

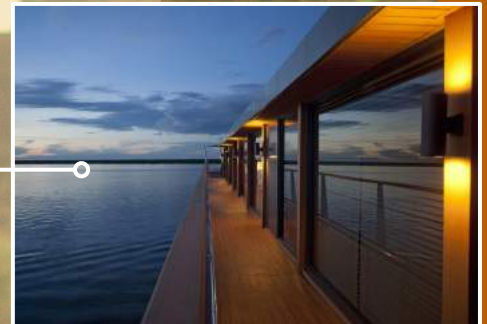


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Alumni Travel

Vietnam & Cambodia EXPLORER

January 10 - 21, 2017



aboard the
Aqua Mekong

Vietnam & Cambodia

EXPLORER



EXPEDITION SUMMARY

Join fellow HBS alumni and friends on a captivating tour through Indochina, discovering the traditional charm, culture, and natural beauty of Vietnam and the Kingdom of Cambodia. Uncover vestiges of ancient dynasties and reminders of war in two countries that are rapidly opening up their doors to the outside world.

Use the graceful, former French colonial city of Saigon as a base for exploring the beauty of the verdant Mekong Delta and viewing astonishing reminders of the years of war. Experience the cacophony of motorcycles, cars, and bikes crowding the streets of Ho Chi Minh City. Stroll through the old town and admire Saigon's historic landmarks, and stop to visit the Reunification Palace and War Remnants Museum.

Enjoy a 4-night river cruise from Ho Chi Minh City to Phnom Penh. Travel along one of the world's great rivers, the Mekong, towards remote natural and cultural destinations visited by only a few.

Arrive in the French colonial era capital of Cambodia, Phnom Penh, with its busy street side cafes. Learn about the rich heritage of Khmer art and sculpture from different periods of Cambodian history at the National Museum and visit the Royal Palace and Silver Pagoda. Uncover the dark past of Pol Pot and the Khmer Rouge with a visit to the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum and the Killing Fields of Choeung Ek. Fly to Siem Reap and complete your journey with a visit to the celebrated temple complex of Angkor Wat, ancient royal seat of the Khmer empire from the 9th to 13th centuries and one of the wonders of the ancient world. Few sights on earth can rival the majesty of Angkor Wat or the mysterious faces of the Bayon temple peering out in bas-relief.



FACULTY LEADER

As this brochure is finalized, we have not yet confirmed the faculty study leader for this program. We intend, however, that you will be joined by a Harvard lecturer who will enhance your travel experience. You will discover that our lecturers are not only first-rate scholars and teachers but also friendly traveling companions, eager to share their insights through conversation as well as in scheduled presentations.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

No experience is required, but in order to fully enjoy the trip's activities, trip participants should be reasonably fit, in good health, and have a spirit of adventure.

UPCOMING TRIPS

HBS Morocco Explorer
April 26 - May 7, 2017

HBS Alaska
June 10-17, 2017

HBS Greenland
July 2017

HBS Inca Trail Trek to Machu Picchu
August 3-13, 2017

HBS South Africa Expedition
September 2017

HBS Patagonia
November 2017



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DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

Tuesday, January 10 Aloft

Depart from home and fly to Vietnam, arriving the next day.

Wednesday, January 11 Ha Long Bay / Hanoi / Ho Chi Minh City

Arrive into Tan Son Nhat International Airport (SGN). Meet your driver outside the baggage collection area and drive to the Park Hyatt Saigon (30 minute drive). Settle into your hotel and enjoy an evening at leisure.

PARK HYATT SAIGON

Thursday, January 12 Ho Chi Minh City

After breakfast, set out on a tour of Ho Chi Minh City. Visit Reunification Palace, formerly called the Presidential Palace and headquarters of the South Vietnamese government during the Vietnam War. From here, embark on a walking tour to admire Saigon's historic landmarks. Stroll down Rue Catinat, one of author Graham Greene's haunts while he lived in Saigon and home to Tom Fowler, Greene's protagonist in *The Quiet American*. Walk by colonial classics such as the Opera House, a three-story classical theater built to entertain French colonists, and the former Hotel de Ville, constructed for the French bureaucrats of Indochina in 1901 and now the People's Committee Building. Admire the Notre Dame Cathedral, a stunning, massive red-brick edifice with twin spires. Step inside the beautiful Central Post Office built by the French and designed by Gustave Eiffel.

