

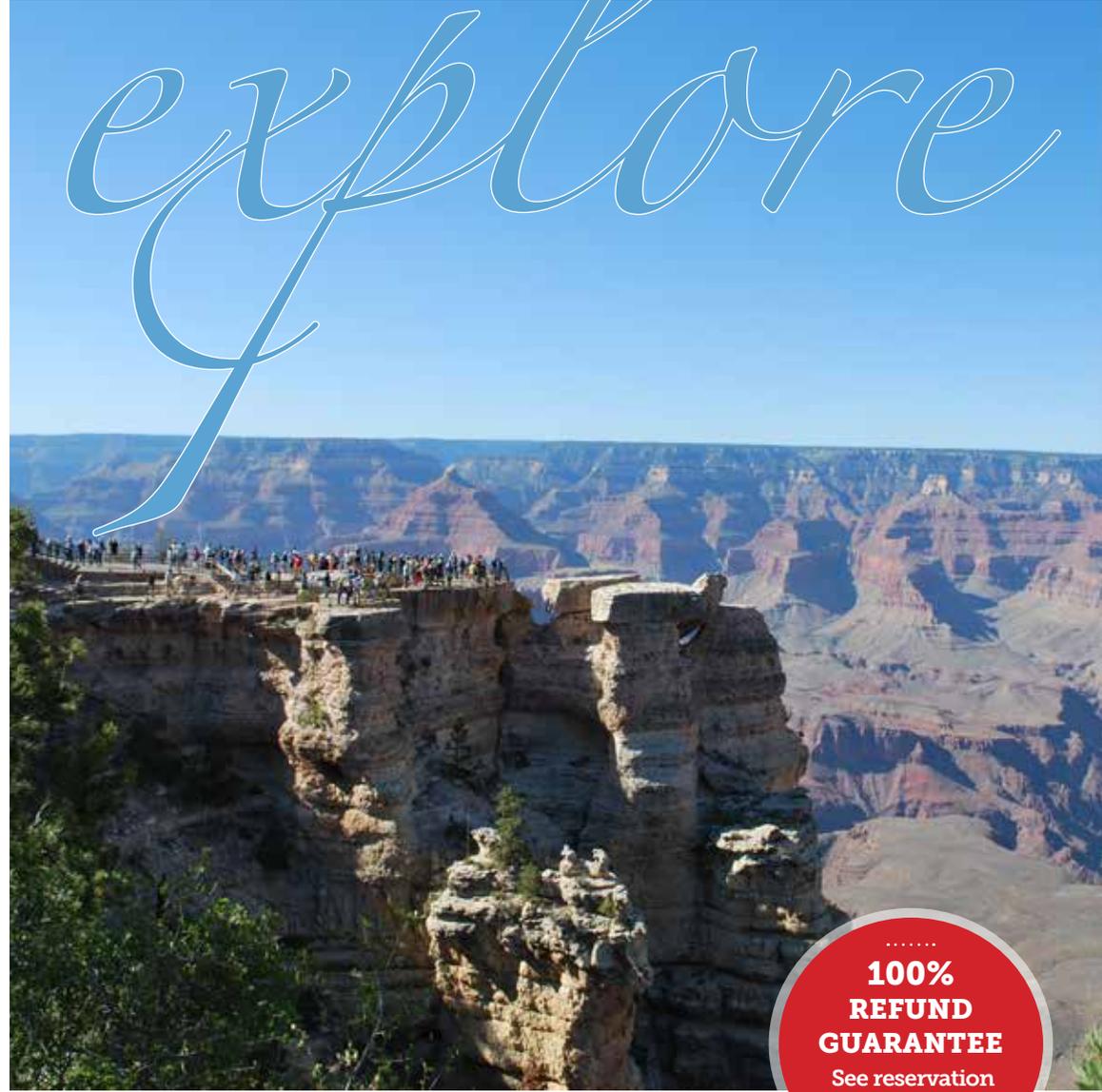


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+ Orbridge 2022

Ready. Set. Travel.

Dear Carolina Alumni and Friends,

Travel is truly an enriching part of our lives. It allows us to connect with new worlds, new friends, and each other.

Since 2011 we have partnered with Orbridge to offer a wide variety of travel opportunities. From perennial favorites such as *Discover Southeast Alaska* and *The Galapagos Islands* to bucket-list trips such as *Antarctica Discovery* or *Vancouver to Toronto by Rail*, they carefully plan out each trip so you can enjoy the best it has to offer. Here are a few of the highlights you can expect...

Convenience—With an experienced travel director handling the details and logistics, your time and energy is available to “soak up” the sights and sounds, building lifelong memories.

