

# STUNNING SCOTTLAND



AUGUST 14, 2021 – AUGUST 23, 2021

PRE-TOUR: AUGUST 12, 2021 — AUGUST 15, 2021

POST-TOUR: AUGUST 23, 2021 — AUGUST 25, 2021

# STUNNING SCOTLAND: HIGHLANDS & ISLANDS

From windswept highlands to serene islands, home to revered castles and iconic towns, Scotland is a vibrant country overflowing with rich history, inspiring landscapes, and proud and welcoming locals. Celebrate all this small but impactful nation has to offer through cultural and historical experiences curated to engage your senses.



Dear University of Michigan Alumni Traveler,

Please join fellow alumni and friends as we explore the inspiring history, exuberant culture, and fascinating sites of Scotland—from the bustling cities of Glasgow and Edinburgh, to the windswept islands of Skye and Arran—and the Highlands themselves.

While many travel destinations rightfully claim unique charm, how many share the unicorn as their national animal? Experience the pure magic that is Scotland by cruising the infamous Loch Ness to Inverness, sampling heavenly spirits refined over centuries, and taking in the iconic music that illustrates the tales of this extraordinary land. Wander cobblestoned streets on panoramic city tours, explore fascinating castles, tour the southern area of the Isle of Skye, visit delightful shops to browse works crafted by skilled masters, and perhaps even try on a traditional tartan or two.

This journey provides private access to Culloden Battlefield and Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum, plus behind-the-scenes access to Glamis Castle. An additional optional excursion allows guests with Scottish heritage an opportunity to delve deep into their ancestry and connect with Scotland's history on a personal level.

An additional special inclusion features the electric atmosphere of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo—a thrilling, international performance of music, dance, and military artistry. Witness the spellbinding sights and sounds of global talent accompanied by special effects that bring Edinburgh Castle to life in a unique way.

Accommodations for this grand adventure offer welcoming properties dotting the countryside, each providing splendid Scottish hospitality and the comforts of home.

Availability is limited. With significant savings of more than \$800 per couple, we anticipate this tour will fill quickly. Be certain to reserve your spot today and share this brochure with family and friends who may be interested in traveling with you.

Reserve today by calling (855) 764-0064 or by returning the enclosed reservation form.

Yours for Michigan,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steve Grafton". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Steve Grafton  
President, Alumni Association of the University of Michigan

*Please note: The information contained in this document is current as of 8/6/2020*

## Program Highlights:

- Discover Glasgow at leisure during a hop-on/hop-off bus excursion, including points of interest such as the Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow Cathedral, and Barras Market.
- Delight in a private, after-hours tour and special welcome dinner at Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum.
- Visit local distilleries to learn about whisky making from professionally trained guides followed by a tasting of their creations.
- Explore impressive Stirling Castle, situated on a volcanic outcrop on the River Forth, and hear of the castle's turbulent history, featuring great figures from Scotland's past, such as William Wallace, Robert the Bruce, and Mary, Queen of Scots.
- Learn about the history of the bagpipes and the tradition they served for battle and the clans.
- Behold Eilean Donan Castle—one of the most recognized castles in Scotland and the site of Bishop Donan's monastic cell created in 634 AD.
- Enjoy a relaxing excursion cruising the infamous Loch Ness.
- Stroll through the ruins of Urquhart Castle—an iconic structure rich with over 1,000 years of dramatic history.
- See Culloden Battlefield, which was the site of the final battle of the Jacobite Rising. Guests seeking to learn more about their Scottish heritage and ancestors who were in the battle may join an optional excursion (additional fee).
- Visit the Palace of Holyroodhouse—Queen Elizabeth's official residence in Scotland. Founded as a monastery in 1128, this property was once the home of Mary, Queen of Scots from 1561 to 1567.
- Witness the impressive showcase of military pipes and drums, Highland dancers, and marching formations of the celebrated Edinburgh Tattoo.
- Experience a special welcoming followed by an exclusive, behind-the-scenes tour at breathtaking Glamis Castle. This castle is the legendary setting for Shakespeare's *Macbeth*, the childhood home of Queen Elizabeth's mother, and the birthplace of Princess Margaret.
- Embrace the charming town of St. Andrews—home to Scotland's oldest and most prestigious university and the birthplace of golf, first played 600 years ago.
- **What's Included:** 8 nights hotel accommodations; 8 breakfasts, 3 lunches, and 7 dinners including a special welcome and farewell dinner; full guiding services of an Orbridge

- Travel Director and expert local guides; private motor coach transportation; admission to all locations listed on the 10-day itinerary, including the performance of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo; all ferry fees; luggage portorage; gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals; and airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.



## Itinerary:

### **Day 1: En Route from U.S.**

Saturday, August 14, 2021

### **Day 2: Arrive in Glasgow, Scotland**

Sunday, August 15, 2021

*Fàilte gu Alba!* Welcome to Scotland!

Today before gathering with fellow travelers, discover Glasgow's landmarks and attractions during a self-guided, hop-on/hop-off bus tour, featuring stops at the Gallery of Modern Art, Glasgow Cathedral, St. Mungo Museum of Religious Life & Art, Merchant Square, Barras Market, the People's Palace and Winter Gardens, and the Glasgow Science Centre, to name a few.

Tonight's highlight features a proper Scottish welcome dinner and private after-hours tour at Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum. Take delight in convivial conversation with fellow travelers about the adventures to come.

*Overnight: Malmaison Glasgow (D)*

### **Day 3: Glasgow / Isle of Arran / Glasgow**

Monday, August 16, 2021

After breakfast, take a scenic drive to the seaside town of Ardrossan where a ferry is ready to whisk you away to the Isle of Arran. On board, draw in the fresh Scottish air while admiring the passing views—the rocky coastline and green rolling hills converging into mountainous terrain.

Later today, visit a local distillery for a guided tour and tasting. *Slàinte!*

Return to the mainland by ferry, arriving at the hotel this evening for dinner at leisure—either at the hotel or at one of the nearby restaurants.

*Overnight: Malmaison Glasgow (B,L)*

### **Day 4: Glasgow / Stirling / Fort William**

Tuesday, August 17, 2021

Following breakfast, continue the journey north to Stirling, where the Lowlands meet the Highlands, for a guided tour of stately Stirling Castle and its lovely gardens. Known as one of Scotland's grandest castles, it looms over many of the most important battlefields in Scottish

history. Reflect atop Stirling Bridge—the site of William Wallace's victory over the English in 1297, and see Bannockburn—the spot of Robert the Bruce's defeat of the same adversary in 1314.