After lunch at a local restaurant, visit the War Remnants Museum, which provides a very partial perspective of the "American War." Visit the Cho Lon District (Chinatown) and the Cantonese Thien Hau Pagoda, dedicated to the goddess of the Sea. Next visit the FITO Museum, Vietnam's first traditional medicine museum. Enjoy dinner at a local restaurant.

PARK HYATT SAIGON (B,L,D)

Friday, January 13 Ho Chi Minh City / My Tho / Mekong River Cruise

After breakfast, and a morning at leisure, enjoy a scenic transfer to My Tho (1 ½ hours). Board the *M/S Aqua Mekong* for your five day river cruise from Ho Chi Minh City to Phnom Penh. Settle into your river facing suite as the cruise begins. Ascend to the Observation Deck to take in the swaying palms and bustling waterways of My Tho. Take part in the safety drill before a briefing about your cruise along one of the world's great rivers towards remote natural and cultural destinations visited by only a few.

AQUA MEKONG (B,D)



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Saturday, January 14 Mekong River Cruise

Begin the day at the Binh Thanh mat weaving village or stroll through the Sa Dec market and see the famous house of Marguerite Duras' legendary lover, Mr. Huynh Thuy Le. In the afternoon, visit the typical Mekong Delta village of My An Hung with its verdant plantations. Be welcomed into a villager's home to taste local fruits and listen to traditional folk songs, followed by a unique unicorn dance. There is also an option for a 17-kilometer bike ride.

AQUA MEKONG (B,L,D)

Sunday, January 15 Mekong River Cruise

Disembark after breakfast for a skiff ride to along the Bassac Canal to the Chau Doc floating market. Travel by van to the Buddhist temple, Long Son Pagoda, atop Sam Mountain. This striking pagoda, founded in the late 19th century and decorated with glass and ceramic mosaic dragons, houses a huge white Buddha seated on a lotus blossom. Meet monks and find out about their age-old Buddhist practices. Return to the Aqua Mekong with a visit to the bustling morning market en route. There is an optional 18-kilometer bike ride on Long Khuan Island or the opportunity to take a rickshaw ride to visit Tan Chau Market with the chef. After lunch, relax by the pool, enjoy a traditional Khmer massage or learn to cook Mekong inspired dishes while we cross the border.

AQUA MEKONG (B,L,D)

Monday, January 16 Mekong River Cruise

Begin your Cambodian adventure with a visit to Koh Oknha Tey, a beautiful island on the Mekong. Visit one of the villages renowned for its weaving. Witness the entire weaving process, from worm to shimmering silk Khmer accessory. You can also go for a bike ride to explore the island further. After lunch, visit the remote village of Preah Prosop. Walk through the Khmer village of stilt houses and experience Cambodian village life untouched by the outside world.

M/S AQUA MEKONG (B,L,D)

Tuesday, January 17 Mekong River Cruise / Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Sail into Phnom Penh where Art Deco buildings still stand in the shadows of skyscrapers and cyclos cruise alongside imported cars. Disembark for a tuk-tuk tour of the city including the Royal Palace located on the shores of the Mekong River and built in 1866 by King Norodom. Inside its walls are the Throne Hall, Chan Chaya Pavilion (used for classical dance performances), Napoleon III Pavilion, and the King and Queen's residential quarters. Within the palace grounds, we will visit the Silver Pagoda, aptly named because its floor is comprised of 5,000 silver tiles.



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Visit the National Museum which houses the world's leading collection of Khmer art and specifically sculptures from different periods of Cambodian history. Predominantly worked in stone, the sculptures date from both the Angkorean and pre-Angkorean eras, complimented by more recent examples of Cambodian art. In the afternoon, visit the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum, an enduring memorial to the gruesome and brutal rule of Pol Pot and the Khmer Rouge. Continue to the Killing Fields of Choeung Ek.