Educational Enrichment—All trips are accompanied by knowledgeable expedition leaders that serve as travel directors, and expert local guides who enhance each program by sharing their professional niches, personal stories and nuances of the area. UNC faculty often join tours, including Steven Walsh on our Galapagos Islands tour.

Camaraderie—We often hear that the Carolina bond between travelers is strong and deepens throughout our trips. Plus, intimate group sizes allow for maximum enjoyment by all.

More details about these itineraries, including cabin pricing and descriptions, and our entire travel program are available on our website at alumni.unc.edu/travel. If you'd like to get in touch with us, Douglass Payne '04 and Catherine Nichols '89 can be reached toll-free at (877) 962-3980. You're also welcome to email us at enrichment@unc.edu.

We look forward to welcoming you aboard a Tar Heel Travel tour when you are again comfortable traveling.

Yours at Carolina,



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

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Antarctica Discovery

JANUARY 4-15, 2022 (with optional Buenos Aires pre-tour: January 2-5, 2022 and optional Iguazú Falls post-tour: January 15-18, 2022)

Join this incredible journey through the vast beauty of the White Continent, featuring pristine polar wilderness, abundant wildlife, and spectacular scenery.



Program Highlights

- Explore the South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic Peninsula, a beautiful island chain filled with an impressive variety of wildlife.
- Cruise aboard the perfect vessel for exploration. *Ocean Victory* is an Ice Class 1A super (equivalent to Polar Class 6), featuring 83% staterooms with balconies and a unique X-Bow ship design. The inverted bow quickens the Drake Passage crossing as it slices through waves, reducing rolling by 80%—and helping to prevent possible seasickness. This proven technology produces very low levels of noise and vibration.
- Enjoy the company and keen insights of expert expedition guides, scientists, and lecturers throughout the journey.
- Take advantage of the ship's impressive amenities, including a heated infinity swimming pool, two hot tubs, spa, gym, lounges, outdoor bar, and interactive dining experience.

What's Included:

1 night luxury hotel accommodations (including breakfast) in Ushuaia prior to embarkation. 9 nights accommodations onboard *Ocean Victory*, including all onboard meals. 24-hour self-service coffee and tea facilities onboard. All scheduled landings and excursions (subject to weather and ice conditions). Your own expedition parka to keep. A pair of insulated rubber boots for shore landings for the duration of the cruise (to be returned prior to disembarkation). Access to a photographic trip log (shared with guests after the voyage via an online link). All ship-board gratuities. All luggage portage. All port fees. Transfers from the hotel to the ship on embarkation day. Group transfers for all guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 12-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route from U.S.[†]
†Travel time from U.S. may take up to two days.
- Day 2:** Arrive in Ushuaia, Argentina
- Day 3:** Ushuaia – Embarkation (B,D)
- Days 4-5:** Drake Passage (B,L,D daily)
- Days 6-9:** South Shetland Islands / Antarctic Peninsula (B,L,D daily)
- Days 10-11:** Drake Passage (B,L,D daily)
- Day 12:** Ushuaia – Disembarkation / Depart for U.S. (B)

Optional 3-Day Pre-Tour: Buenos Aires

Optional 4-Day Post-Tour: Iguazú Falls

Special Rates from:	Single from:
\$9,495	\$15,995
.....	
<u>Buenos Aires Pre-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,495	\$1,995
.....	
<u>Iguazú Falls Post-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$2,295	\$3,795

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change. 4



The Wolves & Wildlife of Yellowstone

FEBRUARY 5-11, 2022 (with optional Jackson post-tour: February 11-13, 2022)

Scout for and learn about wolves and other remarkable wildlife on a 7-day winter expedition to Yellowstone's Lamar Valley.



Program Highlights

- Immerse yourself in the unspoiled natural beauty, diverse wildlife, and dramatic tales of this unique ecosystem during an exclusive wintertime program.
- Experience Yellowstone in its winter incarnation: a world with frozen geyser rain, ghost trees with a frosty glaze, surprising winter wildflowers, and dynamic hydrothermal features set in snow and ice.
- Scout for wildlife from the comfort of a custom-outfitted, heated vehicle, featuring oversized windows and a rooftop viewing hatch. Yellowstone is considered one of the best wolf-watching habitats in the country.
- Joined by two expert Orbridge Expedition Leaders and professional naturalist guides, learn informed perspectives and first-person accounts of the wolves' setbacks, survival, and victories.
- Set out on a snowshoe adventure plus meet an award-winning wildlife photographer for a presentation during a visit to his gallery.
- Enjoy a horse-drawn sleigh ride through the National Elk Refuge. Created in 1912, this sanctuary is home to one of the largest elk herds in North America.