Often regarded as a symbol of Scottish independence and national pride, Stirling Castle has seen the life and death of almost every Scottish monarch up to the Union of the Crowns in 1603.

After lunch on your own, meet a local guide for a stroll through the quaint village of Luss, situated on the shores of Loch Lomond. Bask in this Scottish landscape and explore hidden gems the area has to offer.

Later, travel up the west coast of Scotland to Fort William for dinner followed by an evening at leisure.

*Overnight: Cruachan Hotel (B,D)*

### **Day 5: Fort William / Isle of Skye / Fort William**

Wednesday, August 18, 2021

This morning, venture to the most photographed castle in Scotland—the Eilean Donan—and capture an image of your own of its exterior. Easily one of the most recognizable structures, this Scottish icon is steeped in rich history. Originally built as a monastic cell in 634 AD by Bishop Donan, it was made into a castle around the 13th century. The structure sustained numerous modifications over the years until it was destroyed by the British Government in 1719. The castle laid in ruins for more than 200 years until being reconstructed as a family home by Lt. Col. John MacRae-Gilstrap in 1912.

Later, a special two-course lunch awaits, featuring fresh, local ingredients.

Take a short drive to the town of Mallaig to board a ferry bound for the Isle of Skye—an area renown for its natural beauty. Revel in a tour of the southern part of the island, overflowing with majestic mountains, enduring coastlines, and lush fields.

Today concludes with a lovely dinner at the property followed by a restful evening.

*Overnight: Cruachan Hotel (B,L,D)*

### **Day 6: Fort William / Loch Ness / Inverness**

Thursday, August 19, 2021

After breakfast, continue farther north to the famous Loch Ness to visit Urquhart Castle

nestled on shore. Urquhart Castle was once regarded as one of the greatest in all of the Highlands, having borne witness to some of Scotland's most dramatic historical moments. Control over the medieval fortress passed back and forth between the Scots and the English during the Wars of Independence. As those forces departed, the last government troops who occupied the castle destroyed it during the Jacobite Risings, leaving behind the ruins that stand today. Peer into medieval life—learning of the area's history from nearly 1,000 years ago—while observing a full-size trebuchet and a prison cell that is thought to have held the Gaelic bard, Dòmhall Donn.

Embark upon a serene, narrated cruise exploring the deep, mysterious waters of Loch Ness, which holds more fresh water than all of the lakes in England and Wales combined.

Later arrive to the idyllic city of Inverness on Scotland's northeast coast for brief leisure time in town. Many know Inverness as the capital of the Highlands, though it doesn't officially hold this title. Inverness has only been considered a city since 2000. The name comes from the Gaelic "Inbhir Nis," which means "Mouth of the River Ness." Inverness Castle is the site where Macbeth murdered King Duncan in Shakespeare's play.

After an enriching day of exploration, enjoy a relaxing dinner and a peaceful slumber at Kingsmills Hotel.

*Overnight: Kingsmills Hotel (B,D)*

## **Day 7: Inverness / Aberdeen**

Friday, August 20, 2021

This morning, experience private early access to Culloden Battlefield—the site of the final Jacobite Rising. One of the most harrowing battles in Scottish history, the Battle of Culloden only lasted an hour but would change Scotland and Highland culture forever. Inside the Culloden Visitor Centre, learn more about the conflict from both sides through interactive displays and artifacts before walking the actual battlefield. Reflect on this rebellious event while viewing the headstones of clansmen who gave their lives for the Jacobite cause.

An optional heritage excursion will be available for those wishing to delve into their Scottish ancestry and possible connections with the battle.

Following lunch, journey to Dufftown to taste the world's favorite single malt Scotch whisky at Glenfiddich Distillery (or similar). Built by hand by William Grant and his children in 1886, this Scottish whisky monument has barely changed over the years—the same warehouse and mash rooms exist today. Earthen floors, stone walls, and an age-old ambience conjure an intimate atmosphere in which to sip the fruits of Glenfiddich's labor. One taste of their iconic



single malt whisky reminds you that all good things really do take time.

Retreat to Macdonald Norwood Hall Hotel for dinner and this evening's stay.

*Overnight: Macdonald Norwood Hall Hotel (B,L,D)*

### **Day 8: Aberdeen / Edinburgh**

Saturday, August 21, 2021

After breakfast, travel south down Scotland's tranquil eastern coast, catching glimpses of the North Sea. Arrive in Edinburgh for a guided panoramic city tour of Scotland's beloved capital since the 15th century—through its Old and New Towns. This UNESCO World Heritage Site teems with remarkable architecture, medieval fixtures, and Georgian-inspired buildings, all converging at Princes Street with a unique view of Edinburgh Castle. See Calton Hill and its National Monument, rightfully giving Edinburgh its nickname: the "Athens of the North."

Afterward, visit the Palace of Holyroodhouse, the previous residence of Mary, Queen of Scots that was founded as a monastery in 1128. This property once hosted other royalty, including the Bonnie Prince Charlie and the current Queen of England, Elizabeth II. Tour the 14 historic state apartments and imagine life of yesteryear while marveling at the intricate drapery, old wood paneling, and ornately designed ceilings. The Queen's Gallery at the Palace of Holyroodhouse hosts a program of changing exhibitions from the Royal Collection. Behold the natural beauty of the palace gardens' rolling lush green pastures, vibrant flowers, and Wentworth Elm trees, which were previously thought to have been extinct.

This evening presents a wonderful dinner and unforgettable performance of one of the most iconic events on this city's calendar—the Edinburgh Military Tattoo—as the sun sets against the backdrop of Edinburgh's grand castle. The Tattoo has a proud Scottish history, stretching back almost seven decades initially inspired by a simple show called "Something About a Soldier" performed in 1949 at the Ross Bandstand which is still located in Princess Street Gardens just below the Castle. This event celebrates the skills of military bands and display teams from the British Armed Forces, the Commonwealth, and military teams throughout the world. Prepare for goosebumps as the strains of bagpipes fill the night air along the beating of drums. Lit torches, flying flags, an impressive light display, dancing, colorful dress, and intricate marching formations complete the emotionally stirring pageantry. Among the many favorites of spectators is the Top Secret Drum Corps of Switzerland. Their talent and precision is a marvel to behold and must be seen to be appreciated. In a previous performance, the Corps' drumsticks also served as flutes! Cheer and clap along with the crowd at this first-class synchronized and entertaining show. Be sure to dress in layers for the outdoors as the seating in the esplanade is uncovered.

