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The Agency

Welcome to **X-Large**, the incoming agency based in South Tyrol in the North of Italy.

On the following pages, you will find our wide range of travel destinations and programs. From Brennero to Sicily, we work with hotels, restaurants, wineries and a variety of other busi-

nesses and service providers, that have long been acknowledged by our guests and clients as achieving top brands for customer care and service. Our professional and experienced team focuses with the utmost attention on making sure your trip to Italy becomes a positively unforgettable experience.

Our Service Offering

- 2-, 3-, 4-, 5- stars Hotels
- Individual travel programs
- Incentive programs
- Overnight stops
- Guides and sightseeing tours in various languages
- Boat and ferry trips
- Visits of wineries with wine tasting
- "Törggelen" parties and music
- Coaches for transfers and tours
- Typical and/or special lunch and dinner menus
- Bicycle tours with guides
- Concert tickets
- ... and much much more! Just ask.

Calculation base

On the following pages you'll find quotations you are welcome to use for your calculations. Please note that these are indicative only. Final prices are calculated depending on exact trip date, duration and on the quantity of bookings. Prices are subject to season variations.

Please note that the quoted package prices do not include the "guest tax" levied in many destinations and are only valid for a minimum of 20 people. For every 21 participants in the tour, an additional participant can be included free of charge.

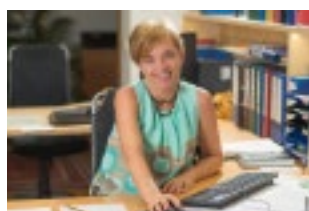
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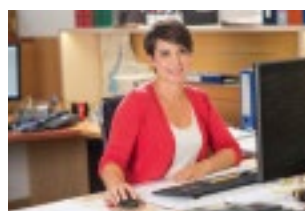
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GOOD TO KNOW!

*All our tours can be made LONGER or be COMBINED on request.
Feel free to ask us. We would be pleased to personalize your trip!*

WINTER

Verona's Christmas Market
Christmas Market in South Tyrol
Christmas in the Mountains
Christmas at Lake Garda
Silvester in South-Tyrol
Silvester at Lake Garda
Winter Wellness Holidays
Ski Trips
Winter Fun for All & Multisports
Hiking & Wellness in the Dolomites

**in part 2
of our catalog**

Our Own Hotel – a haven in southern South Tyrol

Hotel Heide Park*** in Auer

Our hotel, next to the biking path, is an ideal starting point for day-trips in the surrounding region and its numerous sightseeing spots.

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- Welcome drink (incl. from 3 nights)
- Dance evening (incl. from 4 nights)
- In autumn typical "Törggelen" in the tavern (with supplement)
- Barbecue evening by the pool (depending on weather conditions)
- Special farewell dinner (incl. from 4 nights)
- Dinner with South Tyrolean specialties (within the scope of half-board)
- Dinner with Italian specialties (within the scope of half board)
- Guided walk through Ora's old-town alleys (€ 50.00)
- Wine tasting in our wine cellar (supplement of € 7.50 /pers.)

Single-room supplement: € 12 / night

from 39 €
/pers. in DBL

Info

Location: 200 m from the town centre

Hotel: 45 new rooms, panorama terrace, panorama lift, bar, restaurant, rustic tavern, garden terrace, beer garden, outdoor pool, TV-room.

Rooms: Bathroom with shower/WC, phone, TV, several rooms with balcony available.

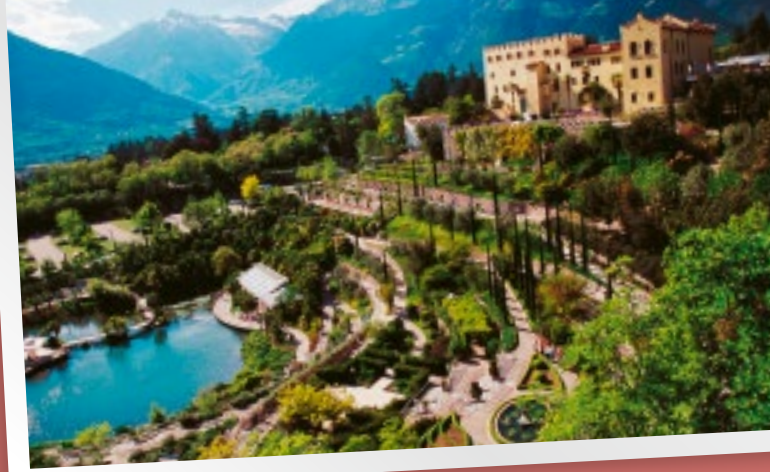
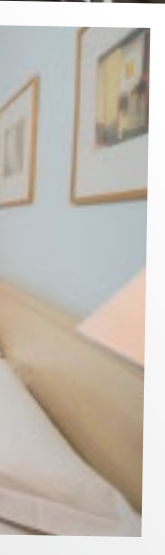
Bus parking: at the hotel

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South Tyrol Mountains, Wine and Sunshine

Optional Activities

South Tyrolean “Törggelen” with
typical meal / music / restaurant

from € 29.50
price/pers.

Wine tasting in a winery of the
South Tyrol Wine Route or at the hotel

about € 9
price/pers.

Visit of a **winery** or an **orchard**

about € 7
price/pers.

Full day guide (depending on the tour)

about
€ 200

City guide for Bolzano,
Merano, Bressanone or Brunico

about € 160

“Hüttenzauber” Entertainment in a
mountain cabin, with typical snack,
1/4L red wine and a solo entertainer

about € 21
price/pers.

Music evening in the hotel

about € 160

Visit of **castles and palaces**

from € 6
price/pers.

Visit of the **Apiculture Museum**
in Renon

about € 6
price/pers.

Visit of the **South Tyrol Archaeology
Museum / Ötzi Museum** in Bolzano

about € 10
price/pers.

Visit of the **Trautmannsdorf
Castle Gardens**

about € 12
price/pers.

Tour to the pilgrimage site
“Maria Weissenstein”

free

Tour to the **“Earth Pyramids”**

free

Biking Tours



South Tyrol to Lake Garda

Level: Easy



5 or 7-Day-Tour

Mid March to October

5 Days
from 210 €
7 Days
from 285 €
/pers. in DBL

- Accommodation in a 3-Star Hotel
- 4 or 6 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 4 or 6 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 5 x Bike tour guide following selected program

Single-room supplement: 5 days - 48 € / 7 days - 72 €

- DAY 1:** Introduction tour from **Merano/Lagando to Bolzano** (about 30 km). After arriving in Merano/Lagando, take a light lunch then start your bike trip to Bolzano.
- DAY 2:** Today you will tour the **Vinschgau** Valley, from Mals to Töll with a stopover in Glurns and lunch in Laas. This is one of the most beautiful routes in South Tyrol (about 55 km).
- DAY 3:** Today, ride from **Ora to Trento** (about 45 km), with free time in Trento to visit its cathedral and old town.
- DAY 4:** Carry on from **Trento to Riva by Lake Garda**, where you can eventually have lunch right on the harbour, before enjoying some free time in town (about 55km).
- DAY 5:** Farewell tour day. Go from **Ora to Lake Caldaro**, where the opportunity awaits you to have lunch on a terrace overlooking the lake. Then, head home (about 40km).
- ON A 7-DAY TOUR:** First and last days are for arriving at the hotel and departing home.

South Tyrol & Trentino

Level: Easy to medium



5-Day-Tour

from 210 €
/pers. in DBL

Early May to late September

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Delicious 3-Course Menu
- 5 x Bike tour guide following selected program

Single-room supplement: 60 €
Extra night w/ HB from 38 € /pers.

- DAY 1: Arrival – Bike Tour, Klausen to Bolzano**
Bus trip to the artist's community of Klausen where you'll hop on your bike and take a guided tour through the fertile and picturesque mountain landscape of the Eisack Valley to Bolzano.
- DAY 2: The Puster Valley**
Today you'll cycle the Puster Valley with your bike tour leader from Toblach along the Rienz River to Bruneck. After a break continue through the picturesque valley and past the imposing mountain scenery to the finish at Mühlbach (about 50 easy km).
- DAY 3: Val di Fassa – Fiemme**
Today's ride is through the heart of the Dolomites: Val di Fassa and Val di Fiemme. The route follows the Avisio River, passing the mountain peaks of the Rosengarten, Latemar and Lagorai (about 45 easy km).
- DAY 4: Passeier Valley – Merano – Adige Valley**
On this day your bike tour takes you cycling in the Passeier Valley. You'll travel along the Passer river, past St. Leonhardt and St. Martin to Merano. After a short break, continue south through the orchards of the Adige Valley (about 50 easy km).
- DAY 5: A Road Trip through Orchards & Vineyards**
As a farewell ride, travel the vast expanse of orchards and vineyards of South Tyrol, enjoying some highlights and surprises (about 25/30 easy km).



NEW!

Wine region Franciacorta

with Lake Iseo and Verona

Level: *Easy to intermediate*



7-Day-Tour

from 289 €
/pers. in DBL

March - June & September – October

- Accommodation in good 3-star hotels
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with buffet breakfast
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 4 x Bicycle tour guide in accordance with the selected program
- 1 x Wine tasting

Single-room supplement: 75 €

DAY 1: Arrival and check into your hotel in the southern Lake Garda area.

DAY 2: Franciacorta to Brescia (about 55km)
After breakfast, travel by bus to the Oglio River near Paratico where you will begin the bicycle tour. First, travel along the mouth of the Oglio to Sarnico on Lake Iseo, continuing through the world-renowned area of Franciacorta where one of the best sparkling wines in all of Italy is produced. Your destination today is the provincial capital of Brescia. After arriving, load up the bicycles, enjoy a tour of the town center, and head back to your hotel by bus.

DAY 3: Desenzano to Solferino and back (about 65 km)
Today your cycling tour starts at the seaside resort of Desenzano sul Garda, taking you through the hilly vineyards of Lugana to San Martino della Battaglia, Solferino, and Castiglione Delle Stiviere. In this area in 1859, the cruel battle of Solferino was fought, giving rise to the founding of the Red Cross by Henri Dunant of Switzerland.

DAY 4: Along Lake Iseo (about 45 km)
Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, then load up the bus and head to Val Camonica where today's tour begins. Follow the Oglio River south and then travel along the lake to Iseo where you will have a nice long break and the opportunity to visit the historic centre of the town. Enjoy a local wine tasting, before returning by bus to your hotel.

DAY 5: Valeggio sul Mincio to Verona (about 65 km)
Today you will cycle the new bike trail that connects the Mincio and Adige rivers. Starting in Valeggio, a town known for its delicious tortellini (also called "belly buttons" because of their ring shape), cycle through the Venetian Plain to Verona, the city of Romeo and Juliet. Once you are there, take advantage of some free time to stroll through the picturesque town centre before heading back to your hotel in the bus.

DAY 6: Departure.

Lake Garda & Verona

Level: *Easy*



6-Day-Tour

from 249 €
/pers. in DBL

March to October

- Accommodation in a good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 to 6 x Bike tour guide, following selected program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

Extra night w/ HB from 39 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel. Or if time allows, travel to Klausen and into the **Eisack Valley**, continuing on to **Bolzano** (an easy 25 km). Then go to your hotel in the Lake Garda area.

DAY 2: Today, you'll travel along southern Lake Garda, passing through Garda, **Bardolino** and **Lazise** before arriving in **Sirmione** by the lake (about 50 easy km).

DAY 3: Today, your bike tour guide will lead you to **Solferino**, birthplace of the Red Cross (about 40km).

DAY 4: You'll start in **Peschiera del Garda** and follow the bike path along the **Mincio River**, weaving through the vineyards of Luganas to **Mantua** (about 50 km).

DAY 5: Your tour will take you from Lake Garda to **Verona**, city of Romeo & Juliet (about 45km).

DAY 6: After breakfast, depart. Or if time allows, take a ride to **Levico Terme** as a farewell trip (about 25km), before heading home.



Lagoons of the Po Delta

with Ferrara & Ravenna

Level: Easy



6-Day-Tour

from 268 €
/pers. in DBL

April to October

- Accommodation in a good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 x Bike tour guide, following selected program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Journey to your hotel.

DAY 2: Island Magic and the Sea

Today you will ride to the peninsula "della Donzella", home of many fishermen who live by farming mussels and clams. After lunch, continue to the fishermen village Santa Giulia, and follow the Po River back to your hotel (about 60 km).

DAY 3: Italian Amsterdam

Board the bus this morning, and drive 60km to Mesola. Then ride along the Po di Venezia to Francolino. Take the bus again, this time to Ferrara, quaint little town considered to be the most bike-friendly in Italy. Enjoy some free time, before going back to your hotel by bus (about 60km).

DAY 4: Polesine Camerini

Today, bike on the peninsula of Polesine Camerini, going to Pila, then Porto Tolle. You can eventually take a boat trip (about 2 hours) through the vast expanse of reeds, habitat of many rare species of birds (about 50 km).

DAY 5: Culture-Rich Ravenna

Today's route runs from San Alberto, along the Reno River with beautiful sightings over the lagoons. With a short boat ride, you can reach Ravenna (UNESCO World Heritage site) via the seaside resorts of Marina Romea, Casalborgorsetti, and Marina di Ravenna (about 40 km).

DAY 6: Departure.

Ride around Venice

Level: Easy



6-Day-Tour

from 218 €
/pers. in DBL

April - May & September - October

- Accommodation in a good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 x Bike tour guide, following selected program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Journey to your hotel in Lido di Jesolo.

DAY 2: Begin the tour heading south from Treviso, staying on the bike trail all the way to Lido di Jesolo, with beautiful sightings over the Lagoons of Venice and the nature reserve (about 40km).

DAY 3: From Lido di Jesolo, follow the coastline and then the Piave River through the backcountry. Once you pass the village Eraclea, ride back towards the sea and along the coastline to Caorle. There enjoy some free time before going by bus back to the hotel (about 35km).

DAY 4: To Venice - by bike and by boat

Cycle along the Jesolo peninsula to Punta Sabbioni, then travel by boat to Venice where you will have free time to discover the city. Return by boat to Punta Sabbioni and ride back to your hotel in Lido di Jesolo (about 30 km).

DAY 5: Vallevicchia Nature Reserve

From San Michele al Tagliamento, cycle on asphalt and easy gravel pathways to Brussa near the Vallevicchia nature park. Enjoy the idyllic coastal scenery between Caorle and Bibione, bordered by dunes and pine forests, before cycling back to the starting point of the tour and returning to the hotel by bus (about 40 km).

DAY 6: Departure.



Through the Dolomites to Venice

Level: Easy to intermediate 

7-Day-Tour

from 399 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid-May to mid-June and
early September to early October

- Accommodation in Good 3-Star Hotels
- 6 x Overnight Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 6 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 5 x Bicycle Tour Guide According to the Program

Single-room supplement: 84 €

DAY 1: Arrive by bus at your hotel in the Dobbiaco area.

DAY 2: **Cimabanche/Dobbiaco – Calalzo**
(about 45 km – 800m height difference)
After breakfast, take the bus to Passo Cimabanche from where you will begin your bicycle tour following the old railway line along the mountain ranges to Cortina D'Ampezzo. From here, enjoy the view of "The Tofana", the queen of the Cristallo mountain range. And, after a break, continue on to Calalzo. The route is only partially paved.

DAY 3: **Belluno – Feltre** (about 40 km)
From the ancient city of Belluno, cycle through the Belluno Dolomites and picturesque villages all the way to Feltre.

DAY 4: **Feltre – Bassano del Grappa** (about 60 km)
Today's tour takes you towards the old route known as "The Stairs of Primolano". We bike along the Valsugana and the Brenta River until we reach Bassano del Grappa. The town is famous for its grappa and its bridge "Ponte degli Alpini" built from an ancient design of Palladio.

DAY 5: **Bassano del Grappa – Treviso** (about 60 km)
This portion of the tour partly follows cycle paths and partly travels along side streets until reaching the town Asolo. In this manner you will reach the shores of the Sile River and from there cycle onwards to Treviso.

DAY 6: **Treviso – Lido di Jesolo** (about 40 km)
The bicycle tour starts south of Treviso, the provincial capital, and follows along the cycle path towards the sea. En route, enjoy the views of the nature reserve by the lagoons of Venice along the way.

DAY 7: Departure

GOOD TO KNOW! Book one more day and discover Venice!

