



THE CHARM OF CHRISTMAS IN EUROPE – MARKETS & CAPITALS

There is nothing quite like the Christmas season in Central Europe. Our custom designed tour will visit the best of Christmas Markets, a tradition that is over 600 years old. Feel the bustling energy of the markets and the vendors selling their handicrafts; savor the smells and tastes of mulled wine, spiced ham, roast sausages, and baked gingerbread. Feast your eyes on dazzling light displays, colorful stalls, and bask in the joyous and charming traditions. To top it off we'll be sure you see the iconic sights, impressive architecture and experience the charm, customs and history of the captivating villages and remarkable cities we visit. As this is a cultural and historic tour, wine is not our primary focus. Have no fear – wine will freely flow at our happy hours and dinners as we discover some local gems along our journey! You are invited to join Tom (Cooper's Hawk CMO) & Kris Koenigsberg (host extraordinaire) who will travel with you on this specialty tour. Space is limited so sign up now!



DECEMBER 9 – 19, 2022



friday, december 9, 2022

DEPART U.S.

Board your overnight flight from your home city.

saturday, december 10, 2022

ARRIVE PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC

Welcome to Prague! Our Tour Director will greet us at the airport for a group transfer to our hotel. This evening we'll enjoy a welcome Folklore dinner at a local restaurant.

Meals Included – Dinner

Hotel – Hotel Grandium or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

Arrive in Prague

Folklore Dancers

Prague Regional Cruise



PRAGUE

A local guide will lead us on a guided sightseeing tour featuring the Astronomical Clock and the Hradcany Castle grounds. Enjoy a Trdelnik (pastry) tasting before visiting the Christmas Markets in Old Town and Wenceslas Square where you will have free time to explore them on your own.

After dinner, we'll depart our hotel by motorcoach for an evening tour to the Hradcany district where we'll enjoy spectacular views from the Strachov Monastery before reaching the Old Town. We'll stroll along the cobblestone lanes, stopping at a typical Bohemian tavern to taste the famous Czech beer while listening to traditional melodies. We continue to the illuminated Charles Bridge, which dates back to the 14th century - a walk across this ancient stone bridge is definitely the highlight of the evening. Proceed through the charming Mesto and learn about the legends of this fascinating city before arriving at Mariánské Square where we board the motorcoach for the transfer back to the hotel.

Meals Included – Breakfast

Hotel – Hotel Grandium or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

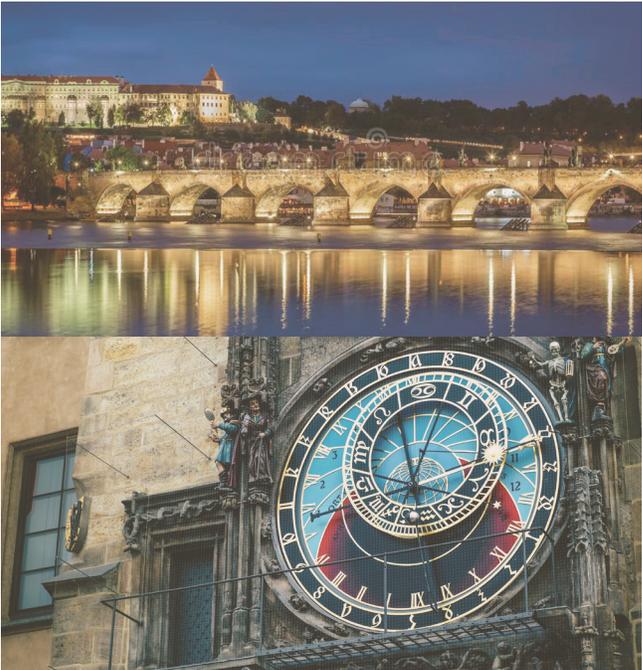
Astronomical Clock

Hradcany Castle Grounds

Christmas Markets

Evening in Old Town

Charles Bridge



PRAGUE, CZECH – VIENNA, AUSTRIA

This morning we will depart Prague to travel to Vienna, with a stop at a local brewery for a tour and tasting. We arrive in Vienna where classical music and fine cuisine have always gone hand in hand. This magical evening in the City of Music reveals what has enthralled visitors to the City of Music for centuries! Begin in the heart of Vienna with a sumptuous 3-course meal of local Viennese specialties and locally produced wines. Then, enjoy the most famous arias, waltzes, polkas, marches, and operetta excerpts by Strauss, Lehar, Mozart, and other musical masters. It's all performed brilliantly in one of Europe's prettiest concert halls.

Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel – Zeitgeist Hauptbahnhof Hotel or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

Brewery Tour & Tasting

Viennese Dinner

Classical Music Concert



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VIENNA – HALLSTATT – SALZBURG

This morning we depart on a tasty guided culinary tour of Vienna's magical Christmas Advent Markets to sample 5 tastings of traditional seasonal food on the market. Then we travel to Hallstatt for a stop in the beautiful lakeside village including lunch. We'll continue to Salzburg for an evening at your leisure.

Meals Included – Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel – Hotel Pitter or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

Culinary Tour

Hallstatt Village & Lunch



SALZBURG

After breakfast experience a wonderful half-day excursion for an in-depth look at both Salzburg and its majestic surroundings as we follow in the footsteps of “The Sound of Musics” Maria von Trapp. Led by an expert guide, we’ll see Mirabell Gardens, where Maria and the children sang “Do-Re-Mi” and Nonnberg Abbey, where Maria was late to Mass. We also visit Leopoldskron Castle, where Maria and the children were boating and fell in the water; the stunning Lake District to see the “Sixteen Going on Seventeen” gazebo; the lake near St. Gilgen, featured in the stunning scenery shots at the beginning of the movie; and, of course, Mondsee Cathedral, site of Maria and Captain von Trapp’s memorable wedding scene. You will have some free time this afternoon before tonight’s special treat: dinner and Salzburger Nockert (sweet desert soufflé) at the famous St. Peter Stiftskeller restaurant.

Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel – Hotel Pitter or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

Sound of Music Tour

Dinner at St. Peter Stiftskeller Restaurant

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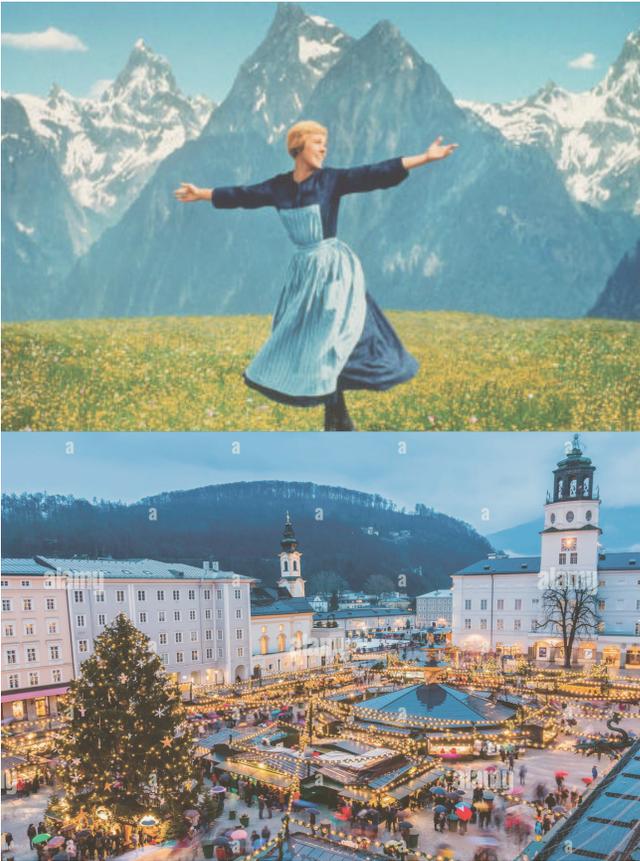
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SALZBURG, AUSTRIA – MUNICH, GERMANY

Discover the magnificence of Munich on this fun city sightseeing tour. Enjoy interesting commentary as we explore the grandeur of the Old Town; world-famous Marienplatz with its whimsical Glockenspiel and atmospheric beer gardens; Nymphenburg Palace, summer residence of Bavaria's rulers; and more! Late this afternoon we'll experience a brewery tour and beer tasting before a delightful and traditional Bavarian dinner in a historic beer mall.

Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel – Hilton Munich City Hotel or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

Munich Glockenspiel

Munich Beer Hall



MUNICH - NUREMBERG

After breakfast we depart for Nuremberg to experience the true granddaddy of Christmas events at the Nuremberg Christkindlesmarkt, one of the world's most famous Advent markets. Sprawling across the main market square in the heart of the Old Town, the twinkling lights, festive music, throng of artisans selling wares at their wooden stalls, and enticing aromas of mulled wine, gingerbread, and roasted sausage will positively enchant you!

Meals Included – Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel – Hotel NHC Nuremberg City or similar

HIGHLIGHTS

Nuremberg Christkindlesmarkt

Festive Mulled Wine

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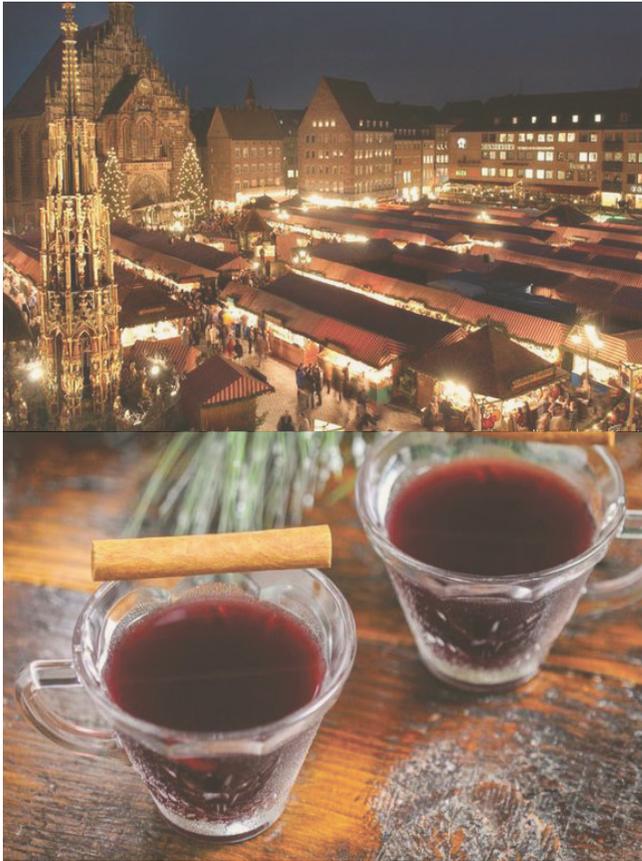
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DEPART FRANKFURT

Your Globus custom tour comes to an end after breakfast with a group transfer to the airport.

inclusions

INCLUDED

9 nights' accommodations at superior first-class hotels as shown or similar

Sightseeing, tours, activities & attractions as shown

Breakfast daily, three lunches, six dinners

Tour Director, local guides

Private coach throughout

Taxes

Gratuities for tour director and driver (local guide gratuities not included)

NOT INCLUDED

Airfare

Meals when not mentioned as included

Room service & personal room charges

Excess baggage and portorage

Local guide gratuities

Private transfers if you do not arrive/depart with group

Trip cancellation and travel insurance

Additional pre/post nights



rates

\$3,547

Double occupancy (per person)

\$4,247

Single occupancy

*This tour requires a minimum of 20 participants to operate at the costing shown.
Falling below 20 participants might create additional cost.*

deposit & final payment

\$500 DEPOSIT (NON-REFUNDABLE)

per person, due upon making reservations

FINAL PAYMENT

due by September 23, 2022

Forms of payment include cash, check, Mastercard, Visa, or American Express.

airfare

Airfare is not included but we are happy to assist you secure your air tickets. Arrive at Prague Airport on December 10, 2022, by 10:15 a.m. to catch the group transfer. This means you will depart the USA on December 10, 2022. The group transfer will align for flights departing from Frankfurt Airport on December 19, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. or later. If you cannot meet up with the group transfer a separate transfer can be provided for you at an additional cost.

land cancellation policy

This tour is non-refundable. Trip cancellation and travel insurance is recommended and will be quoted at the time of booking. If we have a waitlist, we may be able to assist with a name change instead of a cancellation on land only. Name changes have a \$200 per person administrative fee. There is no guarantee we will have someone to take your spot in which case full cancellation fees will apply. Air tickets are non-refundable from the time of ticketing. No name changes are allowed on air tickets.

reservations



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