*Overnight: Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel (B,D)*

### **Day 9: Edinburgh / St. Andrews / Edinburgh**

Sunday, August 22, 2021

Today visit Glamis Castle—a living, breathing monument to Scottish heritage. Here at the family home of the Earls of Strathmore and Kinghorne, an exclusive behind-the-scenes tour awaits. Enjoy refreshments in the 16th century kitchen. See why Glamis Castle has become a stunning treasure that is rich with colorful vitality—from remarkable paintings to unique furniture pieces and precise architectural details. This castle was gifted by Robert the Bruce to the Bowes-Lyon family in 1372 and was originally a royal hunting lodge. It's perhaps best known as the childhood home of the Queen Mother, the birthplace of Princess Margaret, and the setting of Shakespeare's *Macbeth*. Visitors are impressed with the estate, comprising more than 13,500 acres, and are intrigued by the mysterious, strange, and ghostly tales attached to it. Secret chambers have always been associated with Glamis. It's said if one counts the windows on the outside and compares that number with the windows counted on the inside, there are two windows missing, indicating at least one secret room.

Delight in a musical tour of the history and workings of the bagpipe. Learn the basic finger work of piping and take a turn to "blaw and squeeze" the instrument. This fun and informative workshop features anecdotes from the piping world along with loads of giggles.

Later, at charming St. Andrews, drive by the Old Course and explore the local cafés and boutique shops during leisure time. Admire the medieval architecture of the university and

marvel at the perfectly manicured golf courses here, at what is considered to be the birthplace of golf. Gazing towards the water, notice an iconic piece of Scottish landscape—the West Sands—famous for the opening sequence of *Chariots of Fire*.

This grand adventure concludes with a special, five-course farewell dinner at the Cannonball Restaurant & Bar to reminisce over the past week's travels and bid *soraidh* ("farewell" in Gaelic) to Scotland. Savor a fine meal of award-winning, seasonal Scottish dishes in the heart of the old town with fabulous views of the city, Edinburgh Castle, and beyond. The restaurant's owners (a husband and wife duo) continue their family's century-old tradition of creating Scottish dishes with an Italian twist, paying homage to their heritage.

*Overnight: Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel (B,D)*

### **Day 10: Edinburgh / Depart for U.S.**

Monday, August 23, 2021

After breakfast, guests departing during the suggested times take the complimentary transfer to Edinburgh Airport for flights home. (B)

B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner

(Itinerary subject to change.)

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## Activity Level:

### **Moderate**

The majority of the program's activities will take place outdoors and a fair amount of walking on varying terrain is to be expected. It is our expectation that guests on this program are able to walk a mile at a moderate pace, get in and out of transportation, and walk up a flight of stairs without assistance.

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## What's Included:

- 8 nights hotel accommodations
- 8 breakfasts, 3 lunches, and 7 dinners, including a special welcome and farewell dinner
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director and expert local guides

- Private motor coach transportation
  - Admission to all locations listed on the 10-day itinerary, including the performance of the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo
  - All ferry fees
  - Luggage portage
  - Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals
  - Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times
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## Your Guide(s):

### Orbridge Travel Director



Every departure is accompanied by one of our premier Travel Directors, all of whom have extensive knowledge and experience as guides. Enriched by their accompaniment and enthusiasm, enjoy the cultures and locations you explore with added confidence, understanding, and appreciation.

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## Program Accommodations:

### Malmaison Glasgow



August 15 - August 16

Formerly a Greek Orthodox Church, this boutique hotel features incredibly designed guest rooms and an impressive restaurant, which serves seasonal, Scottish flavors with a French brasserie-influence, located in the vaulted basement.

*Room Amenities: Individual climate control, flat-screen TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, phone, tea kettle, minibar, iron and ironing board, and en suite bathroom with sundries and hair dryer.*

### Cruachan Hotel



August 17 - August 18

Enjoy the comforts of this well-appointed hotel just outside of Fort William. Visit the outdoor terrace for spectacular views across Loch Linnhe to the Morvern Hills. The on-site lounge and restaurant provide a convivial atmosphere and delicious food and beverage options.

*Room Amenities: Individual climate control, writing desk, TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, phone, coffee and tea maker, iron and ironing board, and en suite bathroom with sundries and hair dryer.*

### Kingsmills Hotel



August 19

Dating back to the 18th century, Kingsmills Hotel has hosted various philanthropists, soldiers seeking refuge, and Robert Burns—the famous Scottish poet and lyricist.

The property offers a unique mix of classic style and contemporary comforts, with spacious guest rooms boasting charming décor and modern amenities.

*Room Amenities: TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, phone, coffee and tea maker, safe, and en suite bathroom with sundries and hair dryer.*

*Note: This property does not have air conditioning.*

## Norwood Hall Hotel



August 20

Built in 1881 on the site of the 15th-century Pitfodells Castle, this magnificent Victorian mansion exudes character and charm, with roaring log fires, sweeping staircases, and classic décor.

Situated amongst seven acres of secluded gardens and expansive woods, the property offers modern amenities, award-winning facilities, and welcoming hospitality.

*Room Amenities: TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, and en suite bathroom with sundries and hair dryer.*

*Note: This property does not have air conditioning.*

## Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel



August 21 - August 22

Ideally located beside New Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, this property—which features seven interconnected Georgian townhouses—overlooks one of Edinburgh’s prettiest private garden squares. Excellent service blends with a newly renovated interior of handsome woods, plush fabrics, and rich pops of color. During leisure time, take advantage of the indoor pool or well-equipped fitness room.

*Room Amenities: Individual climate control, TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, coffee maker, minibar, safe, and marble en suite bathroom with premium sundries and hair dryer.*

*NOTE: Numerous points of interest on this program are in remote locations, therefore accommodation options are often limited. The properties selected are the best available.*

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### **Deluxe Accommodations Package (availability limited)**

While all properties provide comfortable accommodations, guests may choose to purchase the Deluxe Accommodations Package, which includes the following upgrades:

- **Malmaison Glasgow:** Upgrade to Mal Club Room—a larger room.
- **Kingsmills Hotel:** Upgrade to Patio Room—featuring a private outdoor patio with access to the beautiful gardens.
- **Norwood Hall Hotel:** Upgrade to Feature King Room—a larger room.
- **Kimpton Charlotte Square Hotel:** Upgrade to Junior Suite—a larger room.

(Accommodations subject to change.)