RAFFLES HOTEL LE ROYAL (B, L, D)

Wednesday, January 18 Phnom Penh / Siem Reap

In the morning, fly to Siem Reap. Upon arrival, transfer to the hotel and check in. After lunch at the hotel, begin your tour of the magnificent Angkor temple complex. Visit Ta Prohm otherwise known as the "Jungle Temple" and made famous by the Lara Croft Tomb Raider film. This temple has nearly disappeared into the jungle and remains overgrown, oddly haunting and exotic. Visit to the elegant temple of Banteay Srei, the birthplace of classical Khmer style architecture located in a rural area 22 miles out of town. This small temple dedicated to Shiva was built by a Brahman in the 10th century. The famous pink sandstone structure bears a series of beautiful sculptures, lintels, pediments and friezes. It is said they must have been carved by women as the detail is too fine for the hands of a man. This gives us the origin of the Khmer name, Fortress of the Women.

RAFFLES HOTEL LE ROYAL (B, L, D)

Thursday, January 19 Siem Reap

After breakfast, visit Angkor Thom. Its 54 tower Bayon temple is an awesome sight. At first glance, it seems to be a shapeless mass of stone, but further scrutiny reveals many faces carved into the stones. These gigantic faces offer heavy, enigmatic and silent gazes through half-closed eyes, staring out from a primitive and remote time. This royal city was first built under the reign of Udayadityavarman II in the 11th century. It was destroyed when the Chams from Vietnam rose up against the Khmers and invaded and was subsequently renovated by King Jayavarman VII at the end of the 12th century. Our visit to this portion of the temple will include the Baphou, Elephant Terraces, Lepper King Terrace and Royal Place area. We will return to our hotel to relax and enjoy lunch. In the afternoon, visit the Artisan's D'Angkor workshop, which was set up to revitalize the handicraft industry of Siem Reap, including stone carving, wood carving, silverwork, silk weaving, and lacquerware. Tonight enjoy the farewell dinner at the hotel.

RAFFLES GRAND HOTEL D'ANGKOR (B, L, D)



Friday, January 20 Siem Reap / Aloft

Visit the intricately carved Khmer ruins at Angkor Wat – truly one of the world's most impressive ruins. This temple which houses amazing architecture and bas reliefs is the largest religious building ever constructed. Believed to have been undertaken as a temple and mausoleum for King Suryavarman II at the peak of the Khmer empire in the first half of the 12th Century, Angkor Wat is the best-preserved of the Angkorian temples. Rest in your day room before, transferring to the airport to depart on your international flight home.

RAFFLES GRAND HOTEL D'ANGKOR – Day Room (B, L)

Saturday, January 21 Arrive Home



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ACCOMMODATIONS



PARK HYATT SAIGON

Located at the Lam Son Square, Park Hyatt Saigon is just steps from many of Saigon's main attractions. Each of the 244 guest rooms and suites feature 24-hour room service, internet access, marble bathroom, in-room safe, coffee-making facilities, individually-controlled air conditioning, morning newspaper, flat screen television, mini-bar, and hair dryer. Other hotel amenities include three restaurants, one of the city's top martini bars, and Xuan Spa.



RAFFLES HOTEL LE ROYAL

Raffles Hotel Le Royal is the premier hotel in Phnom Penh, a hotel with those rare attributes of history and style. It was first established in 1929 and in its early heyday, enjoyed an international clientele comprising globetrotters and adventurers, writers and journalists, royalty and dignitaries. At Raffles Hotel Le Royal, guests have a choice of 5 distinctive restaurants and bars ranging from traditional French and Khmer cuisine to the famous Elephant Bar where you can sample the secret Airavata cocktail. There are 172 guestrooms, suites and executive apartments, each tastefully appointed with Cambodian style furnishing and objets d'art. The rooms are spread over three separate but interconnecting low-rise wings set around the garden courtyard and swimming pools. The main building has been restored and refurbished to its original architectural style.