From Verona to Venice

Level: Easy



6-Day-Tour

from 279 €
/pers. in DBL

March - June & September - October

- Accommodation in good 3-star hotels
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with buffet breakfast
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 4 x Bicycle tour guide in accordance with the selected program
- 1 x Guided city tour of Venice
- 1 x Boat transfer Punta Sabbioni - Venice & back

Single-room supplement: 75 € (up to 7 SGL) / 85 €
(from 8+ SGL)

DAY 1: Arrival in the southern Lake Garda area and check into your hotel.

DAY 2: **Lake Garda to Verona** (about 45 km)
Enjoy breakfast at your hotel and start cycling today, first passing through the Lake Garda hinterlands, then onward through the hills until you reach Verona, the "City of Lovers", at the end. Here you will have free time to explore this historic center on your own. Then travel by bus to your hotel in Vicenza.

DAY 3: **Vicenza to Padova** (about 55 km)
First breakfast, then take a bus into the heart of Vicenza where you will enjoy a guided tour of the town center. Afterwards, cycle the beautiful bicycle path to Padova, one of the nicest provincial towns in northern Italy. From there go by bus back to the same hotel where you stayed the previous night.

DAY 4: **Treviso to the Lagoons of Venice** (about 50 km)
A bus will take you to Treviso this morning, and after unloading the bikes, take a ride along the Sile River to the beautiful lagoons of Venice, a UNESCO World Heritage Site due to their very unique character. Overnight at your hotel in the seaside resort of Lido di Jesolo.

DAY 5: **Your hotel to Venice and back** (about 40km)
Have a hearty breakfast this morning and then start cycling from your hotel to the Punta Sabbioni where your bicycle will be safely parked. Cross the lagoon by boat and enter the city of Venice where a guided city tour will introduce you to the culture of this world-famous lagoon city. Then take advantage of the opportunity to wander around and do some shopping. After, with your head and heart full of new impressions, return by boat to Punta Sabbioni and cycle back to your hotel.

DAY 6: Departure.

Flower Riviera

Level: Easy to Medium



6-Day-Tour

from 199 €
/pers. in DBL

Early March to End of May
Mid-September to end of October

- Accommodation in a 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 x Bike tour guide, following selected program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel on the Flower Riviera.

DAY 2: **Diano Marina – Cervo – Imperia – Diano Marina**
After breakfast, you're off by bike to Cervo, one of the most beautiful villages in Italy. Continue to Imperia, and after a stopover, cycle back to Diano Marina. (about 30 km).

DAY 3: **Diano Marina – Dolcedo – Diano Marina**
This route also starts from your hotel, taking you to Dolcedo with various recreational sightseeing breaks during the ride. As well, there is a medieval village along the way from which there are breathtaking views over the sea (about 35km).

DAY 4: **San Remo - San Lorenzo - San Remo**
Today, follow the bike path along the sea shore to San Lorenzo. You can enjoy Ligurian specialties in the local restaurants while preparing for your trip back. Return to San Remo on the same coastal track (about 40km).

DAY 5: **Bordighera – Dolceaqua – Bordighera**
Take the bus to Bordighera and continue to the Nervia Valley and Dolceaqua. Sightseeing in this history-rich town is a cultural must-do. Turn back to Bordighera, where you will have time to go to the beach or the old-town (about 30km).

DAY 6: Departure.

Southern Tuscany

Level: Medium



6-Day-Tour

from 239 €
/pers. in DBL

April to October

- Accommodation in a 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 x Bike tour guide, following selected program
- 1 x Wine Tasting

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Check into your Hotel

DAY 2: **Orcia Valley**
Orcia Valley was voted UNESCO World Heritage Site in 2004. The tour follows side roads and well-maintained bike paths through the scenic hills, and offers you the opportunity to visit cultural gems like Penza and Bagno Vignoni.

DAY 3: **The Vineyards of Montalcino**
High altitudes give the best views over the Montalcino vineyards. You'll be cycling amongst defiant castles, medieval villages and noble wineries. At the finish of this tour, a tasting of Brunello, the region's classic red wine, is almost mandatory.

DAY 4: **The Chiana Valley**
Ride through the fields and pastures of the valley (known for its white Chianina cattle) all the way to the South-East corner of Tuscany, where you can catch a glimpse on neighbouring Umbria. The tour ends in Cortona, early Etruscan settlement, where the medieval architecture provides a backdrop for the lively activity and nice cafés of the town.

DAY 5: **The Crete Senesi pastures**
Crete Senesi, south of Siena is a fascinating barren landscape, that impresses with its wide cornfields, large pastures and lunar landscapes shaped by erosion. In no other area of southern Tuscany can you experience such a surreal panorama while sitting on a bike. This tour is completed with a visit of the picturesque Benedictine monastery Monte Oliveto Maggiore.

DAY 6: Departure.

Hiking Tours



Hiking and Biking in South Tyrol

Level: Easy



6-Day-Tour

from 310 €
/pers. in DBL

End of May to September

- Accommodation in a 3-Star Hotel
- 5 Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 x Bike tour guide, following selected program
- 2 x Day bike rental (city bike)

Single-room supplement: 60 €

**WITHOUT A
BIKE TRAILER**

DAY 1: Arrive at your Hotel.

DAY 2: **Riding Val Venosta (Vinschgau)**

Take a bus to Malles / Venosta. From there, follow your guide to Naturno or Merano. Various stopovers will be on the schedule and an opportunity for lunch. This unique route is one of the most beautiful in all South Tyrol. (about 55 easy km)



DAY 3: **Alpine Hike in the Rose Garden**

Take a bus to Obereggen, small but very popular ski resort in winter. Start a circular walk on very safe paths. With several refreshing breaks, you will have the opportunity to enjoy South Tyrolean specialties as well as the view. (about 2.5 to 3 hours of easy walking).



DAY 4: **Through Orchards and Vineyards**

From Egna, with a picturesque Venetian old-town, take the bike path towards Bolzano, then Appiano and Lake Caldaro. After a short lunch break keep South, passing Tramin and returning to Egna (about 45 easy km).



DAY 5: **Hike the Grand Canyon of South Tyrol**

Today, with your guide, you're off to the Aldino range. From the world famous pilgrimage town Maria Weissenstein, hike through forests and meadows, enjoying the mountain panorama and a wonderful view on the Bletterbach Gorge, South Tyrol's grand canyon. Perhaps a stop for refreshments in an alpine hut would be a pleasant way to end the walk. (about 3 hours of easy walking)



DAY 6: Departure.



Biking or Hiking in South Tyrol

NEW!

Level: Easy to intermediate



6-Day-Tour

from 295 €
/pers. in DBL

Late May to late September

- Accommodation in a good 3-Star hotel
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 6 x Days Biking & Hiking guide following program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Everyone meets up in the Eisack Valley at Chiusa, the city of Albrecht Dürer, the famous 15th century German artist and intellectual. From there, the cyclists will depart on the 25 km bike path to Bolzano. It's easier for the hikers who will take a bus to Bolzano after an easy 2-hour walk through landscapes typical of the Eisack Valley, travelling along the slopes below Säben Abbey to **Velturno**. Likely they'll have time for a leisurely stroll in Bolzano while they wait for the bicyclists. Then it's to the hotel.

DAY 2: **Through Val Venosta** today – an easy 50 km route. For the hikers, it's a circular route from Glorenza to Tarces to "Tarscher Bühel" and back to Glorenza, with 170 m elevation gain, approximately 2 to 3 hours, easy.

DAY 3: **From Naturno to Merano to Bolzano.** An easy tour of 45 kms. A hike along the "Marlinger Waalweges", approximately 4 hours, with an elevation gain of 150 m, easy.

DAY 4: **Through Val di Fassa and Val di Fiemme** of approximately 45 km, easy. Hiking in the Trudner Horn Nature Park, approximately 4 hours, elevation gain 300 m, easy to moderate.

DAY 5: **From Ora through the South Tyrolean Unterland/ Trentino** and back, a round trip of about 45 km, rated easy. A hike on the high plateau of "Reggelberges" above Ora, in the area of Bletterbach Gorge. About 4 to 5 hours, 300-meter elevation gain, easy to moderate.

DAY 6: **From Ora to Lake Caldaro**, about 20 km, easy. OR from Ora to Appiano to Lake Caldaro, about 35 km, easy to moderate. And a hike from **Bosco di Monticcolo through the Valle della Primavera** to **Lake Caldaro**, about 2 to 2,5 hours, easy.



Along the Ancient Water Channels of Merano

Level: Easy



5-Day-Tour

from 219 €
/pers. in DBL

April to June, September and October

- Accommodation in a 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 4 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 3 x Full-day hiking guide (for the group)
- 1 x Entrance to Trauttmansdorff Castle
- 1 x Entry to Tyrol Castle

Single-room supplement: 48 €

Extra night w/ HB from 38 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel.

DAY 2: Today, explore the **Verdiner waterway**, one of the most popular hiking trails in the Merano area. Traveling along the channel, you will pass forests, chestnut groves and orchards. Then visit **Trauttmansdorff Castle**, one of the most beautiful gardens in Europe.

DAY 3: After breakfast visit Tyrol Castle, home of the Tyrolean Counts in the cradle of Tyrol. Then go down into the valley to explore the **Algunder irrigation canal**.

DAY 4: Today's walk will take you from **Juval Castle** (Rheinhold Messner's summer residence which crowns the entrance into the Senales Valley) to the Venosta Valley. There you can explore one of the longest and most daring irrigation systems ever built.

DAY 5: Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! *The walks are easy and from 2 to 3 hours long. The routes are mostly flat.*

Through

South Tyrol's History

Level: Easy to Medium



6-Day-Tour

from 260 €
/pers. in DBL

April to October

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 4 x Full-day guided hiking tour following program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

Eventual access fees to be paid on site

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel.

DAY 2: Off to **Merano** with the bus. Follow your guide on the "Kurpromenade" and on the footsteps of **Empress Sissi** on the Tappeiner Promenade. Exotic and mediterranean plants and flowers give a colourful panoramic view over the Talbecken valley of Merano. Finish up with some free time to enjoy by yourself the beautiful city of Merano, also known as the "Nice" of South Tyrol (Level: easy. About 2.5 to 3 hours).

DAY 3: Today go on a guided tour on one of the most beautiful and famous hiking route in South Tyrol - the **ancient water channel of Marling**. Start on the Töll before the doors of Merano, and go through fruit plantations, vineyards and **Lebenberg Castle** all the way to Lana. (Level: easy. About 5 hours).

DAY 4: Head to Eppan with the bus. From there start a guided tour between fruit plantations and vineyards up the Gantkofel mountain to the **medieval castles** watching over the valley. Enjoy the "old soul" atmosphere and the breathtaking panorama. (Level: easy. Length: 5km. Elevation: 300m. About 2.5 to 3 hours).

DAY 5: Start with a guided tour of Lavis. Go over the Avisio river, which throws itself in the Adige, then up to Paganella to enjoy a beautiful panoramic view on the Talschle valley and on Trento. Continue to the core of the **bishops' town** - Trento - and end your journey in front of its cathedral. (Level: easy. About 4 hours).

DAY 6: Departure.



Highlights of the Dolomites

Level: Easy to Medium



5-Day-Tour

from 219 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid-June to mid-September

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 4 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 3 x Full-day hiking guide (for the group)

Single-room supplement: 48 €

Extra night w/ HB from 38 € /pers.

DAY 1: Journey to your hotel.

DAY 2: For the first day, go by bus to the beautiful **Renon** plateau. From Collalbo, the path provides a constant view over the Dolomites, as you cross meadows and pass through woods on your way to beautiful Lake Costalovara. (2-hour hike; minimal ascent)

DAY 3: Today, on the drive to Costalunga Pass, you will see **Lake Carezza**, possibly the most beautiful lake in all the Dolomites. From the pass, climb up to the Roda di Vael Refuge and hike the beautiful trail to the fabled Ciampedie Plateau (the field of God), from where you can admire the splendour of the “**Rosengarten**”. Take a cable car down to Vigo di Fassa, Ladin-speaking country. (4-hour walk; 700-meter ascent)

DAY 4: Today's hike takes you into the **Val di Funes/Odle Dolomite group**, where Reinhold Messner first learned to climb. The walk along the foot of the steep walls of the Adolf Munkel Trail takes you through one of the most beautiful landscapes in the entire region. (4-hour hike; 300-meter ascent)

DAY 5: Departure.

Hiking in the Pastures of South-Tyrol

Level: Easy to intermediate



6-Day-Tour

from 275 €
/pers. in DBL

May to September

- Accommodation in a good 3 star hotel
- 5 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with tasty 3 course menu
- 1 x Welcome drink
- 4 x Hiking guide following program
- 1 x Funicular transfer to the Seiser plateau (both ways)

Single-room supplement: 48 €

Extra night w/ HB from 45 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel.

DAY 2: Today you discover a true hiking paradise: The **Alpe di Siusi / Seiser plateau**, which is the highest pasture in Europe, offering sunny fields with stunning panoramas. Later, enjoy a stopover in **Castelrotto / Kastelruth**, and stroll around the old part of town in this typical Dolomite village.

DAY 3: After breakfast, you will head to the **Nature Park of Monte Corno / Trudner Horn**. Here you can enjoy a hike through the high pastures and woods and take in the amazing views of the mountains.

DAY 4: Today's hike takes you to a UNESCO World Heritage site, the **Geoparc Bletterbach** which is also known as South-Tyrol's Grand Canyon due to its incredible rock formations. Your guide will take you to the Aldino / Aldein area where, starting from the famous pilgrimage sanctuary of **Maria Weissenstein**, you can walk about 3 hours through woods and pastures, enjoying a great view of the Bletterbach gorge.

DAY 5: Starting from the bottom of the impressive backside of the **Latemar**, today's enjoyable hike leads you through picturesque pastures and is a real treat for all nature and mountain lovers.

DAY 6: Departure



Around Lake Garda

Level: Easy to Medium



6-Day-Tour

from 225 €
/pers. in DBL

March to October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnights with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 4 x Tour leader in accordance with the chosen program
- 1 x Round trip gondola-lift to Monte Baldo

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in the Lake Garda area.

DAY 2: A beautiful hike awaits you today, on this footpath high above Lake Garda. This spectacular route offers breathtaking views over the lake and Monte Baldo (about 6 km).

DAY 3: The coastal road takes you to Malcesine and, from there, a lift up to 1760m on **Monte Baldo**. Then it's an easy hike to the Belvedere and unbeatable views over Lake Garda and the surrounding mountains.

DAY 4: Today's hike takes you to **Lake Ledro**, walking mostly on flat paths with incredible views of "the Blue Lagoon". From there by bus to Canale, one of the most beautiful villages in Italy, where you will continue your trek to **Lake Tenno** and the waterfall of Varone, which falls from 90m into a deep rocky gorge. And finally, back to the hotel by bus. (about 15 km).

DAY 5: From **Torbole**, first go uphill to the picturesque Church of Sant'Andrea, located in the middle of an olive grove. The panoramic **Busatte Tempesta** trail begins here, providing beautiful views over the lake and the surrounding countryside. At the end of this exciting path lies the "**Stairway to Heaven**", a descent towards Lake Garda that seems to be floating above the water (about 10 km).

DAY 6: Departure.

Around Lake Maggiore

Level: Easy to Medium



6-Day-Tour

from 349 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid-Juni to mid-September

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu and salad buffet
- 4 x Full-day hiking guide following program
- 4 x Take-away lunch meal
- 1 x Tasting of various local delicacies
- 1 x Boat ride to the Borromean Islands (Isola Bella* and Isola dei Pescatori)

Single-room supplement: 70 €

*Entry fees to be paid cash on site.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the Lake Maggiore area.

DAY 2: After breakfast leave to **Baceno**. And start a beautiful hiking tour in the **Val d'Ossola** gorges along the river Toce. Go through the rustic village of **Crego** and all the way to **Verampio**. Finally, enjoy tasting various local delicacies. (Walking time: 4.5 hours. Altitude: about 260m).

DAY 3: Go by bus to **Cannero**. From there, start hiking to the rocky site **Carmine Superiore**, where you'll get a breathtaking view over the Lake Maggiore from the terrace of the old roman church. Continue towards Cannobio, a medieval village with pretty shores. (Walking time: 4 hours. Altitude: about 295m).

DAY 4: After breakfast leave for **Suna**. Follow the old roman mule track looking over the Lake Maggiore, going all the way to **Cavandone**. In the Afternoon, go by bus to **Baveno**, then by boat to **Isola Bella** and **Isola dei Pescatori**. (Walking time: 3 hours. Altitude: about 210m).