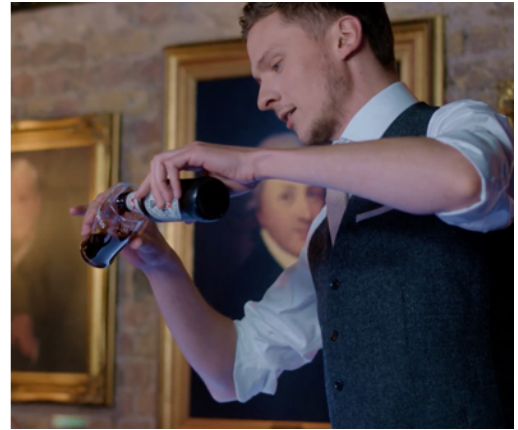
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Optional Pre-Tour:

# DECIDEDLY DUBLIN: TOURS, TOASTS, AND TALES



Famous for its *craic* ("crack")—a mixture of repartee, humor, and intelligence—Dublin has attracted visitors for centuries. Embrace the Emerald Isle's time-honored traditions, and discover present-day modernizations during a walking tour of the city, visits to a museum and brewery, and an evening filled with lively storytelling and music.

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## Itinerary:

### **Day +1: En Route from U.S.**

Thursday, August 12, 2021

### **Day +2: Arrive in Dublin, Ireland**

Friday, August 13, 2021

Welcome to Ireland! Upon arrival, meet with a local guide for an early afternoon walking tour of lively Dublin, named "Europe's friendliest" twice by TripAdvisor and one of Lonely Planet's "Top 10 Cities in the World" to visit.

Dublin is a city with a soul—a place that retains and appreciates the importance of genuine human interaction. Founded in 841 by the Vikings, the area's interesting past and many monuments tell of its fascinating history. Today, this cosmopolitan capital of the Irish

Republic is host to more than one million residents. Taking advantage of its compact size, the informative and entertaining walking tour of Dublin allows visitors to soak in the captivating atmosphere and buzz.

Start with a dedication to Ireland's most famous literary son at the Oscar Wilde statue in Merrion Square. Continue past the sprawling campus of Trinity College, and pause at the imposing gates. Stop at the Molly Malone statue to hear the part mythological, part historical tale of Molly Malone, who was immortalized in the famous song named after her. See Christchurch Cathedral, Dublin's oldest working structure, which has been welcoming pilgrims for more than 1,000 years. Continue through the Temple Bar area, a pleasant cobbled area full of restaurants and shops during the day and a lively warren of bustling bars after nightfall. Finally, cross over the River Liffey by the unique, white-arched Ha'penny Bridge.

Next, visit EPIC, The Irish Museum of Emigration. This state-of-the-art, interactive, and award-winning facility is located inside the beautiful vaults of the 1820 Custom House Quarter building in Dublin's Docklands—the original departure point for so many of Ireland's emigrants. It inspires and guides a journey of discovery with stories of Irish emigration around the world, from early times to modern day. Over centuries, some 10 million people have left the island of Ireland. Step through 20 themed galleries to learn why people chose to leave, see how they influenced the world, and feel the connection between descendants and Ireland today. Via engaging displays, short movies, and interesting artifacts, remarkable stories of sacrifice, endurance, and adventure are brought to life. EPIC is a must-see to learn more about Ireland, and for those interested in personal Irish ancestry, the Irish Family History Centre is also located here.

Afterward, check into The Davenport—home for the next two nights—for a relaxing evening at leisure.

*Overnight: The Davenport*

### **Day +3: Dublin**

Saturday, August 14, 2021

Awaken and indulge in a full Irish breakfast at the hotel followed by time to explore Dublin at leisure. Perhaps visit a café for Irish coffee and conversation with the locals, pop into one of the charming shops on Grafton Street, or simply meander the cobblestone roads and take in the picturesque sights of this bustling city.

On tap this afternoon is Guinness Brewery's exclusive Connoisseur Experience at the Guinness Storehouse. Back in 1759, an enterprising brewer named Arthur Guinness took

out a 9,000-year lease on this brewery for an annual rent of £45. Opened in 1904, the Storehouse was an operational plant for fermenting and storing Guinness. Today, the brewery is Ireland's most popular tourist attraction and Europe's largest stout-producing brewery. It also features a very fine exhibition dedicated to the Guinness story.

Throughout seven floors, guests learn the craft of making this quintessential brew—the ingredients, brewing process, time, and passion. One exhibition illustrates how the brew has been marketed and sold in more than 150 countries.

At the Guinness Academy, learn the art of pulling a pint of Guinness—a six-step ritual as legendary as the beer itself—taking 119.5 seconds from iconic surge of the pour to the eventual settle. In the private Connoisseur Bar, relish a personal Guinness tasting like no other. Taste the different types of Guinness while an expert guide/barman orchestrates a journey right to the heart of the black stuff. Raise a glass and toast *Sláinte!*—an Irish expression meaning "to good health."

Later, experience an unforgettable evening of dinner, entertainment, and Irish storytelling at O'Shea's of Talbot Street. This family-run traditional bar and restaurant charms guests with old-world appeal, delicious homemade food, and regular live Irish music and dance. Wooden floors and exposed brick walls of this Georgian building set the warm atmosphere for international and Irish cuisine, including dishes featuring Kerry Beef and locally caught salmon. After a day of sightseeing, unwind with the welcoming staff and perhaps savor a specialty whisky or beer selection with a turn on the dance floor.

*Overnight: The Davenport (B,D)*

#### **Day +4: Dublin / Flight to Glasgow / Main Program Begins**

Sunday, August 15, 2021

After breakfast, guests departing during the suggested time will take a complimentary group transfer to Dublin Airport for the flight to Glasgow, Scotland, to join guests for the main program. (B)

B = Breakfast, D = Dinner

*This pre-tour is not escorted by an Orbridge Travel Director. Included sightseeing is accompanied by a local guide. Space is limited, so it's recommended to reserve early for best availability.*

(Itinerary subject to change.)

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**Activity Level:**

## **Moderate**

Activities are generally not very strenuous, but a fair amount of walking can be expected. It is our expectation that guests on this program are able to follow a guide through paved and unpaved streets of even and uneven terrain at an average pace for two hours. Guests should have the ability to walk up and down stairs without assistance. Due to the nature of some structures, handrails may not be present, and facilities for people with disabilities may be limited. Participation in itinerary activities is up to the individual.

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## Accommodations:

### The Davenport



August 13 - August 14

The Davenport is a traditional, stylish boutique property located in the heart of Georgian Dublin and reimagined with outstanding 21st-century facilities. Built as a church in 1863, it still retains its original neo-classical exterior frontage and recreates the elegance and charm of that era. The hotel features 114 guest rooms, an on-site restaurant, and a bar that's frequented by guests and locals. Conveniently located in Merrion Square, it's within minutes of Grafton Street, O'Connell Street, Trinity College, city centre museums, and Dublin's galleries.