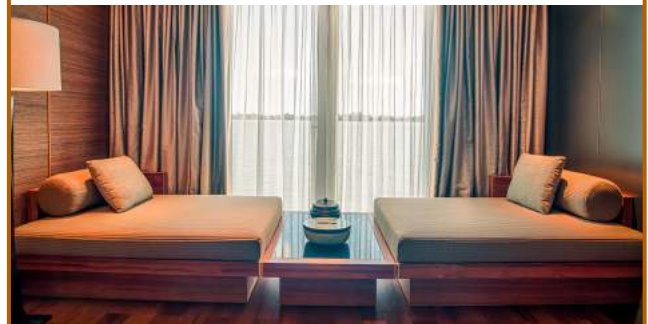
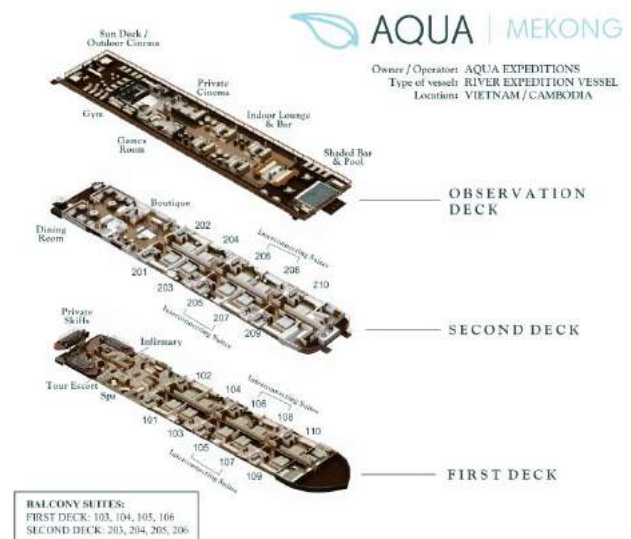
RAFFLES GRAND HOTEL D'ANGKOR

For more than 75 years, a visit to the ancient Angkor temples has been synonymous with a stay at the Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor. The hotel's elegance and modernity complement the mystery and grandeur of Angkor. The 131 guest rooms are appointed with art deco and country-style furnishings, and feature air conditioning, telephone, in-room safe, hair dryer, satellite television, mini bar, and wake-up call service with tea or coffee delivery. The hotel also offers the formal Restaurant Le Grand, the Café D' Angkor, and the famous Elephant Bar.



AQUA MEKONG

The Aqua Mekong is a 205 foot boat designed by Saigon-based architects to embody the aesthetic of a five star hotel. Local sustainable materials and artisanal touches of the Mekong's multifaceted cultures round out the generous interior spaces designed to welcome guests between on and off shore excursions. Boat amenities include both indoor and outdoor lounge, dining room, private screening room, outdoor pool, spa, and library/games room. The boat accommodates a maximum of 40 guests plus crew. Each suite/cabin is air-conditioned with floor to ceiling panoramic windows, en-suite bathroom, and hairdryer.



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PRE-TRIP EXTENSION

HANOI and HOI AN

EXPEDITION SUMMARY

Begin in Hanoi, with its ochre-colored colonial buildings, tree-lined boulevards and scenic lakes. Visit the Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, where Ho Chi Minh is buried and the simple stilt house he lived in behind it. Learn about Hanoian culture at the Temple of Literature and Museum of Ethnology. Take a cyclo ride along the leafy boulevards of Hanoi, through the old quarter with its French colonial architecture. End your visit with one of Vietnam's hallowed artistic and cultural traditions, a performance at the Water Puppet Theater.

Fly to Danang and drive to the enchanting UNESCO World Heritage town of Hoi An. Spend the morning cycling along the Thu Bon River to Cua Dai Beach. Explore villages, learn about traditional cultivation methods, and take in the charming ocean views. Enjoy a walking tour along the cobblestone streets of this well-preserved old trading port. See the old merchant houses with influences from Chinese, Japanese and Vietnamese architecture, the 400-year old Japanese covered bridge, the Assembly Hall of the Chaozhou Chinese Congregation and the colorful market.

Continue on to Ho Chi Minh City to join the HBS Vietnam and Cambodia Explorer program.



ITINERARY

Friday, January 6 Aloft
Fly to Vietnam.

