



August 1–9, 2015

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The Great Parks of California

9 DAYS OF EXTRAORDINARY NATURAL
PRESERVES AND FRONTIER HISTORY

** Sea scenes, giant trees, and California dreams **



Dear Carolina Alumni and Friends,

We're pleased to invite you to join fellow Tar Heels and friends on this journey to the national parks and monuments of California, including Yosemite National Park, Sequoia and King's Canyon National Parks, the Sonoma wine region, Lake Tahoe, Carmel-by-the-Sea, and Monterey.

In addition to experiencing some of the most magnificent natural preserves in the country, try some of the celebrated vintages of Sonoma wine country, cruise sparkling Lake Tahoe, visit a historic mission, stroll the seaside towns of Carmel-by-the-Sea and Monterey, and stay a night in San Francisco. With the guidance of an Orbridge Expedition Leader and the comforts of a private motor coach, there is no better way to visit the great parks and the majestic state of California.

Our rate for UNC guests on this departure represents a savings of more than \$600 per couple over that of non-affiliated guests, so be certain to reserve your space today—and to share this brochure with friends and family who may be interested in traveling with you. Reserve online at <http://unc.orbridge.com>, by phone at (877) 962-3980, or by returning the enclosed reservation form.

Yours at Carolina,

Douglas S. Dibbert '70
President, UNC General Alumni Association

P.S. Reserve your space by November 14, 2014 to receive a complimentary Expedition Library.**





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Go West!

From high-mountain lakes and deep mossy forests to rolling wine country and sparkling seaside towns: join us for a dazzling journey into the most breathtaking preserves and cultural meccas of the Golden State.



Sonoma Valley



Cannery Row



Sunrise on the Pacific Coast

Our 9-Day Itinerary*

- Day 1:** Arrive in San Francisco, CA (R)
Welcome reception
Overnight: Omni San Francisco
- Day 2:** Sonoma / Lake Tahoe (B)
Sonoma wine tour and tasting
Overnight: Lake Tahoe Resort
- Day 3:** Lake Tahoe / Yosemite National Park (B,D)
Lake Tahoe cruise, evening in Yosemite
Overnight: Tenaya Lodge
- Day 4:** Yosemite National Park (B,L)
Valley floor tour, picnic lunch
Overnight: Tenaya Lodge
- Day 5:** Yosemite / Mariposa Grove / Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks (B,D)
Giant sequoias, stargazing
Overnight: Wuksachi Lodge
- Day 6:** Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks (B)
General Sherman Tree
Overnight: Wuksachi Lodge
- Day 7:** Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Park / Monterey (B)
Coastal California, Cannery Row, Monterey
Overnight: Monterey Marriott Hotel
- Day 8:** Monterey / Carmel (B,D)
17-mile drive, historic mission, aquarium
Overnight: Monterey Marriott Hotel
- Day 9:** Monterey / Depart San Francisco (B)

Optional Extension: Days 9–11 in San Francisco

Program Highlights

- Experience the wonder and beauty of **Yosemite National Park**, enjoy stargazing and storytelling, and stay at scenic Tenaya Lodge.
- **Cruise stunning Lake Tahoe**, the largest alpine lake in North America, and taste local vintages during a guided **wine tour and tasting** in Sonoma.
- Admire spectacular **Sequoia and King's Canyon National Parks**, overnighting inside the park at Wuksachi Lodge. Behold the **largest and third-largest trees in the world**—General Sherman and General Grant.
- Spend time strolling the seaside towns **Monterey and Carmel**, havens for writers, artists, and celebrities; and tour a historic mission to learn California's history.
- Enjoy a private after-hours tour and special farewell dinner at the world-famous **Monterey Bay Aquarium**.
- **Relax:** Included are 8 nights accommodations, private deluxe motor coach transportation, airport transfers for guests on suggested flights, all gratuities, 8 breakfasts, 1 lunch, and 3 dinners, and more.

Activity level:

Guests should be able to walk a mile on uneven ground at a moderate pace, board and exit a motor coach, and be able to manage stairs without assistance.

*Subject to change.



Giant Sequoias



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Accommodations*

Omni San Francisco Hotel

Built as a bank in 1926, the lobby of this beautiful downtown hotel is adorned with Italian marble, rich fabrics and Austrian crystal chandeliers—and is just a short walk to Union Square.

Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel

Nestled within the Sierra Mountain Range, comforts at this resort include indoor pool and hot tub, garden atrium with koi ponds, and outdoor sundeck.

