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Day 1 Australia - Bucharest, Romania
Today depart for your overnight flight from Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide or Perth to Bucharest, Romania. Fly with award-winning airlines such as Etihad Airways, Emirates, British Airlines or Thai Airways to name a few (subject to availability).

Overnight: In-Flight
Meals included: In-Flight

Day 2 Arrive in Bucharest, Romania
Welcome to the historic city of Bucharest, a dynamic, energetic and fun capital. Upon arrival be met by a representative and transferred to the hotel. The remainder of the day will be at leisure.

Overnight: Europa Royale Hotel or similar, Bucharest
Meals included: None

Day 3 Bucharest - Sinaia - Brasov, Romania - City Tour (Approx. 175km Day)
Enjoy breakfast at the hotel, and then transfer to Sinaia by bus. Situated in the historical region of Muntenia, the town of Sinaia was so named after the Sinaia Monastery, around which it was built. The town is characterised by its crayon-coloured wooden houses, contrasted with the ‘wedding-cake’ style of its grander 19th-century buildings. Here you will see the Peles and Pelisor Castles and the Sinaia Monastery (entrance tickets not included). Once home to Romania's first king, Carol I, who created a summer retreat here, Peleş Castle is a dream of fairy-tale turrets and hidden passages.

Enjoy time at leisure for lunch (not included) and then transfer to the city of Brasov in the Carpathian Mountains of southern Transylvania. The city is home to Bran Castle, better known as ‘Dracula's Castle’. Enjoy a panoramic city tour by bus and on foot, taking in the main attractions of this medieval city. The Rope Street, The Black Church, The First Romanian School, and the old town are just a few of the city’s highlights. After the tour check in at hotel.

Overnight: Kronwell Hotel or similar, Brasov
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 4 Brasov - Bran Castle, Romania (Approx. 30km Day)
Following breakfast at the hotel, enjoy the sights of Brasov. Learn the story behind the Dracula myth with a visit to Bran Castle (entrance included). Be transported back in time with a visit to the village museum, and learn how the poor farmers of this region used to live in days gone by. Continue the journey with a visit to Rasnov Fortress (entrance included). From the top of the fortress you will be able to admire stunning views of the Carpathian Mountains and surrounding villages. In the evening, transfer to Poiana Brasov where you will have dinner in a local restaurant (Coliba Haiducilor) - a must on any trip. Opened in 1967, the restaurant serves traditional Romanian food in a gorgeous building close to the ski slopes. Served along long wooden tables, the restaurant's mouth-watering fare ranges from ciorba soups to huge portions of meat.

Overnight: Kronwell or similar, Brasov
Meals included: Breakfast; Dinner

Day 5 Brasov - Bucharest, Romania - Panoramic City Tour (Approx. 170km Day)
Breakfast at the hotel and then transfer back to Bucharest. Upon arrival enjoy a panoramic bus tour of the capital, which used to be called ‘Little Paris’. Discover its main attractions including The Parliament, Arcul de Triumf (identical with the Arc de Triomphe from Paris), Lipscani (a neighbourhood that will remind you of Paris), and more. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Overnight: Europa Royale Hotel or similar, Bucharest
Meals included: Breakfast
Day 6 Bucharest - Fetesti, Romania - Board 9-night Luxury River Cruise
After breakfast, enjoy the morning to explore this amazing city at leisure. In the afternoon transfer to the Danube port of Fetesti, for embarkation at 4:00pm. The friendly crew of the Amadeus Queen will be awaiting your arrival. Enjoy time to appreciate the features of your cabin, as well as the ships gorgeous swimming pool. Soon after, the Cruise Director will invite you for a welcome cocktail followed by a specially-prepared welcome dinner. The cruise departs at 5:00pm.
Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’
Meals included: Breakfast;Dinner

Day 7 Danube Delta - St. George, Romania - 9:00am to 3:00pm
The natural beauty of the Danube Delta is on full display today. Spend the morning cruising Sfantu Gheorghe (Saint George), one of the three main channels that make up the Danube Delta. At the meeting of the Black Sea and the Danube, this UNESCO site hosts seven different ecosystems and is home to many unique species of birds, fish and other creatures. From the fisherman's village of Saint George, observe daily life for the people who inhabit this fertile delta. Today take the opportunity to join the optional shore excursion - the Delta Safari (not included).
Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 8 Hirsova, Romania - 7:00am to 12:00pm
Arrive in the petite Romanian town of Hirsova as you enjoy breakfast onboard. Today, take the opportunity to discover the city sights such as the famous ancient Roan Ruins of Carsium, and the Lipovan Church, a unique structure which stands high above the city. In the distance you can see the cliffs of Danube, the Black Sea coast, and, on a clear day, even Costanta - the oldest inhabited city of Romania. Alternatively, join an optional shore excursion - Constanta and Black Sea Coast (not included). This evening enjoy dinner as the vessel continues to Bulgaria.

