

## A JOURNEY OF ROBALA WINE, RED-TILE ROOFS AND GONDOLIERS



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Embarkation: Istanbul

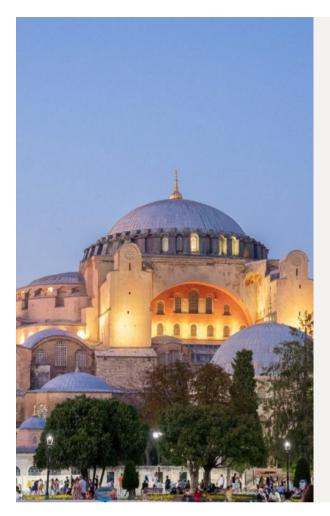
**Disembarkation:** Fusina

Dates: Mon, 05 May 2025 - Thu, 15 May 2025

Duration: 10 Nights / 11 days
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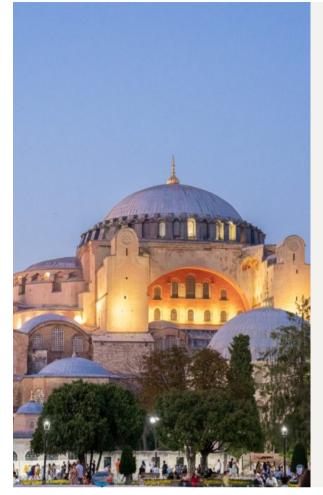
## DAY TÜRKIYE The Fusion of Istanbul

### Port: Istanbul Departure: 22:00

Arrival Method: DOCK

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## DAY TÜRKIYE 2 The Fusion of Istanbul

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Ø DAY3 At sea





# Ø DAY GREECE 4 Thessaloniki Contrasts

#### Port: Thessaloniki Arrival: 08:00

Arrival Method: DOCK Departure: 18:00

Breeze into a beguiling mix of vintage and modern, awash with a thriving art, culture and history scene. Crowded with museums dedicated to the past plus an extraordinary 15 UNESCO sites – there's much to learn. Admire ramparts built to last; the impressive Galerius Palace, the beautiful domed multi-serving Rotunda, a bevy of Byzantine churches and the curious 15th century White Tower. Dig deeper into the past to trace pre-historic times at the Archaeological Museum. Rove around Ladadika narrow streets and charming squares that emit a Parisian air, absorb Greek produce in the Market's holy halls and soak up modern art on the lively waterfront. Raise hairs at Heptapyrgion, take coffee in Aristotelous Square or head out of town to peer at Alexander the Great's birthplace in Pella and Vergina's royal tombs. Perfectly poised on the placid Thermaic Gulf, Thessaloniki brings past and present together in remarkable harmony.

# <sup>®</sup> DAY GREECE5 Primeval Peninsula of Volos

Port: Volos Arrival: 09:00 Arrival Method: DOCK Departure: 20:00

Volos deals a perfect blend of architectural gems, scented archaic landscapes and beach-fringed salty bays. Discover treasures in the mythical home of Jason and the Argonauts before bearing off to Pelion, homeland of the mythical Centaurs. Zig zag through a network of old cobbled donkey tracks linking villages and wander a botanist's dream of eucalyptus, fruit trees and thyme-scented woodland. Dip in blissfully quiet Pagasitic waters, bring history to life on gorge and bridge crossing Moutzouris and paddle past secluded coves into eerie sea caves and the Secret School. Visit Damouchari for a riot of bougainvillea and silvery olive trees, Tsagarada for the oldest plane tree in Greece and Milies for murals and absurd acoustics. This playground of the gods remains a quiet memory of Greek gone by the Centaurs have protected it well.





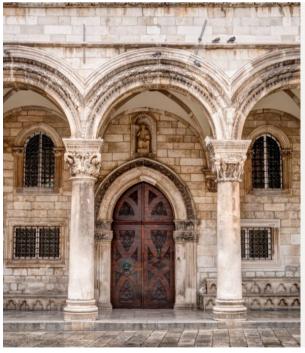
• DAY 6 At sea



# DAY GREECE7 Refined Fiskardo

Port: Fiskardo (Kefalonia) Arrival: 09:00 Arrival Method: DOCK Departure: 20:00

Experience the vibrant, cosmopolitan charm of Kefalonia. Wind through the crescent-shaped Venetian architecture surrounded by the sounds of classical music. Head to pebbled coves, bijoux boutiques and gelato caverns, or snorkel, dive, kayak and hike through nature in all its Mediterranean glory, surrounded by the scents of pine, lavender and cedar. Slip across to the secluded beaches of Ithaca – home to Homer's 'The Odyssey' and vibrant underwater reefs. And relax at lavish seafood eateries and sip robola as you mingle amid refined, elegant guests.



# Ø DAY CROATIA 8 Distinctive Dubrovnik

Port: Dubrovnik Arrival: 14:00 Arrival Method: DOCK Departure: 22:00

Marvel at this chic walled city paved with a wealth of aristocratic palazzi, ancient forts and epic Adriatic views. Enter grand Pile Gate to lose yourself in intricate alleys, stage-set squares, museums and baroque churches. Ease out of town to kayak around sturdy ramparts, taste Dalmatian wines in the Konavle countryside, and visit archaic Cavtat and history-packed Mostar. Escape the crowds to cacti-clad Lokrum for a spot of yoga and botanical walking, or join in to graze at trendy restaurants on the rocks. It's no wonder the glitterati flock to the strength of this charming and inspiring medieval Dalmatian marvel.







#### DAY CROATIA

## Dalmatian Daydreams in Split

#### Port: Split Arrival: 09:00

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Arrival Method: DOCK Departure: 18:00

Sheltered by mountains and hills of pine, Split casts a sirenic spell, its terracotta-tiled rooftops spilling straight down to the sparkling Adriatic. Wander within the ancient walls of Diocletian's seafront palace to its collonaded courtyard and cathedral, the sinuous streets and sunny squares abuzz with cafes and shops, and everyday life ongoing amid the palace's atmospheric alleyways. From here, peoplewatch over coffee on the Saint Tropez-esque Riva promenade; climb to the hilltop park, small churches hidden along the way, for a sundowner; or seek the sandy Bacvice beach, swimming the shallows as Splicani play picigin (ballgame), and perfecting the Dalmatian art of fjaka, the sweetness of doing nothing.

# DAY ITALY10 Spiritual Nourishment in Ravenna

Port: Ravenna Arrival: 09:00 Arrival Method: DOCK Departure: 21:00

Unleash your artistic soul in Ravenna, where 1500-year-old churches are embellished with intricate mosaics and Byzantine art. Flooded crypts, columnar bell towers and Dante's tomb make this Emilia-Romagna city divine. The Basilica of Sant'Apollinare Nuovo, once the home of bloody King Theodoric the Great, is one of eight UNESCO treasures. Feast on Adriatic octopus in Piazza del Popolo, pedal through pine forests in nearby Cervia, cross invisible borders in espresso-sized San Marino, or discover the canals and flamingoflecked wetlands of Comacchio.





# DAY ITALY11 Waltz into Venice

### Port: Fusina Arrival: 08:00

Arrival Method: DOCK

Delve into ancient palaces, century-old galleries, and modern-day exhibits as you whirl through Venice. Walk through masterpieces, catch an opera, gaze at medieval buildings, blow Murano glass and drift down the Grand Canal by gondola to visit churches, convents and campi "squares" that vary in spirit and scale. Cross hump-backed bridges, reach teeming Piazza San Marco's Basilica and Doge's Palace, or duck down passages to escape reality. From palazzos to perfumeries and the must-see Bridge of Sighs, you're only moments from a place of beauty in this liquid-gold city of treasures.



