we travel in Charles Darwin's footsteps. You'll spend two nights in Quito, one of South America's most charming cities, before beginning a seven-day Galápagos expedition cruise taking in the islands of San Cristóbal, Sante Fe, Santa Cruz and Española.

TOUR CODE: SCGAL2526EEU

Explorer Horizon from £6,800pp Explorer Expedition from £7,191pp Explorer Panorama from £7,582pp Darwin Suite from £9,257pp LEARN MORE:









# Galápagos Islands – Nine of the Best Isles (Western and Northern Route)

11 Days (9 in Galápagos) MS Santa Cruz II

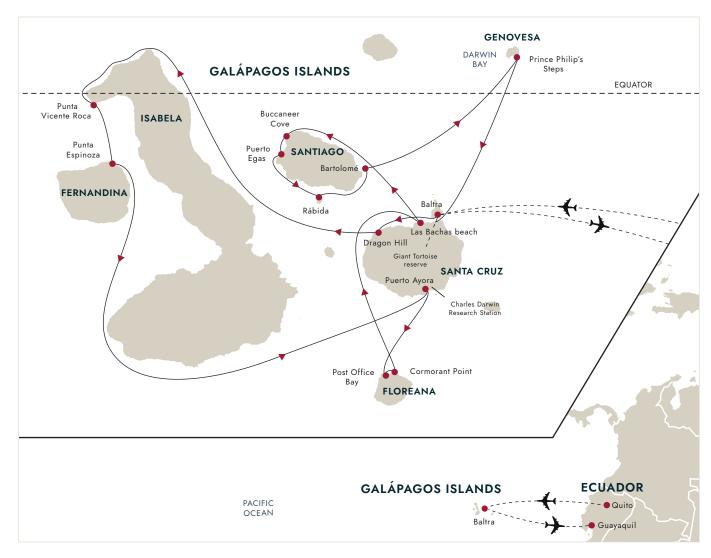
1 Apr, 13 & 27 May, 10 & 24 Jun, 8 & 22 Jul, 5 & 19 Aug, 2, 16 & 30 Sep, 14 & 28 Oct, 11 & 25 Nov, 9 & 23 Dec 2025; 6 & 20 Jan, 3 & 17 Feb, 3 & 17 Mar 2026 Visit nine of the most alluring islands on this adventure starting in Quito. See unique wildlife from giant tortoises to marine iguanas as you spend nine days in the Galápagos, exploring the islands of Baltra, Santa Cruz, Isabela, Fernandina, Floreana, Santiago, Rábida, Bartolomé and Genovesa.

TOUR CODE: SCGAL2526WNEU

LEARN MORE:

Explorer Horizon from £8,370pp Explorer Expedition from £8,871pp Explorer Panorama from £9,372pp Darwin Suite from £11,519pp







### Galápagos Islands – In Darwin's Footsteps Plus Machu Picchu

13 Days (7 in Galápagos)

MS Santa Cruz II

22 Mar, 3, 17 & 31 May, 14 & 28 Jun, 12 & 26 Jul, 9 & 23 Aug, 6 & 20 Sep, 4 & 18 Oct, 1, 15 & 29 Nov, 13 & 27 Dec 2025; 10 & 24 Jan, 7 & 21 Feb, 7 & 21 Mar 2026

On this 13-day land and sea adventure, you'll visit the Lost City of the Incas, Machu Picchu, and spend seven days cruising the eastern route of the UNESCO-protected Galápagos Islands. Experience cultural and architectural wonders, and follow in the footsteps of Charles Darwin on a journey of ecological discovery.

TOUR CODE: SCGAL2526EMACEU

Explorer Horizon from £9,068pp Explorer Expedition from £9,459pp

Explorer Expedition from £9,439pp
Explorer Panorama from £9,850pp
Darwin Suite from £11,525pp

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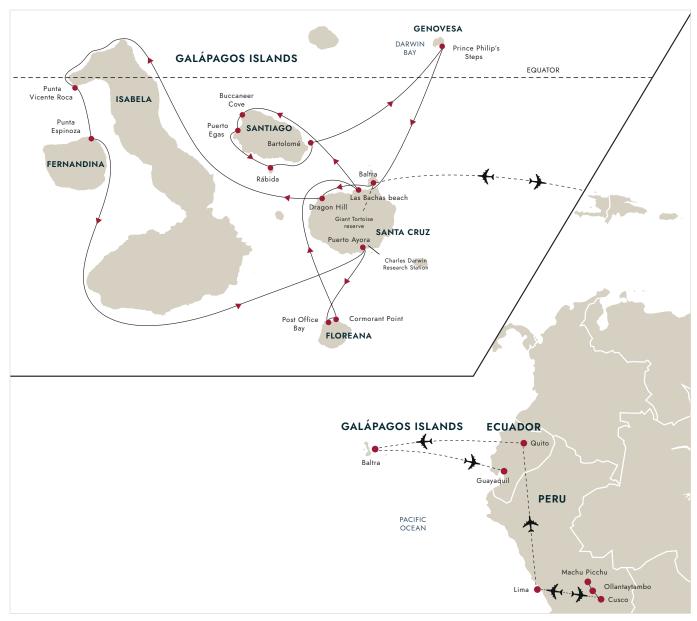
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### Galápagos Islands – Nine of the Best Isles Plus Machu Picchu

15 Days (9 in Galápagos)

#### MS Santa Cruz II

28 Mar, 9 & 23 May, 6 & 20 Jun, 4 & 18 Jul, 1, 15 & 29 Aug, 12 & 26 Sep, 10 & 24 Oct, 7 & 21, Nov, 5 & 19 Dec 2025; 2, 16 & 30 Jan, 13 & 27 Feb, 13 Mar 2026

Our ultimate Galápagos adventure. Visit Quito, Peru's Cusco and Machu Picchu, and nine diverse islands on this 15-day land and sea combo. You'll travel to the ancient heart of the Inca empire, before spending nine unforgettable days cruising the western and northern islands of Baltra, Santa Cruz, Isabela, Fernandina, Floreana, Santiago, Rábida, Bartolomé and Genovesa.

TOUR CODE: SCGAL2526WNMACEU

Explorer Horizon from £10,638pp Explorer Expedition from £11,139pp Explorer Panorama from £11,640pp Darwin Suite from £13,787pp





# **Choose Your Voyage**

#### Galápagos Islands – In Darwin's Footsteps (Northern Route)

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From £6,800pp

#### Quito - Guayaquil **TOUR START TOUR END** MS Santa Cruz II 26.03.2025 03.04.2025 MS Santa Cruz II 07.05.2025 15.05.2025 21.05.2025 MS Santa Cruz II 29.05.2025 04.06.2025 12.06.2025 MS Santa Cruz II 18.06.2025 26.06.2025 MS Santa Cruz II MS Santa Cruz II 02.07.2025 10.07.2025 MS Santa Cruz II 16.07.2025 24.07.2025 30.07.2025 07.08.2025 MS Santa Cruz II MS Santa Cruz II 13.08.2025 21.08.2025 27.08.2025 04.09.2025 MS Santa Cruz II MS Santa Cruz II 10.09.2025 18.09.2025 24.09.2025 02.10.2025 MS Santa Cruz II MS Santa Cruz II 08.10.2025 16.10.2025 22.10.2025 30.10.2025 MS Santa Cruz II 05.11.2025 13.11.2025 MS Santa Cruz II MS Santa Cruz II 19.11.2025 27.11.2025 MS Santa Cruz II 03.12.2025 11.12.2025 17.12.2025 25.12.2025 MS Santa Cruz II MS Santa Cruz II 31.12.2025 08.01.2026 MS Santa Cruz II 14.01.2026 22.01.2026 28.01.2026 MS Santa Cruz II 05.02.2026 MS Santa Cruz II 11.02.2026 19.02.2026 25.02.2026 MS Santa Cruz II 05.03.2026 11.03.2026 19.03.2026 MS Santa Cruz II 25.03.2026 02.04.2026 MS Santa Cruz II

#### Galápagos Islands – Nine of the Best Isles (Western and Northern Route)

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Quito — Guayaquil		From £8,370pp
TOUR START	TOUR END	SHIP
01.04.2025	11.04.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
13.05.2025	23.05.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
27.05.2025	06.06.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
10.06.2025	20.06.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
24.06.2025	04.07.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
08.07.2025	18.07.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
22.07.2025	01.08.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
05.08.2025	15.08.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
19.08.2025	29.08.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
02.09.2025	12.09.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
16.09.2025	26.09.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
30.09.2025	10.10.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
14.10.2025	24.10.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
28.10.2025	07.11.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
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23.12.2025	02.01.2026	MS Santa Cruz II
06.01.2026	16.01.2026	MS Santa Cruz II
20.01.2026	30.01.2026	MS Santa Cruz II
03.02.2026	13.02.2026	MS Santa Cruz II
17.02.2026	27.02.2026	MS Santa Cruz II
03.03.2026	13.03.2026	MS Santa Cruz II
17.03.2026	27.03.2026	MS Santa Cruz II

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12.07.2025	24.07.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
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23.08.2025	04.09.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
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04.10.2025	16.10.2025	MS Santa Cruz II
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From Chile's majestic fjords to the steamy tropics of Costa Rica, our voyages in South and Central America will help you discover a region rich in culture, wildlife and panoramic landscapes. Sailing along the Pacific coastline, you'll be awestruck by the sheer variety and immense beauty of this part of the world.

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At HX, we explore the best of Central and South America's Pacific coastline. Choose from voyages taking in Patagonia, the fjords and Cape Horn, or action-packed adventures through wonderfully diverse countries from Chile all the way to Costa Rica or Panama.



