



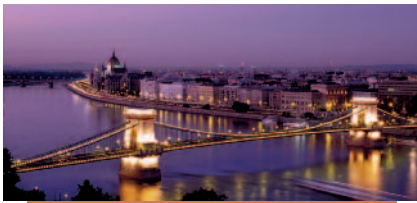
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LAND/CRUISE PROGRAM September 12-25, 2012

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AIR PROGRAM

September 11-25, 2012

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Napoleon described the Danube as “the king of Europe’s rivers,” for it is steeped in legend and epic lore unlike any other European waterway. The winding course of the celebrated Danube offers a veritable feast of unparalleled history, ancient capitals, picturesque villages, Roman ruins, magnificent churches, palaces and medieval castles. Natural wonders abound in the vineyard-clad Wachau Valley, the narrow, twisting Danube Bend and the formidable Iron Gate Gorge. Explore the dynamic history, rich culture, palaces, churches and Old Town of Prague, a UNESCO World Heritage site. In Sofia, Bulgaria’s capital, admire tree-shaded boulevards, historic landmarks, museums, churches and galleries.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy an eight-night **Danube River cruise** aboard the **exclusively chartered MS Amadeus Brilliant**.
- **Luxurious hotel accommodations**, renowned for every modern convenience and amenity, in Prague, the capital of Czech Republic, and in Sofia, Bulgaria’s beautiful capital.
- Discover enthralling scenery in **eight countries** and **12 cities and towns**.
- Experience Eastern European culture and cuisine. See marvelous old-world capitals, medieval castles, beautiful churches, monumental cathedrals, pretty little villages and incomparable Danube River landscapes.
- Cruise through one of the most historic and picturesque stretches of the storied Danube, the breathtaking **Wachau Valley**, the twisting **Danube Bend** and the amazing **Iron Gate Gorge**.
- **Four lectures** offer insight into local history and culture.

INCLUDED FEATURES

Accommodations

- **Three nights** in **Prague, Czech Republic**, at the deluxe **InterContinental Prague Hotel**.
- **Eight-night** cruise aboard the **MS Amadeus Brilliant**.
- **Two nights** in **Sofia, Bulgaria**, at the deluxe **Sheraton Sofia Hotel Balkan**.

Transportation

- Deluxe motor coach transfers between Prague and Passau, and Vidin and Sofia, including baggage handling.

Activities and Events

- **All excursions** as outlined in your program itinerary.
- **Personal VOX listening devices** allow you to hear every word from your expert English-speaking guides.
- Gather for a **Welcome Reception**.
- Enjoy a **Welcome Aboard Reception**
- Attend a local folkloric show on board ship.

Meals

- Enjoy 13 breakfasts, eight lunches and nine dinners; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine with dinner.
- Sample **authentic regional specialties** during select meals at featured **local restaurants**.
- Take advantage of **leisure time** to try the **local cuisine** independently.

MANY INCLUDED EXTRAS

- Consultation services of a dedicated **Passenger Service Representative** prior to departure.
- Services of an experienced **AHI Travel Director** throughout your stay.
- A **Hospitality Desk**, staffed by local experts, conveniently located in your hotels to assist you in every way.
- Detailed travel and destination information to assist in your planning.
- **Tipping** of excursion guides and drivers.
- Complimentary travel wallet.

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

DAY 1 ~ IN TRANSIT

Depart your gateway city for Prague aboard scheduled jet service.†

DAY 2 ~ PRAGUE

Transfer† to Prague and check in at the InterContinental Prague Hotel. The afternoon is at leisure. Gather for a *Welcome Reception* at the hotel.

DAY 3 ~ PRAGUE

Excursion: Prague Castle and Old Town. Visit Prague Castle and the Old Town. See the Royal Palace, St. Vitus Cathedral, St. George Basilica and Charles Bridge.
Excursion: Prague's Historic Jewish Quarter. Explore the Jewish Quarter and the Prague National Jewish Museum.

DAY 4 ~ PRAGUE

Independent Exploration: The entire day is at leisure in Prague.

DAY 5 ~ PRAGUE/PASSAU

Transfer to Passau and the MS Amadeus Brilliant.
Excursion: Picturesque Passau. See St. Stephen's Cathedral, the Rathaus, Niedernburg Abbey and the medieval Veste Oberhaus.

DAY 6 ~ MELK/DÜRNSTEIN

Excursion: Melk Abbey. Marvel at Melk's magnificent Benedictine Abbey, with its opulent interior. Sail through the Wachau Valley.
Excursion: Dürnstein. Visit the Stiftskirche, with its striking façade and baroque tower.

DAY 7 ~ VIENNA

Educational Focus: Vienna.
Excursion: Imperial Vienna. Explore the Imperial Apartments of Hofburg Palace. View the Houses of Parliament and drive along the impressive Ringstrasse.