*Room Amenities: Individual climate control, spacious sitting area, TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, phone, coffee and tea maker, iron and ironing board, and en suite bathroom with sundries and hair dryer.*

(Accommodations subject to change.)

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## What's Included:

- 2 nights accommodations at The Davenport with a full Irish breakfast each morning
- Guided walking city tour of Dublin
- Admission to EPIC, The Irish Emigration Museum
- Admission to the Guinness Storehouse, including the Connoisseur Experience
- Dinner and Irish storytelling at O'Shea's Pub
- Gratuities to local guides, hotel housekeeping staff, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals
- Group airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

Optional Post-Tour:

# ST. ANDREWS



Famous for its golf links, stunning coastline, and architecture, St. Andrews is a beautiful university town worth considering to cap off your travel adventure in Scotland. En route to St. Andrews, see the Falkirk Wheel, one of the greatest examples of modern industrial design in the world. Then, while in St. Andrews, enjoy a walking tour at the Old Course with leisure time to independently explore ancient ruins, a vibrant shopping scene, museums, or indulge in the adored gelato, craft gin, bespoke whisky, and small-batch beer possibilities.

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## Itinerary:

### **Day 10: Edinburgh / St. Andrews**

Monday, August 23, 2021

En route to St. Andrews, visit the Falkirk Wheel.

Standing 115 feet tall, the Falkirk Wheel is an exceptional feat of modern engineering and an inspirational work of art. Designed to reconnect the Forth and Clyde Canal and the Union Canal, this remarkable and elegant mechanical marvel is the only rotating boat lift in the world. The Falkirk Wheel lies at the end of a reinforced concrete aqueduct that connects, via the Roughcastle tunnel and a double staircase lock, to the Union Canal. Boats entering the Wheel's upper gondola are lowered, along with the water that they float in, to

the basin below. At the same time, an equal weight rises up, lifted in the other gondola. Visitors enjoy "The Falkirk Wheel Experience" using special "trip" boats at the site and the distinctive new visitor center gives an absolutely sensational viewpoint from which to see things in action.

Continue to St. Andrews—the Home of Golf—and enjoy lunch at a local pub/restaurant. The food scene here is on point!

Afterward, set out on a walking tour of the legendary Old Course. A bucket list pilgrimage site for golf lovers, follow in the footsteps of legends, and experience why pro golfer Jack Nicklaus said of here, "I fell in love with it the first day I played it. There's just no other golf course that is even remotely close."

The remainder of the day and evening are at leisure.

*Overnight: Old Course Hotel (L)*

## **Day 11: St. Andrews**

Tuesday, August 24, 2021

After breakfast, make today in St. Andrews "your way" with the choice of optional activities available for purchase or independent exploration.

### **Golf Tee Time (\$249/person):**

Golf enthusiasts may choose to play a round on St. Andrews' Duke's course. The Duke's is highly regarded as one of the finest championship courses in the British Isles and a must-play course for any golfer. Its style ranks alongside the great inland challenges, which demand accuracy and inventive play as well as power golf. And with five separate tee positions at every hole, The Duke's has the flexibility and challenge to appeal to golfers at every level, with the venue being chosen to host the 2014 International European Amateur Championship, one of the four majors in the world of amateur golf. (Includes greens fee, golf cart, rental clubs, and roundtrip transfers between the hotel and course.)

### **Afternoon Tea Time (\$49/person):**

Non-golfers may instead choose to experience an award-winning afternoon tea with champagne and desserts at the Old Course Hotel, featuring a delicious selection of delicate pastries and cakes, including homemade scones and strawberry and pink champagne preserve.

*Overnight: Old Course Hotel (B)*



## **Day 12: St. Andrews / Edinburgh / Depart for U.S.**

Wednesday, August 25, 2021

After breakfast, bid a fond farewell to Scotland. Guests departing during the suggested times take the complimentary transfer to Edinburgh Airport for flights home. (B)

B = Breakfast, L = Lunch

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(Itinerary subject to change.)

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### **Activity Level:**

#### **Moderate**

It is our expectation that guests on this program are able to walk a mile at a moderate pace, get in and out of a motor coach, and walk up a flight of stairs without assistance.

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## Accommodations:

### Old Course Hotel



August 23 - August 24

Bordering the renowned 17th "Road Hole" of the Old Course in the Home of Golf, the Old Course Hotel boasts a spectacular location overlooking the famous links courses, the West Sands beach and the beautiful Scottish coastline. This prestigious five-star hotel has 144 rooms including 35 suites and is recognized as one of Europe's leading resorts. The Old Course Hotel features a combination of classically elegant and contemporary interiors, and French designer Jacques Garcia designed many of the hotel's suites. Located just a short stroll from the historic university town of St Andrews, it's a great vacation spot for golfers and non-golfers alike.

*Room Amenities: Individual climate control, writing desk, interactive flat-screen TV, complimentary Wi-Fi, phone, coffee and tea maker, minibar, robes and slippers, and en suite bathroom with sundries and hair dryer.*

### Deluxe Accommodations Upgrade (availability limited)

While the Old Course Hotel accommodations are exceptional, guests wishing the ultimate indulgence may choose to purchase the Deluxe Upgrade, which features lodging in an Old Course Room, offering a bird's-eye view of the world's most famous golf course.

(Accommodations subject to change.)

## What's Included:

- 2 nights accommodations at the Old Course Hotel
- 2 breakfasts and 1 lunch
- Admission and fees for included activities
- Gratuities to local guides, drivers, and porters

- Private transportation
- Airport transfers for guests departing during the suggested times



# Stunning Scotland: Highlands & Islands

AUGUST 14, 2021 — AUGUST 23, 2021

PRE-TOUR: AUGUST 12, 2021 — AUGUST 15, 2021

POST-TOUR: AUGUST 23, 2021 — AUGUST 25, 2021

PROGRAM RATES\*

Double: \$5,495

Deluxe Double: \$6,295

Single: \$7,995

Deluxe Single: \$8,995

PRE-TOUR RATE\*\*

Double: \$995

Single: \$1,395

—airfare to main program not included—

POST-TOUR RATE\*\*\*

Double: \$1,295

Deluxe Double: \$1,495

Single: \$1,895

Deluxe Single: \$2,295

**Reserve by Credit Card:**

Call: (855) 764-0064

**Reserve by Check:**

Made payable to **Orbridge, LLC**

Mail to: Alumni Association Travel

The University of Michigan

555 Briarwood Circle, Suite 140

Ann Arbor, MI 48108

**GUEST INFORMATION:**

Guest #1 Name (Title/Salutation): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest #2 Name (Title/Salutation): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPOSIT PAYMENT:**