## EXCLUSIVE EXPERIENCES



#### **79** Experiences

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Wonderful Nature

## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Truffle Hunting in Magical Meteora

Enter the esoteric world of Greek truffle culture by hunting for and sampling the highly prized fungi amid the bewitching landscapes of Meteora. After a journey through beautiful Thessaly, learn and explore at the Meteora Natural History Museum and Mushroom Museum in Kalabaka. You'll continue to a nearby forest, taking time to view the soaring rock formations, many topped by ancient 'hanging monasteries'. In the shade of the trees, you'll take part in an authentic truffle hunting experience led by experts with trained dogs, followed by a mouthwatering meal of truffle and mushroom pasta.

Port: Volos	Price From: €180.00
Activity Level: 📚 Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 9.00 Hrs	Available In: English
eatures: History & Heritage, Must-Se	e Experience, Meal Included



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Dinner and Dancing in Istanbul

Take an evening drive to the Hodjapasha, an old *hammam* (bathhouse) that has been transformed into a theatre and cultural centre near the shimmering waterside on Istanbul's historic peninsula. Watch a gloriously well-choreographed and spiritually resonant display of 'Sufi whirling' unfold onstage—and this mesmerising Mevlevi Sema ceremony won't be something you'll soon forget. You'll then swap the Hodjapasha for a lovely local restaurant. Tuck into some sensorially delightful Turkish dishes over dinner, then head back to the port feeling full in every sense of the word—full-hearted and blissfully content.

 Port:
 Istanbul
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Price From: €140.00 Experiences: Enchanting Explorations Available In: English

 Duration:
 4.30 Hrs
 Available In:
 English

 Features:
 UNESCO Heritage Sites, Late Experience, Meal Included





## mediterranean & western europe Exploring Historic Galata

Return to a time when Karaköy was called Galata as you see some of Istanbul's oldest buildings of Roman and Ottoman origin. Your guided exploration begins at the Tophane-i Amire Sanjak Tower, then heads through the tranquil Tophane Kasrı park. You'll pass the grand fountain and visit the nearby Nusretiye and Kılıç Ali Pasha mosques, the latter an opulent complex designed by the master architect, Sinan. Pause for lunch beside the water before visiting the distinctive Aya Andrea church, then stroll through the Galataport, which was once a post office but is now a shopping, arts and gastronomy haven.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €125.00
Activity Level: Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, Meal Included,	History & Heritage



## mediterranean & western europe Istanbul by Night

From gorgeous Galata Bridge to the lit-up domes and minarets of the New Mosque, Istanbul comes alive in a new way after sunset. Indulge in an evening adventure on the historic peninsula, snapping unique shots of the sparkling city and waterfront. Your experience will begin with a trip to Sultanahmet, a hub of historic sites and Ottoman masterpieces. After photos, you'll continue to dinner at an authentic Turkish restaurant near the waterfront in Samatya. Indulge in freshcaught fish and seafood, from grilled bream to buttered prawns, and other local specialities.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €310.00
Activity Level: Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Late Experience, Meal Includ	ded





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Incredible Historic Istanbul

Delight in the opulent Ottoman style of the Hagia Sophia (converted into a mosque and adorned with magical minarets in the 1400s) and Little Hagia Sophia (known for its white-blue interior). Meander uphill to the Hippodrome of Constantinople, the site of many epic sporting events during the Byzantine era. Take Turkish tea in a private, column-supported underground cistern that's been hidden beneath street level for centuries. Explore the Grand Bazaar and bask in all the sights and sounds of the real Istanbul.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Architec Refreshments Included	ture, UNESCO Heritage Sites



## mediterranean & western europe Lunch on a Rural Čilipi Estate

Enjoy an intimate lunch in the glorious Konavle countryside, prepared by a talented local chef. Immerse yourself in a sensory experience that feeds the senses as much as the appetite. After a scenic drive from Dubrovnik, you'll arrive at a large estate in the village of Čilipi, where you'll be received by the landowning family and shown the delicious oil, brandy and wine they produce. Surrounded by the valley's verdant beauty, you'll experience a freshly made, authentic meal of estatesourced produce prepared by a professional chef. The harmonious sounds of local music will provide a natural soundtrack for this gastronomic experience.

Port: Dubrovnik
Activity Level: 🗮 Moderate

Price From: €210.00

Available In: English

**Experiences:** Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Features: Wonderful Nature, Meal Included, Gastronomic Experience, Arts & Culture





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Visit Diocletian's Palace and the Meštrović Gallery

A fitting tribute to one of the most prominent Croatian artists, Ivan Meštrović's gallery overlooks the beautiful Split coastline. Here you'll witness some of his greatest works, before walking down towards Split's old town and to Diocletian's Palace. Its sprawling wine cellars were once the toast of this city's Roman rulers. The enormous cathedral is just a short walk away, and you'll see lavish details and its soaring bell tower. This spectacular building is thought to be the oldest Catholic cathedral still functioning in its original structure.

Port: Split	Price From: €80.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, History & Heri	tage, Arts & Culture



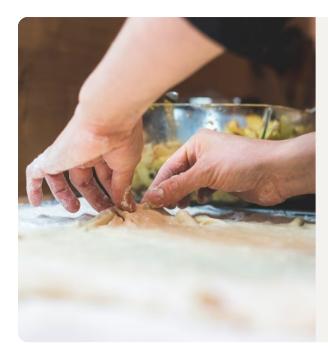
#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## The Wild Beauty of the Mosor Mountains

View the towering Mosor mountain range, which runs parallel to the Adriatic coast. At the 'Hidden Dalmatia' visitor centre, take an immersive virtual reality tour and learn about the fascinating Split-Dalmatia County and its impressive peaks. Then, experience one of the most dramatic features in the area—Vranjača Cave, an underground complex with spectacular rock formations and subterranean caverns. Afterwards, enjoy the relaxing drive back to Split with panoramic views of the countryside.

Port: Split	Price From: €90.00
Activity Level: $\widetilde{\approx}$ High-energy	Experiences: Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, Must-See Experience	



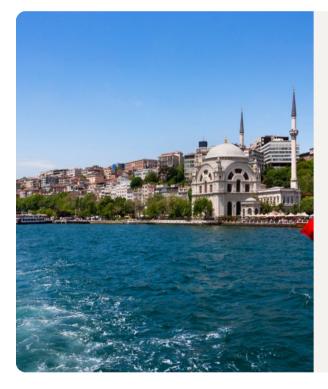


#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Cooking at Karaiskos Farm

In the village of Portaria, perched on the side of Mount Pelion, is the tranquil, rustic charm of Karaiskos Farm and its restaurant. Set out from Volos and journey through the lush landscape of Thessaly to discover this oasis of sustainable agriculture. Using seasonal ingredients from the farm garden and fresh delicacies from the area, immerse yourself in an interactive cooking lesson led by an expert chef. Then, sample your creations and enjoy a reviving lunch of Greek cuisine before returning to port.