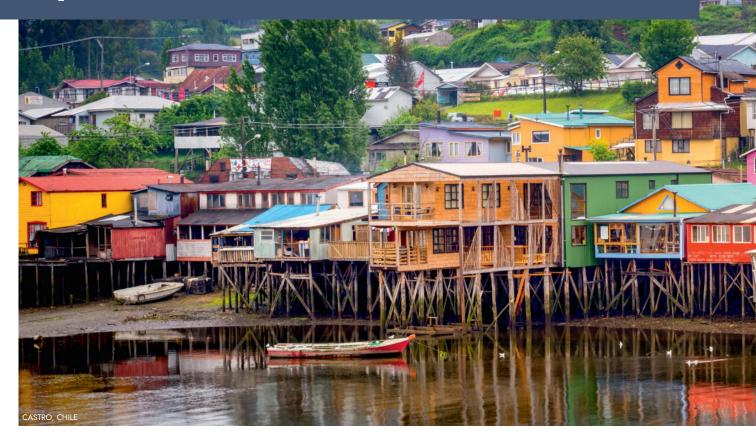
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4 Apr 2025

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TOUR CODE: AMSOU2501

Outside Cabin from £5,535pp Arctic Superior from £6,144pp Suite from £7,859pp









# Pacific Latin America — Diverse Landscapes and Cultures

**15 Days MS Fram**6 Apr 2025

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Taking in four Latin American countries, on this voyage you'll experience vibrant cities, the remains of ancient civilizations, and stunning scenery. Travelling from Chile to Panama via Peru and Ecuador, you'll be going from hyper-arid deserts to lush tropical rainforests.

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## Chilean Fjords — Discovering the Heart of Patagonia

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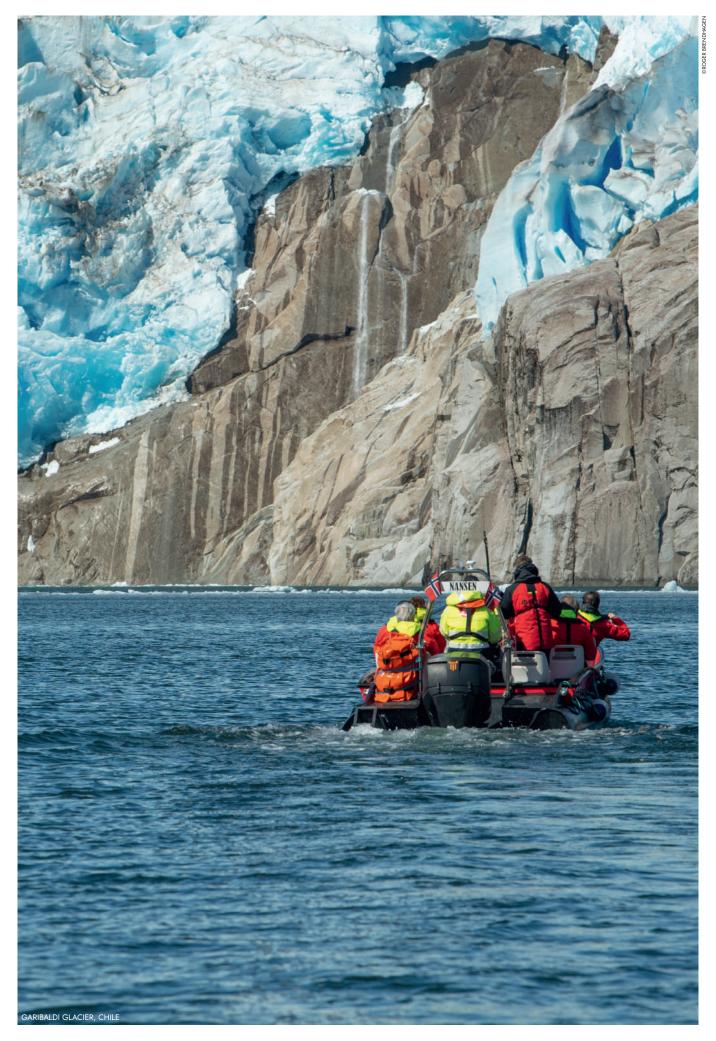
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Outside Cabin from £6,404pp Arctic Superior from £7,049pp Suite from £8,865pp









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# MS Roald Amundsen

MS Roald Amundsen is our green pioneer. When it was launched, this was the world's first hybrid-powered expedition ship.

Named after the first man to navigate the Northwest Passage and reach the South Pole, MS Roald Amundsen is powered by hybrid engines and features a cutting-edge hull design. A perfect synthesis of high-technology, spacious comfort and Scandinavian-inspired interiors, the ship is specially constructed for voyages in polar waters.

- · 530 maximum guest capacity
- · 50% of cabins have private balconies
- · Three different restaurants
- · Science Centre
- · Observation decks
- · Explorer Lounge & Bar
- · Infinity pool
- · Two hot tubs
- · Panoramic sauna
- $^{\boldsymbol{\cdot}}$  Indoor and outdoor gym
- $^{\boldsymbol{\cdot}}$  Wellness area and spa
- · Expedition boats







## **MS Roald Amundsen**

The world's first hybrid-powered expedition ship, MS Roald Amundsen, is a masterpiece of design. Public areas and cabins are comfortable and stylish, making generous use of natural materials such as granite, oak, birch and wool. The ship has both indoor and outdoor exercise facilities, a 150-metre outdoor running track, an infinity pool and a dedicated wellness area. Enjoy delicious food from the three restaurants, relax in the Explorer Lounge & Bar, and follow lectures in the Science Centre.





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SHIP YARD: Kleven Verft (N) FLAG: Norway

YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION: 2019 GROSS TONNAGE: 20,889 t

**CABINS**: 265

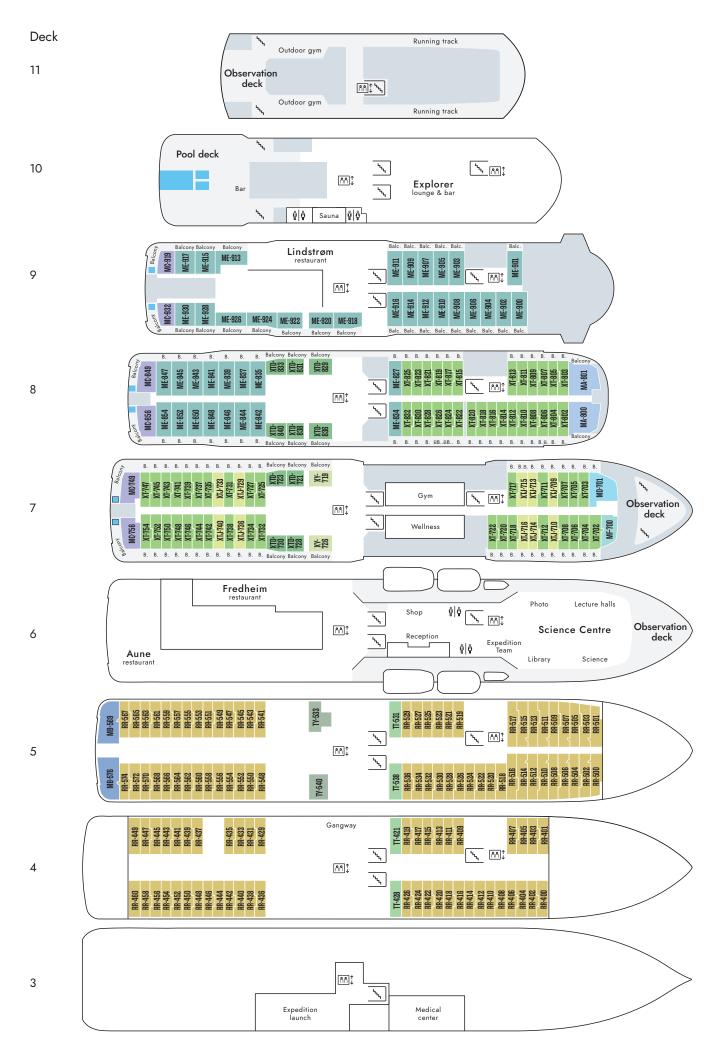
OVERALL LENGTH: 140 m

BEAM: 23.6 m SERVICE SPEED: 15 knots

Your comfortable expedition ship has a range of cabin categories to choose from. All have private bathrooms with a shower, a bathrobe, toiletries, a TV, a safe, a minibar (charges may apply), European two-pin plug sockets, and tea- and coffee-making facilities.

C.	ATEGO	RY	DECK	SIZE (m²)	DESCRIPTION
	MA	XL Suite	8	46-48	Extra-large corner suite with private balcony, large windows, double bed (optional twin)*, sofa bed, single-serve coffee machine.
	МВ	XL Suite	5	44	Extra-large corner suite with large windows, bathtub, double bed (optional twin)*, double Murphy bed, seating area, single-serve coffee machine.
EXPEDITION SUITES	мс	Corner Suite	7, 8, 9	20-30	Corner suite with private balcony, hot tub, double bed (optional twin)*, seating area, single-serve coffee machine.
301123	MD	L Suite	7	35	Large wheelchair-accessible corner suite with private balcony, large windows, bathtub, double bed (optional twin)*, double Murphy bed, seating area, single-serve coffee machine.
	ME	Suite	8, 9	22-28	Suite with private balcony, double bed (optional twin)*, with sofa bed or seating area, single-serve coffee machine.
	MF	Suite	7	22	Corner suite with large windows, double bed (optional twin)*, seating area, chaise lounge, single-serve coffee machine.
	хт	Outside cabin	7, 8	18	Cabin with balcony, double bed (optional twin)*, with sofa bed or seating area.
	XTD	Outside cabin	7, 8	15-19	Cabin with balcony, double bed.
ARCTIC	хтј	Outside cabin	7	18	Cabin with balcony, double bed (optional twin)*, some with sofa bed. Limited view.
SUPERIOR	XY	Outside cabin	7	19	Wheelchair-accessible cabin with balcony, double bed.
	тт	Outside cabin	4, 5	27	Large cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, some with sofa bed.
	TY	Outside cabin	5	24-26	Large wheelchair-accessible cabin with double bed (optional twin)*.
POLAR OUTSIDE	RR	Outside cabin	4, 5	19-23	Cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, some with sofa bed.