Day 9 Giurgiu, Romania 7am to 8am - Rousse, Bulgaria 8:30am to 9:30am - Svishtov, Bulgaria 1:30pm to 4pm
Spend the day cruising the Danube River through the Bulgarian countryside, gazing out upon delightful homes and colourful villages from the comfort of the ship's deck. For those wanting to explore a little further inland, an optional excursion is offered to Veliko Tarnovo, the oldest town in Bulgaria (not included). In the afternoon arrive in Svishtov, the second largest town in the province.
Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 10 Iron Gates Gorge - Serbia
Admire the changing scenery as the ship makes its way around river bends and through the picturesque Iron Gates - a beautiful passage named for the two hydroelectric dams that control the water flow. Watch from the deck as the vessel passes through the narrow gorge between the Carpathian and Balkan Mountains which forms a natural border between Serbia and Romania. Keep an eye out for the many caves and rock sculptures hidden among the steep hills overlooking the Danube. Recount the spectacular day with your fellow travellers over dinner.
Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’
Meals included: Breakfast;Lunch;Dinner

Day 11 Belgrade, Serbia - 9:30am to 4:30pm
After breakfast, arrive in Belgrade. Known as the White City, Belgrade is one of the most historically rich cities in Serbia, and lies at the juncture of the Danube and Sava Rivers. Highlights of the city include the Parliament, the Terazije Square, the Palace of Princess Ljubica, and the St. Sava Temple - the largest Orthodox Church in Serbia. The city has a vibrant pedestrian area with plenty of shops and markets for exploration.
sample the local cuisine, head to Skadarlija, a popular dining precinct where the spirit of Old Belgrade is alive and well. Explore the city at leisure, or take the opportunity to join the optional shore excursion - Morning city tour of Belgrade (not included). In the late afternoon, continue the cruise along the Danube.

**Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’ ship**

**Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner**

**Day 12 Mohacs, Hungary 11:30am to 2:00pm - Kalocsa, Hungary 7:00pm to 8:00pm**

This morning visit the tiny harbour town of Mohacs, a melting pot of nations. Two important battles took place in the fields around this town; the battle in 1526, which saw the beginning of the Ottoman rule over the country for the next century and a half, and the battle where Austrian troops and Habsburg allies overturned the Ottoman Empire in 1687. Today take the opportunity to join the optional shore excursion to Puszta (not included), one of Europe’s largest expanses of protected prairie. This afternoon relax on board.

**Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’ ship**

**Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner**

**Day 13 Budapest, Hungary - 8:00am to 9:00pm**

The ship will dock in Budapest early this morning. Today take the opportunity to join an optional shore excursion - Morning city tour of Budapest and/or Excursion to Godollo Castle (not included). A large portion of this city has been declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site, including the banks of the Danube, the Buda Castle quarter, Heroes’ Square, and the Millennium Underground Railway. The Parliament Building overlooking the Danube is perhaps its most iconic sight. A visit to the covered market is a favourite with the locals for fresh produce, seafood and spices, including famous Hungarian paprika. After the day’s explorations, a special Hungarian evening is planned on the ship, with traditional music and an evening cruise to see this city by night.

**Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’ ship**

**Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner**

**Day 14 Bratislava, Slovakia - 3:30pm to 7:00pm**

Discover the Slovakian capital of Bratislava this afternoon. Enjoy time at leisure to explore the city, which is dominated by the imposing Bratislava Castle high above the streets below, or join an optional shore excursion - City tour of Bratislava (not included). Stroll to the historic city centre, where you can admire sights such as the Primatial Palace and St. Martin’s Cathedral. In the evening the Captain will invite you to an exclusive gala dinner as the ship sails to Vienna.

**Overnight: Amadeus River Cruises - ‘Amadeus Queen’ ship**

**Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner**

**Day 15 Arrive at 9:00am in Vienna, Austria - Walking Tour**

This morning, enjoy your last breakfast onboard, before disembarking the ship and transferring to your hotel in Vienna for the remainder of the morning at leisure. In the afternoon enjoy a walking city tour in the ‘Imperial City’ of Vienna with your tour leader. There is much to see in this vibrant capital city: its imperial palaces, the impressive buildings along the Ringstrasse, St. Stephen Cathedral and the famous Vienna Opera among many others. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure.