What's Included:

6 nights accommodations. 6 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 5 dinners including special welcome and farewell dinners, and a wine and cheese reception. A fully-guided program with 2 Orbridge Expedition Leaders as well as expert local guides and naturalists. All unique excursions and activities listed in the 7-day itinerary including transportation. Use of in-field gear including high quality binoculars and spotting scopes, Yaktrax, snowshoes, and adjustable hiking poles. Admission and park fees throughout. Luggage portage. Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leaders, local guides, hotel housekeeping staff, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 7-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Bozeman, MT (D)
- Day 2:** Bozeman / Lamar Valley, WY / Gardiner, MT (B,L,R,D)
- Day 3:** Gardiner / Lamar Valley, WY / Cooke City, MT / Gardiner (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Gardiner / Lamar Valley, WY / Mammoth Hot Springs / Old Faithful (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Old Faithful / Jackson (B,L)
- Day 6:** Jackson / Grand Teton National Park / National Elk Refuge / Jackson (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Depart Jackson (B)

Optional 3-Day Post-Tour: Jackson

Special Rate:	Single:
\$4,995	\$6,495
.....	
<u>Jackson Post-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$995	\$1,495

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Tanzania Wildlife Safari

FEBRUARY 22 - MARCH 5, 2022 (with optional Rwanda pre-tour: February 19-23, 2022 and optional Zanzibar post-tour: March 4-7, 2022)

Experience a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to witness the spectacular array of wildlife in this part of the world.



Program Highlights

- Explore some of the most important parks and reserves in East Africa, including the legendary Serengeti—host at different times of the year to the Great Migration, the cyclical journey of 1.6 million herbivores on their quest for survival.
- Participate in up to 12 game drives, including a special night game drive, accompanied by an Orbridge Expedition Leader and expert naturalist guides aboard safari-outfitted Land Cruisers.
- Visit Olduvai Gorge, the *Cradle of Humanity*; and spend a full day at Ngorongoro Crater—home to populations of lions, leopards, black rhinos, hyenas, wildebeests, buffaloes, elephants, and zebras.
- Reserve an optional hot-air balloon safari over the Serengeti at sunrise, including a champagne breakfast and game drive (additional fee).

What's Included:

9 nights deluxe accommodations (each carefully selected to emphasize wildlife viewing and comfort) plus a day room on day 11; 9 breakfasts, 9 lunches, and 8 dinners (including a special farewell Serengeti bush dinner) and a light buffet snack on departure day; expert naturalist guides throughout, including an Orbridge Expedition Leader; daily game drives in custom 4x4 Land Cruisers with roof hatch access and guaranteed window seating; coffee and tea with meals and filtered water while on game drives; internal flight from the Serengeti to Arusha on day 11; airport transfers for guests arriving and departing on the suggested flights; all main program gratuities; all taxes, service charges, and park fees; and temporary membership in Flying Doctors Service.

Your 12-Day Itinerary

- Days 1-2:** En Route from U.S. / Arrive in Arusha, Tanzania
- Days 3-4:** Tarangire Nat'l Park (B,L,D daily)
- Days 5-6:** Ngorongoro Conservation Area (B,L,D daily)
- Days 7-8:** Olduvai Gorge / Serengeti National Park - Seronera Valley (B,L,D daily)
- Days 9-10:** Western Serengeti / Grumeti (B,L,D daily)
- Day 11:** Serengeti / Flight to Arusha / Depart for U.S. (B,L,Snack)
- Day 12:** En Route / Arrive U.S.

Optional 5-Day Pre-Tour: Rwanda
Optional 4-Day Post-Tour: Zanzibar

Special Rate:	Single:
\$6,995	\$8,995
..... Rwanda Pre-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$3,995	\$4,995
..... \$1,500 per person Pre-Tour deposit is non-refundable and non-transferable.	
..... Zanzibar Post-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,895	\$2,495

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Flavors of Sicily

MAY 6-14, 2022 (with optional Rome pre-tour: May 4-7, 2022 and optional Palermo post-tour: May 14-16, 2022)

Step into this engaging odyssey featuring cultural experiences, archaeological excursions, and vineyard explorations in the shadow of Mount Etna.



Program Highlights

- With your small group, enjoy seven nights in the luxury and elegance of your private villa, Don Arcangelo all’Olmo.
- Work side-by-side in the kitchens of distinguished chefs, learning time-tested techniques and modern twists with ingredients grown in the mineral-rich, volcanic soil of Mount Etna’s fertile lowlands.
- Spend time exploring the coastal towns of Taormina and Siracusa, including a stop at a local outdoor market.
- Visit award-winning Benanti and Planeta wine estates for vineyard tours and tastings.
- Visit Sicily’s archaeological masterpieces—the ancient theatres of Taormina and Siracusa, and the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Villa Romana del Casale mosaics in Piazza Armerina.
- Explore Mount Etna, a natural marvel and UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Day after day, experience the fusion of tradition and modernity, and see for yourself how Greek, Roman, Byzantine, Arab, Norman, German, French, and Spanish influences have formed this magnificent island of fertility.