Saturday, January 7 Hanoi
Arrive in Hanoi. Transfer to hotel.
SOFITEL LEGEND METROPOLE HANOI

Sunday, January 8 Hanoi
Full-day city tour including Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, One Pillar Pagoda, Ho Chi Minh Stilt House, Temple of Literature, and Museum of Ethnology. Cyclo ride through Old Quarter. Evening water puppet show.
SOFITEL LEGEND METROPOLE HANOI (B,L)

Monday, January 9 Hanoi / Danang / Hoi An
Morning at leisure. Transfer to Hanoi airport. Fly to Danang. Transfer to hotel. Afternoon and evening at leisure.
HOTEL ROYAL HOI AN – MGallery Collection (B)

Tuesday, January 10 Hoi An
Morning cycling tour along Thu Bon River to Cua Dai Beach. Visit Thuan Tinh Ecological Village en route. Visit Tra Que Village on return to Hoi An. Afternoon city walking tour including Japanese Covered Bridge, Assembly Hall of the Chaozhou Chinese Congregation, and the local market.
HOTEL ROYAL HOI AN – MGallery Collection (B,L)

Wednesday, January 11 Hoi An / Ho Chi Minh City
Morning at leisure. Transfer to Danang airport. Fly to Ho Chi Minh City. Join the *HBS Vietnam and Cambodia Explorer* main trip. (B)

PROGRAM RATES prices are per person

CABIN TYPE	CHECK*	CREDIT CARD
<u>Double Room</u>	<u>\$2,995</u>	<u>\$3,120</u>
<u>Single Supplement</u>	<u>\$1,000</u>	<u>\$1,000</u>

*\$125 discount applies when deposit and final payment are paid by check.



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GENERAL INFORMATION

PROGRAM RATES prices are per person

CABIN TYPE	CHECK*	CREDIT CARD
<u>Design Suite-First Deck</u>	<u>\$9,995</u>	<u>\$10,395</u>
<u>Design Suite-Second Deck</u>	<u>\$10,195</u>	<u>\$10,595</u>
<u>Single Supplement</u>	<u>\$3,200</u>	<u>\$3,200</u>

*\$400 discount applies when deposit and final payment are paid by check.

WHAT IS INCLUDED

- domestic flights (Phnom Penh – Siem Reap)
- HBS Expert and lectures
- professional tour leader
- local English-speaking Vietnamese and Cambodian guides
- accommodation as indicated in itinerary
- local beer, wine, and non-alcoholic beverages at included meals
- bottled water and snacks in vehicles
- meals as indicated in itinerary (B=Breakfast; L=Lunch; D=Dinner)
- activities as indicated in itinerary
- entrance fees to sites as indicated in itinerary
- airport transfers on designated arrival and departure days
- best available ground transportation
- gratuities for guides, drivers, hotel staff, and restaurant staff at included meals
- \$200,000 emergency medical assistance and evacuation insurance provided by HAA

DOES NOT INCLUDE

- international flights (Home – Ho Chi Minh City/SGN; Siem Reap/REP – Home)
- international airport departure taxes (included in most international tickets)
- meals not included (discretionary)
- beverages (discretionary)
- travel insurance (discretionary)
- passport fees, visas, and visa photos as required
- phone calls, laundry, and other items of a personal nature (discretionary)

RESERVATION FORM

make checks payable to: **Global Adrenaline, Inc.**

mail reservation to: **Harvard Alumni Travel**
124 Mount Auburn Street, 6th Floor
Cambridge, MA 02138

TRIP DEPOSIT (NON-REFUNDABLE)

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____
(\$1,000 per person) made payable to Global Adrenaline, Inc.

Please charge the following card for \$ _____
(\$1,000 per person)

Card No. _____

Expiration _____ CVC _____

TRAVELER INFORMATION

of People in Group _____ # of Rooms Needed _____

Name 1 _____
(as on passport)

Date of Birth _____

Name 2 _____
(as on passport)

Date of Birth _____

Street Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

ROOM PREFERENCE

First Deck - or - Second Deck

Single Travelers...

- I prefer single accommodations
- I plan to room with _____
- I prefer to share accommodations (If a roommate is not available, I will pay the single rate)

By submitting my non-refundable \$1,000 trip deposit I am registering for HBS Vietnam & Cambodia Explorer from January 10-21, 2017.