Port: Volos	Price From: €190.00
Activity Level: ≋ Effortless	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, Mu	ust-See Experience, Meal Included



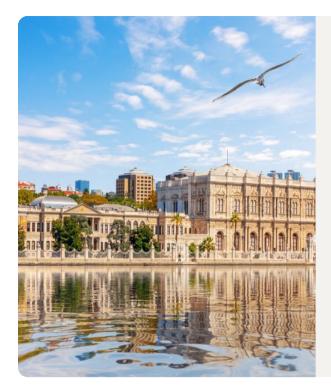
#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Cruising the Bosphorus Strait and Sampling the Spice Bazaar

See the magnificent beauty of Istanbul by sea and by land, starting by boating down the Bosphorus, which bisects this magnificent city. The mighty strait divides the Asian and European sides of Türkiye and connects the Black Sea and the Sea of Marmara. You'll sail up the waterway, viewing the majestic Ottoman structures of Istanbul's historical peninsula from the deck of the boat. Upon disembarking, you'll head for the Spice Bazaar—also known as Egyptian Bazaar and M1sır Çarşısı—a cavalcade of sights and scents, spices, teas and Turkish treats.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €45.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, History 8	& Heritage, Arts & Culture





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Istanbul Palaces and Afternoon Tea

Experience two of Istanbul's royal highlights, spotting opulent features and sparkling beauty wherever you turn. Begin your experience with a drive to the imposingly elegant Dolmabahçe Palace, a sprawling Baroque and Rococo structure stretching along the Bosphorus Strait's coastline. Explore the palace's 285 rooms and 46 halls, and stand in awe of the famous Baccarat crystal staircase. Then, continue south to Pera Palace Hotel, a historic five-star property renowned across Türkiye for its 'Istanbul classic' afternoon tea featuring glorious views and three tiers of sandwiches, scones and pastries.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €160.00
Activity Level: Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, History & Herit	age, UNESCO Heritage Sites



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## The Works of the Architect Sinan

Lovers of intricate architecture will be awed by this guided journey through the works of 'Architect Sinan', an urban planner like no other. Make the gorgeous, classically Ottoman mosque, Şehzade Camii known as Sinan's 'apprentice' work—your introduction to his style. Then, continue to the larger, even more opulent Süleymaniye Camii to discover his true masterpiece of mosque-making. Close out your day on the historic peninsula with a glimpse of the Hurrem Sultan Hamamı baths, a look at the Rüstem Pasha Mosque, and a trip to the sensorially stimulating Spice Bazaar designed by Sinan's apprentice.

Port: Istanbul Activity Level: *≋* Moderate Price From: €95.00

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Available In: English

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Features: Architecture, History & Heritage





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Architecture and Spices in Istanbul

Fatih, Istanbul's central district, is home to ancient Ottoman history and buzzing modern vibrancy. After a drive into the heart of the city, stroll through the lively streets until you reach the Sultan Ahmet Camii (Blue Mosque). It was constructed during the early 17th century during the reign of Sultan Ahmed I. The mosque is famous for the striking blue tilework which adorns its interior walls, giving it the name 'Blue Mosque'. Then, discover one of the oldest and largest covered markets: Grand Bazaar. Discover the Rüstem Paşa Camii (Rustem Pasha Mosque) a dazzling Ottoman mosque tucked away behind the markets, with a vast collection of decorative tiles. Finally, dive into the bustling atmosphere of the Spice Bazaar, shopping and indulging your senses in the many magical flavours.

Port: Istanbul

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Activity Level:  $\approx$  Moderate

Price From: €50.00

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Available In: English Features: History & Heritage, Arts & Culture, UNESCO Heritage Sites,

Architecture



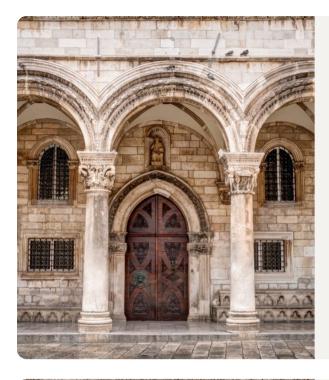
### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Monastic Marvels of Meteora: A Journey to Spiritual Heights and Photographic Mastery

Embark on a scenic drive to Kalambaka through the plains of Thessaly. Witness the breathtaking spectacle of Meteora's ancient monasteries, perched on towering rock formations. Explore one monastery, marvelling at its exquisite icons and frescoes. Join a local expert photographer-guide to capture professional-grade photos in Meteora's hermit caves. Conclude with a delicious lunch at a familyowned restaurant in Kalambaka square before returning to the port.

Port: Volos	Price From: €215.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{\sim}{\approx}$ Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 9.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Must-See Experience, Merr	norable Moment, Meal Included





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Ston Salt Pans and Oyster Tasting

The sister villages of Ston and Mali Ston (Little Ston) are quintessentially Croatian, combining glistening waterfront beauty with a verdant countryside setting. Travel the Adriatic coastline to Ston, discovering the history and uninterrupted grandeur of its fortified walls, which are more than 7 km (4.35 mi) long. Then, learn about the ecological salt production at the Solana Ston salterns. Continue to Mali Ston for an interactive oyster farming experience, when you'll board a boat and hunt for oyster beds before tasting this tantalising delicacy, fresh from the sea.

Port: Dubrovnik	Price From: €140.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, Wonderful Nature	



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Cooking and Wine Tasting in Močići

Travel down the Adriatic coast to a secluded rural spot in Konavle to discover the region's gastronomic secrets, shared by seasoned local chefs. After a drive through the lush Croatian countryside, you'll arrive at a rustic farmhouse in the little village of Močići. Your welcoming hosts will take you through a hands-on class focused on creating authentic dishes using fresh, local ingredients. Against a serene natural backdrop, you'll make and then eat your culinary achievements, with an accompaniment of fine regional wines.

Port: Dubrovnik	Price From: €350.00
Activity Level: Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 6.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, Meal Inclu	uded, Gastronomic Experience





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Visit Krka National Park

Your first stop in blissful Krka National Park is Lozovac. From here, you will explore the natural cascade barriers of the Park. This tour will take you to the most attractive part of the park— the Skradinski Buk waterfalls. The highest fall is 46 m (151 ft) high, which makes it the highest gypsum barrier in Europe. Above the falls, there is a large plateau that offers spectacular views. During your exploration, a visit is made to a small ethnological exhibition and the old mill, which is still functioning, demonstrating how it was used for grinding. We then head to Plastovo village and the home of the Sladić family, who will walk you through a tasting of their wines at Ante Sladić Vino. Produced using time-honoured methods and only indigenous grapes, these wines are unique to this region.

Port: Split	Price From: €175.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 7.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, Action, Gastronomic Experience	

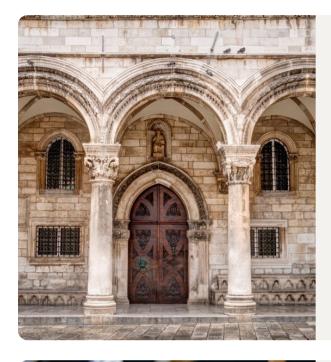


## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Dubrovnik's Old Town, the Real King's Landing

Bring the magical world of Westeros to life and experience the true majesty of King's Landing in Dubrovnik's Old Town. This Croatian coastal city's historic centre was the primary filming location for King' s Landing scenes during the hit TV series *Game of Thrones*, based on the epic fantasy novels of George R. R. Martin. Step into your favourite scenes as you walk the walls and stroll the *Stradun—* including the Pile Gate where King Joffrey's citizens incited a riot, the real-life Red Keep of Fort Lovrijenac and the West Pier that became Blackwater Bay onscreen.