<sup>\*</sup>These cabins have double beds as standard. To order twin beds, please notify us at the time of booking. Cabins MD-701, XY-719, XY-726, TY-533 and TY-540 are wheelchair accessible. These cabins may also be available for general booking All information is subject to change.



# MS Fridtjof Nansen

A near identical twin to MS Roald Amundsen, MS Fridtjof Nansen is also a next-generation expedition ship with state-of-the-art hybrid-powered engines.

Named after the famed Norwegian explorer, humanitarian and scientist, MS Fridtjof Nansen is powered by hybrid engines and features a cutting-edge hull design. A perfect synthesis of high-technology, spacious comfort and Scandinavian-inspired interiors, the ship is specially constructed for voyages in polar waters.

- · 530 maximum guest capacity
- · 50% of cabins have private balconies
- · Three different restaurants
- · Science Centre
- · Observation decks
- · Explorer Lounge & Bar
- · Infinity pool
- · Two hot tubs
- · Panoramic sauna
- · Indoor and outdoor gym
- $^{\boldsymbol{\cdot}}$  Wellness area and spa
- · Expedition boats







# **MS Fridtjof Nansen**

The sister ship of MS Roald Amundsen, the world's first hybrid-powered expedition ship, MS Fridtjof Nansen, is a similar masterpiece of modern design. Public areas and cabins are comfortable and stylish, making generous use of natural materials such as granite, oak, birch and wool. The ship has both indoor and outdoor gyms, a 150-metre outdoor running track, an infinity pool and a dedicated wellness area. Enjoy delicious food from the three restaurants, relax in the Explorer Lounge & Bar, and follow lectures in the Science Centre.





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11	71.	Running track		
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3	1	Medical centre		
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SHIP YARD: Kleven Verft (N)

FLAG: Norway

YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION: 2020 GROSS TONNAGE: 20,889 †

CABINS: 265

OVERALL LENGTH: 140 m

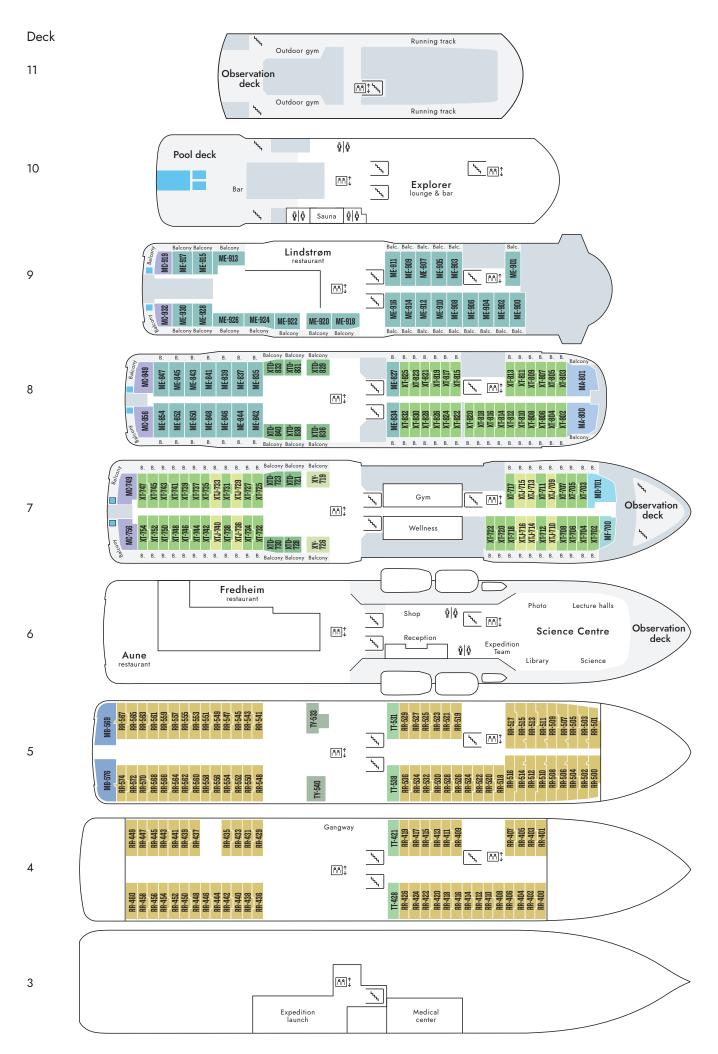
BEAM: 23.6 m SERVICE SPEED: 15 knots

Your comfortable expedition ship has a range of cabin categories to choose from. All have private bathrooms with a shower, a bathrobe, toiletries, a TV, a safe, a minibar (charges may apply), European two-pin plug sockets, and tea- and coffee-making facilities.

C	ATEGO	RY	DECK	SIZE (m²)	DESCRIPTION
	MA	XL Suite	8	46-48	Extra-large corner suite with private balcony, large windows, double bed (optional twin)*, sofa bed, single-serve coffee machine.
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EXPEDITION SUITES	мс	Corner Suite	7, 8, 9	20-30	Corner suite with private balcony, hot tub, double bed (optional twin)*, seating area, single-serve coffee machine.
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SUPERIOR	XY	Outside cabin	7	19	Wheelchair-accessible cabin with balcony, double bed.
	тт	Outside cabin	4, 5	27	Large cabin with double bed (optional twin)*.
	TY	Outside cabin	5	24-26	Large wheelchair-accessible cabin with double bed (optional twin)*.
POLAR OUTSIDE	RR	Outside cabin	4, 5	19-23	Cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, some with sofa bed.

<sup>\*</sup>These cabins have double beds as standard. To order twin beds, please notify us at the time of booking.

Cabins MD-701, XY-719, XY-726, TY-533 and TY-540 are wheelchair accessible. These cabins may also be available for general booking All information is subject to change.



# **MS Santa Cruz II**

Dedicated to exploring the Galápagos Islands, MS Santa Cruz II has been recently renovated and is the ideal vessel for expeditions around these remarkable isles.

With amaximum guest capacity of 90, MS Canta Cruz II is the smallest ship in our fleet, making it perfect for cruising between the islands in sustainable style. On board, you'll find a full range of expedition gear, including a glass-bottom boat for exploring underwater reef systems.

- · 90 maximum guest capacity
- · Beagle restaurant
- · Science Corner
- · Observation decks
- · Panorama Lounge & Bar
- · Explorer Lounge & Bar
- · Two hot tubs
- · Fitness room
- · Panga boats







## MS Santa Cruz II

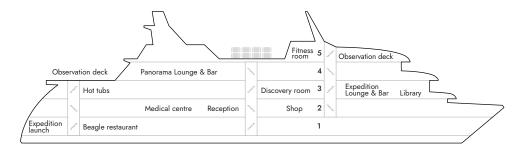
Enjoy a relaxed atmosphere in stylish surroundings on board MS Santa Cruz II as you explore the Galápagos Islands. With a maximum guest capacity of 90, the ship's small size is perfect for navigating the islands, while at the same time being engineered for stability, meaning comfort is maximised. Enjoy delicious food in the Beagle restaurant, learn about the unique ecology of the archipelago in the Science Corner and socialise with your fellow explorers out on deck. After a day of exploring in Darwin's footsteps, you can relax in the on-deck hot tubs.



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SHIP YARD: ASENAV Shipyard (CHL)

FLAG: Ecuador

YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION: 2002 refurbished 2015 and 2021

GROSS TONNAGE: 2 664 t CABINS: 50

OVERALL LENGTH: 71.8 m

**BEAM:** 13.4 m

SERVICE SPEED: 10.5 knots

Your comfortable expedition ship MS Santa Cruz II has a range of cabin categories to choose from. All have private bathrooms with a shower and toiletries, a safe, and USA two-pin plug sockets.

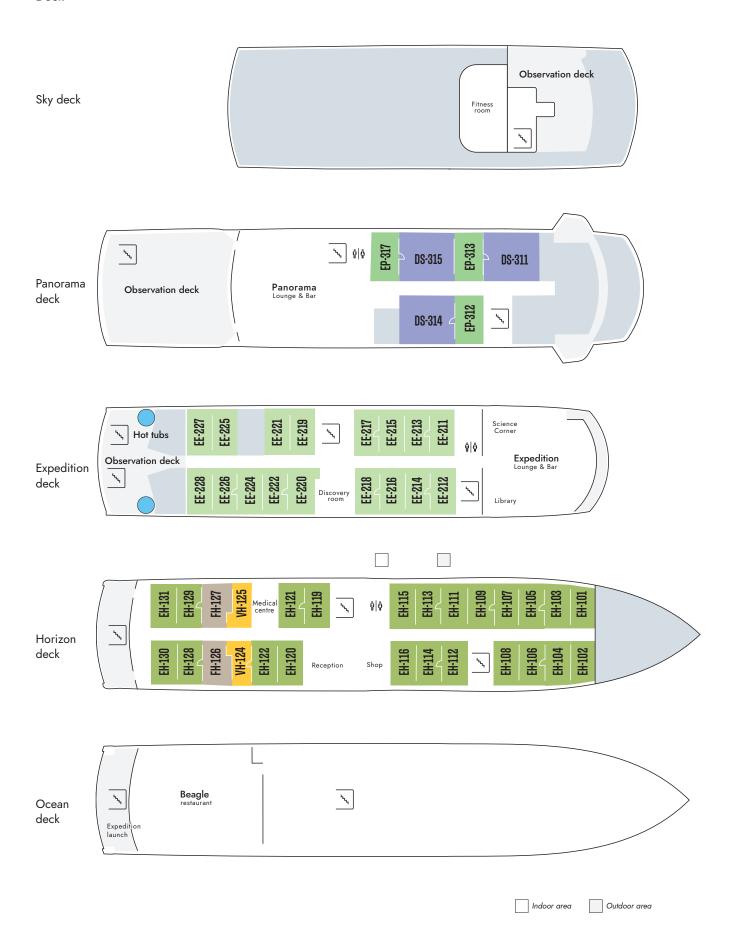
(	CATEGORY	DECK	SIZE (m²)	DESCRIPTION
DS	Darwin Suite	Panorama deck	30.3	Suite with double bed (optional twin)*, two large windows, sofa bed $^{\dagger}$ .
EP	Explorer cabin	Panorama deck	15.2	Large cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, large window.
EE	Explorer cabin	Expedition deck	15.2	Large cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, large window.
ЕН	Explorer cabin	Horizon deck	14-15	Large cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, large window.
VH	Voyager cabin	Horizon deck	11.8	Cabin with single bed, large window.
FH	Explorer family cabin	Horizon deck	17.2	Large cabin with double bed (optional twin)*, large window, sofa bed†.