DAY 5: After breakfast, reach **Piedimulera** by bus. From there, start hiking through the **Anzasca valley** to Molini-Calasca, along chestnuts woods, fruit trees, terraces, small villages and watercourses. Take the bus to **Macugnaga**, a beautiful alpin place with typical wooden houses, ovens and pastures lying at the bottom of the impressive **Monte Rosa**. (Walking time: 4 hours. Altitude: about 420m).

DAY 6: Departure.

Eventual program changes with the guide are always possible.



NEW!

Hiking around Lake Como

Level: Easy to intermediate



5-Day-Tour

from 215 €
/pers. in DBL

March to June & September to November

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 4 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3 course menu
- 2 x Full-day guide following program
- 1 x Half-day guided visit of Como
- 1 x Boat transfer Torno – Como
- 1 x Funicular transfer Como – Monte Brunate & back

Single-room supplement: 72 €
Extra night with HB from 45 € per person

DAY 1: Arrival in your hotel in the Lake Como area.

DAY 2: After breakfast, you drive up to **Bellagio** and enjoy a nice hike along the coastline of the lake. At the end of this 2 hours walk, you will have time on your own to enjoy what is probably the most picturesque and beautiful town around Como lake. Appreciate its atmosphere and relax! Dinner at your hotel.
Level: easy – Distance: 5,6km – Time: about 2 hours.

DAY 3: After breakfast, head to **Como** where a guided visit explains you the important facts about the city. Use this chance to visit the cathedral. In the afternoon, take the funicular up to **Monte Brunate**, where a short walk will present you a breathtaking panorama over the west leg of the lake. Dinner at your hotel.

DAY 4: Today's trail start right outside of Como and takes you through the hills alongside the lake. You start from Brunate, pass **Mullatiere**, all the way up to **Torno**. Enjoy the panorama and the beautiful landscape. At the end of the route, admire the historic Church San Giovanni before taking a **boat back to Como** (about 25 minutes cruise). Dinner at your hotel. *Level: moderate – Distance: 13,9km – Time: about 5,5 hours.*

DAY 5: Departure.

In the Cinque Terre

Level: Easy to Medium



5-Day-Tour

Mid-March to mid-June,
Mid-September to October

from 219 €
/pers. in DBL

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with appetizing 3-Course menu
- 1 x Welcome drink
- 3 x Full-day guided tour following program
- 1 x Train ride in the Cinque Terre (round-trip)
- 1 x Boat cruise La Spezia - Palmaria Island - Portovenere - La Spezia
- 1 x Boat ride Portofino – Santa Margherita Ligure

Single-room supplement: 48 €

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel on the Versilia coast.

DAY 2: Leave by bus to **La Spezia**, and continue by train to Vernazza. Hike up and back down in the near of **Monterosso**. From there, a train takes you to **Manarola or Riomaggiore**, where you enjoy some free time to discover the site by yourself. Go back to La Spezia and by bus to your hotel.

DAY 3: From La Spezia, take a boat to **Palmaria Island**. Hike through amazing Mediterranean vegetation and see a breathtaking panorama on La Spezia, Portovenere and Tino and Tinetto islands. Then go by boat to **Portovenere** to enjoy a walk in town.

DAY 4: After breakfast leave to **Camogli**. Walk to the Benedict site of **San Fruttuoso**. After a short break, continue to **Portofino**, where you can enjoy some free time. After a while, a boat takes you to **Santa Margherita Ligure**, and the bus back to your hotel.

DAY 5: Departure.

on Elba Island

Level: Medium



6-Day-Tour

from 249 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid-March to mid-June
Mid-September to mid-October

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 4 x Full-day hiking guide following program
- 1 x Ferry-boat round-trip Piombino - Portoferraio

Single-room supplement: 60 €

- DAY 1:** Arrival by bus to Piombino and by ferry-boat to Elba. Check-in in your hotel.
- DAY 2:** From **Marciana Marina**, hike straight up at first, then at medium height between **Monte Capanne** and the sea. Go all the way to the rocky beach of **Cotoncello**. And continue to **Sant'Andrea**, a beautiful picturesque fishermen village (Level: medium. Walking time: about 3 hours).
- DAY 3:** Start from **Capoliveri**. The route goes slowly up to the south coast. Enjoy a beautiful view over almost the whole island and, and on good-weather days even as far as Corsica. Walk back down to Capoliveri (Level: medium. Walking time: About 3 hours).
- DAY 4:** Start in **San Piero**. Hike through luxuriant vegetation and pass the so-called "**Stone Monsters**" (Level: medium. Walking time: About 5 hours).
- DAY 5:** Go to the mountain village **Marciana Alta**. On the old pilgrims' route, hike to the church **Madonna del Monte**. Walk back down to the coast, and the small fishermen village **Chiessi** (Level: medium. Walking time: About 5 hours).
- DAY 6:** Take the boat back to the continent and departure.

Hiking on the Amalfi Coast

Level: Medium

NEW!



7-Day-Tour

from 369 €
/pers. in DBL

March to mid-June &
mid-September to October

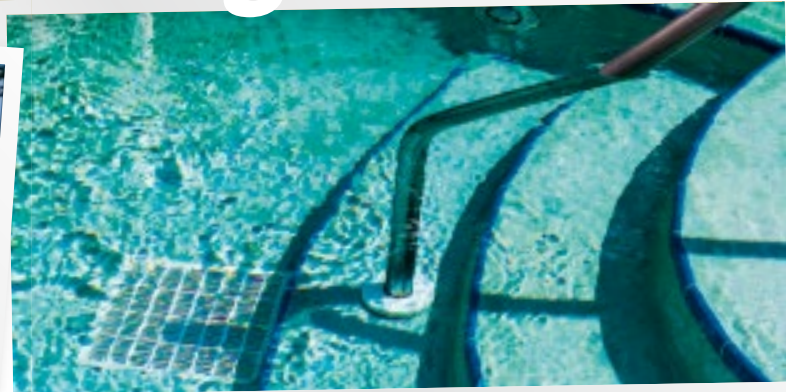
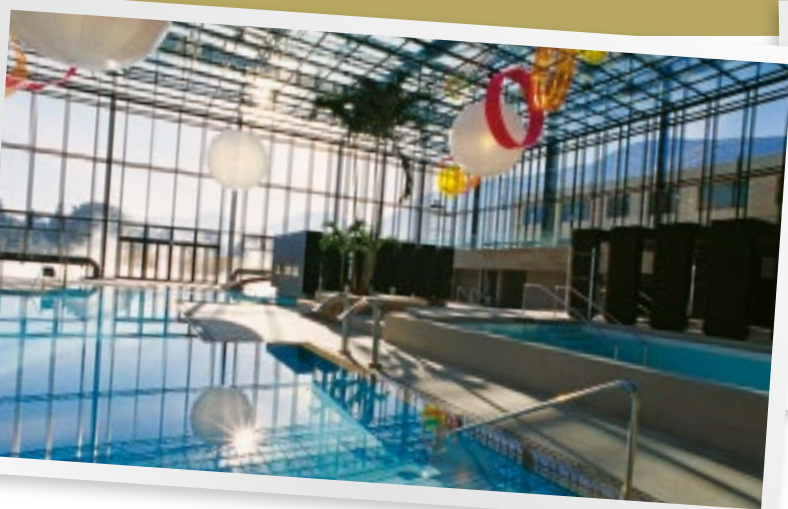
- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 6 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 6 x Dinner with tasty 3 course menu
- 3 x Full-day guide following program
- 1 x Full-day small bus availability on day 3

Single-room supplement: 120 €

Extra night with HB from 49 € per person

- DAY 1:** Arrival at your hotel in the Sorrento / Pompei area.
- DAY 2:** You drive to Agerola, where you start a nice hike alongside the coast. Enjoy the breathtaking panorama of the „**Sentiero degli Dei**“ over the **Vallone Granelle** all the way to **Nocelle**. For those who are brave enough, a 300 steps stair will take you to **Arienzo** beach, where you can appreciate a swimming pause in the warmer summer days! (Level: easy – Distance: 8km – Time: about 3 hours).
- DAY 3:** After breakfast, you head to **Positano** or **Amalfi**, where you can spend a full day relaxing and enjoying the dolce-vita flair of the Amalfi Coast.
- DAY 4:** You leave to **Termini**, where you start a hike between sea and fields of olive-trees. After an enjoyable walk, you reach the last village at the very tip of the Sorrento Peninsula: **Campanella**. Appreciate the unique view over Capri and see what is left of the **Minerva Temple**. The legend says, that it is exactly in this place that Ulysse was seduced by mermaids. (Level: easy – Distance: 4km – Time: about 2 hours all together).
- DAY 5:** Today, you have the whole day on your own. Enjoy the region. It's beautiful.
- DAY 6:** Today's hike starts from **Pontone** and takes you through the valley of medieval iron foundries, known as "**Vallone delle Ferriere**", all the way to Amalfi. You walk down **Monte Lattari**, crossing woods rich with streams and waterfalls. By the end of the trail, you will spot many water-mills, where was originally made the famous Amalfi paper. (Level: easy – Distance: 6km – Time: about 3 to 4 hours).
- DAY 7:** Departure.

Wellness & Hiking



Wellness & Hiking in the Dolomites

5-Day-Tour

from 249 €
/ pers. in DBL

October to April

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 4 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 1 x Welcome drink
- 2 x Access from 2pm - 5pm to the Merano Terme
- 2 x Half-day guide following program

Single-room supplement: 48 €

Extra night w/ HB from 49 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel

DAY 2: After breakfast, start an easy hike in **Merano**, also known as the “Nice” of South-Tyrol. Follow your guide on the “Kurpromenade” and the footsteps of Empress Sissi on the **Tappeiner Promenade**. Exotic Mediterranean plants and flowers give a colorful touch to the panoramic view over the valley of Merano. In the afternoon, simply relax and enjoy the **Thermal Baths of Merano**. *Level: easy – Time: about 2,5 to 3 hours.*

DAY 3: Today you can spend the whole **day at the spa**, enjoying the facilities and the large swimming pool to the fullest. In you like, it is also possible to organize a half-day guided visit in Bolzano (at extra cost).

DAY 4: After breakfast, head to **Appiano / Eppan**, where you start a hike between fruit plantations and vineyards. You walk up the Monte Macaion to the **medieval castles** watching over the sunny Adige Valley. In the afternoon, you are off to Merano again, where you can enjoy the **thermal baths** again. *Level: easy to moderate – Time: about 3 hours*

DAY 5: Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! *There are many hiking routes available in the Dolomites. It is possible to offer you several alternatives depending on the level you are aiming for, from easy to difficult.*

Wellness & Hiking by Lake Garda

5-Day-Tour

from 209 €
/ pers. in DBL

All year round

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 4 x Dinner within the Scope of Half Board
- 1 x Welcome drink
- 2 x Entry into the Thermal Park of Villa dei Cedri
- 1 x Half-day hiking guide following program
- 1 x Full-day guide following program
- 1 x Visit of an olive-oil mill with tasting

Single-room supplement: 48 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel

DAY 2: After breakfast, you're off to a nice **hike on the Ponale Road**, perfect for enjoying a breathtaking view over Lake Garda and the surrounding mountains. In the afternoon, relax in the **Thermal Park of Villa dei Cedri**. Dinner at your hotel.

Level: easy – Distance: 4km – Time: about 2 hours

DAY 3: Starting from Riva del Garda, today's journey takes you up **Monte Brione**, where you can spot some historic castles from the Austrian-Hungary period. Going back to Riva, you can enjoy a stunning panorama on the biggest Italian lake. Have some time on your own in Riva and appreciate the very laid-back atmosphere of this picturesque little town. In the afternoon, have a stop-over for a **wine or an olive-oil tasting**. Dinner at your hotel.

Level: moderate – Distance: 7,3km – Time: about 2,5 hours

DAY 4: After breakfast, you're off to the **Thermal Park of Villa dei Cedri** where you will spend a full relaxing day. Dinner at your hotel.

DAY 5: Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! *There are many hiking routes available around Lake Garda. It is possible to offer you several alternatives depending on the level you are aiming for, from easy to difficult.*

Event Tours



Moto Grand Prix in Mugello

4-Day-Tour

from 239 €
/pers. in DBL

May 2020*

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Entry to the MotoGP in Mugello (price varies depending on seating category) from 76€
- 1 x Guided City Tour of Florence or your choice

Single-room supplement: 36 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel.

DAY 2: Enjoy your breakfast and then set off to **Mugello** for the MotoGP Grand Prix motorcycle race today.

DAY 3: Today, go to **Florence**, the cultural capital of Italy. A guided city tour shows you the historic places. The afternoon is free to do as you please.

DAY 4: Departure.

* The exact dates of the program were not known at the time of catalogue production.

Formula 1 in Monza

3-Day-Tour

from 169 €
/pers. in DBL

September 2020*

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 2 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 2 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Entry Pass to Formula 1 Italian Grand Prix of Monza

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 39 € /pers.

(General Admission Area – other seating categories can be booked at additional cost)

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel.

DAY 2: After breakfast today, drive to Monza to see the famous **Formula 1 Italian Grand Prix**. Enjoy the breathtaking atmosphere and hundreds of horsepower of engine noise.

DAY 3: Departure.

* The exact dates of the program were not known at the time of catalogue production.



Formula 1 in Monaco

4-Day-Tour

from 260 €
/pers. in DBL

May 21 to 24, 2020

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Entry Pass to Formula 1 Monaco Grand Prix, "Rocher Section" (General Admission Area – other seating categories can be booked at additional cost)
- 1 x Guided tour of Nice and Cannes or Genoa and Portofino

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 39 € /pers.

(General Admission Area – other seating categories can be booked at additional cost)

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel.

DAY 2: After breakfast today, drive to Monaco to see the world famous **Formula 1 Grand Prix of Monaco** and experience the exhilarating blend of luxury, sea and engine noise that makes this race so special.

DAY 3: Today, enjoy a guided excursion to **Nice** and **Cannes**, or, if you prefer an Italian variation, to **Genoa** and Portofino

DAY 4: Departure.

Historic Grand-Prix of Monaco

4-Day Tour

from 195 €
/pers. in DBL

May 8 to 11, 2020

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Entry Pass to Historic Grand-Prix of Monaco - Monte Carlo (sunday) - Rocher Section*
- 1 x Guided Tour of Nice and Cannes or Genoa and Portofino

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Additional night with HB from 39 € /pers.

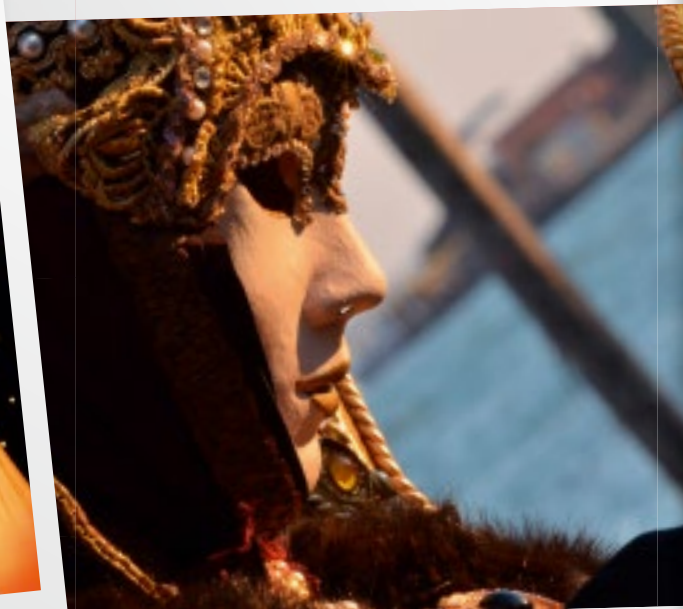
*various seating areas are available. Some might eventually imply an additional cost.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel.

DAY 2: Today, enjoy a guided excursion to **Nice** and **Cannes**, or or the Italian side **Genoa** and **Portofino**.

DAY 3: After breakfast, you go straight to the infamous **Historic Grand-Prix of Monaco - Monte Carlo**. On the same circuit as for the Formula 1 Grand-Prix, oldtimer cars are racing in front of a fantastic seaside panorama. This is definitely the ultimate experience for all lovers of old cars and beautiful sights.

DAY 4: Departure.



44th Circus Festival in Monte Carlo

4-Day-Tour

from 159 €
/pers. in DBL

January 16 to 26, 2020

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 2 x Dinner within Half Board
- 1 x Lunch within Half Board
- 1 x Entry into the Monte Carlo Circus Festival
- 1 x Full-Day Guide as per the Program
- 1 x Wine Tasting

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 30 € /pers.