What’s Included:

7 nights accommodations. A special welcome reception, 7 breakfasts, 4 lunches, and 7 dinners served with wine. All lessons, private tours, and unique small-group excursions noted on the 9-day itinerary. Private motor coach transportation. 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.

Your 9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En route from U.S.
- Day 2:** Arrive in Catania, Sicily / Giarre (R,D)
- Day 3:** Taormina (B,D)
- Day 4:** Piazza Armerina (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Viagrande / Catania (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Siracusa / Ortigia (B,D)
- Day 7:** Mount Etna (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Taormina (B,L,D)
- Day 9:** Catania / Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 4-Day Pre-Tour:** Rome
- Optional 3-Day Post-Tour:** Palermo

Special Rates from:	Single:
\$4,995	\$6,995
.....	
Rome Pre-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,495	\$1,995
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Palermo Post-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,295	\$1,495

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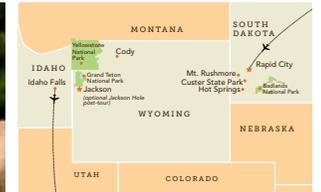
* Find out more: alumni.unc.edu/travel *



National Parks & Lodges of the Old West

MAY 26 - JUNE 3, 2022 (with optional Jackson Hole post-tour: June 3-5, 2022)

Trace the legends, storied monuments, and natural splendors of the American West.



Program Highlights

- Experience the diverse wonders of our national parks accompanied by an Orbridge Expedition Leader.
- Overnight in landmark lodges that are national treasures themselves.
- Enjoy a Jeep safari tour at Custer State Park—a wildlife reserve with scenic lakes, dramatic granite spires, and lush grasslands where bison herds roam.
- Visit the world’s largest mammoth site, where scientists are excavating remains of Columbian and woolly mammoths from 26,000 years ago.
- Marvel at the grandeur of Mount Rushmore and Crazy Horse Memorial.
- See the dramatic effects of Yellowstone’s volcanically active caldera and visit otherworldly geothermal sites, including Old Faithful Geyser.
- Explore Grand Teton National Park—host to flora and fauna that date back to prehistoric times.

What’s Included:

8 nights hotel and lodge accommodations. 8 breakfasts and 7 dinners, including special welcome and farewell dinners. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader. Admission and park fees. All activities as described in the 9-day itinerary. Private deluxe motor coach with air conditioning and comfortable seating. Luggage portage. Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leader, local guides, drivers, porters, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Rapid City, SD (D)
- Day 2:** Rapid City / Badlands National Park / Spearfish Canyon (B,D)
- Day 3:** Spearfish Canyon / Mount Rushmore / Custer State Park (B,D)
- Day 4:** Custer / Hot Springs / Custer (B,D)
- Day 5:** Custer / Cody, WY (B)
- Day 6:** Cody / Yellowstone National Park (B,D)
- Day 7:** Yellowstone National Park (B,D)
- Day 8:** Yellowstone National Park / Grand Teton National Park / Jackson (B,D)
- Day 9:** Jackson / Idaho Falls / Depart (B)

Optional 3-Day Post-Tour: Jackson Hole

Special Rate:	Single:
\$4,995	\$6,495
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<u>Jackson Hole Post-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$995	\$1,495

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The Galapagos Islands — Western Itinerary

JULY 5-12, 2022 (with optional Mashpi Lodge pre-tour: July 2-5, 2022 and optional Machu Picchu post-tour: July 12-17, 2022)

Feel the thrill of encountering the flora and fauna that famously inspired Charles Darwin—and in his footsteps, generations of nature lovers.



Program Highlights

- During a full day tour of Quito, marvel at the gold leaf interior of the Jesuit Church of la Compañía—a fine example of the mix of European influences and indigenous art called the Baroque school of Quito; enjoy a lunch of Ecuadorian specialties; and view a unique collection of pre-Columbian art.
- Observe with remarkable proximity the diversity of endemic species such as the Nazca and blue-footed boobies; giant tortoises; marine and land iguanas; the flightless Galapagos cormorant; and the famous Darwin's finches.
- Discover the myriad of aquatic wildlife in the clear waters of the world's second largest marine reserve.
- Snorkel with sea lions, colorful tropical fish, and sea turtles—or observe them through a glass bottom boat.
- Explore secluded inlets and stroll sweeping white sand beaches such as Punta Espinoza, where flightless cormorants nest nearby and sea lions, Galapagos penguins, and turtles can be seen frolicking in a fine display of multi-species tolerance in the nearby lagoon.