<sup>\*</sup>These cabins have double beds as standard. To order twin beds, please notify us at the time of booking. There are 36 cabins with interconnecting doors.

<sup>†</sup>These cabins are suitable for two adults and a child under 12 years old.

Please note MS Santa Cruz II has no wheelchair-accessible ramps, cabins or elevators All information is subject to change.

### Deck



# **MS Fram**

The original Fram was famed as the vessel used by several legendary Norwegian explorers in the Arctic and Antarctic. It's with this legendary vessel in mind that MS Fram was named.

In this spirit of adventure, the comfortable interior and advanced technology on MS Fram — which was fully upgraded in summer 2022 — is ideally suited for modern expedition cruising. One of our smaller vessels, the ship is perfect for up-close exploration.

- · 250 maximum guest capacity
- · Two different restaurants
- · Science Centre
- · Observation decks
- · Explorer Lounge & Bar
- · Two hot tubs
- · Sauna
- · Fitness room
- · Expedition boats







## **MS Fram**

As a smaller vessel, MS Fram is highly manoeuvrable and can reach landing sites other ships can't. Delve into the science behind the places you explore in the Science Centre, stay in shape in the gym and relax in the Explorer Lounge & Bar. With two restaurants, a panoramic sauna and on-deck hot tubs, there are plenty of opportunities to indulge yourself, while spacious outside decks allow you to get closer to nature and wildlife as we pass. The comfortable cabins, suites and common areas are adorned with beautiful works from Arctic artists.



EXFEDITION SUITE

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		Sauna 8	74.	Observation deck			
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SHIP YARD: Fincantieri, (I)

FLAG: Norway

YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION: 2007 (Year of refurbishment 2022) GROSS TONNAGE: 11,647 t

**CABINS**: 125

OVERALL LENGTH: 114 m

**BEAM:** 20.2 m

SERVICE SPEED: 13 knots

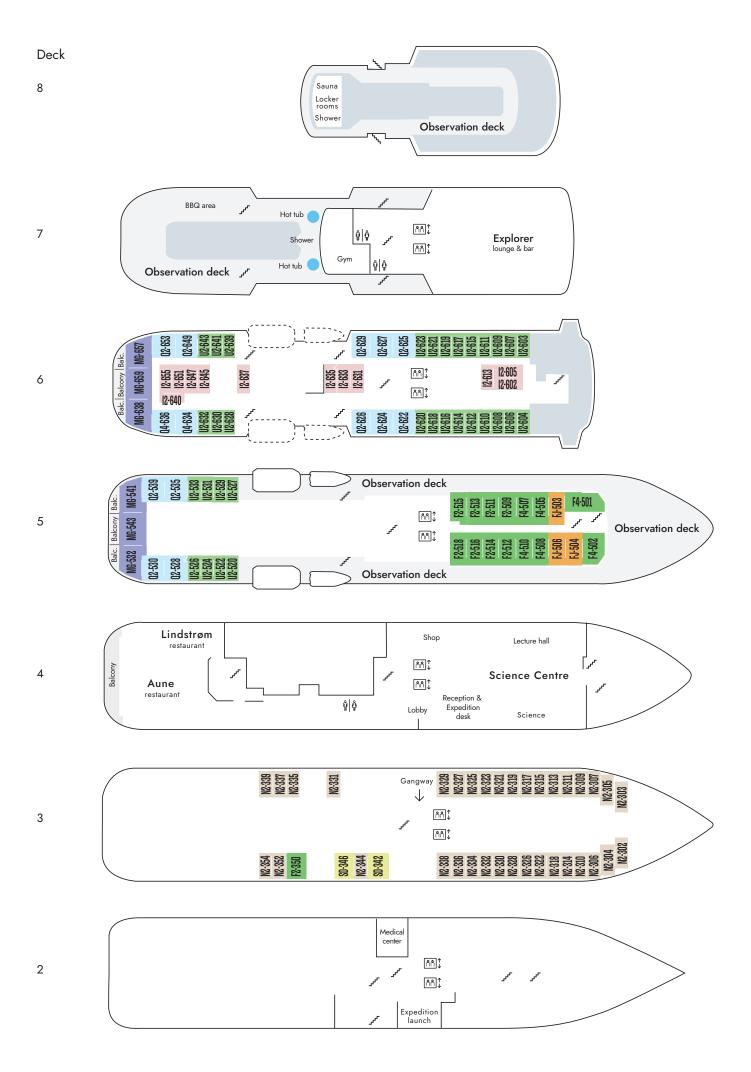
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С	ATEGO	RY	DECK	SIZE (m²)	DESCRIPTION
EXPEDITION	MG	Grand Suite	5, 6	20-27	Single-room suite with private balcony, some with window, double bed, seating area, minibar, single-serve coffee machine.
SUITES	Q	Mini Suite	5, 6	15-20	Single-room suite with double bed, seating area, Q4 cabins with sofa bed, minibar, single-serve coffee machine.
ARCTIC	F	Outside cabin	3, 5	17-23	Larger cabin with double bed, seating area, some with sofa bed, some with limited view, refrigerator.
SUPERIOR	U	Outside cabin	5, 6	10-11	Cabin with double bed (optional twin)*.
	И	Outside cabin	3	10-13	Cabin with double bed (optional twin)*.
POLAR OUTSIDE	SD	Outside cabin	3	15-16	Wheelchair-accessible cabin with twin beds, where one converts to a sofa, refrigerator.
	FJ	Outside cabin	5	17-21	Cabin with double bed (FJ-503 has optional twin)*, some with sofa bed, refrigerator. Limited or no view.
POLAR INSIDE	ı	Inside cabin	6	10-13	Cabin with double bed (optional twin)*.

<sup>\*</sup>These cabins have double beds as standard. To order twin beds, please notify us at the time of booking.

Cabins SD-342 and SD-346 are wheelchair accessible. These cabins may also be available for general booking.

All information is subject to change.



## What's Included

FLEET CABIN CATEGORIES	MAN: MS R	IDTJOF SEN & OALD IDSEN	MS F	RAM	MS SANTA CRUZ II	
	Cabins	Suites	Cabins	Suites	Cabins	Suites
POLAR INSIDE	_	_	ı	_		
POLAR OUTSIDE	RR, AJ, FJ, J	_	RR, AJ, FJ, J	_	-	
ARCTIC SUPERIOR	TT, QJ,	_	TT, QJ,	_	EH	DS
EXPEDITION SUITES	_	MF, Q	_	MF, Q	-	
Meals			1	I		
Full board (breakfast, lunch and dinner)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
House wine, beer, soda and water with lunch and dinner in all restaurants	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Early riser continental breakfast	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	-	_
All day casual dining in restaurant Fredheim	<b>✓</b>	✓	-	_	-	_
Breakfast and lunch in à la carte restaurant Lindstrøm	_	✓	-	✓	-	_
Meals in à la carte restaurant Lindstrøm	+	✓	+	✓	-	_
Beverages						
Wine, beer and spirits available throughout the day and evening*	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>
All day coffee, tea and soft drinks	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Amenities		I	1	I		
A polar expedition jacket, a backpack, or another piece of HX kit for the area you're exploring	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>
A complimentary water bottle to refill on board and take home	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Toiletries	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Hairdryer	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Bathrobe and slippers	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	_†	<b>✓</b>
Single-serve coffee machine	_	<b>✓</b>	_	<b>✓</b>	_	_
Kettle and premium tea/coffee	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	_	_
TV	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	_	_
Minibar <sup>‡</sup>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	_	<b>✓</b>	-	_
Wi-Fi	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Safe	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Loan of equipment needed for activities	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Service	1	I	<u> </u>	ı	1	I
Welcome gift (bottle of champagne and a carabiner watch*)	_	<b>✓</b>	_	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Take-away food option	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	_	_
Turn-down service	_	<b>✓</b>	_	<b>✓</b>	_	<b>✓</b>
Laundry service	+	<b>√</b>	+	<b>√</b>	_	_

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to local licensing laws. For cabin guests, premium drinks are not included; for suite guests, premium cocitails, beers and spirits are included (premium wines including sparkling at extra cost). See travellux.com/uk for full Terms and Conditions.