Tenaya Lodge at Yosemite

Located on 35 acres bordering the Sierra National Forest, guests can access abundant year-round recreation, swim in one of its pools, or visit the on-site spa.

Wuksachi Lodge, Sequoia National Park

This Park hotel surrounds you with lodge décor of cedar and stone, accented by natural woods, cozy fireplaces, and striking views of the High Sierra mountain peaks.

Monterey Marriott Hotel

This hotel is in the heart of the historic downtown center, near Fisherman's wharf and other attractions.

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Our Expedition Leaders

From identifying a wildflower to recalling details about California's colorful history, the company and keen eye of two Orbridge Expedition Leaders will make all the difference in your educational experience. Enriched by their wealth of expertise, bring home a deeper understanding of the flora, fauna, natural history, and cultural narrative of "the Golden State."



Lake Tahoe



Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel




Tenaya Lodge



Wuksachi Lodge



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Early Reservation Bonus

See reverse for details.

Optional Extension San Francisco

With two added days in San Francisco, enjoy time to wander its fine museums, theaters, destination neighborhoods like Chinatown, Haight-Ashbury, North Beach, and Fisherman's Wharf.

What's Included

Two nights accommodation at Omni San Francisco Hotel (or similar) with breakfast each morning; all transfers; gratuities; walking tour of Chinatown with a local guide followed by a Dim Sum lunch; and services of a local host to provide ideas and suggestions to help you plan your days.

Want more information?

More details and photos are just a click away. Simply go online to learn more or to reserve now. Please see reverse for the web address.



Registration, Deposits and Final Payment. To confirm and secure your reservation, a deposit of \$850 per person per program, a deposit for any extension(s), and any non-refundable advanced payments, payable by check, online check/ACH, money order, wire transfer of same day U.S. funds, or major credit card, is due at the time of registration. Final payment, including any extension(s) and optional(s), is payable by check, online check/ACH, money order, or wire transfer of same day U.S. funds ONLY and due no later than 90 days prior to the scheduled program departure date. If your reservation is made fewer than 90 days prior to departure, the entire cost of the program, including any extension(s) and optional(s), is due at the time of registration by check, money order, or wire transfer of same day U.S. funds ONLY. If final payment is not received by Orbridge at least 90 days prior to the scheduled program departure date, (a) the reservation is subject to a late payment fee equal to 2% (or the maximum legal rate, if less) of the total invoice amount, per week until paid in full, and (b) Orbridge may, at any time and with or without notice, cancel your reservation in its sole and absolute discretion. All payments we receive from you are herein defined as "Payments." CST#2098750-40 WST#602828994

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San Francisco Extension: August 9-11, 2015

- Option 1:** Reserve now: online at <http://unc.orbridge.com> or by calling (877) 962-3980.
- Option 2:** Secure your reservation with a deposit charged to the credit card below, or with an enclosed check payable to: Orbridge LLC.

Standard Rate:	Discounted Alumni Rate:
\$4,199	\$3,895*
\$5,999 Single	\$5,295 Single
Optional San Francisco Extension:	
\$695*	
\$995 Single	

Guest Information:

Guest #1 (as printed on passport): _____ Class Year _____

Guest #2 (as printed on passport): _____ Class Year _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____

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(#) _____ guests joining extension (\$500/person if applicable) = **Total deposit: \$** _____

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I/we have read, understand, and agree to the full Terms & Conditions at <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: _____

Mail or fax reservation form and deposit to: UNC GAA
 P.O. Box 660, Chapel Hill, NC 27514-0660
 Fax: (919) 843-4144

Four participants who are not members of the General Alumni Association must join the Association (\$45 for singles; \$55 for couples) or pay a \$45 surcharge to participate. Please pay by separate check made payable to the General Alumni Association and mail with this reservation form.

Reserve your space by **November 14, 2014** to receive your **FREE** Orbridge Expedition Library**

For complete itinerary, photos, and to reserve space now:
<http://unc.orbridge.com>

*Discounted group rate; limited offer. Rates are per person based on double occupancy, are in U.S. dollars, and do not include airfare. Availability for single reservations is limited. **A complement to the educational component of this journey, Expedition Libraries are curated collections of useful resources and background reading tailored to this program. Place your deposit on or before the specified date, and one Expedition Library per room will be sent upon receipt of final payment. Libraries may be purchased; please call for details.



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