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HIGHLIGHTS OF ANTARCTICA - 2021 & 2022

Day 1-2. Brisbane to Buenos Aires Cultural and Cool

This adventure starts with 2 nights in Buenos Aires, the bustling capital of Argentina. Spend the evening at your leisure. You then have a full day to discover 'Paris of South America' for yourself on a warm spring or summer day. Enjoy a second night before you commence your Tour the next day.

Day 3. Buenos Aires/Ushuaia Tierra del Fuego

Fly early in the morning to Ushuaia, where **MS Fridtjof Nansen** awaits. Once on board, we kick off our journey with a welcome dinner.

Day 4-5. Drake Passage Crossing the Drake Passage

Prepare yourself for Antarctica as we cross the famed Drake Passage. During the voyage south, the Expedition Team starts the lecture programme, giving you information about Antarctica's fascinating history and environmental science. You'll also learn how to make your visit as safe and as sustainable as possible and you'll join Citizen Science programmes to help collect data for current scientific research.

This is also a good opportunity to enjoy all the amenities of your advanced hybrid powered expedition ship.

DAY 6-10. Antarctica....Another World

Antarctica never fails to inspire awe and wonder, with white horizons above oceans full of icebergs and whales. Perhaps even more awe-inspiring will be your first encounter with the huge colonies of penguins.

Our Expedition Team will lead ice-cruising and landings at every opportunity to come ashore and explore the impressive Antarctic scenery. From deck, there are great chances to spot whales. Of course, this is true wilderness, so nature is in charge, but our experienced captain will work with the elements to create the best possible itinerary for your adventure.

We will attempt landings at several sites in the South Shetlands and on the Antarctic Peninsula and aim to bring you to the incredible diversity of landscapes and rich wildlife on display in this pristine wilderness.

Wherever we explore, the sights and sounds of Antarctica are sure to stay with you for a lifetime!



Day 11-12. Drake Passage Heading back to civilisation

After exploring this exhilarating continent, we set course back to civilisation. Spend the day at sea recapping your experiences, having fun in the Science Center or just relaxing on deck, spotting the many sea birds which follow our ship.

Day 13. Ushuaia/Buenos Aires The End of the Adventure

Our expedition cruise ends as we reach Ushuaia, and we transfer you to the airport for your flight back to Buenos Aires. Over night in Buenos Aires

Day 14. Buenos Aires to Brisbane

After breakfast you will be transferred to the airport to board your flight back to Australia.



WHAT'S INCLUDED



MS Fridtjof Nansen

Flights

- Return economy flights ex Brisbane

Hotel

- 2 nights in Buenos Aires before the expedition cruise, including breakfast

Flights

- Return economy flights between Buenos Aires and Ushuaia

Transfers

- Return airport transfers from and/to international flight
- Transfer from the hotel in Buenos Aires to Buenos Aires airport before the expedition cruise
- Transfers between Ushuaia airport and the ship, including a brief tour of the town

Expedition Cruise

- Expedition cruise in a cabin of your choice
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner including beverages (house beer and wine, sodas, and mineral water) in restaurants Aune and Fredheim
- À la carte restaurant Lindstrøm included for suite guests
- Complimentary tea and coffee
- Complimentary Wi-Fi on board. Be aware that we sail in remote areas with limited connection. Streaming is not supported.
- Complimentary reusable water bottle to use at water refill stations on board
- English-speaking Expedition Team who organise and accompany activities on board and ashore
- Range of included excursions

Hotel

- 1 night Post tour accommodation

To add to your experience why not add a Half Day Tour in Buenos Aires from \$89pp

Onboard Activities

- Experts on the Expedition Team deliver in-depth lectures on a variety of topics
- Use of the ship's Science Center which has an extensive library and advanced biological and geological microscopes
- Citizen Science programme allows guests to assist with live scientific research
- Professional onboard photographer gives top tips and tricks for the best landscape and wildlife photos
- Use of the ship's hot tubs, panoramic sauna, outdoor and indoor gyms, and outdoor running track
- Informal gatherings with the crew such as daily recaps and preparation for the day to come

Landing Activities

- Escorted landings with small expedition boats while in Antarctica
- Loan of boots, trekking poles, and all equipment for activities
- Complimentary wind and water-resistant expedition jacket
- Expedition Photographers help with your camera settings before landings

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