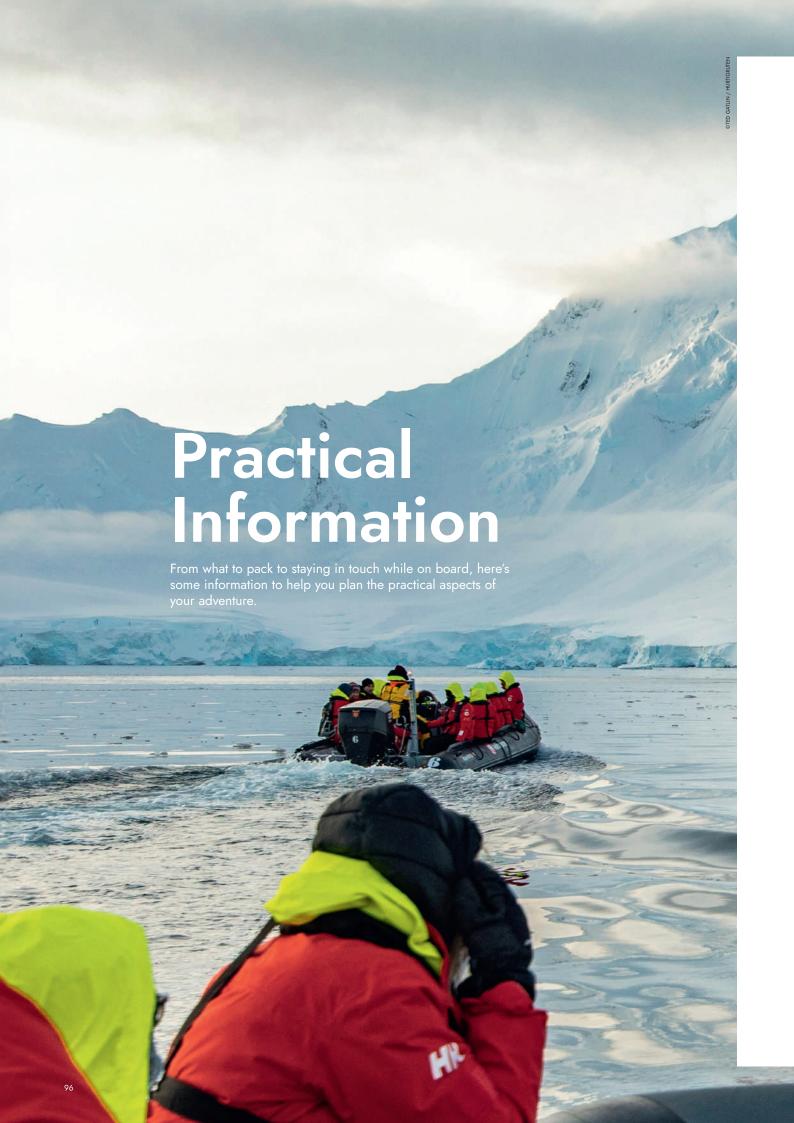
'On MS Santa Cruz II only EP cabins include a bathrobe and slippers.

'Charges apply for cabin guests. For suite guests, the first setup is included and replenishments are chargeable.

'On MS Santa Cruz II the velcome gift is a Galápagos wildlife book.

<sup>✓</sup> Included + Upgrade possible, bookable on board - Not applicable





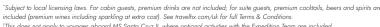
When planning your expedition, it's vital to know what to pack so you get the best out of your experience. There's at least one included activity or excursion every day, and some expedition clothing and equipment is included. Below is a guide to what's included on your voyage, plus some practical information.

### What's included:

- A stay in a serviced cabin
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner in select restaurants
- · A polar expedition jacket, a backpack, or another piece of HX kit
- · Wine, beer and spirits available at meals and throughout the day and evening\*
- · All day coffee, tea and soft drinks
- · A complimentary water bottle to refill on board and take home
- English-speaking Expedition Team
- · At least one included activity per day
- In-depth lectures and discussions hosted by experts
- Full use of your ship's Science Centre and library
- Optional participation in Citizen Science Programme
- · Photography tips and techniques from our onboard professional
- Use of any onboard fitness facilities, saunas and hot tubs
- · Access to onboard medical centre with doctor
- Escorted landings with small expedition boats
- · Loan of boots, trekking poles and equipment for shore landings
- · Complimentary Wi-Fi (see Wi-Fi and mobile phones section)

### What's not included:

- International flights
- · Additional overnight(s) if required due to international flight times
- Travel insurance
- · Luggage handling
- Optional shore excursions with our local partners
- ${}^{\raisebox{3.5pt}{\text{\circle*{1.5}}}}$  Optional small-group activities with our Expedition Team  ${}^{\raisebox{3.5pt}{\text{\circle*{1.5}}}}$
- · Optional treatments in onboard wellness and spa areas where available



1This does not apply to voyages aboard MS Santa Cruz II, where optional activities with the Expedition Team are included.



## Wi-Fi and mobile phones

An expedition cruise can be a great opportunity to switch off from modern-day distractions and reconnect with the world around you. We do offer Wi-Fi on board, but when travelling to remote destinations, coverage and speed are very limited, meaning streaming is not supported. Our connection is provided through a satellite link, except when we're close to mobile communication infrastructure on land.

In the most isolated areas, such as Antarctica, Arctic Canada, much of Greenland, Svalbard, and in many places in Alaska and the Galápagos, there's limited or no mobile phone coverage on shore.

#### **Excursions**

Our extensive range of optional excursions are pre-bookable and subject to availability. We recommend you book as early as possible to avoid disappointment.

### Flights, transfers and hotels

Depending on your itinerary, flights, transfers and hotel stays may or may not be included. Check the relevant voyage page on our website for details. When flights are not included, we can book these for you – just give us a call.

### **Pricing**

We have a flexible pricing policy. The 'from' price you see quoted indicates the lowest price you can expect to pay for the least expensive cabin category. Prices are capacity controlled and subject to availability, so they may change at any time. The final price you'll pay is quoted at the time of booking.

Our prices are based on two people travelling together in a shared cabin. If you're travelling alone, you may be expected to pay a single supplement, although we often offer no single supplement promotions. For our latest offers, visit travelhx.com/uk/offers.

### Accessibility

Most of our ships have step-free access and wheelchair-accessible cabins. For ease of movement around the ship, you'll need to bring your wheelchair with you if necessary (up to a maximum width of 60cm). If you think you'll require assistance, it's best to travel with a trusted companion. Please let us know your needs at the time of booking.

Regarding excursions and activities, we strive to make these as accessible as possible, but many are operated by third-party providers so we cannot guarantee all of them will be suitable. Some of our landing sites are also only accessible by our small expedition boats, which guests must be able to step into and out of.

### Health and safety

We care deeply about your safety, health and well-being while travelling with us, and we have various procedures in place on our ships. Our ships comply with international safety requirements and are modern vessels suitable for sailing in their respective destinations, including icy waters. There's a mandatory safety briefing at the beginning of each voyage outlining procedures and the use and location of the safety equipment, and every ship has a medical centre with an onboard doctor and nurse. There's also a Safety Notice posted on the inside of your cabin door, which we encourage all guests to read carefully.

### What to pack

#### For cold destinations:

- · Wind and water-resistant trousers
- Thermal underwear and top (we recommend wool)
- · Warm hat or headband
- · Scarf or snood
- Warm woollen jumper and fleece jumper/jacket
- · Gloves and mittens (fleece and wool)
- Warm socks

#### For warm destinations:

- Fast-drying clothes
- · Short and long-sleeved t-shirts
- Shorts for warm days
- Trousers for cooler days
- · Sandals or shoes you don't mind getting wet
- · Wide-brimmed sun hat
- · Light, water-resistant jacket and/or rain poncho
- Swimwear

#### For all destinations:

- · Your passport and a copy of it
- · Credit card (we accept Visa, American Express, Diners and MasterCard)
- Driving licence if you plan to go on any self-drive snowmobile or ATV excursions
- · Sufficient medication to last through any unforeseen delays
- Travel adaptors for use in European two-pin plugs. On MS Santa Cruz II, please bring travel adaptors for use in USA two-pin plugs.
- · Relaxed and casual clothes there's no formal dress code on board
- · Waterproof hiking boots with ankle support
- · Comfortable shoes for on board
- Swimwear and gym clothes
- · Small waterproof backpack for carrying essentials
- · Sun protection
- · Sunglasses with UV filter lenses
- · Lip salve with UV protection
- Insect repellent
- · Anti-itch cream for bites
- Binoculars
- · Spare batteries



## **GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

These Terms and Conditions are effective for bookings made as of 24 June 2024.

#### 1. YOUR CONTRACT

These Booking Terms and Conditions together with our privacy policy, the information contained in your brochure and any other written information that we brought to your attention before we confirmed your booking, form the basis of your contract with Hurtigruten UK Ltd whose registered office is at 1st Floor, 210 Pentonville Road, London, N1 9JY (Company No: 02865967), a company wholly owned by Hurtigruten Global Sales AS.

When you book an air package holiday or sailing with us the contract between us will exist as soon as you or your travel agent asks us to confirm your booking. We then become responsible to provide you with the voyage arrangements or air package holiday you have booked and you become responsible to pay for them, in each case subject to these terms and conditions. You will also become responsible to pay for any additional arrangements made by us on your behalf including International Flights not included in any air package, optional excursions, travel insurance or other arrangements requested by you and booked.

When you make a booking you guarantee you have the authority to accept and do accept on behalf of your party the terms of these booking conditions and accept responsibility for making all payments to us for all members of the party. Furthermore, you consent to our use of your personal data in accordance with our Privacy Policy and you are authorised on behalf of all persons named on the booking to disclose their personal details to us, including where applicable, special categories of data (such as information on health conditions or disabilities and dietary requirements). We are unable to accept provisional or conditional bookings. We will send all documents and other information to you and you will be responsible for ensuring that all other members of the party are kept fully informed.

For security reasons all adult passengers are required to provide contact information, including phone number and e- mail. We will not issue travel documents before we have received this information.

A confirmation invoice which you should check as soon as you receive it will be sent on receipt of your deposit. If you wish to change or cancel any arrangements later you may have to pay an amendment or cancellation charge and additional costs (see below) which may be as much as the whole of the original price of your arrangements. Only one invoice and one set of documents will be issued. No verbal amendments may be made by either party to these written booking conditions; any change must be in writing signed by the Chief Executive of Hurtigruten Global Sales AS.

If your confirmed arrangements include a flight, we (or if you booked via an authorised agent of ours, that agent) will issue you with an ATOL Certificate and a confirmation. Upon receipt, if you believe that any details on the ATOL Certificate or confirmation or any other document are wrong you must advise us immediately.

If you book your holiday through a travel agent all communication must be through that agent. Please quote your booking reference number in all communications.

You are responsible for complying with any visa or other entry requirements for you or any of your party who are not full European Union Passport Holders.

We may transfer this contract to someone else. Please Note: The following section applies for bookings made as of 1 June 2019. We may transfer our rights and obligations under these terms to another organisation. This is most likely to occur if we carry out a re-organisation of the Hurtigruten Group and, as a result, we are required to transfer our rights and obligations from Hurtigruten UK Ltd to our Norwegian Parent Company, Hurtigruten Global Sales AS. We will always tell you in writing if this happens and we will ensure that the transfer will not affect your rights under the contract.