What's Included:

2 nights at the 5-star Casa Gangotena in Quito prior to embarkation. 4 nights aboard the *Isabela II*, with exploration by panga, kayak, paddle board or glass-bottom boat, naturalist-led excursions, and lectures. 1 night at Hilton Colon – Quito after disembarkation. A welcome reception in Quito, 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, and 4 dinners (served with house wine) including a farewell dinner. All excursions and presentations. Complimentary use of kayaks, paddle boards, shorty wetsuits, and snorkeling equipment. Galapagos National Park entrance fee and transit card. Internal air travel (from Quito to the islands on day 3, and return to Quito on day 7). Gratuities to local guides, hotel porters, and drivers in Quito and the Galapagos Islands. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times. **(Airfare between main program and Machu Picchu Post-Tour is an additional \$740 per person.)**

Your 8-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** En Route / Arrive in Quito, Ecuador
Day 2: Quito (B,L,R)
Day 3: Quito / Flight to Baltra / Santa Cruz: Highlands / Puerto Ayora – Embarkation (B,L,D)
Day 4: Bartolomé / Santiago: Sullivan Bay (B,L,D)
Day 5: Santa Cruz: Dragon Hill / Santiago: Salt Mine James Bay (B,L,D)
Day 6: Isabela: Punta Vicente Roca / Fernandina: Punta Espinoza (B,L,D)
Day 7: Baltra – Disembarkation / Flight to Quito, Ecuador (B,L-aloft)
Day 8: Quito / Depart for U.S. (B)
Optional 4-Day Pre-Tour: Mashpi Lodge
Optional 6-Day Post-Tour: Machu Picchu

Special Rates from:	Single from:
\$4,995	\$8,495
..... Mashpi Lodge Pre-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,695	\$2,395
..... Machu Picchu Post-Tour	
Special Rates from:	Single from:
\$3,895	\$5,495

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change. 14



Discover Southeast Alaska

JULY 22-29, 2022 (with optional Denali pre-tour: July 17-22, 2022)

Discover the awesome beauty, abundant wildlife, and native cultures of Southeast Alaska with experts by your side.



Program Highlights

- See the spray of whales only yards away and venture into secluded inlets as you get up close to nature, whether from the decks of the *Chichagof Dream* or aboard its skiffs and kayaks.
- Accompanied by expert naturalists, including an Orbridge Expedition Leader, learn surprising details about animal behavior, glacier activity, and the wealth of natural spectacles along these protected waters.
- Learn about Alaska's culture and living history during a Native dance performance at a Tlingit Clan House.
- Cruise around Glacier Bay National Park alongside a Native Huna Tlingit Cultural Heritage Guide.
- Visit a salmon hatchery, the Alaska Raptor Center, and Sitka National Historical Park.
- Take a guided tour of the Norwegian fishing community of Petersburg.
- Joined by a Park Ranger, cruise the pristine waters of Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve to see the sanctuary's deep fjords, tidewater glaciers, and snow-capped mountain ranges.

What's Included:

7 nights aboard the *Chichagof Dream*. All onboard hand-crafted meals: 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches, and 7 dinners—including a special Captain's Farewell Dinner, and complimentary wine and beer at dinner. An onboard lecture program and educational guidance of two expert naturalists, including an Orbridge Expedition Leader, and a Park Ranger and Native Huna Tlingit Cultural Heritage Guide during a visit to Glacier Bay National Park. Guided kayaking, hiking, walking, skiff excursions, and wildlife viewing. All port fees and entry fees to parks, preserves, museums, attractions, and special excursions as described in the itinerary. Gratuities for Orbridge Expedition Leader, airport transfer drivers, and drivers/guides on included land excursions. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 8-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Sitka – Embarkation (D)
- Day 2:** Icy Strait / Chichagof Island (B,L,D)
- Day 3:** Glacier Bay National Park (B,L,D)
- Day 4:** Eastern Baranof Island / Lake Eva (B,L,D)
- Day 5:** Hidden Falls (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Petersburg / Frederick Sound (B,L,D)
- Day 7:** Tracy Arm Fjord (B,L,D)
- Day 8:** Auke Bay / Juneau – Disembarkation (B)

Optional 6-Day Pre-Tour:
Denali National Park

Special Rates from:	Single from:
\$4,395	\$9,495
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Denali Pre-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$2,995	\$3,995
Internal airfare is an additional \$350 per person	
Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.	



Vancouver to Toronto by Rail

SEPTEMBER 8-14, 2022 (with optional Victoria pre-tour: September 6-8, 2022 and optional Niagara Falls/Toronto post-tour: September 14-16, 2022)

Embark upon a journey that many travelers spend their lives dreaming about as you travel across Canada by rail.