Check    ACH (Automated Clearing House)    MasterCard/Visa    American Express    Discover

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CWV: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (as printed on card): \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**CATEGORY SELECTION & DEPOSIT:**

Category Preference: 1st choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining pre-tour (\$500/person) +

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining program (\$850/person) +

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining post-tour (\$500/person) = **TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

Post-Tour Category (choose one):  Double  Deluxe Double  Single  Deluxe Single

**SCOTTISH HERITAGE & HISTORY EXCURSION** (added to your final invoice):

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining optional excursion (\$72/person)

**POST-TOUR EXCURSIONS** (added to your final invoice):

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining optional Golf Tee Time (\$249/person)

# \_\_\_\_\_ guests joining optional Afternoon Tea Time (\$49/person)

I/we have read, understand, and agree to the full Terms & Conditions at [terms.orbridge.com](http://terms.orbridge.com) and detailed in program documents; and that Orbridge, LLC is authorized to charge my credit card above and/or take my/our deposit for this program.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Special group rates; limited offer. Rates are per person based on double occupancy except where noted as Single, in U.S. dollars. Single availability limited. Airfare not included.*

*\*\*Pre-tour rate is per person based on double occupancy except where noted as Single, in U.S. dollars. Single availability limited. Airfare not included.*

*\*\*\*Post-tour rate is per person based on double occupancy except where noted as Single, in U.S. dollars. Single availability limited. Airfare not included.*

# Terms and Conditions

**THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND CONDITIONS ARE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020,  
AND APPLY TO NEW RESERVATIONS RECEIVED BY ORBRIDGE ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2020.**

**Note: Travel credits and transfers are subject to the Terms and Conditions agreed upon at the time of the original reservation.**

**ORBRIDGE® TERMS AND CONDITIONS, RELEASE AND BINDING ARBITRATION AGREEMENT**

This Agreement includes contractual terms and conditions and releases Orbridge, LLC from liability. Any payment to Orbridge, including but not limited to deposits or full payments, constitutes your acknowledgement of, and agreement to, this Terms and Conditions, Release and Binding Arbitration Agreement Orbridge set forth below and in subsequent tour documents.

**Limitation of Responsibility.** Orbridge LLC, its shareholders, directors, officers, employees and affiliates (collectively, "Orbridge"), does not own or operate any entity that provides goods or services for your trip including, for example, ownership or control over hotels or other lodging facilities, airline, vessel, bus, van or other transportation companies, local ground operators, providers or organizers of optional excursions or equipment used thereon, food service or entertainment providers, etc., even if they use the "Orbridge LLC" or "Orbridge" name. All such persons and entities are independent contractors. As a result, Orbridge is not liable for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any such person or entity, or of any other third party. Without limitation, Orbridge is not responsible for any injury, loss, or damage to person or property, death, delay or inconvenience (collectively, "losses") in connection with the provision of any goods or services occasioned by or resulting from, but not limited to, acts of God, acts of government, force majeure, acts of war or civil unrest, insurrection or revolt, strikes or other labor activities, criminal or terrorist activities of any kind, or the threat thereof, overbooking or downgrading of accommodations, structural or other defective conditions in hotels or other lodging or vessel facilities, mechanical or other failure of airplanes or other means of transportation or for any failure of any transportation mechanism to arrive or depart timely or safely, dangers associated with or bites from animals, pests or insects, marine life or vegetation of any sort, dangers incident to recreational activities such as scuba diving, snorkeling, paddle boarding, surfing, swimming, kayaking, sailing, canoeing, rafting, hiking, bicycling, rock climbing, etc., sanitation problems, food poisoning, lack of access to or quality of medical care, difficulty in evacuation in case of a medical or other emergency, illness, epidemics, pandemics or the threat thereof or for any other cause beyond the direct control of Orbridge. In addition, I release Orbridge from its own negligence and assume all risk thereof.

**Rates.** Program rates are based on minimum participation levels, current fares and costs (air, water, land), tariffs and currency values. While Orbridge does everything possible to maintain the listed program rates, they are subject to change effective immediately upon posting unless otherwise specified by Orbridge. In the case of invoicing errors, we reserve the right to re-invoice with the correct pricing.

**Reservations, Deposits and Final Payment.** To secure your reservation, deposits are due upon placing a reservation as follows: (1) \$850 per person per program and \$500 per person per pre-tour and/or post-tour except for programs noted in (2) and (3); (2) \$2,500 per person for Antarctica and Trans-Siberian Railway and \$500 per person per pre-tour and/or post-tour; (3) a non-refundable \$1,500 per person is due for Tanzania Migration Safari's Rwanda pre-tour. Deposits are payable by check, automated clearing house ("ACH"), wire transfer or major credit card.

Final payment, including any pre-tour and/or post-tour, optional excursion(s) fees and optional electives, is payable by check, ACH or wire transfer, and is due for: (1) all programs except Antarctica and Trans-Siberian Railway—no later than 90 days prior to the program's scheduled departure date; (2) Antarctica and Trans-Siberian Railway—no later than 150 days prior to the program's scheduled departure date.

If your reservation is made between the final payment due date and the program's scheduled departure date, the full cost of the program, plus any pre-tour and/or post-tour, optional excursion(s) fees and optional electives, is due at the time of registration, payable by check, ACH or wire transfer.

Final payments made by credit card are subject to a 2% transaction fee.

If final payment is not received by Orbridge by the final payment due date, Orbridge may, at any time and with or without notice, cancel your reservation in its sole discretion with no right of refund.

**Reservation Grace Period.** Reservations made no sooner than 120 calendar days prior to all programs' scheduled departure date, except Antarctica and Trans-Siberian Railway, and no sooner than 180 calendar days prior to Antarctica and Trans-Siberian Railway's departure dates may be cancelled within thirty (30) calendar days following the reservation date ("Grace Period") for a full refund of all payments received by Orbridge to effectively terminate the reservation.

All payments made for Tanzania Wildlife Safari's Rwanda pre-tour are non-transferrable and non-refundable.

Notice of termination must be in writing, must be received by Orbridge during the Grace Period, and is effective only on timely receipt of such written notice by Orbridge.

For all other reservations and cancellations, the terms of the Cancellations, Credits and Refunds section below apply.