Port: Dubrovnik	<b>Price From:</b> €90.00
Activity Level: Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Memora	ble Moment, Arts & Culture





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Konavle Flour Mill and Wine Tasting

Immerse yourself in the age-old customs of Croatia at an old flour mill and ancient local winery in the region of Konavle. Drive along the stunning Dubrovnik Riviera; with a coastal photo stop, you'll arrive in the charming village of Ljuta, where you'll visit an old flour mill, see its inner workings and discover the pivotal role of flour production in Konavle and wider Croatia through history. Then, head to a rustic winery for a private tasting where you'll savour fine wines paired with delicious local appetisers.

Port: Dubrovnik Activity Level: ≈ Effortless Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Features: History & Heritage

Price From: €100.00 Experiences: Destination Essentials Available In: English



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## The Secrets of Turkish Baklava

*Baklava* is a nutty, buttery pastry with an international reputation for deliciousness. Walk from the port to Karaköy to discover the delicacy' s heritage and traditions. Visit a baklava production centre, meet the owner and learn how the dessert is made. Then, step out onto a relaxing terrace for Turkish tea with sweet accompaniments, including some locally made Turkish baklava. Conclude the experience with a visit to the Istanbul Museum of Modern Art, where you'll see the vibrant culture and creativity of contemporary Türkiye.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €150.00
Activity Level: 🏽 Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 3.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, Refreshments Included	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE **Explore Split's Ancient Treasures**

Discover fascinating sites and ancient ruins dotted throughout the Croatian countryside. From Split, this experience leads to Gašpina Mlinica, a peaceful spot best known for its charming 16th-century watermill. Then, in the remains of the Roman city of Salona, follow your guide through ghostly ruins, from ancient amphitheatres to handsome basilicas and their vivid mosaics. Your trail leads back to Split, where there's time to encounter the Roman roots of this captivating city. Wander through cobbled alleys that lead to the impressive Peristil bell tower, before admiring the breathtaking Temple of Jupiter.

Port: Split	Price From: €115.00
Activity Level: 🗮 High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, UNESCO Heritage Sites	



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## River Cetina and Croatia's Milling Tradition

Embark on an unforgettable journey from the banks of the River Cetina. Travel by boat through magnificent mountain scenery and steep gorges to Radman Mills, a centuries-old milling legacy. Sip a glass of delicious local brandy before a scenic drive to the Cetina Canyon, with a stop to capture photos of the jaw-dropping view. On the river known as Zrnovnica, visit the historic Antonica's Mill, which still produces flour, and witness the ancient art of breadmaking. Savour the taste of fresh bread and enjoy a lovely lunch amidst your charming surroundings.

Port: Split	Price From: €155.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{\sim}{\approx}$ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 5.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Wonderful Nature, Gastronomic Experience	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE The Hanging Monasteries of Meteora

Sometimes the world offers sights so enthralling that the heart misses a beat. The medieval monasteries of Meteora, impossibly perched upon towering outcrops of rock, are such a sight. After driving through the scenic plains of Thessaly (or Thessalia), you'll come to Kalabaka, where 14th-century Greek Orthodox monks built 24 monasteries—of which six remain—to bring themselves closer to God. Ascending the steps to two of these historic religious communities is rewarded by the spectacular views from the top, and the ancient icons, frescoes and manuscripts displayed within. Afterwards, reflect on the experience over lunch at a local restaurant before returning to the ship.

Port: Volos	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 9.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, Meal Included, History & Heritage	

#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## The Art of Istanbul

Indulge in a delicious Turkish coffee in the MSA Culinary School Restaurant, then visit the Sakıp Sabancı Museum to discover the owner's vast private collection Next, head to Borusan Contemporary to browse magical, modern exhibits. Continue your Istanbul art journey with a short drive to the famous İstiklal Avenue, where you'll find numerous iconic galleries (your guide will introduce you to the best available exhibitions of the day). Finish your cultural adventure in the Galataport, at the Istanbul Museum of Modern Art—where contemporary Turkish artists shine, and the city's artistic history is revealed.

Port: Istanbul
Activity Level: Source Moderate

Price From: €115.00

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Available In: English

Duration: 4.30 Hrs Features: Arts & Culture, Architecture





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Captivating Cavtat and Riverside Lunch in Ljuta

Journey southeast of Dubrovnik to Cavtat, a town in the Konavle region renowned for its historic Illyrian ruins and sandy shoreline lapped by gentle, emerald waters. After a drive along the stunning Adriatic coast, you'll arrive in Cavtat and receive an introduction to the charming town, followed by time to meander through the warm stone streets and explore the picture-perfect harbourside. At Konavoski Dvori Eco Green Restaurant, an oasis of green next to the Ljuta River, enjoy a delicious lunch of the region's best cuisine.

Port: Dubrovnik	Price From: €165.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Architec	ture



#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Ancient Archaeology and the Village of Makrinitsa

Greek antiquity and mythology come to vibrant life during this experience, starting at the Athanasakio Archaeological Museum of Volos, home to 8,000-year-old excavations and a tableau of fascinating artefacts. You'll then head north through lush vegetation areas, stonebuilt villages and towering mountains, reaching the foot of Mount Pelion, the mythological home of the centaur, Chiron. Finally, take time to explore the atmospheric streets of Makrinitsa village, known as the 'Balcony of Mount Pelion'.

Port: Volos	Price From: €80.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, Arts & Culture	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Topkapi Palace and the Sultans of Opulence

Topkapi Palace is an unimaginable extravagance of opulence — the Ottoman equivalent of the gold-plated superyachts of today's tycoons. Your expert guide will elucidate the sumptuous architecture and the sultans' private Harem, which has more than 300 rooms, two mosques, and its own hospital. Then, step into the heady hustlebustle of the Grand Bazaar—one of the world's oldest and largest with 61 alleys and 4,000 stalls—and barter for handmade rugs, jewellery, or toothsome Turkish delight. This immersive experience shines an edifying light on Istanbul in a visit that will remain etched in your memory forever.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €140.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, History & Heritage, Arts & Culture	



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Istanbul Cooking Class

Istanbul's culinary history—influenced by the city's diversity—is rich, delicious and yours to taste. Take a short drive to the Kurtuluş neighbourhood of Istanbul, where many religious groups live together in happy harmony, and stroll and shop your way through the lively, sun-kissed streets. On Saturdays, you'll even get the chance to explore a fascinating farmer's bazaar or two. After immersing yourself in the area's energy, attend a private cooking class focused on six tantalising Turkish classics. Follow expert instructions from a local, cook something incredible and dig in!