Program Highlights

- Set out on a guided panoramic city tour of Vancouver.
- Enjoy the serenity of travel by rail as you spend four days unplugged from the outside world, with the beauty of the Canadian wilderness unfolding before you.
- Relax at leisure within your private Prestige Class stateroom—providing 50% more living space than other class cabins—featuring a picture window that’s 60% larger than standard cabin windows, a leather couch by day that transforms into a comfortable double bed with luxury linens by night, heated floors and walls, private en suite bathroom with shower, flat-screen TV, and turndown service.
- Prestige Class amenities also include a small travel group size (26 guests max), dedicated concierge service, priority seating in the dining car, and complimentary snacks and beverages in the Park Car 24-hours a day.
- Learn about the landscape, history, and people of Canada’s provinces through onboard lectures and presentations.

What’s Included:

2 nights luxury hotel accommodations. 4 nights accommodations in Prestige Class onboard VIA Rail’s *The Canadian*. 6 breakfasts, 4 lunches, and 4 dinners (snacks and bar orders are included while aboard the train). Special welcome and farewell receptions. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director. Private motor coach transportation for the sightseeing tour. Gratuities for Orbridge Travel Director, onboard guides, drivers, porters, housekeeping staff, VIA Rail attendants, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 7-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada (R)
 - Day 2:** Vancouver / Board VIA Rail’s *The Canadian* (B,L,D)
 - Day 3:** *The Canadian* / Kamloops / Jasper, Alberta / Edmonton (B,L,D)
 - Day 4:** *The Canadian* / Saskatoon, Saskatchewan / Winnipeg, Manitoba (B,L,D)
 - Day 5:** *The Canadian* / Hornepayne, Ontario (B,L,D)
 - Day 6:** Toronto (B,R)
 - Day 7:** Toronto / Depart for U.S. (B)
- Optional 3-Day Pre-Tour:** Victoria
Optional 3-Day Post-Tour: Niagara Falls & Toronto

VIA Rail Canada operates on tracks owned by freight companies. Increased freight traffic on the railway will often cause delays potentially resulting in delayed departures, arrivals, and shortened / limited time off of the train. Schedule changes will be communicated as the journey continues. Onboard services are guaranteed.

Special Rate:	Single:
\$5,995	\$9,995
..... Victoria Pre-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$995	\$1,395
..... Niagara Falls & Toronto Post-Tour	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$995	\$1,395
Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.	



Discover Egypt and the Nile Valley

OCTOBER 6-19, 2022 (with optional Alexandria pre-tour: October 3-7, 2022 and optional Jordan post-tour: October 19-25, 2022)

Wander the storied land of pharaohs and kings—where colossal pyramids, legendary tombs, and towering temples cascade across the terrain.



Program Highlights

- Enjoy two full days exploring Cairo, visiting the Great Pyramid and the Sphinx, the Necropolis of Sakkara, and the newly opened Grand Egyptian Museum.
- In Luxor, view the Karnak Temple Complex—one of the largest religious buildings in the world, which includes contributions from approximately 30 pharaohs over thousands of years.
- Travel beside the Nile to Abydos to marvel at the colorful carvings in the Temple of Seti I and view the Abydos King List, which was instrumental to understanding Ancient Egyptian history.
- On the west bank of Luxor, visit the Valley of the Kings and Nobles, the Mortuary Temple of Hatshepsut, and Colossi of Memnon.
- Embark in Esna aboard a private dahabiya—a traditional Egyptian sailing vessel—for four nights on the Nile River.
- Sail to the Nile's Elephantine Island and explore the sacred temples and traditional Nubian villages.
- During an optional excursion (additional fee), view the temples of Abu Simbel carved into a massive rock cliff, which were relocated and perfectly reconstructed after building the High Dam in the early 1960s.

What's Included:

8 nights luxury hotel accommodations plus 4 nights aboard a stately dahabiya. 12 breakfasts, 10 lunches, and 8 dinners. All excursions listed on the 14-day itinerary including admission to sites and venues. Excursion transportation. Internal airfare from Cairo to Sohag and Aswan to Cairo. Gratuities to hotels, drivers, dahabiya staff, porters, and guides. Group airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 14-Day Itinerary

- Days 1-2:** En Route / Arrive in Cairo, Egypt
Day 3: Cairo / Giza (B,L,D)
Day 4: Cairo / Memphis / Cairo (B,L)
Day 5: Cairo / Flight to Sohag / Abydos / Luxor (B,L,D)
Day 6: Luxor (B,L)
Day 7: Luxor / Esna – Embarkation (B,L,D)
Day 8: Nile River / Edfu (B,L,D)
Day 9: Edfu / Nile / Kom Ombo (B,L,D)
Day 10: Kom Ombo / Nile / Aswan (B,L,D)
Day 11: Aswan – Disembarkation (B,L)
Day 12: Aswan (B,D)
Day 13: Aswan / Optional Abu Simbel Excursion / Flights to Aswan and Cairo (B,L,D)
Day 14: Cairo / Depart for U.S. (B)
Optional 5-Day Pre-Tour: Alexandria
Optional 7-Day Post-Tour: Jordan

Special Rates from:	Single:
\$6,495	\$9,995
<u>Alexandria Pre-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,595	\$2,495
<u>Jordan Post-Tour</u>	
Special Rate:	Single:
\$3,995	\$5,495

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change.