**Cancellations, Credits and Refunds.** All cancellations must be submitted to Orbridge in writing and will be processed as follows:

(a) For all programs except those noted in (b) and (c), if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge 90 or more calendar days prior to the program's scheduled departure date, a \$500 refund and a \$350 future travel credit ("FTC") will be issued for the main tour and a \$300 refund and a \$200 FTC will be issued for the pre-tour and/or post-tour. The FTC may be applied against final payment to a future Orbridge program. The FTC is valid through December 31, two years after the current calendar year and is transferable at no additional fee. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge between 89 and 60 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 25% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program, including any pre-tours and/or post-tours. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge between 59 and 30 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 50% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program, including any pre-tours and/or post-tours. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge within 29 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 100% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program, including any pre-tours and/or post-tours.

(b) For Antarctica and Trans-Siberian Railway, if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge 180 or more calendar days prior to the scheduled departure date, a \$1,500 refund and a \$1,000 FTC will be issued for the main tour and a \$300 refund and a \$200 FTC will be issued for the pre-tour and/or post-tour. The FTC may be applied against final payment to a future Orbridge program. The FTC is valid through December 31, two years after the current calendar year and is transferable at no additional fee. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge between 179 and 150 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 25% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program, including any pre-tours and/or post-tours. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge between 149 and 120 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 50% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program, including any pre-tours and/or post-tours. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge within 119 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 100% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program, including any pre-tours and/or post-tours.

(c) All payments made for Tanzania Wildlife Safari's Rwanda pre-tour are non-refundable at all times.

In addition to and not in lieu of the foregoing, a Cancellation Fee equal to 100% of the carrier charge applies to all non-refundable airfares due to your cancellation made at any time prior to the scheduled program departure date, as applicable. Refunds, if any, will be processed within 30 calendar days of our receipt of your written notice.

**Travel Insurance.** Orbridge strongly recommends that you purchase travel and cancellation insurance to protect your investment in the event of unexpected or unforeseen circumstances. In addition, we recommend that you consider obtaining a policy(ies) that will cover emergency medical evacuation insurance and cancel for any reason insurance. Travel and cancellation insurance policies and dates by which policies must be purchased varies by provider/insurer, maximum coverage (including cancel for any reason) is generally only available for purchase within 14 days of your reservation being confirmed. It is advised to determine your insurance needs and make necessary arrangements soon after reserving on tour. If you do not have, but are interested in purchasing, travel and cancellation insurance please contact us.

**Cancelled or Postponed Programs.** All programs are subject to cancellation or postponement by Orbridge prior to the scheduled departure date for such reasons as, but not limited to, insufficient participation, or logistical problems that, in Orbridge's sole judgment, may impede program operations or represent conditions or events that may expose program guests and/or Orbridge to undue risk of harm, injury, damage or inconvenience. In the event of program cancellation or postponement by Orbridge, Orbridge may offer you alternative arrangements such as the option to join the same tour on a different date or a different tour. If the price of your alternative booking is lower than your original booking price, Orbridge will refund the difference within 30 days of the alternative program's departure date. If it is higher than your original booking price, Orbridge will invoice you the difference and you will be responsible therefor. Transferred guests are subject to the terms of the original tour. Except for force majeure or other events described in the Limitation of Responsibility and Cancellation, Credits and Refunds clauses, Orbridge will refund all payments made to Orbridge within 30 calendar days of notice of program cancellation or postponement if an alternative arrangement is not offered.

**Itineraries.** Accommodations, the itinerary, travel directors or expedition leaders, lecturers, hosts, faculty or organization representative, and arranged excursions are subject to change or substitution at any time due to unforeseen circumstances or circumstances beyond Orbridge's control. Reasonable efforts will be made to operate programs as planned, however adjustments, substitutions and changes may occur after the final itinerary has been issued. Orbridge may, in its sole discretion, withdraw a program or any part of it, make such alterations or substitutions to the itinerary or program inclusions as it deems necessary or desirable, and pass on to program participants any expenditures or additional costs caused by any such adjustments, or by delays or events beyond its reasonable control.

**Not Included.** Unless otherwise specifically noted in the itinerary, program prices do not include the following expenses, which if applicable are your sole responsibility to pay and satisfy: trip cancellation insurance and passenger travel protection plan; domestic, international, and internal airfares except as indicated in program inclusions; transfers and luggage handling fees except in connection with scheduled group flights; costs associated with obtaining passports or entry visas; airport departure taxes; airline ticketing fees; airport transfers when arriving/departing on other than scheduled group dates; excess baggage charges; any new value added taxes or other taxes added to program costs by applicable governmental authorities; gratuities to drivers, guides, or ship's crew not specified; meals and beverages other than those specified as being included in the itinerary; sightseeing not included in the itinerary; personal expenses such as laundry, communication charges and optional activities (which are subject to availability); ship, air, or transportation fuel surcharges, if applicable; any items not on the "included" list of the tour documents

**Health and Fitness to Travel.** Through your participation in your tour, you assume responsibility for your own health, safety, and welfare and acknowledge that Orbridge cannot absolutely guarantee your safety or health. Your physician can provide guidance on your personal health risk and precautions to take while traveling. Some programs include physically active elements. To enjoy these programs as intended, a minimum level of fitness is required and Orbridge will require all guests to follow local, state, national and/or World Health Organization health and safety mandates. Accordingly, you must be in good physical and mental condition to participate. You represent that you have no physical, mental or other condition, impairment or disability that may or will cause or create a risk of injury or other hazard to yourself or others in respect to any aspect of the program you have selected. Orbridge may, in its sole discretion, limit, restrict or prohibit participation in any aspect of any program any individual that it considers in its sole discretion to be impaired or unsuitable due to fitness level. In addition, Orbridge may, in its sole discretion and at the participant's sole expense, remove the guest from the program, or restrict the program-related activities of any individual whose physical or mental condition may or is likely to cause a hazard to himself/herself or others, or otherwise impair the enjoyment of other program participants. Any physical condition requiring special attention, diet, or treatment must be reported in writing to Orbridge at the time a program reservation is made. Should you have any questions or need any clarification about a specific program, please ask for details at the time of registration. Orbridge will try to accommodate your situation if possible.

**Accessibility.** Orbridge cannot guarantee that the transportation, lodging, and entertainment/sightseeing accommodations will be accessible to all persons regardless of their physical and mental condition. In addition, many of the activities involved in each program include walking or the like for some distance on uneven ground or pavement or moving water as well as the ability to walk up and down stairs without assistance. Should any individuals seeking to participate in a travel opportunity need special accommodations to ensure their enjoyment of the trip, kindly provide notice at the time the reservation is submitted, and we will see if your participation is feasible. Please understand that the Americans with Disabilities Act is inapplicable outside the United States.