**Overnight: Ananas Austria Trend or similar, Vienna**

**Meals included: Breakfast; Lunch; Dinner**

**Day 16 Vienna, Austria - Kutna Hora, Czech Republic - Prague, Czech Republic (Approx. 365km Day)**

Breakfast at the hotel and depart towards Prague. Stop at Kutna Hora, known for the Gothic St. Barbara’s Church with its medieval frescoes and flying buttresses. Don’t miss the breathtaking Santa Barbara Cathedral (entrance not included) and the Sedlec Ossuary ‘Bone Church’ (entrance not included). In the late afternoon continue to Prague where you will check-in to your hotel.

**Overnight: Hotel Sonata or similar, Prague**

**Meals included: Breakfast**
Day 17 Prague, Czech Republic - City Tour
After breakfast enjoy a guided walk through Prague, the ‘City of the Hundred Spires’. At the heart of the city is the Old Town Square, renowned for its colourful Baroque buildings, Gothic churches, and the medieval Astronomical Clock, which gives an animated hourly show. Completed in 1402, the beautiful pedestrian-only Charles Bridge is lined with statues of Catholic saints. See the city’s most important sights on tour, including Wenceslas Square, the National Theatre, the Lesser Town and Hradčany with Prague Castle, Charles Bridge, the former Jewish district, and the Astronomical Clock in the Old Town Square. The afternoon is free at leisure.

Overnight: Hotel Sonata or similar, Prague
Meals included: Breakfast

Day 18 Prague, Czech Republic - Australia
After breakfast transfer to Prague Airport for the return flight home to Australia.

Overnight: In-Transit
Meals included: Breakfast;In-Flight

Day 19 Arrive in Australia
Please note: some flights may arrive +1 day later due to flight scheduling (Day 20).
TOUR INCLUSIONS

HIGHLIGHTS
- Discover Romania, Bulgaria, Serbia, Hungary, Slovakia, Austria and The Czech Republic
- Visit Bucharest, Budapest, Brasov, Belgrade, Bratislava, Vienna, Prague and more
- Travel through Romania’s stunning Transylvania region
- See the Sinaia Monastery and Peles Castle in the Carpathian Mountains
- Wander around the lively village of Brasov
- Enjoy a typical dinner in a local Romanian restaurant in Brasov
- Visit the famous Bran Castle (Dracula’s Castle)
- Explore Rasnov Fortress, taking time to enjoy the view
- Discover Bucharest on a panoramic city tour; Romania’s capital city
- Cruise through the natural beauty of the Danube Delta
- Witness the wildlife of the UNESCO listed Danube-Black Sea Canal
- Explore the gorgeous Romanian town of Hirsova
- Marvel at the beauty of the Bulgarian countryside
- Pass through the ‘Iron Gates’ gorge between Serbia and Romania
- Discover Belgrade ‘The White City’ in Serbia
- Explore Budapest and enjoy a night cruise along the Danube
- Witness impressive Bratislava Castle
- Enjoy a walking tour of the imperial city of Vienna
- Admire impressive architecture along the Ringstrasse in Vienna
- Discover Kutna Hora, known for St. Barbara’s Church and Sedlec Ossuary
- Enjoy a guided tour of Prague, the ‘City of a Hundred Spires’
- See Hradčany with Prague Castle, Wenceslas Square and more
- Sail aboard the brand new 5-star ‘Amadeus Queen’ ship
- Stay in an elegant outside cabin
- Enjoy special onboard entertainment including lectures, cooking demos and music
- Free-flowing beer and wines from Europe’s famous wine regions with every lunch and dinner onboard
- Enjoy a cocktail reception, welcome dinner and Captain’s gala dinner
- Experience an evening with a Hungarian folklore show onboard cruise
- Relax with new onboard features such as the indoor pool and retractable roof, which can be opened in fine weather
- Complimentary WiFi onboard
- Complimentary use of onboard bicycles
- 24-hour complimentary coffee, tea, hot chocolate and water onboard cruise
- Onboard tipping/gratuities
- Bottled water replenished daily

ACCOMMODATION
- 7 nights hotel accommodation on tour

DINING
- Enjoy 34 meals including all gourmet meals onboard ship

TOUR ESSENTIALS
- English-speaking onboard Cruise Director
- English-speaking Tour Leader (Days 2-6 & 15-18)
- English-speaking Guides
- Airline and cruise taxes and surcharges
- All local taxes, city taxes, parking and check point fees