Southwest National Parks

OCTOBER 12-20, 2022 (with optional Denver to Moab pre-tour: October 8-12, 2022)

Millions of years of uplift and erosion have left a spectacular, monumental imprint across America's Southwest plateau.



Program Highlights

- Explore the Southwest's natural wonders with a knowledgeable Orbridge Expedition Leader.
- Stay at lodges inside Grand Canyon National Park and other properties carefully selected for their rich histories, beautiful locations, and superb service and accommodations.
- Spend additional time in Grand Canyon National Park or choose to join an optional helicopter flightseeing excursion over the Grand Canyon (additional fee).
- Discover the sunbaked natural structures and sacred lands of Monument Valley.
- Enjoy special inclusions, such as a Glen Canyon rafting trip and a visit to beautiful Antelope Slot Canyon.
- Visit a traditional Navajo hogan, and set out on a 4-wheel drive tour through Monument Valley.
- Behold the monolithic hoodoos in Bryce Canyon National Park and follow the paths of Ancestral Puebloans and pioneers at Zion National Park.

What's Included:

8 nights accommodations. A welcome and farewell reception, 8 breakfasts, 1 lunch, and 4 dinners. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader as well as expert local guides. Admission and park fees throughout. All activities as described in the 9-day itinerary, unless noted otherwise. Private deluxe motor coach with air conditioning and comfortable seating. Luggage portage. Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leader, local guides, drivers, and porters. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 9-Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive in Phoenix, AZ / Scottsdale (R)
- Day 2:** Scottsdale / Sedona / Grand Canyon National Park (B,D)
- Day 3:** Grand Canyon National Park (B)
- Day 4:** Monument Valley, UT (B,D)
- Day 5:** Monument Valley / Lake Powell, AZ (B,L,D)
- Day 6:** Lake Powell / Bryce Canyon National Park, UT (B)
- Day 7:** Bryce Canyon National Park / Zion National Park (B,D)
- Day 8:** Zion National Park / Las Vegas, NV (B,R)
- Day 9:** Depart Las Vegas (B)
- Optional 5-Day Pre-Tour:**
Denver to Moab Aboard *Rocky Mountaineer*

Special Rate:	Single:
\$4,395	\$5,995

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Denver to Moab Pre-Tour

Special Rates from:	Single from:
\$2,995	\$4,495

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Civil Rights – A Journey to Freedom

OCTOBER 29 - NOVEMBER 2, 2022 (with optional Muscle Shoals post-tour: November 2-4, 2022)

Experience the people, places, and events that ignited change and defined a pivotal period in American history.



Program Highlights

- Journey through the Deep South accompanied by an Orbridge Travel Director to gain an enhanced understanding of the historic and continued struggle for racial equality in the U.S.
- Visit prominent locations integral to the Civil Rights Movement many have only read about in books, including Kelly Ingram Park in Birmingham and the Edmund Pettus Bridge in Selma.
- Retrace the footsteps and learn more of central figures, including Dr. King, Rosa Parks, and Rev. Fred L. Shuttlesworth.
- Treasure the opportunity to hear first-hand the powerful accounts of foot soldiers' struggles and triumphs with interactive discussions.
- Visit the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute and the National Memorial for Peace and Justice—two institutions that have taken diverse and complementary approaches to telling the rich and moving stories of the Civil Rights Movement and of America's history of racial inequality.
- Join choir members for a musical program that outlines the origins of traditional African American spirituals and how these songs were integrated into the first independent black churches. Learn how choirs supported Dr. King on his visits around the U.S. Afterward, enjoy a delicious dinner with the group.

What's Included:

4 nights accommodations. A welcome reception, 4 breakfasts, 3 lunches, and 1 dinner. Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director. All activities as described in the program itinerary, including admission. Private deluxe motor coach with air conditioning and comfortable seating. Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, and wait staff for included meals. Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Your 5-Day Itinerary

Day 1: Arrive in Birmingham, AL (R)

Day 2: Birmingham (B)

Day 3: Birmingham / Montgomery (B,L)

Day 4: Montgomery / Selma / Montgomery (B,L,D)

Day 5: Montgomery / Tuskegee / Birmingham / Depart Birmingham (B,L)

Optional 3-Day Post-Tour:
Muscle Shoals

Special Rate:	Single:
\$2,995	\$3,995

Muscle Shoals Post-Tour

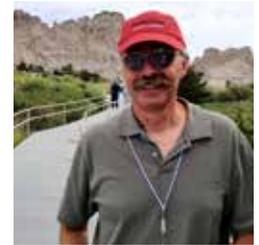
Special Rate:	Single:
\$1,295	\$1,595

Dates, Rates, and Itinerary subject to change. 24



Expedition Leaders & Travel Directors

Our purpose is to bring true understanding of a destination to our guests.