Port: Istanbul		Pric
Activity Level: 🎘	Effortless	<b>Ехр</b> Ехр

Price From: €215.00

xperiences: Enchanting explorations

Available In: English

Features: Gastronomic Experience, Meal Included

Duration: 5.30 Hrs





#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Historic Galata Arts Adventure

Venture north of the Golden Horn to explore historic Galata, the vibrant home of many creatives and artisans. Visit the Kiliç Ali Pasha Mosque complex (designed by the master, 'Architect Sinan') and learn the story of the 'Former French Orphanage'. Learn of Istanbul's rich and textured past, and pick up a tasty *simit* (Turkish bagel) from one of the city's oldest bakeries. Speak with young artists around Galata, visit a gallery filled with local art, and discover the magic of ceramics, quilting and soap-making through three fascinating store visits. End your day with a trip to a renowned *baklava* shop for a sweet, nutty treat.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €50.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, Architect	ure



#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Dion, Litochoro, and Views of Mount Olympus

This adventure into mythic realms begins with a panoramic drive across Thessaly to Mount Olympus, mythological home to the 12 major gods of ancient Greece. In the foothills of Olympus lies Dion, whose proximity to Greece's highest peak has lent it a numinous aura. Immerse yourself in the myth and mysteries of Ancient Greece at the Archaeological Park and Museum of Dion and Temple of Zeus. Then, you'll head down to the pretty, red-roofed town of Litochoro for a delicious lunch enjoyed against a stunning mountain backdrop.

Port: Volos	Price From: €110.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{\sim}{\approx}$ Moderate	Experiences: Destination Essentials
Duration: 8.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Arts & Culture, Architecture, Meal Included	





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Activity Level: 籭 High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Destina Essentials
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English

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Features: History & Heritage, Arts & Culture



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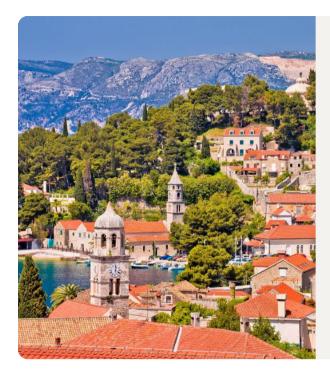
Experiences: Enchanting Explorations

Available In: English

Features: Gastronomic Experience, UNESCO Heritage Sites, History & Heritage, Meal Included

Duration: 8.00 Hrs





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Hiking the Srđ Trail

See the stunning city of Dubrovnik in its full glory after a hike to the summit of the neighbouring hill called Srđ. As you ascend the 412-m (1,351-ft) rise, the city's scenic beauty will steadily unfold until you reach the summit, with a perfect panorama of red-roofed buildings against the cobalt Adriatic. Take a relaxing seat on the terrace of the Panorama Restaurant & Bar before visiting the Homeland War Museum. Finally, glide back down to Dubrovnik in a cable car, with more sweeping vistas of this remarkable UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Port: Dubrovnik	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 3.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, UNESCO	) Heritage Sites



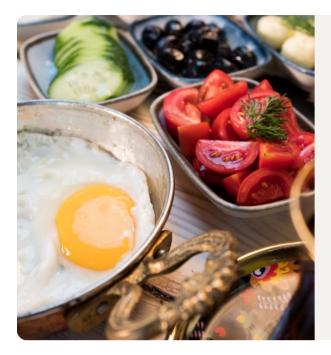
#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Discover Šibenik and Taste the Olive Oil of Vodice

From astounding architecture to alluring cuisine, discover some of Croatia's best-kept secrets. Admire the Cathedral of St James and the intricate stone details that have helped earn it UNESCO World Heritage Site status. Then, follow your guide deeper into Šibenik's labyrinthine old town, along cobbled alleys and stone buildings, and learn about the city's proud maritime history. Finally, you'll visit Vodice and the St Ivan Olive Oil Centre (Uljara Sveti Ivan), where you'll discover olive cultivation methods that have endured for generations. Savour the unique tastes of different olive oils paired with delicious nibbles to round off this cultural adventure.

Port: Split	Price From: €120.00
Activity Level: $\gtrless$ Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 7.00 Hrs	Available In: English
<b>Features:</b> History & Heritage, UNESCO Heritage Sites, Gastronomic Experience	

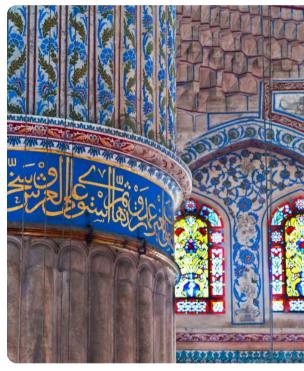




## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Breakfast Sailing on the Bosphorus

The Bosphorus Strait divides Europe and Asia connects two great seas, and offers a fabulous vantage point to see Istanbul's finest waterfront sights by boat. Start your day in style, gliding up the mighty waterway on a motorboat before experiencing panoramic views of ancient Ottoman palaces bearing domes and minarets. Take in the city's magnificence on both the Thracian and Anatolian sides. Return to land for an indulgent, authentically Turkish *kahvaltı* (precoffee) breakfast by the water, then reboard for the return journey.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{\scriptstyle \sim}{\approx}$ Effortless	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, History & Heritage, Wonderful Nature	



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Memories of Constantinople

Return to an age when Istanbul was called Constantinople, and before that, Byzantium. In central Fatih, gaze upon the twin masterpieces from the Ottoman era, the Blue Mosque and the Hagia Sophia, with their beautiful domes and minarets. Then, head to the Hippodrome of Constantinople, an ancient chariot-racing arena, discover the city's secrets at St Sophia Museum, and go beneath the surface at the underground Basilica Cistern, which is supported by 336 marble columns Conclude your day at the bustlingly vibrant Grand Bazaar, shopping for treasures and delighting your senses.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €125.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 5.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: UNESCO Heritage Sites, Arta Architecture	s & Culture, History & Heritage,





#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Discover Split's Timeless Treasures With an Expert Guide

Step into Split's rich heritage with an expert guide to walk you through the city's ancient streets. Stand in the impressive Peristil square and marvel at the imperial complex bell tower, whose silhouette dominates the skyline. After a short scenic drive, you'll reach medieval Klis Fortress, a stronghold that defended Dalmatia for millennia, before you move on to the enchanting Stella Croatica estate. Walk through the orchard and olive grove amidst scents of aromatic herbs, learn the production secrets of the estate's exquisite extra virgin olive oil and taste the unique flavour of each variety.

Port: Split			
Activity Level:	$\approx$	Moderate	

**Refreshments Included** 

Price From: €90.00

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration:4.30 HrsAvailable In:EnglishFeatures:Architecture, History & Heritage, Gastronomic Experience,



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

Hiking the Centaur Paths of Pelion

Feed your sense of adventure on this magical, meandering hike around Pelion mountain, which is imbued with Greek mythology thanks to its ancient 'centaur paths'. Your journey through the vibrant Grecian landscape will begin high on the mountainside in the village of Chania, close to the Agriolefkes ski resort. From here, you'll trace the footsteps of the mythological half-horse, half-human creatures towards the whitewashed village of Portaria, which offers dazzling views over Volos and the Pagasetic Gulf.

Port: Volos	Price From: €145.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Action, Must-See Experience	e, Light Snacks And Refreshments





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Discovering Dubrovnik's Old Town

Dubrovnik is a beautiful UNESCO World Heritage Site and a city whose 13th-century old town—Old City of Dubrovnik—exudes historical allure. Begin your journey through Dubrovnik's past with a walk along the ramparts that encircle the old town, visiting several fortresses and the Maritime Museum. Stroll along Stradun, the main street that bisects the ancient settlement, to discover the beautiful Franciscan church and monastery before immersing yourself in the elegance of Assumption Cathedral.