TRANSPORT
- Transportation by A/C vehicles

TRANSFERS
- Return airport and cruise port transfer

FLIGHTS
- Return international flights (economy class) departing SYD/MEL/BNE/ADL/PER

CRUISE
- 9 night TAD Exclusive Charter river cruise: Bucharest to Vienna
IMPORTANT INFORMATION

*Please note: all information provided in this brochure is subject to both change and availability. Prior to purchase please check the current live deal at www.tripadeal.com.au or contact our customer service team on 1300 00 TRIP (8747) for the most up-to-date information. If you have already purchased this deal, the terms and conditions on your Purchase Confirmation apply and take precedence over the information in this brochure.

BOOKING INFORMATION
After purchase, you will receive a receipt and a Purchase Confirmation, directing you to an online Passenger Information Form. The Passenger Information Form must be completed within 72 hours of purchase.

Any special requests, preferences and optional extras MUST be clearly stated in your Passenger Information Form. Any change requested after submitting your Passenger Information Form cannot be guaranteed, is strictly subject to availability and will incur surcharges as outlined in the Schedule of Fees below.

On purchasing this Travel Offer you are bound by the General Terms and Conditions, in addition to the specific terms and conditions outlined in this Important Information.

Please note: all additional charges are payable direct to your Travel Consultant (unless otherwise stated).

OFFER ESSENTIALS
Travel offer is valid for travel on the 8th July 2019.

Travel offer is valid for one person based on twin share.

Single Traveller Supplement
For solo travellers a mandatory single supplement applies.

- Haydn Deck: $900
- Premium Haydn Deck: $1000
- Strauss Deck: $2990
- Mozart Deck: $3990
- Suite: $7750

Departure Dates
8th July 2019

Departure Cities
Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide or Perth.

FLIGHTS
Full Service Airline(s) Used
Etihad Airways, Emirates, British Airways, Lufthansa, Swiss Airways, Austrian Airlines, Air France, KLM, Singapore Airlines, Virgin Australia, Virgin Atlantic, Qatar Airways, Thai Airways, Malaysian Airlines, Cathay Pacific, Alitalia, Finnair, Air China, China Southern Airlines, China Eastern Airlines, Turkish Airlines plus any codeshare partners (subject to availability).

Please note: One way flights can not be accommodated. Travellers must take all included flights within the package, and any flights intentionally forfeited will result in later flights being subject to cancellation.

Arrive early in Bucharest, Romania
$200 per person, subject to availability

Please note:
- This fee does not include extra nights accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- No flight booking changes or cancellations permitted after air tickets have been issued.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

Stay behind in Prague, Czech Republic
$200 per person, subject to availability

Please note:
- This fee does not include extra nights accommodation, meals or airport transfers.
- No flight booking changes or cancellations permitted after air tickets have been issued.
- Flight changes are subject to availability at the time of booking.

Stopover Packages
Twin share: $450 per person/each way
Solo Traveller: $700 each way

Locations:
- *Abu Dhabi
- *Dubai

*Doha

Includes:
- 2 Nights in 4 star accommodation
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfers

Please note:
- An outbound and inbound stopover may be chosen; however the stopover location must be the same each way, due to the airline used.
- Stopover packages are subject to availability.

Flight Class Upgrades
- Premium Economy: Not available
- Business Class: buy now for $6999 per person.

Please note:
- *Starting from quotes will be processed and returned for your consideration.
- All Premium Economy and Business Class upgrades are subject to availability (if we are not able to fulfill your business class request the upgrade cost will be refunded).
- On any upgrade purchase, short haul flights and domestic flight sectors are not guaranteed in a Premium or Business cabin; subject to aircraft configuration.

Please note: If Abu Dhabi, Dubai or Doha stopovers are offered, Premium Economy upgrades will not be available.

CRUISE
Ship Information

Amadeus Queen Ship
The Amadeus Queen is the 15th river cruise ship in the Amadeus fleet sailing on the Danube, Rhine and Main rivers as well as the Dutch and Belgian Waterways starting in the Spring of 2018. This new vessel follows the award-winning model of the Amadeus Silver ships but offers even further innovative developments. The popular concept of spaciousness has been maintained. This includes not only generous public areas but also spacious cabins: 12 large suites impress with an outdoor balcony and a cozy reading corner whilst the 69 standard cabins mainly have panoramic window fronts which can be automatically lowered and luxurious bathrooms. A
new on-board highlight is the indoor pool, the roof of which can be opened in fine weather. In the evenings, this area may also be used for informative talks, functions and cinema showings.