I/We have read the Terms and Conditions for the program posted on the trip web page and agree to them. See next page.

SIGNATURE DATE

SIGNATURE DATE

TRAVELS TERMS & CONDITIONS

HBS VIETNAM & CAMBODIA EXPLORER

ABOARD AQUA MEKONG

January 10-21, 2017

PROGRAM RATES:

Per person double occupancy:

	Check	Credit Card
<u>Design Suite-First Deck</u>	<u>\$9,995</u>	<u>\$10,395</u>
<u>Design Suite-Second Deck</u>	<u>\$10,195</u>	<u>\$10,595</u>
<u>Single Supplement</u>	<u>\$3,200</u>	<u>\$3,200</u>

OPTIONAL PRE TRIP EXTENSION: HANOI AND HOI AN

	Check	Credit Card
<u>Per person double occupancy:</u>	<u>\$2,995</u>	<u>\$3,120</u>
<u>Single Supplement:</u>	<u>\$1,000</u>	<u>\$1,000</u>

COST INCLUSIONS: Enrichment program of lectures and discussions; accommodation as indicated in itinerary; internal flights (Phnom Penh-Siem Reap); professional tour director; English-speaking Vietnamese and Cambodian guides; local beer, wine, and non-alcoholic beverages at included meals; bottled water and snacks in vehicles; meals as indicated in itinerary; activities as indicated in itinerary; entrance fees; airport transfers on designated arrival and departure dates; best available ground transportation; gratuities for guides, drivers, hotel staff and restaurant staff at included meals; \$200,000 emergency medical evacuation insurance

PROGRAM COST EXCLUSIONS: International airfare; international and domestic airport taxes; meals and beverages not included; passport fees, visas and visa photos as required; personal expenses such as laundry, telephone calls, internet access and other items of a personal nature.

PROGRAM SIZE: This tour, (exclusively developed for Harvard Business School Alumni travel), is limited to 22 participants on a first-come, first-served basis. The minimum group size is 15. We retain the right to add staff members and/or invited guests to any of our group departures regardless of the stated group-size limitation.

RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS, & FINAL PAYMENT: To reserve a space on this program, a \$1,000 deposit is required per person. Please either call us at 800-422-1636 or 617-496-0806 or fill out and mail or fax the registration form (to 617-495-0434). Reservations are acknowledged in order of receipt until the maximum enrollment has been reached. Deposits may be made by check, payable to Harvard Alumni Association, or with a major credit card. Final payment, payable by credit card or check, is due 120 days prior to departure.

Note: The check price applies when both deposit and final payment are paid by check.

CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS: Notification of cancellation must be received in writing by Harvard Alumni Travel from the participant. At the time written notification of cancellation is received, the following penalties will apply: 120 or more days prior to departure: loss of \$1,000 deposit; 0-120 days prior to departure: 100% of trip cost.

We recommend that you purchase a travel insurance policy to cover cancellation due to unforeseen circumstances.

INSURANCE: We highly recommend the purchase of trip cancellation insurance to cover unexpected trip interruptions, cancellations, and lost baggage. An application for trip cancellation insurance will be provided by Harvard Alumni Travels upon confirmation. The pre-existing medical conditions exclusion is waived if the insurance is purchased within 15 days of initial deposit. Neither Harvard Alumni Travels nor our tour operators, including their representatives, employees and agents, will take responsibility for any costs, losses incurred or suffered by the guest, or guests' dependents or traveling companions, with regards to, but not limited to, cancellation or curtailment of the tour, emergency evacuation expenses, medical expenses, repatriation expenses, damage/theft/loss of personal baggage, money and goods. Nor do they accept liability for any airline cancellation penalty incurred by the purchase of a non-refundable airline ticket or other expenses incurred by tour participants in preparing for the tour.

AIR ARRANGEMENTS: International airfare is not included in the program cost. The tour operator can assist you with your air arrangements. Neither the Harvard Alumni Travels nor the tour operator accepts the liability for any airline cancellation penalty incurred by the purchase of a non-refundable airline ticket. The air ticket when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the passenger and the airline concerned.