DAY 1: Check into your hotel in the Flower Riviera

DAY 2: After a relaxing morning and a tasty lunch at the hotel, start to Monaco. In this Principality on the Côte d'Azur, enjoy free exploring time in the afternoon before heading to the **44th International Circus Festival in Monte Carlo**. Here, a wide and various range of incredible artists participate in the largest and most prestigious circus event in the world. It is at this event where the most respected prize in the circus world, namely the "Golden Clown" (Clown d'Or), is awarded.

DAY 3: Today, **San Remo** is on the agenda. Your guide will lead you through the maze of streets and alleyways of the old town (know as "La Pigna") along the very chic Corso Matteotti to the ancient Cathedral of San Siro. In the afternoon, travel to the **backcountry of San Remo** and enjoy a wine tasting with a light snack.

DAY 4: Departure.

Carnival in Venice

4-Day-Tour

from 158 €
/pers. in DBL

February 15 to 25, 2020

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Round-trip boat transfer to Venice
- 1 x Guided tour through Venice
- 1 x Island tour of Murano*/Burano*

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 37 € /pers.

* Eventual access fees to pay in cash on the site

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in Jesolo

DAY 2: After breakfast, take a boat ride and discover the **islands of Burano and Murano** where you will visit a glass factory (entry fee to be paid at the gate).

DAY 3: Travel by boat to the centre of the dream city of **Venice** and take a fascinating guided tour. Free time awaits you in the afternoon to explore the city's alleys and bridges and enjoy the Carnival.

DAY 4: Departure.



Carnival in Nice

4-Day-Tour

from 129 €
/pers. in DBL

February 15 to 25, 2020

- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Entry to the Carnival Parade or Flower Spectacular
- 1 x Half-Day City Tour in Monaco

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

DAY 1: Check into your hotel.

DAY 2: After breakfast this morning, take a drive into the Principality of **Monaco**. Let your Tour Guide show you the charm and flair of the city. The afternoon is free for you to do as you please, perhaps paying a visit to the Oceanographic Museum, the Aquarium, the Botanical Gardens ... - there are many choices! On the return journey to your hotel, you will pass by the town of Èze, where you will visit a **perfume maker**.

DAY 3: Today, you're off to the Carnival in **Nice** and its world famous **Flower Parade**, with spectacular floats, stunning floral compositions and elegantly dressed characters tossing flowers to the crowd.

DAY 4: Departure.

Program details can be subject to modifications.

Lemon Festival in Menton

4-Day-Tour

from 129 €
/pers. in DBL

February 15 to 25, 2020

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Guided tour of Monaco/Monte Carlo
- 1 x Visit to the Lemon Festival
- 1 x Access to the Citrus Festival

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in Riviera dei Fiori (the "Flower Riviera")

DAY 2: Today you will start with a guided tour of the Principality of **Monaco**. From the old town, enjoy the magnificent view of the mountains, the port, and the entire "Mini Principality".

DAY 3: After breakfast, take a day trip to the **Lemon Festival** of **Menton**. After a stroll through the old town, watch the afternoon parade of the golden citrus fruit with its decorated floats pulled along the waterfront. Enjoy this unforgettable and colorful celebration under the sunny skies of the Côte d'Azur.

DAY 4: Departure.



Cherry Blossom Festival in Emilia Romagna

5-Day-Tour

from 159 €
/pers. in DBL

Early April 2020

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Special Farewell Dinner
- 2 x Guided City Tour in Accordance with the Program

Single-room supplement: 48 €

DAY 1: Check into your hotel in the Rimini region.

DAY 2: Today you will get to know **Bologna**, the capital city of Emilia Romagna. Discover Piazza Maggiore and Piazza Re Enzo, the City Hall, the two towers, and the Neptune Fountain. In the afternoon, enjoy a relaxed visit to the beach.

DAY 3: After breakfast today, take a drive to **San Marino** and enjoy a tour of the oldest republic on earth. The medieval streets here are full of the charm of yester year. The next destination is **San Leo**, situated on a massive rocky ridge.

DAY 4: You're off to the Cherry Blossom Festival in **Vignola** this morning. This small town of Emilia Romagna is regarded as the Cherry Capital of Italy. When it's in bloom, it turns into a garden of blossoms where spring is celebrated with music and brightly decorated floats.

DAY 5: Departure.

Lake Garda & an Opera in Verona's Arena

4-Day-Tour

from 145 €
/pers. in DBL

Late June to late August

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 2 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Entry Ticket (in Gradinata C / F) to the Arena of Verona for an Opera of Your Choice
- 1 x Guided City Tour of Verona
- 1 x Guide for a Tour of Lake Garda

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

Optional Dinner on the Evening of the Opera from 15 €/pers.

DAY 1: Check into your hotel.

DAY 2: Take a guided tour of **Verona** in the morning, visiting amongst other things the medieval Piazza delle Erbe and the famous balcony of Romeo and Juliet. In the evening, see a memorable opera performance in the Arena of Verona. (On request, dinner can be arranged at a restaurant in the center of Verona, near the Arena.)

DAY 3: After breakfast this morning, head out with your guide for a tour of **Lake Garda**. You will drive along the coastal road, passing through olive groves and picturesque towns on the shore of the largest lake in Italy.

DAY 4: Departure.



Prosciutto Festival in San Daniele

5-Day-Tour

from 239 €
/pers. in DBL

June 18 to 22, 2020

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 5 x Guided City Tours in accordance with the Program
- 1 x Wine Tasting with a small Snack
- 1 x Boat tour from Grado
- 1 x Visit to the Ham Festival

Single-room supplement: 60 €

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel in the Friuli area.
- DAY 2:** After your breakfast, you will visit **Palmanova**, the Star City. Then, travel to **Aquileia** and, after a guided city tour, attend a wine tasting with light snacks to learn about the wines of the region.
- DAY 3:** Get on the bus and drive to **Grado** this morning, for another city tour. Have lunch there, spend some free time, and then take a boat ride in the lagoon.
- DAY 4:** After a guided city tour of **Udine**, you're off to **San Daniele** for the Aria di Festa, annual ham festival. After a guided tour of this city, you can try the prosciutto and wander the streets and alleys, enjoying the numerous exhibitions and musical performances before returning to your hotel for an evening meal.
- DAY 5:** Departure.

Traditional Gondolas Regatta in Venice

4-Day-Tour

from 210 €
/pers. in DBL

September 4 to 7, 2020

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 1 x Boat trip Punta Sabbioni - Murano & Burano* islands - Piazza San Marco - Punta Sabbioni
- 1 x Tour guide to the lagoon islands Murano & Burano
- 1 x Boat transfer Punta Sabbioni - Piazza San Marco - Punta Sabbioni
- 1 x Half-day guided visit of Venice

Single-room supplement: 42 €

Extra night w/ HB from 38 € /pers.

* Eventual access fees to pay cash on the site

- DAY 1:** Arrival at your hotel in the Lido di Jesolo area.
- DAY 2:** After breakfast, leave on a boat trip to the local islands: **Murano** and **Burano**. In Murano, learn more about the making of beautiful glass objects. On the idyllic island of Burano, get to know about the silk and ceramic productions, as well as about the art of embroidering and lace-making. Later, enjoy some free time in Venice.
- DAY 3:** In the morning, take the boat from Punta Sabbioni to **Venice**. With a half-day guided visit, get to learn a whole lot about the beautiful city with its numerous bridges, secretive streets, picturesque places, historical churches and impressive palaces. Starting around 3pm in a very exciting atmosphere, the **historical gondolas regatta** presents a colourful show of carved and heavily decorated boats, with their traditionally dressed Gondoliers.
- DAY 4:** Departure.



Wine Grapes Festival in Bardolino by Lake Garda

4-Day-Tour

from 125 €
/pers. in DBL

October 2 to 5, 2020

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 2 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Guided City Tour through Verona
- 1 x Visit to an Olive Oil Mill in Bardolino
- 1 x Boat Cruise
- Visit to the Bardolino Grape Festival

Single-room supplement: 36 €
Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel in the Lake Garda area.
- DAY 2:** In the morning you'll go on a guided city tour of **Verona**. In the afternoon, visit an olive oil mill in Bardolino.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast, enjoy a boat cruise from Peschiera to Bardolino. And in the afternoon go to the famous **Bardolino Grape Festival** where dinner will be served.
- DAY 4:** Departure.



Pearls of Tuscany and the Chianti Festival

5-Day-Tour

from 219 €
/pers. in DBL

September 10 to 14, 2020

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner at your hotel
- 1 x Dinner at a Farmhouse ("Fattoria")
- 1 x Half-Day City Tour of Florence
- 1 x Full-Day Guide for the Chianti Festival
- 1 x Full-Day Guided Tour to Volterra and San Gimignano
- 1 x Wine Tasting and Snack in San Gimignano

Single-room supplement: 52 €
Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

- DAY 1:** Check into your Hotel in Montecatini Terme.
- DAY 2:** Today you're going to **Florence**, queen of Art cities. Amazing sights, such as the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Giotto's bell tower, the Piazza della Signoria and the famous Ponte Vecchio await you. On the way back to your hotel, stop at a Fattoria, where you'll be served a typical meal of the region.
- DAY 3:** Your day will start with a drive to the small weekly market in Castellina in Chianti. Then you'll be off to the **Chianti Festival in Greve** in Chianti. Enjoy the playful mood. Taste a real Chianti and the local cuisine. Don't eat too much though, because you'll be having dinner at the hotel.
- DAY 4:** This morning, start with a tour of the 500m high Etruscan town **Volterra**. Afterwards, visit a local shepherd who will serve you a midday snack. Then visit **San Gimignano**, medieval architecture jewel with its many towers. Round up the day with a wine tasting and a snack.
- DAY 5:** Departure.

TRAVEL TIP! Book an additional day with **Pisa and Lucca** and enjoy a chocolate tasting from the famous **Chocolatier, "Slitti"**.

Gourmet tours



South-Tyrol Wine Route

6-Day Tour

from 290 €
/ pers. in DBL

April to mid-June & October

- Accommodation in a good 3* / 4* hotel
- 5 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu and salad buffet
- 1 x Private tour of a renowned winery
- 1 x Exclusive tour of an estate vineyard with "Bretteljause" meal / snack
- 1 x Vineyard tour followed by a wine tasting in a dedicated bar
- 2 x Guided city tour (Merano & Bolzano)
- 1 x Visit of a Prosecco winery with tasting

Single supplement: 75 € / person

Extra night w/ HB from 49 € / pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel.

DAY 2: You visit a renowned **South-Tyrolean winery**, where you get to learn more about the process and traditions of wine-making in the region. After an interesting guided tour of the site and cellar, you get to enjoy a **tasting of high quality wines**. In the afternoon, continue to the **South-Tyrol Wine Route**, and have a "field excursion" in a vineyard, before appreciating another tasting with snacks.

DAY 3: Go on an **exclusive vineyard estate** tour above Bolzano. Enjoy a unique panorama and a glass of "**St. Magdalener**", as well as a classic **South-Tyrolean snack** "Bretteljause" (served on a wooden platter). Finish up with a guided tour of **Bolzano**.

DAY 4: Start your day with a guided visit of **Merano**. During lunchtime, you can take the opportunity to taste the culinary specialties of the region. Enjoy the free afternoon to stroll and discover further in the city, or eventually to do some shopping.

DAY 5: Go to Trento, capital city of the neighboring Trentino area, and enjoy some time on your own. You can eventually see the medieval cathedral, the old frescos in the old town and the beautiful "Castel del Buonconsiglio". In the afternoon, visit a **Prosecco winery** of the region and finish up with a tasting.

DAY 6: Departure.



Prosecco Route From Trieste to Venice

5-Day-Tour

from 199 €
/ pers. in DBL

March to June & September to October

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 4 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu
- 1 x Guided visit of Venice
- 1 x Boat-transfer to Venice (and back)
- 1 x City Tour of Trieste
- 1 x Full-day "Discover Prosecco Wine Route" guided bus trip
- 1 x Prosecco tasting
- 1 x Entry to the Miramare Castle

Single-room supplement: 52 €

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in Jesolo.

DAY 2: After breakfast, you drive down to Punta Sabbioni and take a boat to **Venice**, where you attend a guided city tour. After this, you'll have free time to spend as you please. Why not, for example, go on a gondola ride? In the late afternoon, you'll return by boat to Punta Sabbioni and by bus to your hotel. Dinner at your hotel.

DAY 3: This morning, you visit **Trieste**, a beautiful historic city lying on the Adriatic sea shore. In the afternoon, you discover the famous **Miramare Castle**, an amazing white architecture artwork watching over the sea.

DAY 4: Today, you visit the world-renowned area of **Valdobbiadene** and travel down the **Prosecco Wine Route**. Admire the landscape and learn more about the traditions of the region, thanks to the comments of your guide. Last but not least, enjoy a **Prosecco wine tasting**, before going back to your hotel for dinner.

DAY 5: Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! *On request, we can also add a lagoon boat cruise in Grado to your program.*



Gourmet Tour in South-Tyrol

5-Day Tour

from 235 €
/ pers. in DBL

April to October

- Accommodation in good 3* hotels
- 4 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with 3-courses menu and salads buffet
- 1 x Dinner with 4-courses menu of South-Tyrolean specialties
- 1 x Welcome drink
- 1 x Guided visit of Bolzano (or Merano)
- 1 x "Speck" tasting
- 1 x Guided visit of a local cheese production
- 1 x Visit of a Grappa distillery
- 1 x Visit of an exclusive winery with tasting and typical snack
- 1 x Guided visit of a wine cellar with tasting

Single supplement: 48 € / person

Extra night w/ HB from 39 € / pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel.

DAY 2: In the morning, visit an **exclusive winery** over Bolzano. Taste a glass of S. Magdalena red wine with a typical South-Tyrolean snack in front of a great panorama over the valley. Later that day, go on a guided visit of **Bolzano** or **Merano** (your choice).

DAY 3: After breakfast, leave on a small guided tour in the **Dolomites**. See Rosengarten, Lake Carezza, and get to taste some **Speck**. In the afternoon, visit an exclusive wine production on the **South-Tyrolean Wine Route**, where you also get to enjoy a tasting.

DAY 4: In the morning, visit a local **cheese factory**, then a **grappa distillery** in the Val Pusteria. There, you get to discover and taste two **typical South Tyrol's products**. On request, you can also enjoy a guided visit of Bressanone or Brunico.

DAY 5: Departure.

Gastronomy Tour Verona, Mantua & Lake Garda

5-Day-Tour

from 255 €
/ pers. in DBL

Mid-March to mid-November

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with an appetizing 3-course menu
- 2 x Full-day guided tours following program
- 1 x Guided visit of Mantua
- 1 x Visit to an olive oil mill
- 1 x Visit to a rice farm with light lunch
- 1 x Tortellini lunch in Valeggio sul Mincio
- 1 x Wine tasting

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in the Lake Garda area.

DAY 2: Start your journey with a guided tour of **Lake Garda**. In the afternoon, visit an **olive oil** mill in Bardolino and taste the "green gold" of Lake Garda.

DAY 3: After breakfast, head to a guided visit of **Mantua**. Next go to **Valeggio sul Mincio**, where you enjoy a delicious **tortellini lunch**. Continue to the Bardolino region for a **wine tasting**, before going back to your hotel.

DAY 4: Today you will visit a "**Riseria**", a rice mill in the southern Lake Garda area. After the visit, enjoy a typical risotto for lunch. In the afternoon, off to **Verona** for a guided tour of the city.

DAY 5: Departure.



NEW!

Friuli

Art, Culture and Cuisine

5-Day-Tour

from 239 €
/ pers. in DBL

Year-Round Availability

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Tempting 3-Course Menu
- Guided City Tours of Udine, San Daniele, Palmanova, Aquileia, and Grado
- 1 x Ham Tasting in San Daniele
- 1 x Wine tasting with a snack
- 1 x Boat trip in the Lagoon from Grado

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the region of Friuli.

DAY 2: In the morning, enjoy a guided city Tour of **Udine**. Then it's off to **San Daniele** where you can visit a **ham-curing facility** and sample their prosciutto in a midday snack. Later you'll have a tour of San Daniele and some free time for a stroll.

DAY 3: Today you're going first on a tour of Palmanova, the "Star City", and then it's off to **Aquileia**, where you'll tour this ancient Roman city and enjoy a **taste of the wines** of the region along with a small snack.