DAY 8 ~ BRATISLAVA

Educational Focus: The Velvet Revolution.
Excursion: Bratislava. Immerse yourself in the many sights of the capital of the Slovak Republic. See St. Martin's Cathedral, St. Michael's Gate and the Primate's Palace.

DAY 9 ~ BUDAPEST

Excursion: Budapest. Admire

the highlights of Buda and Pest. See Heroes' Square, the Castle District, Parliament Building, the Opera House and Fisherman's Bastion.

DAY 10 ~ KALOCSA/MOHÁCS

Excursion: Kalocsa & Historic Mohács. Discover Kalocsa, its Cathedral and Archbishop's Palace. Visit a farm, then continue on to Mohács, with its Franciscan Church and Byzantine Votive Church.

DAY 11 ~ BELGRADE

Educational Focus: Modern Serbia.

Excursion: Belgrade. Stroll through one of Eastern Europe's oldest capitals. Explore the Old Town, St. Sava Cathedral and the Orthodox Cathedral.

DAY 12 ~ IRON GATE GORGE/DROBETA-TURNU SEVERIN

Cruise by the Carpathian Mountains, past dramatic cliffs and navigate the spectacular Iron Gate Gorge.
Excursion: Drobeta-Turnu Severin. Admire a remnant of the Roman bridge head and the Museum of the Iron Gates. See the Castrum, a Roman fortress, and the Palestra.

DAY 13 ~ VIDIN/SOFIA

Excursion: Vidin. Explore one of the oldest towns along the Danube's Bulgarian banks. Visit the Baba Vida fortress, St. Panthaleimon Church and St. Dimitar Cathedral. Transfer to Sofia and check in at the Sheraton Hotel Balkan.

DAY 14 ~ SOFIA

Educational Focus: A Prologue to the Bulgarian Revival.
Excursion: City with the Name of Wisdom. Visit the ruins of Serdica, Alexander Batenberg Square, St. George Rotunda, the patriarchal Cathedral St. Alexander of Neva and Vitosha Boulevard.

DAY 15 ~ IN TRANSIT

Transfer to the airport for the return flights to your gateway city.†

NOTE: The information presented is preliminary. Itineraries, included features and schedules are subject to change. Some events on this program involve an element of walking.

† Provided for Air Program participants.

ACCOMMODATIONS

INTERCONTINENTAL PRAGUE HOTEL

Prague

Situated in the heart of Prague in the historic Jewish Quarter, this hotel offers fine dining and relaxation venues, elegant guest rooms and panoramic views. There is a Health Club & Spa, heated indoor salt water pool, sauna, 24-hour room service, gift shops, Internet and laundry service.



MS AMADEUS BRILLIANT

Having made its debut in April 2011, this state-of-the-art ship offers the utmost in service, safety and comfort to its passengers. Step into the elegant reception area and immerse yourself in an ambience reminiscent of a luxury hotel. Relax on the sun deck, connect with friends at the Internet station or browse in the boutique. Walk the Sun Deck or challenge a friend to a game of chess or shuffleboard. Practice your golf game on the putting green, work out in the fitness room or treat yourself to a soothing massage. Savor a wide range of delicious international cuisine. Appointed in elegant, contemporary décor, each cabin features a river view from an outward-facing window, satellite TV and bathroom with shower.

SHERATON HOTEL BALKAN Sofia

Located in the heart of the city, this luxurious hotel is close to many historic landmarks. Its elegant guest rooms offer the finest in amenities, while the restaurant provides the opportunity to indulge in delicious international cuisine. The hotel also has a salon, gift shop, fitness center, sauna and laundry service.

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Land/Cruise Program

I/we will make my/our own air arrangements and transfers.

Please call me/us to discuss my/our air options.

Cabin Category desired:

I prefer single accommodations at an additional \$1,195 (limited availability).

I request assistance in securing a roommate but will accept a single, if one is available at this time, and pay the single supplement. Should a roommate be found, I understand the supplement will no longer apply.

Land/Cruise and Air Program

I/we reserve the Cruise Program and request the Air Program to Prague, Czech Republic, and from Sofia, Bulgaria, to depart from:

Departure City _____

Please send me information on upgrading my flights.

Please note: Air prices will be sent to you with your Reservation Confirmation and air schedule sent at 90 days before departure. International flight arrangements can be canceled with no obligation up to 75 days before departure.

Reservations are subject to availability and processed on a first come, first served basis. Reservations to be paid in full by June 28, 2012 (75 days prior to departure). Reservations received after this date must be accompanied by payment in full. Final payment may be made by personal check, MasterCard or Visa. Make checks payable to AHI International.

Enclosed is a deposit of _____ (\$600 per person required) to reserve _____ place(s).

Accept my check made payable to **AHI International**.

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Please note: Any payment to AHI International constitutes your acceptance of the terms and conditions set out herein, including but not limited to the Cancellation terms.

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