#### 2. YOUR FINANCIAL PROTECTION

We provide financial security for flight inclusive Packages and ATOL protected flights. We do this by way of a bond held in favour of the Civil Aviation Authority (www.caa.co.uk; 45-59 Kingsway, London WC2B 6TE) under ATOL number 3584.

When you buy an ATOL protected flight or flight inclusive holiday from us you will receive an ATOL Certificate. This lists what is financially protected, where you can get information on what this means for you and who to contact if things go wrong. For further information, visit the ATOL website at www.atol.org.uk. The price of our flight inclusive Arrangements includes the amount of £2.50 per person as part of the ATOL Protection Contribution (APC) we pay to the CAA. This charge is included in our advertised prices Not all holiday or travel services offered and sold by us will be protected by the ATOL Scheme. ATOL protection extends primarily to Customers who book and pay in the United Kingdom.

We, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate, will provide you with the services listed on the ATOL Certificate (or a suitable alternative). In some cases, where neither we nor the supplier are able to do so for reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought (at no extra cost to you). You agree to accept that in those circumstances the alternative ATOL holder will perform those obligations and you agree to pay any money outstanding to be paid by you under your contract to that alternative ATOL holder. However, you also agree that in some cases it will not be possible to appoint an alternative ATOL holder, in which case you will be entitled to make a claim under the ATOL Scheme (or your credit card issuer where applicable).

If we, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL certificate, are unable to provide the services listed (or a suitable alternative, through an alternative ATOL holder or otherwise) for reasons of insolvency, the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust may make a payment to (or confer a benefit on) you under the ATOL scheme. You agree that in return for such a payment or benefit you assign absolutely to those Trustees

any claims which you have or may have arising out of or relating to the non-provision of the services, including any claim against us, the travel agent (or your credit card issuer where applicable). You also agree that any such claims may be re-assigned to another body, if that other body has paid sums you have claimed under the ATOL scheme.

We provide financial security for holidays not including flights by way of a bond held with ABTA (www.abta. com: 30 Park Street, London SE1 9EO).

If you book Arrangements other than an ATOL protected flight or Package from us, your monies will not be financially protected. Please ask us for further details.

#### 3. PAYMENT

Once you have asked us to confirm your booking the total price of the arrangements you have booked is due and is payable as follows:

- i. If you book more than 90 days before your scheduled departure date, a non-refundable deposit of 25% is due. The balance is due 90 days before your scheduled departure date. No second invoice will be sent. Travel documents will be issued 7 to 14 days prior to departure.
- ii. If you book less than 90 days before your scheduled departure date the full price is payable when you book.

Our preferred method of deposit payment is by bank debit card or credit card. Balance payment may be made by cash, bank debit card, credit card or cheque (providing there is time to clear it to meet the payment schedule shown above – you should allow 5 working days for clearance from the time we receive it).

Bookings made within 90 days of departure require full payment at the time of booking and no refund is made if cancelled.

Your booking may be cancelled if we do not receive payment by the due date (we will not normally send reminders) and cancellation charges as set out under 'If You Cancel' (see below) will be payable by you.

# 4. FITNESS TO TRAVEL ON THE SHIP, DISABILITY OR REDUCED MOBILITY, MEDICAL/ MOBILITY EQUIPMENT

In order to ensure that the Carrier is able to carry passengers safely and in accordance with applicable safety requirements established by international, EU or national law or in order to meet safety requirements established by competent authorities, including the ships flag state, every Passenger warrants that he/she is fit to travel by sea and that his/her conduct or condition will not impair the safety of the ship or inconvenience the other passengers. Information on the trip's/ holiday's general suitability for persons with reduced mobility is provided in the sales and marketing material for the trip/holiday and specific information is available upon request.

We reserve the right to require any Passenger to produce medical evidence of fitness to travel in order to assess whether that Passenger can be carried safely in accordance with applicable international, EU or national law. If we

consider it necessary, we are entitled to administer a health questionnaire prior to boarding.

If it appears to us, the Master or the Company's nominated medical representative that a Passenger is for any reason unfit to travel, likely to endanger safety, or likely to be refused permission to land at any port, or likely to render the Carrier liable for Passenger maintenance, support or repatriation, then the Carrier or the Master shall have the right to take any of the following courses:

- i. Refuse to embark the Passenger at any port;
- ii. Disembark the Passenger at any port;
- iii. Transfer the Passenger to another berth or cabin;
- iv. If the Company's nominated medical representative considers it advisable, to place or confine him/her or to transfer the Passenger to a health facility at any port, at the Passenger's expense;
- v. To administer first aid and administer any drug, medicine or other substance or to admit and/or confine the Passenger to a hospital or other similar institution at any port provided that the ship's nominated medical representative and/or Master considers that any such steps are necessary.

Where a Passenger is refused embarkation as a result of safety and/ or fitness to travel, neither we nor the carrier shall be liable for any loss or expense occasioned to the passenger thereby, nor shall the passenger be entitled to any compensation from the Carrier

Passengers who need assistance and/ or have special requests or need special facilities or equipment with regard to accommodation, seating or services required or need to bring medical equipment must notify us at the time of booking. If there are any particular conditions, disabled or reduced mobility which require personal care or supervision then such personal care or supervision must be organised by the passenger and at the passenger's expense. Those passengers confined to wheelchairs must furnish their own standard size foldable wheelchairs but needn't be accompanied by a travelling companion. Unless we and or the Carrier agree otherwise and in writing, Passengers are limited to bringing 2 items of such mobility or medical equipment on board per cabin with a total value not exceeding €2,600. All equipment must be capable of being carried safety and must be declared before the sailing. The Carrier may decline to carry such equipment where it is not safe to do so or where it has not been notified in time to enable a risk assessment to be carried out.

### 5. 5. A - PRICES

All Voyage prices shown in this brochure are in GBP and are per person based on full occupancy of the cabin accommodation.

Single/Sole occupancy of cabins with more than one berth is at our discretion as single/sole use of multiple berth cabins will be limited.

We reserve the right to amend the price of unsold holidays at any time and correct errors in the prices of confirmed holidays. You will be

advised of the current price of the voyage or air package holiday you wish to book before your contract is confirmed. The price of your confirmed holidays is subject at all times to variations in:

i, the price of transportation resulting from the cost of fuel or other power sources:

ii. the level of taxes or fees applicable to the holiday imposed by third parties not directly involved in the performance of your holiday, including tourist taxes, landing taxes or embarkation or disembarkation fees at ports and airports: or

iii. the exchange rates relevant to your

You will be charged for the amount of any increase in accordance with this clause and, where this is necessary. we will notify you of the relevant adjustments by issuing a new invoice. However, if this means that you have to pay an increase of more than 8% of the total price of your confirmed holiday (excluding any amendment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements), you will have the option of accepting the price increase and paying the requested amount, accepting a change to another holiday if we are able to offer one (if this is of equivalent or higher quality you will not have to pay more but if it is of lower quality you will be refunded the difference in price), or cancelling and receiving a full refund of all monies paid to us, except for any amendment charges and/or additional services or travel arrangements not forming part of your package. Should you decide to cancel for this reason, you must exercise your right to do so within 14 days from the issue date on your new invoice. As Hurtigruten is a member of ABTA, Hurtigruten will absorb an amount equal to 2% of the holiday cost before passing on any surcharge.

Should the price of your voyage or air package holiday go down due to changes above then any refund due will be paid to you, less an administration fee of £50 per person

Please note that travel arrangements are not always purchased in local currency and some apparent changes have no impact on the price of your travel due to contractual or other protection in place.

There will be no change made to the price of your confirmed holiday within 20 days of your departure nor will refunds be paid during this period.

#### 5. 5. B - VOYAGE AND AIR PACKAGE HOI IDAY

#### Prices Do Not Include:

- Travel Insurance
- Luggage Handling
- International Flights except where included in the Air Package Holiday
- Optional Excursions
- Premium Drinks (included for Suites guests)
- Exclusions set out in our All-Inclusive Terms & Conditions which are published on our website and are incorporated into these General Terms & Conditions

Some elements, amenities, access to facilities and priority is subject to cabin category, Ambassador Loyalty status or booking channel. Amenities and services vary by ship and itinerary and are subject to availability. Alcohol service is subject to licensing regulations and Hurtigruten Expeditions operating policies including hours of service. Premium Drinks exclude premium wine and champagne unless expressly included in your package.

Optional Excursions booked before you travel or local excursions or other activities that you may choose to book and pay for whilst on holiday are not part of your voyage or air package holiday arrangements provided by us nor are we agents for the provider of the service.

For any excursion or other activity you book before departure, or with which you are assisted in arranging whilst on holiday, your contract will solely be with the supplier of the excursion or activity and not with Hurtigruten. We are not responsible for the provision of your excursion or activity or for anything that happens during the course of its provision by the supplier.

#### 6. IF YOU CHANGE YOUR BOOKING OR WISH TO TRANSFER YOUR BOOKING

If you wish to change your travel arrangements (for example flights, excursions or hotels) after they have been confirmed we will do our utmost to help but it may not always be possible. Any request for changes to be made must be in writing by the person who made the booking or your travel agent. You will be asked to pay an administration charge of £50 per person and any further cost we incur in making this alteration.

NB: most airlines will charge a fee for ticket changes. Costs may increase the closer to the departure date that changes are made. For example, the transfer within 60 days of departure of arrangements involving a scheduled flight will mean the cancellation and rebooking of this flight and a significant additional charge.

If you change the number of people in your party, the price of the arrangements will be recalculated for the new party size e.g. this may mean that accommodation is under-occupied and each member of the party may have to pay an increased price.

Any increase in price caused by changes you have requested is not a cancellation charge even though it may arise because a member of your party has cancelled. Any change by you to your confirmed arrangements after departure is in all cases subject to availability and any relevant costs.