DAY 4: After breakfast, you'll head to **Grado** for a guided visit of the town. You'll have some free time at lunch and after. Then continue your journey with a boat trip in the lagoon.

DAY 5: Departure.



Piedmont

a Tour for Connoisseurs

5-Day-Tour

March to November

from 265 €
/ pers. in DBL

- Accommodation in quality 3* hotel
- 4 x Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with appetizing 3-Course menu
- 1 x Dinner with Piedmont specialties
- 2 x Full-day tour following program
- 2 x Half-day tour following program
- 1 x Spumante tasting
- 1 x Visit of a **Torrone** with chocolate tasting
- 1 x Wine tasting with a light snack
- 1 x Visit of a rice production facility

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Check into your hotel in the Piedmont region.

DAY 2: Sightseeing in **Turin** is on this morning's agenda. And in the afternoon, a Tour of **Asti** awaits you along with a taste of their famous **Spumante**.

DAY 3: After breakfast an excursion to the Langhe in the morning, followed by a city tour of **Alba** in the afternoon. This nice day of sightseeing will be topped off not only with a visit to a **Torrone** and a tasting of their delicious chocolate, but also with a **wine tasting** and a snack at a local winery.

DAY 4: Today you'll go for a drive in the rolling countryside of **Monferrato** and take a tour of **Casale Monferrato**. Continue from there, enjoying a tour of **Vercelli** and a visit to a local **rice producer's** facility where you will have the opportunity to learn about cultivating rice and its importance in the world's cuisine.

DAY 5: Departure.

TRAVEL TIP! *It would be our pleasure to book an excursion to a truffle farm in Asti for you.*



Delicious Tastes of Liguria

5-Day-Tour

from 245 €
/ pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in a good 3 star hotel
- 4 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with tasty 3 course menu
- 1 x Dinner with typical local specialties
- 2 x Full day guided tour following program
- 1 x Train transfer in the Cinque Terre
- 1 x Boat transfer Monterosso – La Spezia with stopover in Portovenere
- 1 x Gourmet guided tour in Genoa with various tastings
- 1 x Lunch with delicious seafood menu
- 1 x Wine tasting with snacks in the San Remo area

Single Supplement: 45 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € per pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel on the Versilia coast.

DAY 2: Today you will visit what might be the most picturesque of all the World Heritage sites in Italy: **Cinque Terre**. From La Spezia, take the train to Monterosso. For lunch, enjoy a delicious **seafood menu of local specialties**. Later, a **boat** will take you to **Portovenere**, following along the coastline through the “**Golfo dei Poeti**” and all the way back to La Spezia.

DAY 3: After breakfast, head to **Genoa**, one of the oldest ports on the Mediterranean Sea. With a specialized guide, you will go on a **gourmet tour** around the city, discovering not only the historic places, but also **tasting the local specialties**, such as the famous basil pesto, the cheese, ice-cream ... and on and on. After the tour, you will have some free time to enjoy the city on your own and maybe shop for some of those local delicacies.

DAY 4: Today you head to **San Remo**. An all-day guide will show you the interesting attractions of this historic town and lead you further along the beautiful coastline to **Ospedaletti**, **Bordighera** and **Dolceacqua**. In a local wine cellar, enjoy a **wine tasting with some delicious snacks** from the region — olive oil, meats, marinated olives and more.

DAY 5: Departure.

Tuscany's Culinary Delights

6-Day-Tour

from 239 €
/ pers. in DBL

March to May, September and October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast
- 5 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 7 x Guided City Tours as per the Program
- 1 x “Lardo” Tasting in Carrara with Wine
- 1 x Cappuccino and Buccellato in Lucca
- 1 x Extra dessert of “Cantucci & Vin Santo” at the hotel
- 1 x Sample of Panforte and Ricciarelli
- 1 x Wine Tasting with Light Lunch
- 1 x Entrance to a Pasta Factory

Single-room supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel on the Versilia coast.

DAY 2: It's an excursion to **Carrara** this morning, with a tasting of the famous regional specialty, “**Lardo di Colonnata**”. Then go sightseeing in **Lucca** and end the day with an Italian **cappuccino** and **Buccellato**.

DAY 3: Today in **Florence**, you will discover all kinds of interesting facts during a city tour. And tonight after dinner, enjoy a taste of **Cantucci** almond biscuits and a **Vin Santo**.

DAY 4: Your guide will take you through **Siena** this morning, where you can taste the dessert specialties of this area. Then, a wine tasting of the region's famous **Chianti** along with a snack before you visit the city of **San Gimignano** with its 14 famous medieval towers.

DAY 5: A guided tour of **Pisa** today, where you will get to know the leaning tower. Then, in the afternoon, continue to **Lari** where you will visit a **pasta factory**.

DAY 6: Departure.



Fine Gastronomy of Umbria

5-Day Tour

from 245 €
/ pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in a good 3-Star hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Tempting 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Dinner of typical local specialties
- 2 x Full-day guide, following program
- 2 x Half-day guided visit, following program
- 1 x Visit of a chocolate factory
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Visit of a truffle factory with tasting

Single Supplement: 60 €

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the region of Chianciano Terme.

DAY 2: In the morning, you head to Perugia, where you visit a **chocolate factory**. In the afternoon, you keep on discovering with a guided tour of Perugia, before enjoying some free time in the city. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3: After breakfast, you visit an **olive-oil production** and enjoy a tasting. In the afternoon, you see **Orvieto** and learn its important facts through a guided tour. This is a perfect opportunity to taste the famous sweet gastronomy of the town. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4: After breakfast, you visit a **truffle production**. You learn about truffle hunting and preparing, but you also enjoy a delicious truffle snack! In the afternoon, you head to a cellar for a **wine tasting**. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5: Departure.

Sorrento Peninsula Mediterranean Gastronomy

6-Day Tour

from 319 €
/ pers. in DBL

April to June & September and October

- Accommodation in a 4-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 5 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x FD Guide Sorrento Peninsula
- 1 x Visit of a Limonaia with Limoncello tasting
- 1 x Visit of a Bufala cheese-making factory with tasting
- 1 x Visit of a olive-oil farm with tasting and light lunch

Single Supplement: 105 €

Extra night w/ HB from 49 € per pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel.

DAY 2: Enjoy some free time to discover Sorrento on your own. On request, you can go on a guided visit of Pompeii. In the afternoon, visit a Limonaia, where you get to learn how **Limoncello** is made and to taste the delicious lemon liquor!

DAY 3: After breakfast, go a little further South to the Salerno region, known for making the best Mozzarella di Bufala! Visit a cheese-making factory, before tasting some **Mozzarella di Bufala, Ricotta, and Provolone**. In the afternoon, if you like, use the opportunity to be there to visit the antic temples of Paestum.

DAY 4: Discover the beautiful **Sorrento Peninsula** with your guide. On the way, make a stop-over to visit an **olive-oil** farm, where various products are made. After the tour, enjoy a generous tasting including olive-oil with bread, home-made **marmalades, marinated vegetables** and more. Then take some free time to relax, and appreciate the beautiful panorama.

DAY 5: Today is free. Choose what you wish to see, do and taste! Maybe you'd like to visit **Naples**? This is where the world most famous Italian culinary specialty has been invented and the perfect place to eat a **pizza**. Or you'd prefer to see **Capri**, where to taste some **wines** or appreciate delicious **seafood**?

6. TAG: Departure.

Gardens



Famous Gardens of South Tyrol & Veneto

6-Day-Tour

from 259 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid April to September

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 5 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 3 x Half-day guided city tour following program
- 1 x Entrance to Trauttmansdorff Castle
- 1 x Entrance to Sigurtà Garden Park
- 1 x Wine Tasting at Lake Garda

Single-room supplement: 60 €

- DAY 1:** Journey to your hotel in South Tyrol.
- DAY 2:** After a guided city tour, there will be time for a free lunch, followed by a visit of the amazing gardens of **Trauttmansdorff Castle**, known as some of the most beautiful gardens in Europe.
- DAY 3:** Today the town of **Bressanone** is on the program. After a guided tour, you will have free time to stroll around. In the early afternoon, drive to the **Novacella Abbey** near Varna where you can visit the historic **Abbey Garden** (admission fee payable at the gate).
- DAY 4:** Today a trip to **Veneto**, featuring the beautiful city of **Verona** and the colourful **Sigurtà Garden Park**. Spend the night in the southern Lake Garda area.
- DAY 5:** On the last full day of the tour, visit the **André Heller Botanical Garden** – a veritable Garden of Eden on the western shore of **Lake Garda**, featuring plants from around the world (admission payable at the gate). Wind up the day with a wine tasting.
- DAY 6:** Departure.



Lake Maggiore Poetic Gardens

5-Day-Tour

from 215 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid-March to November

- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menus and Salad Buffet
- 1 x Half-Day Guided Tour of the Borromean Islands
- 1 x Boat Trip to the Borromean Islands (Isola Bella* and Isola Madre*)
- 1 x Full Day Guided Tour of Villa Taranto*, The Camellia Park, and Stresa
- 1 x Full Day Guided Tour of Lake Como and Villa Carlotta*

Single-room supplement: 56 €

*Entry fees to be paid cash on site

- DAY 1:** Check into your hotel in the Lake Maggiore area.
- DAY 2:** Today, take a boat to the **Borromean Islands**. Admire the magnificent Baroque palace, the white peacocks, the beautiful terrace gardens of Isola Bella and the botanic gardens of Isola Madre, famous for its camellias, rhododendrons and azaleas. The afternoon is free for you to do as you please.
- DAY 3:** This morning, discover the beautiful **gardens of Villa Taranto**, one of the most famous parks in northern Italy. Between terraces, pools, fountains and waterfalls, you find more than 20,000 different species of plants from all over the world. In the afternoon, visit the **Camellia Park** in Locarno and finish the day with a city tour of **Stresa**.
- DAY 4:** First, enjoy your breakfast, then head out to **Como**, the silk metropolis of northern Italy. Continue from there to Tremezzo, where **Villa Carlotta** awaits with its magnificent gardens of exotic vegetation, transforming azaleas and rhododendrons into a single sea of flowers during April and May.
- DAY 5:** Departure.



Camellia Blossoms on Lake Maggiore

5-Day-Tour

from 215 €
/pers. in DBL

March to mid-April

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu and Salad Buffet
- 3 x Full-day tour guide following program
- 1 x Boat Trip to the Borromean Islands (Isola Bella* and Isola dei Pescatori) and Stresa
- 1 x Visit to the Camellia Park (see Info) in Locarno

Single-room supplement: 56 €

Extra night w/ HB from 42 € /pers.

*Entry fees to be paid in cash on site

DAY 1: Check into your hotel in the Lake Maggiore region.

DAY 2: Today, take an excursion to the **Borromean Islands**. You'll be enchanted by Isola dei Pescatori and Isola Bella with its Borromean Palace and magnificent gardens. Then go by boat to **Stresa** and take a guided tour of the city.

DAY 3: After breakfast this morning, drive to **Ascona**, former fishermen village that is now a "millionaire village". Then pay a visit to the **Camellia Park** in Locarno and enjoy the ponds and fountains, the intricate walkways, and the delightful scent of approximately 1,000 different types of camellias. And, after visiting the Hermitage of Santa Catherina del Sasso, a charming and world-famous pilgrimage-site in Leggiano, you'll go back to your hotel.

DAY 4: You're off to **Lake Orta** this morning. Visit the picturesque old town of Orta San Giulio have an opportunity to take a boat to the nearby island that bears the same name. Next, pay a visit to Arona and see the nearby "**Colossus of San Carlo**".

DAY 5: Departure.

***Info:** The Camellia Exhibition always takes place at the end of March (from Wednesday to Sunday). Nevertheless, the Camellia Park is open all year. Therefore, it is possible to book this tour outside the given dates.*



Tuscany Historic Gardens & Villas

5-Day-Tour

from 229 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid-April to early June
September to mid-October

- Accommodation in a quality 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with appetizing 3 course menus
- 1 x Access fees to Palazzo Pfanner
- 1 x Access fees to Villa Reale di Marlia
- 1 x Guided visit in Florence
- 1 x Access fees to Boboli Garden
- 1 x Full-day guided tour of Pisa and Villa Torrigiani
- 1 x Access fees to Villa Torrigiani

Single-room supplement: 56 €

Extra night w/ HB from 42 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the Montecatini area.

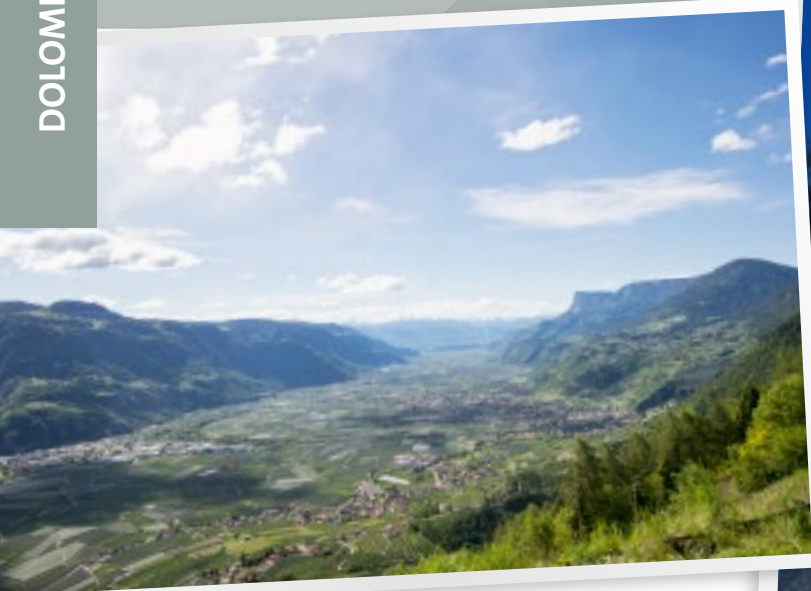
DAY 2: After breakfast, leave on a full-day guided trip to **Lucca**, including a visit of the garden of **Palazzo Pfanner**. In the afternoon, your journey takes you outside the city to the garden of **Villa Reale di Marlia**.

DAY 3: Get to know the capital of Tuscany: **Florence**. A guided visit will tell you the interesting facts about this beautiful historic town lying on the Arno river. In the afternoon, still in Florence, see the splendid **Boboli Garden**, one of the biggest and most elegant gardens of Italian style.

DAY 4: Go to **Pisa**, where you can admire the famous **Leaning Tower**. In the afternoon, see **Villa Torrigiani** and its beautiful garden, both created in the 16th century.

DAY 5: Departure.

Dolomites



Panorama Highlights in the Dolomites

5-Day-Tour

from 205 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid June to end of August

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 4 x Dinner within the Half Board
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 1 x Music Evening with a Solo Entertainer
- 1 x Easy Guided Hike
- 2 x Tour Guide for Day Trips
- 1 x Wine Tasting

Single-room supplement: 48 €

Extra night w/ HB from 39 € /pers.

DAY 1: Check into your hotel.

DAY 2: Today take a **tour** of the wonderful **Dolomites**, with a stopover to see the fascinating wood carving displays at Dolfi Land.

DAY 3: After breakfast this morning, you'll start off on an easy half-day hike to **Knottnkino**, the "Rock Cinema" at Verano, where you will enjoy an absolutely breathtaking mountain panorama. In the afternoon, take a drive down the "Wine Route" and attend a wine tasting.

DAY 4: Head to the Martello Valley and reach the incredible panorama spot called "**Plima-Project**". From the platform, you get an unbeatable view over the gorge and the surrounding summits. Later that day, drive to Merano, where you can enjoy some free time and eventually another great view from the glass bridge of the "Talkessel".

DAY 5: Departure.

TRAVEL TIP! Book one more day and go to Lake Garda for a boat-trip or some easy hiking on Monte Baldo to the panorama-spot „Belvedere“.

Glaciers and Palm Trees in the Dolomites

4-Day-Tour

from 189 €
/pers. in DBL

Mid June to end of August

- Accommodation in a 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Lift ride to the Senales Valley Glacier (where the bronze-age mummy Ötzi was found)
- 1 x Entrance to the Gardens of Trauttmansdorff Castle
- 1 x Guide for a Day Trip Chosen by Your Group

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 39 € /pers.

DAY 1: Check into your hotel.

DAY 2: Breakfast in your hotel, and then you're off to **Maso Corto** in the **Senales Valley** to take a cable car up to the glacial world of eternal ice. If you wish, you can eat lunch in the summit restaurant while quietly enjoying the breathtaking panorama of the surrounding Alpine peaks. In the afternoon, head to **Merano** and the Botanical Gardens of Trautmannsdorff Castle, which were voted one of the most beautiful gardens in Europe, and will surely leave you with new impressions of what "botanical diversity" really means. You'll have a few hours here before heading back to your hotel.