From helping you spot wildlife to providing an insider's perspective on local cuisine and wine, the knowledge and keen eyes of your Orbridge Expedition Leader or Travel Director will make all the difference in your educational experience. Enriched by their wealth of expertise, you'll bring home a deeper understanding of the creatures, characters, and culture of the world around you.

ENHANCE YOUR TRAVEL EXPERIENCE



Orbridge Expedition Library

Whether a field guide to local plants and animals, our staff's favorite map of the region, a pronunciation handbook, or historic literature, the contents of an Orbridge Expedition Library—an early reservation bonus—will heighten your anticipation and understanding of the journey you have reserved.

"We definitely intend to look into future travel with Orbridge. Our tour was outstanding."

~Tar Heel Traveler, National Parks & Lodges of the Old West

"Our guide's knowledge of the natural history of every place we visited enabled us to appreciate Alaska on a much deeper level than we could have on our own."

~Tar Heel Traveler, Discover Southeast Alaska

"Orbridge was amazing! The guide's in Quito and the ones with us on the boat touring the islands were so very knowledgeable about everything. They were so much help in getting us on and off the boat, keeping up with all that we needed, schedules, assisting us with all the activities, and all three of our guides were just so very nice and enjoyable to be around. We did the post tour of Machu Picchu and our guides dealing with the airport and transports were great and our guide was absolutely the best! He had so much passion for all that he was telling us and all that we saw. He made the trip so enjoyable! We loved that our guide's kept up with all the schedules, boarding passes, train tickets, etc. Our trip was fabulous and we highly recommend Orbridge to anyone traveling."

~Tar Heel Traveler, The Galapagos Islands

Find out more and reserve online: unc.orbridge.com

- Online reservation form
- Full program details
- Photos, videos, and map
- Accommodations
- Room descriptions
- Rates and inclusions
- Activity level
- Terms and conditions

Tour participants who are not members of the General Alumni Association must join the Association (\$50 for single, \$60 for couples) to participate. Please pay by separate check made payable to the General Alumni Association and mail with this reservation form.

Reservation Form

Program Name: _____

Option 1: Reserve online at unc.orbridge.com or call **UNC's GAA at (877) 962-3980.**

Option 2: Or, mail this form with your credit card information or an enclosed check payable to: Orbridge, LLC.

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: _____

Category Preference: 1st choice _____ 2nd choice _____

DEPOSIT:

_____ guests joining program (\$2,500/person for *Antarctica Discovery*; \$850/person for all other programs) +

_____ guests joining Rwanda pre-tour (\$1,500/person non-refundable gorilla permit fee) +

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

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

DEPOSIT PAYMENT:

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

Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____ CVV: _____

Name (as printed on card): _____

Billing Address (if different from above): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I/we have read, understand, and agree to the full Terms & Conditions at terms.orbridge.com and the COVID-19 Acknowledgement at orbridge.com/wellness; and I/we agree that Orbridge, LLC is authorized to charge my credit card above and/or take my/our deposit for this program.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail reservation form **UNC GAA**

and deposit to: P.O. Box 660, Chapel Hill, NC 27514-0660

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 program noted in (2) and (3); (2) \$2,500 per person for *Antarctica Discovery* 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 Discovery*—no later than 90 days prior to the program's scheduled departure date; (2) *Antarctica Discovery*—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. 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. CST#2098750-40 WST#602828994

Reservation Cancellations 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): (1) if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge: more than 90 calendar days prior to the program's scheduled departure date, all monies paid to Orbridge for the main program and for any pre-tour and/or post-tour will be refunded in full; (2) between 90 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-tour and/or post-tour, and the balance will be refunded; (3) 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-tour and/or post-tour, and the balance will be refunded; (4) 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-tour and/or post-tour. (b) For *Antarctica Discovery*, if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge: (1) more than 180 calendar days prior to the scheduled departure date, all monies paid to Orbridge for the main program and for any pre-tour and/or post-tour will be refunded in full; (2) between 180 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-tour and/or post-tour, and the balance will be refunded; (3) 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-tour and/or post-tour, and the balance will be refunded; (4) 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-tour and/or post-tour; (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. terms.orbridge.com | Copyright © 2021 Orbridge, LLC | www.orbridge.com | (866) 639-0079