At the time of reservation, Orbridge needs to be notified to determine if the special needs of an individual traveler can be met through special arrangements. It is possible that minor modifications to the services can be provided, but only if Orbridge is made specifically aware of anticipated needs. This notification should be made in writing no less than two weeks prior to the planned travel. Neither Orbridge nor any of the providers of transportation, lodging, or other services can provide special accommodations without this advance notice.

Where an individual with certain specific needs will be traveling with a group, it is necessary for other members of that person's group to be available to assist as necessary. Neither employees of Orbridge nor any suppliers of services can allow any of their employees to provide physical assistance to any guests.

**Travel Advisories.** The State Department and the Centers for Disease Control periodically issue statements and advisories about risks to travelers. These statements are country specific and contain important information. The State Department information can be found at [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov), and the CDC statements can be found at <http://www.cdc.gov>. Orbridge highly recommends everyone to review these sites.

**Children.** Orbridge welcomes the participation of children in most of its programs. However, in the event you do include your children or other minors for whom you serve as legal guardian ("Dependents") in your travel plans, you hereby agree that you are and shall be at all times solely responsible for their care, actions, safety and protection during the program and any pre-tour and/or post-tour. Should you have any questions whether a particular program or inclusion is possible or suitable for your Dependent(s), please contact us.

**Baggage.** Program rates include the price of one piece of policy-compliant baggage per person during the land or cruise portion of the program only unless specified in the itinerary. Air carriers, and motor coaches often impose significant other restrictions or limitations on the number of pieces, size and weight of luggage and may reject or impose additional fees on luggage exceeding such limitations or restrictions. All such fees are your sole cost and responsibility. In addition and regardless of location or transportation method, your baggage and personal effects are and shall at all times be at your sole risk throughout the entire program. Please check with your air carrier for other applicable baggage restrictions and limitations.

**Travel Documents.** All guests are responsible for possessing and maintaining necessary travel documents. These documents shall be valid under state, federal law and as required by foreign countries being visited. Orbridge is not responsible for invalid travel documents and repercussions thereof.

For U.S. citizens, valid passports are required for travel to foreign destinations and some countries require specific visas prior to entry. Please direct any questions in respect to visa requirements to Orbridge, which shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide answers as a courtesy, provided that it shall remain your sole responsibility and obligation to obtain and verify that you have all required travel documents, including visas, necessary and appropriate for the program location(s) and sufficient blank pages in your passport for visas and immigration stamps. In addition, some countries require your passport have an expiry date of not less than six months after your anticipated return to the United States. Orbridge disclaims all liability for any expenses or costs you may incur due to your prohibition or restriction from entering a country on the program itinerary or reentering the United States at the conclusion of the program. If travel documents fail to meet these requirements, boarding of aircraft or ship to any international destination may be denied and entry into such countries may be denied.

**Photos and Videos.** Orbridge may take photographs and/or video of its trips and participant grants Orbridge permission to do so and for it to use such for promotional or commercial use without payment of any compensation to participant. In addition, Orbridge may use, without compensation, any photographs or video taken by tour participants and submitted to Orbridge or to Smugmug without payment of any compensation. In submitting any such photographs or videos to Orbridge or Smugmug, participant warrants that he or she took the image and that the dissemination of same does not violate the copyright rights of any person.

**Data Rights, Permissions.** Data collected and/or derived by Orbridge resulting from your use of the Website is the sole and exclusive property of Orbridge and may be used in any manner consistent with its Privacy Policy located on Orbridge's website. By submitting to Orbridge a digital or hard copy form that includes your personal contact information, including without limitation, your email address and telephone number(s), you give Orbridge and any other entity identified on the form permission to use that information to contact you and as otherwise may be described on the form and/or in the Privacy Policy.

**Other.** Dates, program details and costs are based on tariffs, exchange rates and other information current at the time of printing, but are subject to change at any time. While we do not anticipate material revisions of the itinerary or its included features, we do reserve the right to substitute accommodations or modes of transportation and to make any changes in the itinerary Orbridge, in its sole discretion, deems necessary and in that case any additional expense or cost will be paid by the individual guest. Your baggage and personal effects are your sole responsibility at all times. It is prohibited by federal law and Orbridge policy to bring illegal drugs, firearms, or other contraband (including marijuana for medical or recreational purposes) on any program.

Orbridge may at any time and without notice modify these terms and conditions, and any modification so made will be effective for all reservations made from and after the posted Effective Date.

In the event any term in these terms and conditions is deemed unenforceable the unenforceable clause shall be interpreted to give effect to the parties' intentions to the greatest enforceable extent, and all other provisions hereof shall remain fully enforceable according to their terms.

**Binding Arbitration.** I agree that any dispute concerning, relating, or referring to this contract, the brochure, or any other literature concerning my trip, or the trip itself shall be resolved exclusively by binding arbitration in Seattle, Washington, either according to the then existing commercial rules of the American Arbitration Association or pursuant to the Comprehensive Arbitration Rules & Procedures of the Judicial Arbitration and Mediation Services, Inc. (JAMS). Such proceedings will be governed by substantive (but not procedural) Washington law. The arbitrator and not any federal, state, or local court or agency shall have exclusive authority to resolve any dispute relating to the interpretation, applicability, enforceability, conscionability, or formation of this contract, including but not limited to any claim that all or any part of this contract is void or voidable. By agreeing to these terms and conditions, both parties are waiving their right to a trial by jury. Any arbitration commenced against Orbridge must be on behalf of only the individual(s) to this Agreement and his or her immediate family members travelling with them, such as a spouse or child. Under no circumstances can participant be part of a class or other joint action.

**Acceptance of Contract.** ANY PAYMENT TO ORBRIDGE, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO DEPOSITS OR FULL PAYMENTS, CONSTITUTES YOUR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF AND AGREEMENT TO THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH ABOVE AND IN MORE SPECIFIC TOUR DOCUMENTS.

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**Please sign, date and print guest name(s).**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Guest #1 Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Guest #2 Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

For a Minor

I, as an authorized parent or guardian of the below named minor, hereby give my permission for my child or ward to participate in the trip and further agree, individually and on behalf of my child or ward, to the terms of the above. In the event the minor is not accompanied by all legal guardians on this trip, I agree to carry with me a notarized document from each legal guardian, not on the trip, granting his or her approval for the minor to travel on this trip and to present said document(s) to any authority requesting such. In the event I am the sole guardian of the minor, I agree to carry documentation evidencing such and present to any authority when requested.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Minor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name