DAY 3: Today you're off on a guided tour of your group's choice; perhaps the Bolzano Wine Route, or Lake Garda or Verona? Maybe the Brenta Dolomites? Or even Lake Caldonazzo...?

DAY 4: Departure.



Bernina Express ...between Skies and Earth

4-Day-Tour

from 169 €
/pers. in DBL

April to May,
September and October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 3 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 1 x Music evening with solo entertainer
- 1 x Full-day Tour Guide
- 1 x Ride on the Bernina Express from Tirano to Pontresina

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 38 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in Val di Sole/Trentino

DAY 2: On today's tour of **Lake Garda**, take the time to discover this fascinating scenery and the towns and villages there. Optional boat tours are available at the lake (ex. Limone to Riva, with a short stay in Riva or one of the other picturesque towns surrounding the lake). Then, back to the hotel.

DAY 3: Today you'll take the famous **Bernina Express** from Tirano to Pontresina, going from a land of palm trees to one of everlasting ice. Take a stroll around St. Moritz before heading back to your hotel where a music evening with solo entertainer awaits you.

DAY 4: Departure.



Castles & Lakes of Trentino

6-Day-Tour

from 239 €
/pers. in DBL

April to June & September to October

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 5 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3 course menu
- 1 x Dinner with menu of typical local specialties
- 1 x Welcome drink at the hotel
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Half-day guided visit in Trento
- 2 x Full-day guide following program
- 1 x Grappa tasting
- Entry to the castles of the program

Single-room supplement: 60 €

Extra night w/ HB from 38 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the Trentino region.

DAY 2: Your journey will begin today in the city of **Trento** where you will visit the beautiful "**Castello del Buonconsiglio**". After a short lunch break, learn the important facts about Trento by following a guide through the streets of the old town.

DAY 3: You will go on a full-day guided tour today around the **Brenta Dolomites**, showing you **Molveno** with its stunning lake, the **Nardis cascades** in the mountains of the **Adamello Brenta Nature Park**, and much much more!

DAY 4: After breakfast, head to **Arco** where you can visit a fairytale-like castle built high on a cliff with a stunning panorama of **Lake Garda**, Italy's biggest lake. Later, continue to Nago, then Torbole, following the lake's coastline, getting to know the area and appreciating the laid-back atmosphere of the villages. Enjoy a wine tasting before going back to your hotel for dinner.

DAY 5: Have a relaxing day discovering the lakes of **Levico** and **Caldonazzo** and enjoying their atmosphere. Later in the afternoon, visit a **grappa distillery** where you can taste this very local product. Last but not least, keep learning about the local **culinary specialties** with a typical dinner at your hotel.

DAY 6: Departure.

Lakes



Lake Garda & the Citrus

4-Day-Tour

from 119 €
/pers. in DBL

March to end of October

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with appetizing 3-Course menu
- 1 x Full-day guided tour following program
- 1 x Access fee to a "Limonaia" (lemon plantation)
- 1 x Guided visit of Verona

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the Lake Garda area.

DAY 2: After breakfast, leave on a full-day guided tour around Lake Garda. Various stopovers allow you to see the beauty of this Alpine lake, with its picturesque villages, colourful houses, palm trees, pretty shores and some palaces along the waterfront. On your way, visit a **Limonaia** (citrus plantation) and taste some delicious home-produced Limoncello. At some point of the tour, eventually use the opportunity to enjoy a boat-ride on the lake.

DAY 3: Today, you're going to the site of pilgrimage **Madonna della Corona**. Then off to an interesting guided visit of **Verona**. In the end, enjoy some free time to embrace the historical city by yourself.

DAY 4: Departure.

Lake Garda & the Southern Flair

4-Day-Tour

from 125 €
/pers. in DBL

March to end of October

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 2 x Dinner with appetizing 3-Course menu
- 1 x Special "farewell" dinner at the hotel
- 1 x Full-day guided tour of Lake Garda
- 1 x Half-day guided tour of Verona
- 1 x Wine and olive oil tasting

Single-room supplement: 36 €

Extra night w/ HB from 35 € /pers.

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the Lake Garda area.

DAY 2: After breakfast, leave on a tour around **Lake Garda**. Several stopovers allow you to discover different sites and eventually enjoy a boat ride on the lake.

DAY 3: Today, go to **Verona**, city of Romeo & Juliet. After an interesting guided visit, you have some free time to appreciate the city by yourself. In the afternoon, enjoy **a wine and an olive oil tastings** in the Bardolino area. Back at the hotel, a special "farewell" dinner awaits you.

DAY 4: Departure.





Lake Maggiore with the Centovalli Train

5-Day-Tour

from 229 €
/pers. in DBL

March to June - September and October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast Buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu and Salads Buffet
- 1 x Full-Day Guide for Round Trip 3-Lakes Tour
- 1 x Full-Day Tour Guide for Centovalli Railway and the Maggia Valley
- 1 x Ride on the Centovalli Railway from Domodossola to Lucarno
- 1 x Boat Ride to the Borromean Islands (Isola Bella* and Isola dei Pescatori)

Single-room supplement: 56 €

Extra night w/ HB from 42 € /pers.

*Entry fees to be paid in cash on site.

- DAY 1:** Check into your hotel in the Lake Maggiore area.
- DAY 2:** After breakfast, discover Lake Maggiore, Lake Lugano and Lake Como on a **guided tour of the 3 lakes**.
- DAY 3:** This morning you're off to take the **Centovalli Railway** from Domodossola to Locarno, where a beautiful promenade along the lake shore will inspire you to take a stroll. In the afternoon, travel to the Maggia Valley – an amazing landscape of granite, green, mountain lakes, glaciers, and eternal snow.
- DAY 4:** Today, a boat trip to the **Borromean Islands** is on the agenda. Prepare yourself to be enchanted by Isola dei Pescatori and Isola Bella where you'll find Borromeo Palace and its magnificent gardens.
- DAY 5:** Departure.

TRAVEL TIP!

We would be happy to arrange a visit to a Camellia garden for you.

Enchanting Lakes of Northern Italy

6-Day-Tour

from 255 €
/pers. in DBL

March to October

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with appetizing 3-Course menu
- 1 x Full-day guided tour of Lake Garda
- 1 x Boat ride Riva - Limone - Malcesine
- 1 x Half-day guided visit of Bergamo
- 1 x Full-day guided "3 Lakes" tour
- 1 x Half-day guided tour of the Borromean islands
- 1 x Boat ride to Isola Bella* and Isola dei Pescatori

Single-room supplement: 72 €

*Access fee to pay in cash on the spot

- DAY 1:** Check into your hotel in the Lake Maggiore area.
- DAY 2:** Today, go on a **boat trip from Riva to Limone**, small fishermen's town with typical olive and lemon trees. After a tour and some free time, continue with the boat to **Malcesine**.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast, head to **Lake Maggiore**. On the way, have a stopover at **Lake Iseo**, the fourth largest North-Italian lake. Then continue to **Bergamo**. A guided city visit will tell you more about the beautiful old-town. Finish up with some free time to embrace the place by yourself, before leaving to your hotel in the Lake Maggiore area.
- DAY 4:** Go on a full-day guided **tour of 3 lakes**, to learn more about **Lake Maggiore**, **Lake Como** and **Lake Lugano**.
- DAY 5:** In the morning, enjoy a boat-trip to the **Borromean islands** of Lake Maggiore, the fascinating Isola dei Pescatori and Isola Bella, with its **Palazzo Borromeo** and its beautiful garden. In the afternoon, have some free time in Stresa to discover the town by yourself.
- DAY 6:** Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! Also available as a 4-Day Tour

Tuscany



Cinque Terre & Portofino

5-Day-Tour

from 209 €
/pers. in DBL

March, April, May,
September, October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Full-day tour guide for Cinque Terre
- 1 x Train Ride in the Cinque Terre
- 1 x Boat Cruise, Monterosso - La Spezia with a stopover in Portovenere
- 1 x Full-Day guided Tour of Rapallo and Portofino
- 1 x Boat Cruise, Rapallo - Portofino – S. Margherita
- 1 x Guided Tour of Pisa

Single-room supplement: 48 €
Extra night w/ HB from 29 € /pers.

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel on the Versilia coast.
- DAY 2:** Today you go to the UNESCO World Heritage Site “Cinque Terre”. From La Spezia take the train to Riomaggiore and to Monterosso. Or if you prefer, you can also hike up the “Via dell’Amore”. From Monterosso, return to La Spezia by boat, stopping along the way in Portovenere before cruising through the Gulf of Poets.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast, head to **Rapallo**, where you can stroll under palm trees along the promenade. From Rapallo continue by boat to **Portofino**, the most famous bay of the Riviera. Later in the afternoon, you’ll be in Santa Margherita, where you can spend some time before returning to your hotel.
- DAY 4:** Drive to **Pisa**, where a guided tour will tell you about the “Piazza dei Miracoli” with its world-famous Leaning Tower. In the afternoon you’ll have plenty of time to explore the medieval city of **Lucca** on your own.
- DAY 5:** Departure.

Elba Island in Napoleon’s Footsteps

5-Day-Tour

from 215 €
/pers. in DBL

March to May,
Mid September to End of October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Round-trip ferry to Elba
- 3 x Full-Day guided Tour as per the program
- 1 x Wine Tasting

Single-room supplement: 48 €
Extra night w/ HB from 33 € /pers.

- DAY 1:** Arrive in Piombino and take a ferry to the island of Elba where you will check in to your hotel.
- DAY 2:** Today, you’ll be busy with a full-day guided tour of Elba, following “**Napoleon’s tracks**”. And it includes a wine tasting.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast today, journey to the island’s capital **Portoferraio**. Here you will visit the old city center with its narrow streets and steep stairs that ascend to mighty fortresses originally constructed by the Medici family.
- DAY 4:** On today’s agenda, expect a trip to **Capoliveri** (formerly called Caput Liberum, meaning “the free hill”) with its picturesque squares and typical restaurants. Continue to **Porto Azzurro**, for a walk through the town square and a stroll along the waterfront
- DAY 5:** Departure.



Crete Senesi

From Montepulciano to Assisi

5-Day-Tour

from 169 €
/pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 3 x Full-day guided tour following program
- 1 x Wine Tasting

Single-room supplement: 48 €
Extra night w/ HB from 29 € /pers.

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel in Chianciano Terme.
- DAY 2:** This morning you will drive to **Perugia** and take a stroll through this ancient Etruscan town. Then you're off to the pilgrimage town **Assisi**, walking in the footsteps of St. Francis.
- DAY 3:** First, enjoy your breakfast. Then head off to **Pienza** where there are numerous Renaissance buildings to admire. In the afternoon continue your tour with **Montepulciano**, and enjoy a wine tasting of the famous "Rosso di Montepulciano".
- DAY 4:** This morning your travels will take you on a tour of **Orvieto**, medieval town situated on a cliff of volcanic tuff. The 14th-century gothic-style cathedral situated in this impregnable fortress city will impress you. In the afternoon, continue to **Todi**.
- DAY 5:** Departure.

Historic Cities of Tuscany

5-Day-Tour

from 179 €
/pers. in DBL

All year round

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Welcome Drink
- 1 x Guided City Tour of Pisa and Lucca
- 1 x Full-Day guided Tour of Tuscany with a stop at the famous Marble Quarry in Carrara
- 1 x Wine Tasting
- 1 x Guided City Tour of Siena and San Gimignano

Single-room supplement: 48 €
Extra night w/ HB from 32 € /pers.

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel in Montecatini Terme or on the Versilia Coast.
- DAY 2:** Today, you will visit **Pisa**. And in the afternoon, you will visit **Lucca**, before returning to your hotel.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast get ready for a full-day tour of Tuscany. It includes a stop at the **Carrara** marble quarry and at **Torre del Lago** on Lake Massacuccoli where the Puccini festival takes place. Later, you'll enjoy a wine tasting in a local vineyard.
- DAY 4:** Today, go on a full-day guided tour, visiting **Siena** and **San Gimignano**.
- DAY 5:** Departure.

Discovery Trips



Dolphins & Whales Watching by the Flower Riviera

5-Day-Tour

from 209 €
/pers. in DBL

End of March to June & September to mid-October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Full-Day Guided tour of Sanremo and vicinity
- 1 x Full-Day Guided tour of Monaco/Monte Carlo
- 1 x Wine tasting with finger-food
- 1 x Dolphin and Whale Watching

Single-room supplement: 48 €

- DAY 1:** Check into your hotel in the "Riviera dei Fiori" (the Flower Riviera)
- DAY 2:** You'll be with a tour guide for the whole day. First, you'll visit **Sanremo**, with some free time for a stroll in the city, before continuing into the surrounding countryside and the city of Dolceacqua. In the late afternoon, enjoy a wine tasting with finger-food in a local winery before going back to your hotel.
- DAY 3:** Today an amazing trip awaits you. Drive along the coast to Genoa. There embark on a four-hour **dolphins and whales watching** tour. With a bit of luck you will be able to see these fascinating sea creatures up close (depending on weather conditions).
- DAY 4:** After breakfast, start a full-day trip to **Monaco** and **Monte Carlo**. After a guided visit, you'll have plenty of time to explore the city by yourself.
- DAY 5:** Departure

Along the Riviera in France & in Italy

6-Day-Tour

from 185 €
/pers. in DBL

End of March to June & September to October

- Accommodation in a good 3-star hotel
- 4 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3 course menu
- 1 x Wine tasting with snacks
- 3 x Full day guided tour (days 2, 3 & 4)

Single-room supplement: 60 €

- DAY 1:** Arrival at your hotel on the Italian Riviera.
- DAY 2:** With your guide, you will first discover **San Remo**, where you can enjoy some free time after a guided city tour. Later, continue to the country-side and see the pretty town of **Dolceacqua**. Last but not least, taste some local **wine and snacks** in a cellar before going back to your hotel for dinner.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast, head to **Nice** where a guided visit will explain all the important facts to you about this mythical riviera city. In the afternoon, you will discover **Cannes** on a guided visit that includes all the main attractions. As an alternative, you can choose to discover the beautiful town **Saint-Paul de Vence**, known for its craftworks and artists.
- DAY 4:** Today, you get to know more about **Monaco** and **Monte-Carlo**. After a guided visit, you will have some free time to enjoy the city on your own. If time allows, visit a perfume-maker in Èze before going back to your hotel for dinner.
- DAY 5:** Departure

TRAVEL TIP! Book one more day and visit **Genoa**, one of the oldest and most important Italian ports.



Marche & Abruzzo

8-Day-Tour

from 379 €
/pers. in DBL

March to June & September to October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 7 x Overnight Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 7 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 6 x Guided tour following program

Single-room supplement: 105 €
Entry to the sites not included

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel in the Pesaro area on the Adriatic Coast.
- DAY 2:** Start off the tour with a trip to **Urbino**, the “Beauty Queen of Marche”, and one of Italy’s most important university towns - a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1998.
- DAY 3:** Today you’ll visit **Jesi**, the birthplace of the Holy Roman Emperor, Frederick II. In the morning you’ll be able to view the ramparts, bastions, and gates of the old town, dating from the 14th century. And in the afternoon, there will be free time for shopping and exploring.
- DAY 4:** Today, journey to **Loreto**, the famous destination for pilgrims from around the world, and take a guided city tour. Then travel to your hotel in the San Benedetto del Tronto area.
- DAY 5:** Expect a guided city tour of **Macerata** today, with its steep stairs and numerous churches and palaces. Continue on to the Monastery of “Abbadia di Fiastra” where the monks produce honey and ‘grappa’. In the afternoon, visit **Tolentino** which is famous for furniture production.
- DAY 6:** After breakfast, travel to **Ascoli Piceno** for a guided tour of this city which will enchant you with its Roman and medieval art. Then you can use free time for shopping or dawdling around.
- DAY 7:** On today’s agenda is a visit the Fortress of **Civitella**, situated on a 600 meter cliff. Afterwards, continue on to **Teramo** for a guided city tour.
- DAY 8:** Departure.