Port: Dubrovnik	Price From: €115.00
Activity Level: $\widetilde{pprox}$ High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 3.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Architect	ture



#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Picture-Perfect Padua

Journey inland through the serene Italian countryside to Padua, a city of history, culture and UNESCO recognition. Upon arrival, a guide will lead you from Prato della Valle, an elegant park adorned with stone statues, to the famous Piazza del Santo to visit the resplendent Basilica of Saint Anthony of Padua. Later, discover more photogenic *piazzas*, and landmarks like Palazzo Bo and the historic Caffé Pedrocchi. End your day in the city with an *aperitivo* of a sumptuous spritz with *stuzzichini* — little bites, like canapés.

Port: Fusina (Venice)	Price From: €130.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	Experiences: Destination Essentials
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, Light Snacks And Refreshments





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Colour and Culture in Murano and Burano

Adventure across the Venetian Lagoon and discover two of the most celebrated and colourful of its more than 40 islands. Depart from the pier on a motorboat and head to Murano, a hub of Italian glass production since the late 1200s-it housed 37 factories in its heyday. Amongst the ancient stone streets, you'll discover glassblowing secrets and charming boutiques in abundance. Continue to Burano, where Venetian fishermen gather and craftswomen still produce some of the finest lace in Europe and pause to admire the island's picture-perfect, brightly painted houses.

Port: Fusina (Venice) Activity Level: 📚 Moderate Price From: €115.00

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Culture

Available In: English Features: Must-See Experience, Architecture, History & Heritage, Arts &



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Venetian Lagoon Cruise

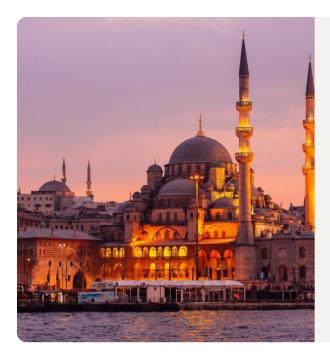
Discover the Venetian Lagoon's magical secrets from teal waters on an easy-going motorboat trip. Glide along Giudecca Canal, past the Byzantine charm of Saint Mark's Basilica, and out towards San Giorgio Maggiore, passing San Servolo and the tranquil monastery of San Lazzaro degli Armeni. Then, continue into the canal that divides the verdant island of Vignole and bustling Sant'Erasmo, before heading towards Murano, an island famed for its unique glassmaking craft. On your return journey, you'll pass the Venetian Arsenal and the island of San Pietro di Castello.

Port: Fusina (Venice) Activity Level: 🗮 Effortless Price From: €90.00

Experiences: Destination Essentials

Duration: 2.30 Hrs Available In: English Features: Must-See Experience, Architecture, History & Heritage





## mediterranean & western europe Exclusive Sunset Yacht Escape in Istanbul

Watch the sun set over Istanbul as you sweep along the serene cobalt waters of the mighty Bosphorus Strait. See the city from the pampered comfort of a motorboat, including the Maiden's Tower on the water, Dolmabahçe Sarayı (Dolmabahçe Palace) on the Thracian side of the strait, and several majestic Ottoman-style mosques on the Anatolian side. Drink delicious Turkish wines and sip tangy cocktails as a local DJ plays, take in the views, and dance like nobody's watching as day gives way to night in this most cosmopolitan of cities.

Port: Istanbul	<b>Price From:</b> €185.00
Activity Level: Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 3.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Memora	ble Moment, Refreshments Included



#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Venetian Wonders: Gondola Ride & Prosecco Delight

From the pier, board your private motorboat to Saint Mark's Area, where your guide awaits. Embark on an hour-long narrated stroll through Venice's iconic landmarks, including the Marciana Library and the Loggetta by Jacopo Sansovino. Saint Mark's Square buzzes with life—locals, musicians, artists, and charming pigeons. Marvel at the vibrant clock tower with its bronze Moors, the Procuratie Vecchie and Nuove, and the majestic Saint Mark's Cathedral. Adjacent to the Cathedral, the Gothic masterpiece, Doge's Palace, showcases its stunning façade and multi-arcaded loggia.

Enhance your Venetian experience with a thrilling gondola ride through Venice's enchanting canals. Afterward, unwind with a glass of local wine at a café in Saint Mark's Square. Enjoy some leisure time to explore the city on your own before reuniting with your assistant at a designated meeting point in Saint Mark's Area for a walk back to your motorboat destination, Fusina.

**Port:** Fusina (Venice)

Activity Level: 📚 High-energy

Price From: €185.00

**Experiences:** Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: Must-See Experience, Refreshments Included, Memorable Moment





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Enchanting UNESCO Prosecco Hills Tour

Nestled in northern Treviso, between the celebrated wine towns of Conegliano and Valdobbiadene, the Hills of the Prosecco DOC Region offer a picturesque escape just an hour from Venice and close to the breathtaking Veneto Dolomiti mountains. This enchanting landscape features dramatic ascents and rolling slopes, all blanketed in lush vineyards that reflect a rich, centuries-old winemaking heritage. Every corner of this region exudes the aroma of wine and history, with charming medieval hamlets and towns dotting the valleys. In 2019, the "Colline del Prosecco di Conegliano e Valdobbiadene" earned a place on the UNESCO World Heritage List for its cultural landscape.

Immerse yourself in the pinnacle of Italian winemaking by visiting a local winery, where you can explore the entire winemaking process and savor the renowned Conegliano Valdobbiadene Prosecco D.O.C. G. After this delightful experience, relax on a scenic drive back to the Venice-Fusina pier.

Port: Fusina (Venice)	Price From: €190.00
Activity Level: High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English

**Features:** Must-See Experience, Gastronomic Experience, Memorable Moment



#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Visit Split and VR (Virtual Reality) Visit to Diocletian's Palace

This exploration of Split begins at the magnificent Cellars of Diocletian's Palace before you continue towards the Peristil, the central imperial complex that's adorned with intricate columns and magnificent arches. Then, head to the Cathedral of St Domnius (known locally as *Sveti Dujam* cathedral), known for its impressive hand-carved detailing. This magnificent cathedral is regarded as the oldest Catholic cathedral still operating in its original structure. The high point of the experience is experiencing Diocletian's Palace brought to life with a virtual reality headset that will immerse you in Split's Roman past and vivify the royal chambers as they were during antiquity.

Port: Split	Price From: €75.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	Experiences: Destination Essentials
Duration: 2.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Architecture, UNESCO Heritage Sites	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Discover the Rich History of Split's Riviera

Step into the vivid tapestry of history and follow your guide through the warren of alleyways in Trogir, which conceals spectacular stone houses, palaces, churches, and monasteries. Delve into antiquity as you take in the grandeur of the 13th-century Cathedral of St Lawrence, which echoes with centuries of lore. Pantan Old Mill is a haven of calm that is quintessentially rural Croatia; here, you'll sample delicious tangy cheeses, olives and smoked hams. Returning to Split, marvel at majestic Diocletian's Palace and the Cathedral of St Domnius.

Port: Split

Activity Level: ≋ Moderate

Price From: €105.00

Available In: English

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Features: History & Heritage, UNESCO Heritage Sites, Architecture, Refreshments Included



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Wine Tasting in Dubrovnik's Old Town

With its medieval architecture and historic old town established in the 1200s, Dubrovnik is an unmissable UNESCO World Heritage Site. Head to the heart of this vibrant, culturally important city for a walk down the Stradun, which runs for 300 m (984 ft). A local guide will expertly point out beautiful buildings and secret treasures to ensure you miss nothing. Explore the dazzling Roman Catholic cathedral and more, before ending the day at M'arden Wine Bar to taste local wines perfectly paired with Dubrovnický delicacies.