### Transfer of Booking:

If you or any member of your party is prevented from travelling, that person(s) may transfer their place to someone else, subject to the following conditions:

i. that person is introduced by you and satisfies all the conditions applicable to the Arrangements;

ii. we are notified not less than 7 days before departure;

iii. you pay any outstanding balance

payment, an administration fee of £60 per person as well as any additional fees, charges or other costs arising from the transfer; and

iv. the transferee agrees to these booking conditions and all other requirements applicable to the holiday booking. You and the transferee remain jointly and severally liable for payment of all sums.

If you are unable to find a replacement, cancellation charges as set out will apply in order to cover our estimated costs. Otherwise, no refunds will be given for passengers not travelling or for unused services.

#### 7. IF YOU CANCEL BEFORE **DEPARTURE**

You, or any member of your party, may cancel your travel arrangements at any time. Written notification from the person who made the booking or your travel agent must be received at our offices. We recommend 'Recorded Delivery'. Cancellation takes effect the day we receive your letter or email.

Since we incur costs in relation to your arrangements from the time we confirm your booking you will have to pay the applicable cancellation charges as shown in the table below (which also applies if we cancel because you have failed to make payments on time - see 'Payment' section) together with the cost of any air fare for which we have had to pay at the time of the booking and will be payable immediately on

#### When the cancellation letter is received by us before departure | Charges as a % of the total holiday cost (excl. insurance premiums):

- 90 or more days | 25%
- 60-89 days | 40%
- 28-59 days | 70%
- 14-27 days | 90%
- Less than 14 days | 100%

If you have to cancel for a reason covered by your travel insurance you may be able to reclaim the cancellation charges, less applicable excess. Insurance premiums are not

#### 8. IF YOU CANCEL DUE TO FORCE MAJEURE

You have the right to cancel your confirmed holiday before departure without paying a cancellation charge in the event of unavoidable and extraordinary circumstances occurring at your holiday destination or its immediate vicinity and significantly affecting the performance of the holiday or which significantly affects transport arrangements to the destination. In these circumstances, we shall provide you with a full refund of the monies you have paid but we will not be liable to pay you any compensation. Please see clause 10 for more information on Force Maieure

#### 9. IF WE CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR BOOKING

We reserve the right to change any of the details and correct any errors in this brochure or invoices at any time. If changes are made before you have made your booking we will advise you before we confirm your arrangements. We reserve the right in any circumstances to cancel your

travel arrangements (for example if a minimum number of participants for a particular travel arrangements not reached, we may have to cancel it) and to change airline, aircraft types, vessels and itineraries without liability for any subsequent loss. Even after we have confirmed your booking we may have to make alterations but we will not cancel your travel arrangements less than 60 days before your departure except for reasons of Force Majeure or failure by you to pay the final balance in full.

Most alterations will be minor and while we will do our best to notify you or your travel agent of any changes as soon as reasonably possible if there is time before your departure, we will have no other liability to you.

Occasionally we may have to make a significant change to your confirmed arrangements. If we have to make a Significant Change we will notify you as soon as possible and you may either:

a) accept the Significant Change and the contract between us will then be varied to incorporate the change; or

b) take alternative arrangements altogether (subject to availability). If the alternative arrangements selected are a lower price than those originally confirmed the difference will (if already paid) be refunded to you; or

c) withdraw from the booking completely in which case we will, as soon as possible, refund all money paid

You must inform us of your decision as soon as reasonably possible and not later than 7 days of being informed of the alteration. If you choose (a) or (b) above, you will receive as compensation a credit towards the cost of your arrangements, or any alternative selected, as per the amount shown in Scale A below. If you choose (c) we will pay you compensation shown in Scale B below. In all cases we will have no liability for any other or greater compensation or for expenses or losses incurred.

Period before departure date notification given by us | Credit/ Compensation per fare-paying passenger (excluding infants)

Scale A | Scale B

0-7 days £50 | £25

8-14 days £40 | £20

15-28 days £30 | £15

29-42 days £20 | £10 43-59 days £10 | £5

More than 60 days | Nil

\*The compensation shown above applies to full fare paying adults only. Children or others travelling at concessionary rates will receive compensation pro rata based on the concessionary price against the full adult price as shown on the confirmation.

\*IMPORTANT NOTE: We will not pay you compensation in the following circumstances:

- where we make a change that is not a Significant Change:
- where we make a Significant Change or cancel your arrangements more than 60 days before departure;

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- where we have to cancel your arrangements as a result of your failure to make full payment on time;
- where the change or cancellation by us arises out of alterations to the confirmed booking requested by you;
- where we are forced to cancel or change your arrangements due to Force Majeure (see clause 10).

Please note: where arrangements with a higher price than the original arrangements are offered by us and accepted by you, the difference in price will be deducted from any compensation payable. In no case will we pay compensation if the arrangements offered by us and accepted by you are of a higher price than those originally booked by you and in the same location where no additional payment is made by you.

If we become unable to provide a significant proportion of the arrangements that you have booked with us after you have departed, we will make alternative arrangements for you at no extra charge and, if appropriate in all the circumstances, will pay you reasonable compensation.

A flight or ship delay does not constitute a change to holiday arrangements.

#### 10. FORCE MAJEURE

Except where otherwise expressly stated in these Booking Conditions we are unable to accept liability or pay compensation where the performance or prompt performance of our contractual obligation is prevented or affected by reason of circumstances amounting to 'force majeure' i.e. any event which we or the supplier(s) of the service(s) could not, even with due care, foresee or avoid. Such events may include, but are not limited to, war, threat of war or civil commotions, riots, terrorist activity, industrial dispute, natural or nuclear disaster, adverse weather, fire, flood, drought, government action, airport and port regulations and closures, technical transportation problems, maintenance to vessels, scheduling of transport and similar events outside our control.

#### 11. COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

If there is a problem during your holiday, you must report it on board immediately or to the relevant airline, ground handler, hotelier or other supplier, so that prompt efforts can be made to resolve the problem. In the unlikely event that a problem cannot be resolved at the time and you wish to complain, you must send us full written details within 28 days of your return.

Failure to take either or both of these steps will prejudice our ability to resolve your problem and / or investigate it fully. In consequence, any right to compensation you may have will be extinguished or, at the very least, substantially reduced.

Where the port of embarkation for your sailing is in the EU then any complaints relating to EU Regulation 1177/2010 on Passenger Rights when travelling by Sea and Inland waterways must be made to us in writing no later than 2 months after return from travel or the date on which the service complained of was performed. We will provide a final reply within 2 months. You must supply full details to enable us to deal with your complaint.

Please note that we offer an Alternative Dispute Resolution service through our ABTA membership. Please see clause 12 for further details.

You can also access the European Commission Online Dispute Resolution (ODR) platform at http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/odr/. This ODR platform is a means of registering your complaint with us; it will not determine how your complaint should be resolved.

#### 12. ABTA

We are a Member of ABTA, membership number V7545. We are obliged to maintain a high standard of service to you by ABTA's Code of Conduct. We can also offer you ABTA's scheme for the resolution of disputes which is approved by the Chartered Trading Standards Institute. If we can't resolve your complaint, go to www.abta.com to use ABTA's simple procedure. Further information on the Code and ABTA's assistance in resolving disputes can be found on www.abta.com.

#### 13. OUR LIABILITY TO YOU

- i. We will accept responsibility for those arrangements we agree to provide or arrange for you as an 'organiser' under the Package Travel, Package Holidays and Package Tours Regulations 1992 and the EU Directive 2015/2302 on Package Travel (and subsequent UK regulations) as set out below. Subject to these booking conditions, if we or our suppliers perform or arrange your contracted holiday arrangements negligently, taking into consideration all relevant factors, we will pay you reasonable compensation. The level of such compensation will be calculated taking into consideration all relevant factors such as but not limited to: following the complaints procedure as described in these conditions and the extent to which ours or our employees' or suppliers' negligence affected the overall enjoyment of your holiday. Please note that it is your responsibility to show that we or our supplier(s) have been negligent if you wish to make a claim against us.
- ii. Where death and or personal injury and or loss of or damage to property occurs during carriage by air or by sea then liability and the extent of damages recoverable will be dealt with by International Conventions as set out in paragraphs (v) and (vi) and not otherwise.
- iii. As set out in these booking conditions we limit the maximum amount we may have to pay you for any claims you may make against us which do not involve personal injury, illness or death. Except where loss of and/or damage to luggage or personal possessions is concerned if we are found liable to you on any basis the maximum amount we will have to pay you is twice the price (excluding insurance premiums and amendment charges) paid by or on behalf of the person(s) affected in total unless a lower limitation applies to your claim under clause 13 (vi) below.
- iv. Where any claim or part of a claim (including those involving death or personal injury) concerns or is based on any travel arrangements (including the process of getting on and/or off the transport concerned) provided by any air, sea, rail or road carrier or any stay in a hotel, the maximum amount of

compensation we will have to pay you will be limited. The most we will have to pay you for that claim or that part of a claim if we are found liable to you on any basis is the most the carrier or hotel keeper concerned would have to pay under the international convention or regulation which applies to the travel arrangements or hotel stay in question. (for example, the Warsaw Convention as amended or unamended and the Montreal Convention for international travel by air and/or for airlines with an operating licence granted by an EU country, the EC Regulation on Air Carrier Liability No 889/2002 for national and international travel by air, the Athens convention for international travel by sea).

Please note: Where a carrier or hotel would not be obliged to make any payment to you under the applicable International Convention or Regulation in respect of a claim or part of a claim, we similarly are not obliged to make a payment to you for that claim or part of the claim. When making any payment, we are entitled to deduct any money which you have received or are entitled to receive from the transport provider or hotelier for the complaint or claim in question. Copies of the applicable International Conventions and Regulations are available from us on request. We do not have any liability to you by virtue of the Regulation 261/2004 which applies solely to the operating carrier. Any liability we may have to you under our contract with you, arising out of the same facts, is limited to the remedies provided under the Regulation as if (for this purpose only) we were a carrier; any sums you receive from the carrier will be deducted from any amount due from

v. Travel by sea is governed by the provisions of the Convention Relating to the Carriage of Passengers and their Luggage by Sea 1974 as amended in 1976 ("The Athens Convention) and where applicable from 1 January 2013 EU Regulation 392/2009 relating to the Liability of carriers of passengers by sea in the event of accidents ("EU Regulation 392/2009). For the purposes of the Athens Convention and EU Regulation 392/2009 we are the Contracting Carrier.