Cultural Treasures of Emilia Romagna

5-Day-Tour

from 199 €
/pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 5 x Guided city tours following program

Single-room supplement: 48 €

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel in the Rimini/Cattolica region.
- DAY 2:** After breakfast, head to **San Marino**, the smallest and oldest republic in the world. With only 30km², it has never lost its picturesque flair. After, drive to **San Leo**, a pretty old town offering a stunning panorama.
- DAY 3:** This morning, visit the small medieval town of **Gradara**. The imposing city walls date from the 14th century and, with its numerous turrets and battlements, it is one of the most stunning landmarks of the area. Continue from there to **Urbino**, unique renaissance city where Italy’s oldest university is situated. After a city tour, enjoy a gelato and a traditional Italian stroll, or “Passegiata”, along the Corso.
- DAY 4:** **Ravenna** is on today’s agenda. A city tour will point out the early Christian and Byzantine buildings with their colourful mosaics, making the whole a UNESCO World Heritage site. The afternoon will be free for shopping, exploring or simply walking around, until going back to your hotel by bus.
- DAY 5:** Departure.



Corsica, the Beautiful Island

5-Day-Tour

from 315 €
/pers. in DBL

March to May & September to October

- Accommodation in good 3-Star Hotels
- 4 x Hotel nights with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu
- 1 x Boat transfer Livorno to Bastia (return ticket)
- 3 x Full-day guide
- 2 x Guided city tour as stated in the program
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Light lunch at a shepherd's farmhouse

Single-room supplement: 80 €

DAY 1: Ferry transfer, Livorno to Bastia and arrival in your hotel.

DAY 2: In the morning, enjoy a guided visit of **Bastia** which will present to you the important historic facts of the main city of northern Corsica. After this, you will have time to stroll freely around the town. In the afternoon, visit a wine cellar in the Patrimonio area, where you will participate a tasting of Corsica's most famous wine. Dinner and overnight in your hotel.

DAY 3: Today you will discover **Bonifacio**, probably the most beautiful town on the island. A guided visit will show you the historic centre of this city sitting high above the turquoise sea. Enjoy an incredible panorama from the cliffs. In the afternoon, your journey will take you along the coastline to the Nature Park of Bonifacio. Dinner and overnight in your hotel.

DAY 4: In the morning, follow the coastline all the way down to L'Île Rousse. For lunch, you will taste typical products from the region at a shepherd's farmhouse. In the afternoon, you will see **Corte**, culturally-speaking, the most important city of Corsica: enjoy the view of the island and the historic atmosphere. Dinner and overnight in your hotel.

DAY 5: Breakfast, then ferry transfer from Bastia to Livorno. End of our services.

TIP! Book one more day to enjoy a hiking tour in the beautiful forests of Corsica.

GOOD TO KNOW! A program combining Sardinia and Corsica is also available at X-Large Travel.



Sardinia

7-Day-Tour

from 475 €
/pers. in DBL

March to May & September to October

- Accommodation in good 4-star hotels
- 4 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu
- 1 x Ferry boat night transfer (Livorno – Olbia) and back in twin cabin
- 5 x Full-day guide as stated in the program
- 1 x Boat excursion with tour of Neptune's grotto
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Lunch at a shepherd's farmhouse (drinks included)

Single-room supplement: 80 € (ferry boat overnights excepted)

DAY 1: Arrive in Livorno and take the night ferry transfer to Golfo Aranci.

DAY 2: You discover the fabulous **Costa Smeralda**: turquoise water, dark green plants and granite rocks. You travel through picturesque villages, like **Porto Cervo**, and follow the coastline to the medieval church Santissima Trinità, before going to your hotel.

DAY 3: In **Alghero**, you appreciate the inspiring Spanish influence. A guided visit presents the attractions and historic facts of the city. Later, you enjoy a boat tour to the amazing **Neptune's grotto**, a natural wonder well worth the trip!

DAY 4: The **Valley of the Nuraghe** is unique. You visit Santu Antine (entry to be paid on the spot), before heading to **Bosa**, known as the most beautiful in Sardinia. There, you see the Castello dei Malaspina and the medieval centre. On your way back, you have a **wine tasting** and follow the coastline to enjoy the panorama

DAY 5: Situated on the coast, **Castelsardo** has a medieval castle, a historic centre, small streets and beautiful villas. Later, you continue to the **backcountry** toward Aggius, through picturesque villages and green forests.

DAY 6: Today's program shows you **Nuoro**, cultural capital of Sardinia. Then, the old "bandits town" **Orgosolo** with its beautiful frescos and houses. You continue to **Supramonte**, where you enjoy a **shepherd's lunch** of typical specialties. In the late afternoon, you take the ferry boat to the mainland

DAY 7: Arrival in Livorno.

GOOD TO KNOW! A program combining Sardinia and Corsica is also available at X-Large Travel.



Capri, Naples & Pompeii

6-Day-Tour

from 349 €
/pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- Guides and city tours following program
- 1 x Access fee to Pompeii
- 1 x Boat transfer to Capri and back
- 1 x Bus Capri - Anacapri (1 day)

Single-room supplement: 65 €

- DAY 1:** Arrive at your hotel.
- DAY 2:** Today you will take a full-day guided tour to the world-famous buried Roman city of **Pompeii**, where you can venture back in time to relive the ancient empire. Then drive to see the "grave digger" of Pompeii, the 1280m high volcano, Mount Vesuvius.
- DAY 3:** Pure Mediterranean flare is on today's agenda. Take a boat ride to the fantastic island of Capri, where a full-day tour will show you all the main attractions of the island, including the towns of **Capri** and **Anacapri**.
- DAY 4:** Head to **Naples** this morning. A guided visit will tell you all interesting facts about the capital city of the Campania region. The afternoon, you will be free to shop, stroll around or simply relax in this iconic Italian town.
- DAY 5:** You will be with your tour guide throughout the day, travelling along the coast where you'll visit the towns of **Gaeta** and **Sperlonga**. Finish up with an inland excursion to Cassino.
- DAY 6:** Departure.

The Sicilian Experience

8-Day-Tour

from 499 €
/pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 1 x Overnight Ferry from Genoa to Palermo in a double cabin
- 1 x Overnight ferry from Palermo to Civitavecchia
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- Guided tours & visits according to program

Single-room supplement: 175 €

- DAY 1:** Arrive in Genoa and board the overnight Ferry to Sicily.
- DAY 2:** Arrive in Palermo in the evening. Check in and enjoy your dinner in your hotel in Palermo area.
- DAY 3:** Visit **Palermo**, **Monreale**, and **Cefalu**. Enjoy dinner again in your hotel in the Palermo area.
- DAY 4:** Travel to Agrigento, visiting Segesta, **Erice** and **Selinute** along the way. Check into your hotel in Agrigento area and have dinner.
- DAY 5:** Day trip to an elevation of 2,500 meters on **Mount Etna**, the live volcano on the Island of Sicily, with the opportunity to continue on by Jeep to 2,900 meters. Travel onwards to Acireale and enjoy free time for shopping. Have dinner and sleep in the Catania / Taormina area.
- DAY 6:** Journey to **Taormina** and visit the city. Return to Palermo and, in the evening, board the overnight ferry to Civitavecchia on the Italian mainland.
- DAY 7:** Arrive in Civitavecchia and continue to the North or your next destination. Check into your hotel and have dinner.
- DAY 8:** Departure.



Apulia

History, Nature & Sea

6-Day Tour

from 299 €
/pers. in DBL

April to June & September to October

- Accommodation in a Good 4-Star Hotel
- 5 x Overnight Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 5 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Full-day guided tour, following program
- 1 x Entry to "Grotte di Castellana" (1h tour)
- 2 x Half-day guided tour: Bari and Lecce
- 1 x Boat excursion to the "Grotte di Polignano a Mare"
- 1 x Wine-tasting

Single Supplement: 100 €

Extra night w/ HB from 45 € / pers. in DBL

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel.

DAY 2: After breakfast, go on an interesting guided tour of **Bari**, with its "Palazzi", gothic castles, churches of baroque architecture and famous "Lungomare". After the tour, enjoy some free time in this pretty city.

DAY 3: In the morning, discover the nature wonder "**Grotte di Castellana**". These immense caves look like natural cathedrals. After the visit, your tour takes you to the **Trullis Valley** and - among others - the lovely village **Alberobello**. At lunch, if you wish, enjoy a delicious meal of local specialties in a Masseria.

DAY 4: After breakfast, go to **Polignano A Mare**. With a 2-hours boat trip, visit the coastal caves under the historical town. Later that day, reach **Monopoli**, where you enjoy some free time.

DAY 5: Today, go to **Lecce**, where an interesting guided visit learns you the most about this beautiful city, known as "the Florence of the South" with its numerous historical and artistic attractions. On your way back to the hotel, enjoy a relaxing **wine-tasting**.

DAY 6: Departure.

TRAVEL TIP! Book one more day and discover **Otranto & Gallipoli or Gallipoli & Taranto!** **GOOD TO KNOW:** Program also available with bus transport from/to Bari Airport and the whole tour.

Calabria,

a Hidden Jewel

7-Day Tour

from 279 €
/pers. in DBL

April to mid-June - September to early November

- Accommodation in a good 4-star hotel
- 6 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 6 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu
- 1 x Transfer airport - hotel (and back)
- 3 x Guided tours following program
- 3 x Bus transport for the included excursions

Single Supplement: 108 €

Extras for the further excursions (on days 3 and 5) on request

DAY 1: Arrival at the airport and transfer to your hotel.

DAY 2: You start your visit of Calabria with a half-day excursion to **Tropea**, where you see the pretty historic centre and the numerous influences from its Byzantine, Roman, Normand and Antique times. Later, your daily trip takes you to **Capo Vaticano**, where you can enjoy a stunning panorama over the Mediterranean Sea and the Aeolian Islands.

DAY 3: Today, you are free to discover Calabria on your own terms. On request, we would also be pleased to organize for you an excursion to the fascinating Aeolian Islands, or eventually to Scilla and Reggio Calabria on the beautiful "Costa Viola".

DAY 4: Today's half-day excursion takes you to Calabria's backcountry, where you discover Zungri, one of the prettiest farmer's land of the region, situated on the Poro plateau. You visit a family domain, where you're invited to **taste typical local products**, like onions, 'Nduja salami, wine and cheese. Later, you discover the amazing caves of Zungri and their church "**Madonna della Neve**".

DAY 5: Today, you are free to discover Calabria on your own terms. On request, we would also be pleased to organize for you an excursion to see Brattirò and its vineyards, or to the medieval villages Gerace and Locri.

DAY 6: For your last half-day excursion of this trip, you leave to **Pizzo**, one of the prettiest fishermen's village of Calabria, known for its small streets and charming places. There, you see **Church Piedigrotta** and the **Aragonese fort**. Then, you can enjoy some free time, and maybe use the opportunity to taste the famous truffle icecream.

DAY 7: Transfer to the airport. Departure.

Combined Trips



NEW!

Apulia & Campania with Alberobello and Naples

8-Day Tour

from 535 €
/pers. in DBL

March to June & September to October

- Accommodation in good 4-Star hotels
- 7 x Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 7 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 5 x Half-day guided tour, following program
- 1 x Boat excursion in Polignano a Mare
- 1 x Access to Grotte di Castellana + guided tour (1km)
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Tasting of gastronomy specialties
- 1 x Access to Paestum + guided tour
- 1 x Access to Vesuvius + guided tour
- 1 x Access to Pompeii + guided tour

Single Supplement: 140 €

DAY 1: **Arrival.** Dinner and overnight in the Bari / Monopoli area.

DAY 2: You start your discovery trip with a guided tour of **Bari**. Later, you reach **Polignano a Mare**, where you enjoy a boat excursion in the impressive grottos under the cliffs, on which the town was built.

DAY 3: After breakfast, you drive to the backcountry, where you visit the most picturesque village of the region: **Alberobello**. Later, you see the amazing and beautiful **Grottos of Castellana**, where you enjoy a tour. Dinner and accommodation in the Matera / Taranto area.

DAY 4: You head to **Taranto**, where you have free time to discover the town on your own. Use the opportunity to maybe do some shopping of typical products? Later, you enjoy a **wine tasting**, before a guided tour of **Matera**.

DAY 5: It is time to head to Campania. On your way, make a stop-over for visiting the archaeology site of **Paestum**. Dinner and accommodation in the Pompeii area.

DAY 6: You make a guided tour of **Naples**, learning the important facts of the city. Later, you discover the famous **Vesuvius** volcano with a specialized guide.

DAY 7: You head up to **Pompeii**, where you visit the archaeology site and see the ruins. Finally, you round up your trip with a panorama tour of the **Sorrento peninsula**. Enjoy the beautiful nature and a **tasting** of local delicacies.

DAY 8: Departure



NEW!

Sicily & Calabria with Aeolian Islands

11-Day Tour

from 675 €
/pers. in DBL

March to June & September to October

- Accommodation in good 3-Star / 4-Star hotels
- 2 x Accommodation with breakfast buffet +dinner in the Palermo area
- 6 x Accommodation with breakfast buffet +dinner in the Agrigento / Catania / Tropea area
- 1 x Stop-over accommodation in the Florence area
- 1 x Ferry overnight in intern cabin from Genoa to Palermo with HB
- 1 x Ferry transfer from Sicily (Messina / Taormina) – Calabria (Scilla / Reggio Calabria)
- 2 x Full-day guide in Sicily, following program
- 3 x Half-day guide in Sicily, following program
- 1 x Excursion to the Aeolian Islands
- 2 x Full-Day tour in Calabria, following program

Single Supplement: 170 €

DAY 1: **Arrival** in Genoa and departure with the ferry. Overnight on your way to Palermo.

DAY 2: Arrive in Sicily in the evening. Accommodation in the Palermo area.

DAY 3: Start your tour with a guided visit of **Palermo** and its historic centre, before seeing **Monreale**.

DAY 4: Head to **Erice**, where you make a stop-over to visit the archaeology site, before seeing the archaeology park of **Selinunte**. Accommodation in the Agrigento area.

DAY 5: Take part to a guided tour of the **Temples' Valley of Agrigento**. You get back on the bus to **Catania**. A guided visit explains you the important facts. Accommodation in the Catania area.

DAY 6: Head to **Taormina** and learn about the city through a tour, before visiting the mighty Mount **Etna**.

DAY 7: You take a boat to Calabria, where you visit **Scilla** and **Reggio Calabria**. Accommodation in the Tropea area.

DAY 8: With your guide, visit **Capo Vaticano**, **Tropea** and the picturesque village of **Pizzo**.

DAY 9: Round up your tour with a full day excursion to the amazing **Aeolian Islands**.

DAY 10: **Departure.** Stop-over and accommodation in the Florence area.

DAY 11: Homebound.



Northern Italy

Expedition to Turin, Genoa, Parma, Cremona & Mantua

8-Day-Tour

from 419 €
/pers. in DBL

March to November

- Accommodation in quality 3-Star Hotel
- 7 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 7 x Dinner with appetizing 3-course menu
- 5 x Guided city visit following program
- 2 x Full-day tours following program
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Boat trip to Rapallo-Portofino-Santa Margherita
- 1 x Train and boat transfer for Cinque Terre
- 1 x Boat cruise in Mantua
- 1 x Admission to Mincio Nature Park

Single-room supplement: 91 €

- DAY 1:** Arrival at your hotel in the **Turin** area.
- DAY 2:** In the morning, go on a guided visit of Turin. The afternoon is free for you to discover further as you wish. Dinner and accommodation in the Turin area.
- DAY 3:** Leave on a full-day guided tour of the Piemonte area, through the **Barbera and Barbaresco** vineyards. Enjoy a wine tasting, a real must-have in this region! In the evening, dinner and accommodation in the Turin area.
- DAY 4:** After breakfast, start with a guided visit of **Genoa**, before leaving to **Rapallo**. There, a boat takes you to **Portofino** and **Santa Margherita**. Dinner and accommodation in the Versilia area.
- DAY 5:** Get a full-day guided tour in the **Cinque Terre**. Take the train from La Spezia to Monterosso, and enjoy a stopover. Continue by boat to **Portovenere**. After a local tour, you are taken back to La Spezia. Dinner and accommodation in the Versilia area.
- DAY 6:** In the morning, go on a guided visit of **Parma**. In the afternoon, continue to **Cremona** for another guided tour. Dinner and accommodation in southern Lake Garda area.
- DAY 7:** After breakfast, go to **Mantua** for a guided tour. First, a boat-cruise, then a visit of the culturally rich city. Finish up with the **Mincio Nature Park**. Dinner and accommodation in the southern Lake Garda area.
- DAY 8:** Departure.