**Cabin information**

**Haydn Deck**
Panoramic windows (cannot be opened), (16 m² / 172 sq.ft.), Spacious bathroom, wardrobe, choice of bed configuration (double or twin bed), flat-screen television, individual climate control, en-suite bathroom with shower/WC, hair dryer, direct dial telephone and in-room safe.

**Premium Haydn Deck (Front Position)**
Panoramic windows (cannot be opened), (16 m² / 172 sq.ft.), Spacious bathroom, wardrobe, choice of bed configuration (double or twin bed), flat-screen television, individual climate control, en-suite bathroom with shower/WC, hair dryer, direct dial telephone and in-room safe.

**Strauss Deck (Middle Deck)**
Floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors with French balcony, (17.5 m² / 188 sq.ft.). Spacious bathroom, drop-down panoramic window, mini-bar, walk-in wardrobe, choice of bed configuration (double or twin bed), flat-screen television, individual climate control, en-suite bathroom with shower/WC, hair dryer, direct dial telephone and in-room safe.

**Mozart Deck (Top Deck)**
Floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors with French balcony, (17.5 m² / 188 sq.ft.). Spacious bathroom, drop-down panoramic window, mini-bar, walk-in wardrobe, choice of bed configuration (double or twin bed), flat-screen television, individual climate control, en-suite bathroom with shower/WC, hair dryer, direct dial telephone and in-room safe.

**Suites**
With walk out exterior balcony, (26.4 m² / 284 sq.ft.). Comfortable corner sofa, luxurious bathroom, walk-out exterior balcony, mini-bar, walk-in wardrobe, choice of bed configuration (double or twin bed), flat-screen television, individual climate control, en-suite bathroom with shower/WC, bathrobe, hair dryer, direct dial telephone and in-room safe.

**ACCOMMODATION**

**Accommodation Used**

3-4 Star (self-rated)
- Bucharest (Romania): Europa Royale Hotel
- Brasov (Romania): Kronwell Hotel
- Vienna (Austria) Trend Hotel Ananas
- Prague (Czech Republic) Hotel Sonata
- Cruise: Amadeus River Cruises - 'Amadeus Queen' ship

Please note: rooms offered are based on a lead-in room type, and are subject to availability based on seasonality. Properties will be confirmed, no later than two weeks prior to travel.

**Extra Nights**
- Bucharest, Romania (Pre Tour): $280 per room including breakfast.
- Prague, Czech Republic (Post Tour): $240 per room including breakfast.

Please note: extra nights are subject to availability until the time of booking. Airport transfers are not included if you wish to arrive early or stay behind.

**Maximum Room Capacity**
2 people.

**Child Policy**
- No child discounts. Full price applies for all children travelling with their parents.
- Valid for Children/infants 2 years old and over.

Please note: Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors allowed.

**Triple Share**
Not available.

**Bedding Configuration**
Double or twin bedding (subject to availability).

**Adjoining / Interconnecting Rooms**
Not available.

**GENERAL TOUR INFORMATION**
Minimum group size 20, maximum group size 50 per vehicle.

**Shore Excursions**
**Individual Purchase:**
- Day 7: Delta Safari boat excursion: $78 USD per person

Please note:
- Tour is subject to availability and weather conditions.
- Tour listed above is only able to be purchased onboard in the currency specified.

**Packages:**
- Package A: $230 per person
- Package B: $290 per person
- Package C: $430 per person

**Package A**
- Excursion Veliko Tarnovo with Arbanassi incl. lunch
- City Tour of Belgrade
- City tour of Budapest
- City tour of Bratislava

**Package B**
All of package A plus the following:
- Excursion to Constanza and the Black Sea Coast

**Package C**
All of package B plus the following:
- Excursion to the Pusztza
- Excursion to Godollo Castle

Please note:
- Prices are based on per person, are subject to availability and weather conditions.
- The optional tours listed above must be purchased on checkout or over the phone prior to submitting your passenger information form (subject to availability).

**EXCLUSIONS**
- Visa fees and requirements (Not required for Europe if travelling on an Australian passport for stays up to 90
IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Meals/beverages not stated in the itinerary
- Gratuities/tipping
- *Land tour: Recommended at approx. €5 per person/day payable on tour (subject to change)
- *Cruise: Included
- Optional activities/tours (including any ‘onshore’ excursions or drinks package as part of cruise)
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance (Mandatory)

Please note: A comprehensive travel Insurance policy must be organised BEFORE all details can be finalised.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Open Bar package:
$70 per person, per day.