The Athens Convention and EU Regulation 392/2009 limit the Carriers' liability for death or personal injury or loss or damage to luggage and makes special provision for valuables. It is presumed that luggage has been delivered to you undamaged unless written notice is given by us and/or the performing Carrier.

- a. in the case of apparent damage, before or at the time of disembarkation or redelivery; or
- b. in the case of damage which is not apparent or of loss, within 15 days from the date of disembarkation or redelivery or from the time when such redelivery should have taken place.

Damages for cabin luggage payable by the Carrier are limited up to the Athens Convention limit of 833 SDRs or 2250 SDRs if EU Regulation 392/2009 applies. Limits shall be reduced in proportion to any contributory negligence by the Client and by the maximum deductible specified in Article 8(4) of the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009.

In so far as we may be liable to a Client in respect of claims arising out of carriage by sea, we shall be entitled to all the rights, defences, immunities and limitations available, respectively, to the actual carrier and under the relevant Conventions and nothing in these Booking Conditions shall be deemed as a surrender thereof. To the extent that any provision in these Booking Conditions is made null and void by the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009 or any legislation compulsorily applicable or is otherwise unenforceable, it shall be void to that extent but not further.

Any liability in respect of death and personal injury and loss of and damage to luggage which we may incur to you shall always be subject to the limits of liability contained in the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009 for death/personal injury of 46,666 Special Drawing Rights (SDR) or 300,000 SDR under Athens Convention or 400,000 SDRs under EU Regulation 392/2009 except in the case of liability for war or terrorism 250,000 SDRs. We are not liable for valuables, monies or other securities including jewellery and watches. If they have been deposited with the reception desk on the ship for safe keeping and a receipt issued then in those limited circumstances the Carriers liability will be as set out in the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009. The use of safes on board a Vessel is not a deposit with the ship or with the company under the Athens Convention or EU Regulation 392/2009 or otherwise. The limits are 1200 SDRs pursuant to Athens or 3,375 SDRs pursuant to EU Regulation 392/2009.

- vi. Where there is any loss of or damage to property including luggage which is not covered by any international convention and where liability is not limited by reference to any enactment, terms of conditions, then any legal liability that we may have for any such losses or damage will not exceed £500 per quest.
- vii. You must provide ourselves and our insurers with all assistance we may reasonably require. You must also tell us and the supplier concerned about your claim or complaint as set out in clause 11 above. If asked to do so, you must transfer to us or our insurers any rights you have against the supplier or whoever else is responsible for your claim or complaint (if the person concerned is under 18, their parent or guardian must do so). You must also agree to cooperate fully with us and our insurers if we or our insurers want to enforce any rights which are transferred.
- viii. Please note, we cannot accept any liability for any damage, loss or expense or other sum(s) of any description:
- (a) which on the basis of the information given to us by you concerning your booking prior to our accepting it, we could not have foreseen you would suffer or incur if we breached our contract with you; or (b) relate to any business.
- ix. We will not accept responsibility for services or facilities which do not form part of our agreement or where they are not advertised in our brochure. For example any excursion you book whilst away, or any service or facility which your hotel or any other supplier agrees to provide for you.

## 14. YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES AND INDEMNITY

When you book arrangements with us you accept responsibility for the proper conduct of yourself and your party. If your actions or omissions cause damage to any property in the provision of the contracted arrangements, or cause delay or diversion to any flight or other means of transportation, you agree to fully indemnify us against any claim (including professional fees and legal costs) made against us by or on behalf of the owner of such property or the operator of the flight or other means of transportation. The Captain of an aircraft or Master of a ship has authority over the aircraft/ship and passengers at all times when they are boarding or on board. There will be no liability on our part, or that of any supplier, for any refund, compensation, or costs thus incurred. Additionally, we will have the right to recover full costs resulting from the incident from the passenger.

At any port or place we may refuse to embark or may disembark any passenger who, in the opinion of the ship's authorised personnel, might be excluded from landing at further destinations by local authorities or who may be suffering from any contagious or infectious disease, or whose presence may be detrimental to the wellbeing of passengers or crew. In cases of quarantine of the ship, or individual passengers (passengers may be required to remain in their cabin or as instructed by authorised personnel on board if they or any other occupant of the accommodation presents any symptoms or may be considered to put other passengers at risk) we will not be liable for expenses thus caused and in such cases as above there will be no entitlement to any refund or compensation and we will have no liability for costs incurred as a result.

Your specific passport and visa and health requirements and other immigration requirements are your responsibility and you should confirm these with the relevant Embassies and/or Consulates. We do not accept responsibility if you cannot travel because you have not complied with the latest requirements. If you have made independent travel arrangements you accept responsibility for joining the ship in good time, regardless of any change to the sailing time or date, or to the itinerary. We are not able to refund monies paid to us, or any third party acting on our or your behalf, or make compensation or other payments where, for whatever reason, you fail to join the ship. Passengers going ashore are responsible for re-boarding the ship prior to departure from port.

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whether or not owned or operated by Hurtigruten. Any part of the travel arrangements and the voyage is subject to cancellation, delay, modification, or island/mainland visit cancellation for any reason, including medical disembarkation of crew or passengers or any other circumstances beyond our or our suppliers' control. You therefore acknowledge and agree that the scheduled itinerary for the voyage and the announced departure and arrival times are not guaranteed and we shall not be liable to passengers for any damages or other claims in the event of any delay, changes in itinerary or inability to perform services by reason of any event or events beyond our or our suppliers' control.

#### 15. INSURANCE

It is a condition of the contract with us that every member of the booking has travel insurance in force for the entire duration of the booking, covering at least the cancellation of the booking and providing medical cover for illness or injury and repatriation while overseas. Please provide us with the name of your insurer, together with their 24-hour emergency number when you book or as soon as possible.

## 16. TIMINGS, DELAYS AND OTHER TRAVEL INFORMATION

Timings are estimates only and cannot be guaranteed, even if shown on tickets. They may be changed due to regulatory authority requirements, weather conditions, maintenance or technical reasons, and the ability of passengers to check in and board on time. Sometimes delays cannot be avoided but in such situations, in conjunction with our local agents or representatives, we will try to ensure your comfort during the course of any delay.

Where the port of embarkation is in the EU and the company reasonably expects the departure of a cruise to be delayed for more than 90 minutes beyond its scheduled departure time, passengers departing from port terminal shall be offered free of charge snacks, meals or refreshments as are appropriate given the waiting time, provided they are available and can reasonably be supplied. If the delay in departure necessitates a stay of one or more nights or a stay additional to that intended by the passenger, where and when physically possible the Company shall, subject to the Package Travel Regulations 1992 and the EU Directive 2015/2302 on Package Travel (and subsequent UK regulations) offer passengers departing from port terminals free of charge adequate accommodation on board or ashore, and transport to and from the port terminal and place of accommodation, in addition to the snacks, meals and

refreshments previously referred to. The maximum amount that the company will pay for accommodation ashore and transport to and from the port terminal shall be equivalent to 80 Euros per person per night for a maximum of three nights. The company will not have an obligation to provide such accommodation ashore where the delay is caused by weather conditions endangering the safe operation of the ship.

Please note the existence of a "Community list" (available for inspection at https://ec.europa.eu/transport/modes/air/safety/air-ban\_en) detailing air carriers that are subject to an operating ban with the EU Community.

#### 17. PROMPT ASSISTANCE

If the contract we have with you is not performed or is improperly performed as a result of failures attributable to you or a third party unconnected with the provision of the arrangements, or as a result of failures due to unusual and extraordinary circumstances, and you suffer an injury or other material loss, we will offer you such prompt assistance as is appropriate in the circumstances. In particular, we will provide you with appropriate information on health services, local authorities and consular assistance. and with distance communications and finding alternative travel arrangements.

Where you experience a delay which is not owing to any failure by us, our employees or sub-contractors, this prompt assistance is likely to extend to providing help in locating refreshments, accommodation and communications but not paying for them. Any airline or other transport supplier may however pay for or provide refreshments and/ or appropriate accommodation and you should make a claim directly to them Subject to the other terms of these conditions, we will not be liable for any costs, fees or charges you incur in the above circumstances, if you fail to obtain our prior authorisation before making your own travel arrangements.

## 18. VALIDITY OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS

These terms and conditions are valid from 23 September 2022 and the details and prices may be superseded. Changes may occur after the date of release, and some hotel/ship facilities may become unavailable. While this brochure features photography and descriptions of local wildlife, there is no guarantee of sightings.

#### 19. LAW AND JURISDICTION

Your contract shall be governed by English law and the jurisdiction of the English Courts. You may however choose the law and jurisdiction of Scotland or Northern Ireland if you wish to do so.

#### 20. DATA PROTECTION

In order to process your booking and ensure your travel arrangements run smoothly and meet your requirements we, Hurtigruten UK Ltd, need to use the information you provide such as name, address, any special needs/ dietary requirements etc. We take full responsibility for ensuring that proper security measures are in place to protect your information. We must pass the information on to the relevant suppliers of your travel arrangements such as airlines, ships, hotels, transport companies etc. The information may also be provided to security or credit checking companies, public authorities such as customs/immigration if required by them, or as required by law.

Additionally, where your holiday is outside the European Economic Area (EEA), controls on data protection in your destination may not be as strong as the legal requirements in this country. We will not pass any information on to any person not responsible for part of your travel arrangements. This applies to any sensitive information that you give to us such as details of any disabilities, or dietary/religious requirements. (If we cannot pass this information to the relevant suppliers, whether in the EEA or not, we cannot provide your booking. In making this booking, you consent to this information being passed on to the relevant persons.) Please note that where information is also held by your travel agent, this is subject to your agent's own data protection policy. Hurtigruten is not responsible for the privacy practices of any other companies.

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