WHAT TO EXPECT / PHYSICAL HEALTH: All participants must be in generally good health. Any condition that may require assistance or special medical attention must be reported at the time of your reservation. All programs require physical independence and mobility. Any physical or mental condition that may require special medical attention or physical assistance must be reported in writing when you make your reservation. Travelers must be able to embark or disembark motor coaches alone or with minimal assistance from your traveling companion and climb stairs and step over raised thresholds without assistance. Travelers requiring assistance must travel with a companion who will be responsible for handling equipment.

Participants with medical issues and/or dietary restrictions must make them known to us well before departure, and impairments regarding mobility must be disclosed prior to booking. If you have any questions about the level of activity of this program or your ability to participate, please call Harvard Alumni Travels at 800-422-1636.

PREPARING FOR YOUR JOURNEY: You will be provided with comprehensive pre-departure travel information, including specific suggestions for packing, a recommended reading list and amenities pack.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL & EVACUATION INSURANCE: As a service to our travelers the Harvard Alumni Travels automatically provides basic emergency medical evacuation insurance. At the time of publication, this policy has the following schedule of benefits: \$5,000 Accident/Sickness Medical Expense; \$200,000 Emergency Medical Evacuation & Return of Remains; \$3,000 Emergency Reunion; \$5,000 Accidental Death and Dismemberment. This insurance covers travelers for the Harvard-sponsored program dates, but not for any extensions or independent travel plans. You will receive detailed information on this coverage approximately 30 days prior to your departure. Should you also purchase the Travel Insurance Select offered to you at confirmation, it will provide you with benefits which are additional to those stated above. This insurance is secondary to any insurance the traveler may already have.

CHANGES IN ITINERARY, PROGRAM AND COSTS: The itinerary is subject to change at the discretion of Harvard Alumni Travels and the tour operator. We reserve the right to change a program's dates, staff (including study leader*), itineraries, or accommodations as conditions warrant. Deviations from the scheduled itinerary are at the expense of the individual. All prices quoted are based on prevailing fuel prices, airfares and currency exchange rates in effect as of March 2016 and are subject to change.

*In the event of a cancellation by the Harvard study leader, we will attempt to notify all travelers as soon as possible. We will make every reasonable effort to find a replacement study leader, but our ability to do so will depend on the availability of appropriate lecturers and proximity to the departure date. If we are not able to provide an appropriate substitute we will make every reasonable effort to provide other educational opportunities or program enhancements to ensure a viable travel study experience. Please note that all participants are bound to the cancellation fee schedule and other terms and conditions of the program regardless of whether or not a replacement study leader is found.

RESPONSIBILITY: The tour operator, its owners and employees act only as agents for the various independent suppliers and contractors providing transportation, hotel accommodations, restaurants, and other services connected with this tour. Such travel and services are subject to the terms and conditions under which such accommodations, services, and transportation are offered or provided, and Harvard Alumni Travels and the tour operator and their respective, employees, agents, representatives, and assigns accept no liability therefore. Harvard Alumni Travels and the tour operator, assume no liability for any injury, damage, loss, accident, delay, or other irregularity which may be caused by the defect of any aircraft or vehicle or the negligence or default of any company or person engaged in carrying out or performing any of the services involved. Additionally, responsibility is not accepted for losses, injury, damages, or expenses of any kind due to sickness, weather, strikes, local laws, hostilities, wars, terrorist acts, acts of nature or other such causes. All services and accommodations are subject to the laws of the country in which they are provided. Harvard Alumni Travels and the tour operator reserve the right to make changes in the published itinerary whenever, in their sole judgment, conditions warrant, or if they deem it necessary for the comfort, convenience or safety of the tour participants. They reserve the right to withdraw this tour without penalty. The right is also reserved to decline to accept or retain any person as a member of the tour, or to substitute another qualified leader or special guest. Baggage and personal effects are the sole responsibility of the owners at all times. The price of the program is given in good faith based on current tariffs and rates, and is subject to change. Any tariff, exchange rate, or fuel increases will be passed onto participants. As part of the consideration and right to participate in this tour, each participant will be asked to sign a liability release.

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