7 Worlds of UNESCO

Explore the World's Cultural Heritage

7-Day-Tour

from 335 €
/pers. in DBL

May through October

- Accommodation in a good 3-Star Hotel
- 6 x Night with breakfast buffet
- 6 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu
- Half- and full-day guided tours following program
- 2nd-class ticket for the Bernina Express from Tirano to Pontresina (or other way around)
- 1 x Boat transfer to Venice (round trip)

Single-room supplement: 80 €

*Entry fees to sites to be paid "at the gate"

- DAY 1:** Arrival at your hotel in Trentino.
- DAY 2:** You cross the Tonale Pass to Tirano, where you board the **Bernina Express**. On your ride, enjoy nature and mountain views, spot glaciers and appreciate this beautiful alpine experience.
- DAY 3:** Today's trip presents you the **Dolomites**. Enjoy the stunning panorama and the large variety of colours, from the valleys to the mountains. This area has always known how to inspire scientists and artists. Hotel in the Padua area.
- DAY 4:** You participate a guided tour in **Venice**. The city and its lagoon are UNESCO World's Heritage since 1987. Sitting on 117 islands, Venice has about 400 bridges. Appreciate walking in the small romantic streets, with their unique flair.
- DAY 5:** **Padua's** Botanical Garden is a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1997, as being the oldest in the world. Still in its original location, it extends over 22,000m², and is famous for its special collections and historic buildings. Later, you learn about **Vicenza's** history and its architecture by Andrea Palladio. Hotel in the Verona/Lake Garda area.
- DAY 6:** **Verona** is Romeo & Juliet's city. See the historic centre, the Roman arena, the opera house, and of course Juliet's balcony. Later, you continue to **Mantua**, a UNESCO site since 2008, thanks to historic sites like the Palazzo Fucile, the Basilica Sant'Andrea, the Piazza del Duomo.
- DAY 7:** Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! Add a day or two to this tour to visit **Florence and Pisa**.

Essential Italy



12-Day-Tour

from 915 €
/pers. in DBL

All Year round

- Accommodation in a good 3-star or 4-star hotel (depending on your choice)
- 11 x Night with breakfast buffet
11 x Dinner with a tasty 3-course
- Porterage on arrival and departure at each hotel
- 5 x Full-day guided tours, following program
- 3 x Half-day guided tours, following program
- 1 x Boat transfer to Capri (round trip)
- 1 x Guided tour in Capri (excl. the Blue Grotto)

DAY 1: Arrival to your hotel in Rome. Dinner at the hotel.

DAY 2: A full-day guided tour takes you around the **Ancient Rome**: The Colosseum, the Roman Forum, the Pantheon and many more sites. Like every other day on this tour, you are on your own for lunch. It is the perfect opportunity to taste original Italian cuisine... which has so much to offer! (night in Rome)

DAY 3: You get to learn more about the **Christian Rome**, with a guided tour exploring St. Peter's Basilica, Michelangelo's "Pietà", the Sistine Chapel, and the catacombs where early Christians hid from persecution. (night in Rome)

DAY 4: You now discover the **Classic** side of the "Eternal City": the small streets, the beautiful fountains, the piazzas, the Spanish Steps and much more. In the afternoon, you have time for a walk on your own and to shop local specialties. (night in Rome)

DAY 5: Driving south, you stop in **Monte Cassino**, site of an important WWII battle. You continue to **Naples** and take a guided tour around this city known for its alleyways where hang colorful clothes. (night in Naples) Distance 250 km

DAY 6: You take a guided tour of **Pompeii and Mt. Vesuvius**. This world-famous destination has become a UNESCO World's Heritage site and is an absolute must-see in Italy. (night in Naples) Distance 55 km

If you prefer, an alternative for Day 6, we can also recommend:

DAY 6: You head to the beautiful **Amalfi Coast**, a UNESCO World's Heritage Site. Spend the day visiting picturesque Positano and enjoying the beach. Or even hiking in Monti Lattari regional park. (night in Naples) Distance 135 km

DAY 7: You cross the Tyrrhenian Sea to Capri. There, you follow your guide around, discovering the main attractions of **Capri** and **Anacapri**. You get to see the **Blue Grotto** (entry fee to pay on the spot). (night in Naples) Distance 120 km

DAY 8: Today you head north, driving through the rolling Tuscan countryside to **Florence**, beautiful Italian capital of the Arts. (night in / near Florence) Distance 480 km

DAY 9: A guided tour shows you the main attractions of the **birthplace of the Renaissance**. Don't miss Michelangelo's "David", Botticelli's "Birth of Venus", the cathedral, Giotto's Bell Tower, the gardens of Palazzo Pitti, and the Ponte Vecchio. (night in / near Florence)

DAY 10: You head to **Pisa**, where you see the Leaning Tower and the Baptistery. Later, you continue to **Verona**. Take time to admire Juliet's balcony in its intimate courtyard, where Romeo visited her. Finally, you reach Venice. (night in / near Venice) Distance 515 km

DAY 11: You take a guided tour in **Venice** and learn about its history and traditions. Later, you have time on your own: take a gondola ride, shop Italian specialties, or just enjoy the flair from a café. (night in / near Venice)

DAY 12: Departure.

NOTE: Prices vary depending on the size of the group and the hotels category.



Austria, Germany, Italy:

Culture, History and Nature

10-Day-Tour

from 895 €
/pers. in DBL

Year-round availability

- Accommodation in a good 3-star or 4-star Hotel (depending on your choice)
- 9 x Overnight Accommodation with Breakfast, following program
9 x Dinner with an Appetizing 3-Course or 4-Course Menu (drinks not included)
- 3 x Half-day guided tours, following program
- 3 x Full-day guided tours, following program

Compare the differing culture and lifestyles of Austria, Germany, and Italy, travelling from Vienna to Milan by way of Salzburg, Munich, Bolzano, Venice, and Verona.

DAY 1: Vienna (night in Vienna)

Arrival at your hotel in Vienna. Dinner at the hotel.

DAY 2: Vienna (night in Vienna)

You appreciate a guided tour in Vienna, explaining you the important historic fact of the imperial city, and showing you the main attractions. Then, you have some time on your own to wander around. Check out the intimate bars and tantalizing restaurants.

DAY 3: Vienna – Salzburg (night in Salzburg) Distance 300 km

You travel to Mozart's birthplace: Salzburg. This city provided the backdrop to many scenes in the movie "The Sound of Music". You have a guided city tour, before enjoying some time on your own to get better acquainted with this beautiful town.

DAY 4: Salzburg – Munich (night in Munich) Distance 150 km

You drive north towards Germany, where you reach Munich. You follow a guide through the old-town. The tour tells you all the important facts about the capital of beer-making. Later, you have time on your own. Make sure to see "Karlsplatz Stachus", the famous Olympic Park and one of the many breweries.

DAY 5: Munich – Bolzano (night in or near Bolzano) Distance 280 km

After breakfast start your drive south towards Italy. Bolzano is a small and nice town, capital of South-Tyrol, which used to be part of the Austrian-Hungarian empire before WWI. It is still bilingual, with people coming from either Austrian or Italian roots. A guided city tour tells you more about this interesting historic and cultural mix.

DAY 6: Bolzano – the Dolomites – Venice (night in the Venice area) Distance 270 km

You start from Bolzano and you follow an alpine route through the Dolomites, described by UNESCO as "... some of the most beautiful mountain landscapes, with vertical walls, sheer cliffs, and a high density of narrow, deep, and long valleys". See the "Rosengarten", Lake Carezza, and the Latemar. Finally, you end the tour reaching the superb city of Venice.

DAY 7: Venice (night in the Venice area)

You have a guided city tour around the unique Venice. Learn more about the history and the traditions of the place. Later, you have time to enjoy Venice on your own. Walk across the romantic bridges, see its palaces and the small streets, appreciate the flair.

DAY 8: Venice – Verona – Milan (night in Milan) Distance 290 km

You leave to Verona, known for Romeo and Juliet's love story. Don't miss the opera house, the Roman arena, and of course Juliet's balcony in its intimate courtyard. You head to Milan, where you have dinner at your hotel.

DAY 9: Milan (night in Milan)

You participate a guided city tour of Milan, Italy's fashion beating heart. The "Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II" and "Via Turino" near the Dome are good places, if you wish to do some shopping. Or you can head to "Parco Sempione" and Sforza Castle's gardens, if you wish to relax. As an alternative, you can also go for a walk around the Chinese quarter.

DAY 10: Departure.





France: Beautiful Provence

6-Day Tour

from 390 €
/pers. in DBL

March to October

- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with 3-course menu
- 4 x Full-day guide assistance
- 1 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Visit of a lavender farm
- 1 x Access to Pont du Gard
- 1 x Boat transfer Marseille - Frioul island and back
- 1 x Boat excursion around the creeks of Cassis

Single Supplement: 30 € / pers. and night

Extra night in DBL-room with HB 59 € / pers. and night

DAY 1: Arrival at your hotel in the Avignon area.

DAY 2: **Nîmes** is also known as the little "Rome of France". A guided city tour shows you the Roman amphitheatre, the "Maison Carrée", the "Jardin de la Fontaine" garden, and the Tour Magne & Castellum designed to distribute water coming from the "**Pont du Gard**" bridge. Later, you visit the Pont du Gard, a Roman architecture masterwork. Finally, you drive back to **Avignon**, famous for its 14th century Palace of the Popes, its bridge and its cathedral. *Distance: about 105 km.*

DAY 3: **Aix-en-Provence** is the city of the Impressionists and inspired many artists such as Cezanne or Emile Zola. See the picturesque centre, where you can shop typical local products. Then, you go to **Cassis**, for a boat excursion in the breath-taking **fjords**, with their white cliffs above the turquoise sea. Enjoy some time in the small old-town and port, before going back to your hotel for dinner. *Distance: about 280 km.*

DAY 4: You go to a **lavender farm**, to get to learn more about the production of the perfumed plant and its many properties. Then, you head to **Gordes**. Situated on a hill, it is famous for its craftwork specialties. A guide takes you on a one-and-half hour tour around the town with the stunning panorama. Enjoy a **wine tasting** before dinner. *Distance: about 110 km.*

DAY 5: **Marseille** is the main southern city of France and its oldest port. It is famous for its cathedral Notre-Dame de La Garde and the old port with a view on the Chateau d'If. In the afternoon, a boat takes you to the **islands**, where you can appreciate a stroll by the creeks. Bring your swimsuit if you travel in the summer! *Distance: about 210 km*

DAY 6: Departure.



France: Castles of the Loire

6-Day Tour

from 349 €
/pers. in DBL

March to October

- 5 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 5 x Dinner with 3-course menu
- 2 x Full-day guide assistance
- 2 x Wine tasting
- 1 x Access fee Rochemenier
- 1 x Boat-cruise (about 1 hour) on the Cher river

Single Supplement: 150 €

DAY 1: Arrive in your hotel in the Tours area. Check-in and dinner.

DAY 2: Castles & Gardens (about 75 km)
After breakfast, start your journey with a visit of the historic centre of **Tours**, before going to Langeais, a **fort built in the 15th century**. Later that day, you reach Azay-le-Rideau, a pretty town by the river with a **beautiful Renaissance castle**. Finally, enjoy a quiet walk through the amazing **gardens of the Castle of Villandry**, before heading back to your hotel for dinner.

DAY 3: Royal Life & Wine (about 180 km)
Today, start with a visit of **Blois**. Get to see its beautiful villas and its powerful royal castle. Later, you reach the infamous castle of Chambord, a masterwork of **Leonardo da Vinci** with about 400 rooms, which was actually only used to host parties and hunting sessions. Continue to the castle of Cheverny, well known for its hunting hounds' equipage. Finish with a **tasting of delicious local wine**, before heading back to your hotel for dinner.

DAY 4: Historic & Unusual (about 205 km)
After breakfast, leave to **Ussé** to see its fairy tale castle. Then, you go to Saumur, well known for its wines and its horse riding school "Cadre Noir". Later that day, you visit Rochemenier, a small **village built underground** in the stone. And you finish your visiting day with the Abbey of Fontevraud, also known for being the **biggest medieval abbey of the country**. Head back to your hotel for dinner.

DAY 5: Boat cruise & Castles (about 100 km)
After breakfast, leave to the banks of the Cher, a smaller river springing into the Loire. There, you can enjoy a **boat cruise** (about 1 hour) with views on the beautiful Renaissance Castle of Chenonceau, built like a bridge over the water. Later that day, you participate one more **wine tasting**, before discovering the Castle of Amboise, which used to regularly host Katherina of Medici. Head back to your hotel for dinner.

DAY 6: Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! Book one more day and visit Paris and / or Versailles, on your way to or back!

City Trips



Rome

5-Day-Tour

from 255 €
/pers. in DBL

All year round

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 4 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 2 x Full-Day guided Tour
- 1 x Half-Day guided Tours

Single-room supplement: 80 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in Rome.

DAY 2: After breakfast you will start learning about the **Christian Rome**. Visit the most famous cathedrals of the "Eternal City". In the afternoon, you will be free to explore Rome on your own.

DAY 3: After breakfast today, travel to **Ostia Antica** and visit the archaeological excavations of this ancient port of Rome. Before returning to your hotel, you'll have time to stop and have a coffee or take a stroll along the beach.

DAY 4: This morning you'll discover the **Classic Rome** From the Spanish Steps, you will walk to the Trevi Fountain and the Pantheon. From the Capitoline Hill, enjoy the view of the old Roman Forum. In the afternoon, enjoy some free time to browse around and shop.

DAY 5: Departure.

Venice

4-Day-Tour

from 139 €
/pers. in DBL

March - April - May -
September - October

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 2 x round Trip Boat Transfer to Venice
- 1 x Half-Day guided City of Venice
- 1 x Boat excursion Punta Sabbioni - Murano - Burano - Venice - Punta Sabbioni

Single-room supplement: 42 €

DAY 1: Arrive at your hotel in Jesolo Lido.

DAY 2: After breakfast, travel to Punta Sabbioni from where you will go by boat to St. Mark's Square and begin your city tour. Afterwards you'll have some free time to explore **Venice** on your own before catching the boat back to Punta Sabbioni and your hotel.

DAY 3: After breakfast, you leave on boat from **Punta Sabbioni**. You visit the islands Murano and Burano, before going back to St. Mark's Square. You can keep exploring Venice on your own before returning to Punta Sabbioni and your hotel for dinner.

DAY 4: Departure.



NEW!

Mantua and Verona

4-Day-Tour

from 125 €
/pers. in DBL

Year-Round Availability

- Accommodation in a Good 3-Star Hotel
- 3 x Overnight Accommodation with Buffet Breakfast
- 3 x Dinner with Appetizing 3-Course Menu
- 1 x Half-Day guided Tour of Verona
- 1 x Half-Day guided Tour of Mantua

Single Supplement: 36 €

- DAY 1:** **Arrival** at your hotel in the southern Lake Garda area.
- DAY 2:** The morning is open, so take a stroll along the shores of Lake Garda. Then drive to **Verona** for a tour of the City. And the afternoon is free for shopping, dawdling, or strolling around.
- DAY 3:** Enjoy a guided walking tour of **Mantua** this morning, then take some free time before heading to the nearby shopping paradise of "Outlet Village".
- DAY 4:** Departure.

GOOD TO KNOW! *Book this trip during the time of the festivals in the Arena in Verona from end of June to early September!*

Turin & Asti With Milan or Monaco

5-Day-Tour

from 265 €
/pers. in DBL

March to June & September to October

- Accommodation in good 3-Star hotels
- 4 x Overnight accommodation with breakfast buffet
- 4 x Dinner with tasty 3-course menu
- 2 x Half-day guided visit (Milan or Monaco + Torino)
- 1 x Full-day guide (Asti / Vercelli)
- 1 x Wine tasting in the Asti area
- 1 x Visit of a rice factory in the Vercelli area
- 1 x Lunch with 3-course menu of local specialties

Single Supplement: 100 €

- DAY 1:** **Arrival** in your hotel in the Milan area or on the Riviera.
- DAY 2:** You start your journey with a guided tour of **Milan** (or **Monaco**, depending on your choices). You see the historic centre and learn more about the city. In the afternoon, you have some free time to keep discovering on your own.
- DAY 3:** After breakfast, you head to **Turin**. In the afternoon, you visit the city with a guide, explaining you the important facts of the Piedmont's capital. Dinner and overnight in the Turin area.
- DAY 4:** Today, you discover to **Asti** with your guide. After a guided visit, you enjoy **typical gastronomy** for lunch, before a **wine tasting**. Later, you learn about the **rice production** in the Vercelli area. Dinner and overnight in the Turin area.
- DAY 5:** Departure.