Includes drinks from the barlist (except for VSOP Cognac, Champagne, Whiskey 12+ years and fancy cocktails). Service is available in the Panorama Bar and on the Sun Deck during the Panorama Bar’s regular opening hours.

Please note: the 9 night drinks package is available for purchase upon checkout. For more information or to purchase a smaller package, please contact our friendly reservations team at TripADeal.

CLIMATE & AVERAGE TEMPERATURE

Sitting in Southeast Europe, Balkans area has a dynamic climate due to its location on the edge of the Mediterranean. The Balkan mountains run east to west through the middle of Bulgaria, meaning regions in the north are cooler and wetter than those in the south. The Black Sea coast's one of the country’s most popular tourist destinations, where you’ll get less extreme weather and pleasant breezes. You’ll have lots of hot and sunny weather in the popular Burgas area in July, which is one of the hottest months of the year.

Eastern Europe is one of the best times to travel. The weather is warmer, a fair bit of sunshine is likely, and the days are long. The countryside is green and verdant and covered in flowers and the daylight lasts long into the evening. In July it can sometimes get quite hot (low 30°C). The weather is warm and often sunny. It's the true summer of Europe, and if you like swimming or sunbathing, this time of year will be your only chance.

Average Temperatures:
The average high in Burgas during July’s 28ºC, cooling to 18ºC at night. The sea temperature’s 24ºC, which is perfect for cooling down in, while humidity’s moderate.

TOUR GUIDE VS. TOUR LEADER

Tour Guide:
Often locals with intimate knowledge of an area, its culture, and history. Their role entails providing commentary, routing the tour, and seeing that people have a good time. They are a licensed, qualified expert who supplies specific information on history, art, architecture and culture of the city/village/attraction in which he or she is guiding the tour. The guide meets the group at the required place and leaves the group at the end of the tour, they do not travel with the group.

Tour Leader:
An experienced person tasked with ensuring the smooth operation of tours, as well as providing practical support to passengers throughout the whole trip. Their role primarily includes assisting with accommodation, transportation between locations, and communication with tour guides in each stop. A tour leader may provide general guidance around a city or village, and offer information on the place visited on the bus, however they are not required to have specific knowledge on art, architecture, or history. They are not allowed to provide a guided tour or commentary of a city/village/attraction once there and if caught doing so, can be fined.

Please note: Tour leaders/guides are not a standard inclusion in all travel offers. Tour leaders/guides will only be made available when particularly required to enhance the experience of the destination featured.

FLIGHTS

Seat Selection & Frequent Flyer Points:
At TripADeal we do not arrange seat selection. It is important to highlight that some Airlines do not allow pre-selected seats. We strongly suggest you contact the Airline directly with seating allocation requirements and or arrive at the airport earlier to arrange your seating. While we do not add frequent flyer member details to bookings, you can do this directly with the Airline once you have your flight information.

CRUISE

Disembarkation:
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CoAST TOUR

Meals:
Daily breakfast and all meals onboard are included in the tour, for all other meals; lunches and dinners the tour leader (when available) will offer assistance with reservations, recommendations and directions to local restaurants. It is your responsibility to notify TripADeal of any dietary requests/requirements. Please note; we will do our best to meet your
requests/requirements, however cannot guarantee that we will always be able to.

**Luggage:**
You will be responsible for all your personal belongings whilst on the tour. With regards to luggage, you must carry your own luggage from the coach to the hotel room and back to the coach. The driver will assist with the uploading and off-loading of the luggage from the coach.

**Fitness Level Required / Mobility:**
Our vehicles are not equipped with wheelchair access, so unfortunately our tours are currently not suitable for wheelchair users and those less mobile.

Please note: a general level of fitness will be required. If you have any concerns please consult your healthcare provider prior to purchase/travel.

**GRATUITIES / TIPPING**
Gratuities (tips) are not included in the tour price for services received whilst not on the cruise. The recommended tip for the tour leader and driver is €5 per person per day, which will be collected whilst on tour. All gratuities (tips) are included for services onboard.

**VISAS**
A tourist visa is not required for Europe for stays up to 90 days if travelling on an Australian passport.

Please note: Passengers who are not Australian citizens must check with the respective consulate or a visa agency to determine what their visa requirements are and what personal identification is required.

**INSURANCE**
We are proud to offer a range of travel insurance products - please ask your Travel Consultant for more information.