Port: Dubrovnik	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
<b>Features:</b> Gastronomic Experience, History & Heritage, Architecture, UNESCO Heritage Sites	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Dubrovnik Riviera and Čelopeci Honey

Cruise down the Adriatic coast in a wooden boat and feel the breeze on your face until you reach the beautiful bay at Srebreno. From here, you'll take a scenic drive through the lush countryside to the village of Čelopeci, where you'll step inside the Church of St Vincent Ferrer and discover the history of honey and essential oil production in the region. After a honey-making presentation, taste some local sweet nectar and other delicacies, view the gardens, then relax on the picturesque drive back to Dubrovnik.

Port: Dubrovnik Activity Level:  $\approx$  Moderate Price From: €140.00

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Available In: English Features: Wonderful Nature, Gastronomic Experience, History & Heritage, Architecture



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Architecture and Spices in Istanbul

Fatih, Istanbul's central district, is home to ancient Ottoman history and buzzing modern vibrancy. After a drive into the heart of the city, stroll through the lively streets until you reach the Sultan Ahmet Camii (Blue Mosque). It was constructed during the early 17th century during the reign of Sultan Ahmed I. The mosque is famous for the striking blue tilework which adorns its interior walls, giving it the name 'Blue Mosque'. Then, discover one of the oldest and largest covered markets: Grand Bazaar. Discover the Rüstem Paşa Camii (Rustem Pasha Mosque) a dazzling Ottoman mosque tucked away behind the markets, with a vast collection of decorative tiles. Finally, dive into the bustling atmosphere of the Spice Bazaar, shopping and indulging your senses in the many magical flavours.

ort: Istanbul	Price From: €50.00
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Duration: 5.00 Hrs

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Available In: English

Features: History & Heritage, Arts & Culture, UNESCO Heritage Sites, Architecture





#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

### Cruising the Bosphorus Strait and Sampling the Spice Bazaar

See the magnificent beauty of Istanbul by sea and by land, starting by boating down the Bosphorus, which bisects this magnificent city. The mighty strait divides the Asian and European sides of Türkiye and connects the Black Sea and the Sea of Marmara. You'll sail up the waterway, viewing the majestic Ottoman structures of Istanbul's historical peninsula from the deck of the boat. Upon disembarking, you'll head for the Spice Bazaar-also known as Egyptian Bazaar and Mısır Çarşısı-a cavalcade of sights and scents, spices, teas and Turkish treats.

Port: Istanbul	<b>Price From:</b> €45.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, History &	Heritage, Arts & Culture

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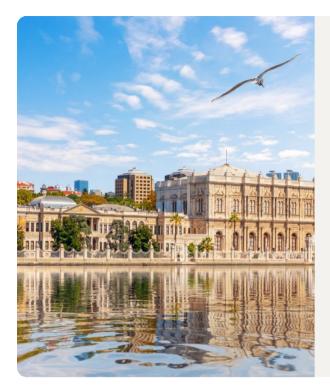
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Activity Level: 🗮 High-energy	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 8.00 Hrs	Available In: English
<b>Features:</b> Gastronomic Experience, UNESCO Heritage Sites, History & Heritage, Meal Included	







## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Istanbul Palaces and Afternoon Tea

Experience two of Istanbul's royal highlights, spotting opulent features and sparkling beauty wherever you turn. Begin your experience with a drive to the imposingly elegant Dolmabahçe Palace, a sprawling Baroque and Rococo structure stretching along the Bosphorus Strait's coastline. Explore the palace's 285 rooms and 46 halls, and stand in awe of the famous Baccarat crystal staircase. Then, continue south to Pera Palace Hotel, a historic five-star property renowned across Türkiye for its 'Istanbul classic' afternoon tea featuring glorious views and three tiers of sandwiches, scones and pastries.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €160.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, History & Heritage, UNESCO Heritage Sites	

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Activity Level: $\widetilde{\approx}$ High-energy	Experiences: Destination Essentials
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Arts & (	Culture







## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Incredible Historic Istanbul

Delight in the opulent Ottoman style of the Hagia Sophia (converted into a mosque and adorned with magical minarets in the 1400s) and Little Hagia Sophia (known for its white-blue interior). Meander uphill to the Hippodrome of Constantinople, the site of many epic sporting events during the Byzantine era. Take Turkish tea in a private, column-supported underground cistern that's been hidden beneath street level for centuries. Explore the Grand Bazaar and bask in all the sights and sounds of the real Istanbul.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
<b>Features:</b> History & Heritage, Architec Refreshments Included	ture, UNESCO Heritage Sites



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Istanbul by Night

From gorgeous Galata Bridge to the lit-up domes and minarets of the New Mosque, Istanbul comes alive in a new way after sunset. Indulge in an evening adventure on the historic peninsula, snapping unique shots of the sparkling city and waterfront. Your experience will begin with a trip to Sultanahmet, a hub of historic sites and Ottoman masterpieces. After photos, you'll continue to dinner at an authentic Turkish restaurant near the waterfront in Samatya. Indulge in freshcaught fish and seafood, from grilled bream to buttered prawns, and other local specialities.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €310.00
Activity Level: Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Late Experience, Meal Included	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE The Works of the Architect Sinan

Lovers of intricate architecture will be awed by this guided journey through the works of 'Architect Sinan', an urban planner like no other. Make the gorgeous, classically Ottoman mosque, Şehzade Camii known as Sinan's 'apprentice' work—your introduction to his style. Then, continue to the larger, even more opulent Süleymaniye Camii to discover his true masterpiece of mosque-making. Close out your day on the historic peninsula with a glimpse of the Hurrem Sultan Hamamı baths, a look at the Rüstem Pasha Mosque, and a trip to the sensorially stimulating Spice Bazaar designed by Sinan's apprentice.

Port: Istanbul

Duration: 5.00 Hrs

Activity Level: ≋ Moderate

Price From: €95.00

Experiences: Enchanting Explorations Available In: English



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Features: Architecture, History & Heritage

## The Art of Istanbul

Indulge in a delicious Turkish coffee in the MSA Culinary School Restaurant, then visit the Sakıp Sabancı Museum to discover the owner's vast private collection Next, head to Borusan Contemporary to browse magical, modern exhibits. Continue your Istanbul art journey with a short drive to the famous İstiklal Avenue, where you'll find numerous iconic galleries (your guide will introduce you to the best available exhibitions of the day). Finish your cultural adventure in the Galataport, at the Istanbul Museum of Modern Art—where contemporary Turkish artists shine, and the city's artistic history is revealed.

Port: Istanbul Activity Level: Moderate Price From: €115.00

Available In: English

**Experiences:** Enchanting Explorations

Duration: 4.30 Hrs

Features: Arts & Culture, Architecture





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Breakfast Sailing on the Bosphorus

The Bosphorus Strait divides Europe and Asia connects two great seas, and offers a fabulous vantage point to see Istanbul's finest waterfront sights by boat. Start your day in style, gliding up the mighty waterway on a motorboat before experiencing panoramic views of ancient Ottoman palaces bearing domes and minarets. Take in the city's magnificence on both the Thracian and Anatolian sides. Return to land for an indulgent, authentically Turkish *kahvaltı* (precoffee) breakfast by the water, then reboard for the return journey.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €135.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{\scriptstyle \sim}{\approx}$ Effortless	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, History & Heritage, Wonderful Nature	



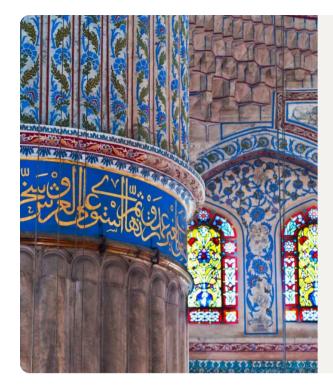
#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Topkapi Palace and the Sultans of Opulence

Topkapi Palace is an unimaginable extravagance of opulence — the Ottoman equivalent of the gold-plated superyachts of today's tycoons. Your expert guide will elucidate the sumptuous architecture and the sultans' private Harem, which has more than 300 rooms, two mosques, and its own hospital. Then, step into the heady hustlebustle of the Grand Bazaar—one of the world's oldest and largest with 61 alleys and 4,000 stalls—and barter for handmade rugs, jewellery, or toothsome Turkish delight. This immersive experience shines an edifying light on Istanbul in a visit that will remain etched in your memory forever.

Port: Istanbul	<b>Price From:</b> €140.00
Activity Level: ≋ Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 4.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, History & Heritage, Arts & Culture	





## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Memories of Constantinople

Return to an age when Istanbul was called Constantinople, and before that, Byzantium. In central Fatih, gaze upon the twin masterpieces from the Ottoman era, the Blue Mosque and the Hagia Sophia, with their beautiful domes and minarets. Then, head to the Hippodrome of Constantinople, an ancient chariot-racing arena, discover the city's secrets at St Sophia Museum, and go beneath the surface at the underground Basilica Cistern, which is supported by 336 marble columns Conclude your day at the bustlingly vibrant Grand Bazaar, shopping for treasures and delighting your senses.

Port: Istanbul Activity Level: 😤 High-energy Price From: €125.00

**Experiences:** Destination Essentials

Duration: 5.30 Hrs

Available In: English

Features: UNESCO Heritage Sites, Arts & Culture, History & Heritage, Architecture

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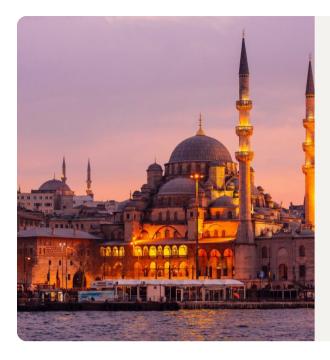
## **Exploring Historic Galata**

Return to a time when Karaköy was called Galata as you see some of Istanbul's oldest buildings of Roman and Ottoman origin. Your guided exploration begins at the Tophane-i Amire Sanjak Tower, then heads through the tranquil Tophane Kasrı park. You'll pass the grand fountain and visit the nearby Nusretiye and Kılıç Ali Pasha mosques, the latter an opulent complex designed by the master architect, Sinan. Pause for lunch beside the water before visiting the distinctive Aya Andrea church, then stroll through the Galataport, which was once a post office but is now a shopping, arts and gastronomy haven.

Port: Istanbul	<b>Price From:</b> €125.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{\sim}{\approx}$ Moderate	Experiences: Destination Essentials
Duration: 4.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Architecture, Meal Included, History & Heritage	







## mediterranean & western europe Exclusive Sunset Yacht Escape in Istanbul

Watch the sun set over Istanbul as you sweep along the serene cobalt waters of the mighty Bosphorus Strait. See the city from the pampered comfort of a motorboat, including the Maiden's Tower on the water, Dolmabahçe Sarayı (Dolmabahçe Palace) on the Thracian side of the strait, and several majestic Ottoman-style mosques on the Anatolian side. Drink delicious Turkish wines and sip tangy cocktails as a local DJ plays, take in the views, and dance like nobody's watching as day gives way to night in this most cosmopolitan of cities.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €185.00
Activity Level: Moderate	Experiences: Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 3.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: History & Heritage, Memora	ble Moment, Refreshments Included



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## The Secrets of Turkish Baklava

*Baklava* is a nutty, buttery pastry with an international reputation for deliciousness. Walk from the port to Karaköy to discover the delicacy' s heritage and traditions. Visit a baklava production centre, meet the owner and learn how the dessert is made. Then, step out onto a relaxing terrace for Turkish tea with sweet accompaniments, including some locally made Turkish baklava. Conclude the experience with a visit to the Istanbul Museum of Modern Art, where you'll see the vibrant culture and creativity of contemporary Türkiye.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €150.00
Activity Level: 🏽 Moderate	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 3.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, Refreshments Included	





#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE Historic Galata Arts Adventure

Venture north of the Golden Horn to explore historic Galata, the vibrant home of many creatives and artisans. Visit the Kiliç Ali Pasha Mosque complex (designed by the master, 'Architect Sinan') and learn the story of the 'Former French Orphanage'. Learn of Istanbul's rich and textured past, and pick up a tasty simit (Turkish bagel) from one of the city's oldest bakeries. Speak with young artists around Galata, visit a gallery filled with local art, and discover the magic of ceramics, quilting and soap-making through three fascinating store visits. End your day with a trip to a renowned *baklava* shop for a sweet, nutty treat.

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €50.00
Activity Level: ≋ High-energy	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.00 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Wonderful Nature, Architect	ure



## MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Istanbul Cooking Class

Istanbul's culinary history—influenced by the city's diversity—is rich, delicious and yours to taste. Take a short drive to the Kurtuluş neighbourhood of Istanbul, where many religious groups live together in happy harmony, and stroll and shop your way through the lively, sun-kissed streets. On Saturdays, you'll even get the chance to explore a fascinating farmer's bazaar or two. After immersing yourself in the area's energy, attend a private cooking class focused on six tantalising Turkish classics. Follow expert instructions from a local, cook something incredible and dig in!

Port: Istanbul	Price From: €215.00
Activity Level: $\stackrel{>}{\approx}$ Effortless	<b>Experiences:</b> Enchanting Explorations
Duration: 5.30 Hrs	Available In: English
Features: Gastronomic Experience, M	eal Included

#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Independent Explorations: Private Van with Guide - Half Day

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## Independent Explorations: Private Vehicle with Guide - Half Day

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## Independent Explorations: Private Large Van with Guide - Full Day

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#### MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

## Accessible Trogir and Split

Backdropped by the tempting teal of the Adriatic, bathed in Balkan sunlight, discover the UNESCO World Heritage Sites of Trogir and Split.

This accessible Croatian adventure begins in Trogir, an ancient Greek city. Take in the wealth of majestic Romanesque, Renaissance and Baroque architecture. Marvel at the imposing stone walls of Kamerlengo Castle.

Then, continue down the sparkling coastline that's dotted with Roman ruins. Arrive in Split and enjoy a guided journey through the city's historic heart, checking out incredible ancient sights. See Diocletian's Palace from above and below ground.

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## Independent Explorations: Private Large Van with Guide - Half Day

For you and up to eight travel companions who wish to blaze your own trail with a fully bespoke experience, this private large van for nine people, for up to four hours, also features an English-conversant guide who can offer local expertise. Whether you wish to plan your own itinerary or let us offer suggestions and take care of all the technical details, entrance fees, and any required reservations in advance, you'll enjoy the utmost in style, privacy, and seamlessness so you can focus on creating memories together. Vehicles equipped for special mobility needs can easily be arranged in advance, too.

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