



# AVALON WATERWAYS CONFERENCE & INCENTIVE RIVER CRUISES

Avalon Waterways has been showing groups the world since 2004. From large sales organisations, to franchise groups, to meetings, events and special interest groups, choose Avalon for the unmatched experience we deliver guests, and the intimate experience our ships deliver. A part of the Globus family of brands, a trusted travel provider for over 90 years, Avalon is the expert in designing river cruises and land programs for the MICE market across the world.

Our dedicated clients team provides unparalleled support and assistance throughout the entire process, from planning your cruise to ensuring the entire experience is a success beyond your expectations. You'll have an array of materials to promote to your clients to build excitement.

Our industry exclusive Suite Ship<sup>SM</sup> fleet provides your entire group the opportunity for the same large suite style cabin accommodations. All conference and incentive river cruise programs and onshore programs are fully customisable, so you can create the most unique and wow experiences for your clients.

Navigating elegance and ease, our crew delivers an exclusive and personalised experience. From the Captain and Cruise Director to your stateroom attendant and wait staff, Avalon provides warm and friendly service, mouthwatering cuisine, and unmatched experiences – to deliver the perfect degree of relaxed indulgence.





## OH HOW SUITE IT IS

#### Everyone enjoys the same stateroom and the same amazing view.

There's only one point-of-view on an Avalon Waterways river cruise — the Suite view. You won't find the challenge of who to place in what cabin when choosing Avalon Waterways. Our unique Suite Ships<sup>SM</sup> feature our signature Panorama Suites<sup>SM</sup> with the widest opening windows in river cruising and beds facing the windows for your guests to enjoy what river cruising is all about — the ever changing views. On our Suite Fleet<sup>SM</sup> in Europe, 80% of the staterooms are 18.6 square metres suites and in Southeast Asia, all rooms are Panorama Suites at a spacious 22.7 square meters.



At 18.6 square metres, the Panorama Suite is more than 30% larger than the industry standard.



"Our stateroom was comfortable and attractive.

People felt they had ample space and they
loved the balcony windows. I was impressed
with the strong water pressure in the shower
and the L'Occitane toiletries smell wonderful..."



## OPEN-AIR BALCONY<sup>SM</sup>

#### Wider openings for the wide-eyed.

Avalon Waterways Open-Air Balconies were designed with our guests' views in mind. The wall-to-wall, floor-to-ceiling windows open 11-feet wide in Europe and 14-feet wide in Southeast Asia... Wider than any other balconies in the industry.

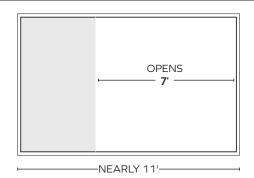
Even better? Avalon's balconies do not sacrifice room space. In contrast, they invite our guests to enjoy 100% of their Panorama Suite, 100% of the time. And they're making a splash with Avalon's guests. In fact, according to a new survey of 652 past travellers, 95% would choose Avalon's Open-Air Balconies to traditional French balconies.

We're the only river cruise company that's figured out how to give our guests everything they want – more space, indoor/outdoor living, huge views for miles in the comfort and privacy of their rooms.



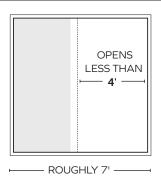
## The largest standard windows in river cruising with floor-to-ceiling, wall-to-wall views.

#### AVALON



Our giant floor-to-ceiling window is nearly  $11^\prime$  wide.

#### THE COMPETITION



Standard window is roughly 7' wide, and opens less than 4'.



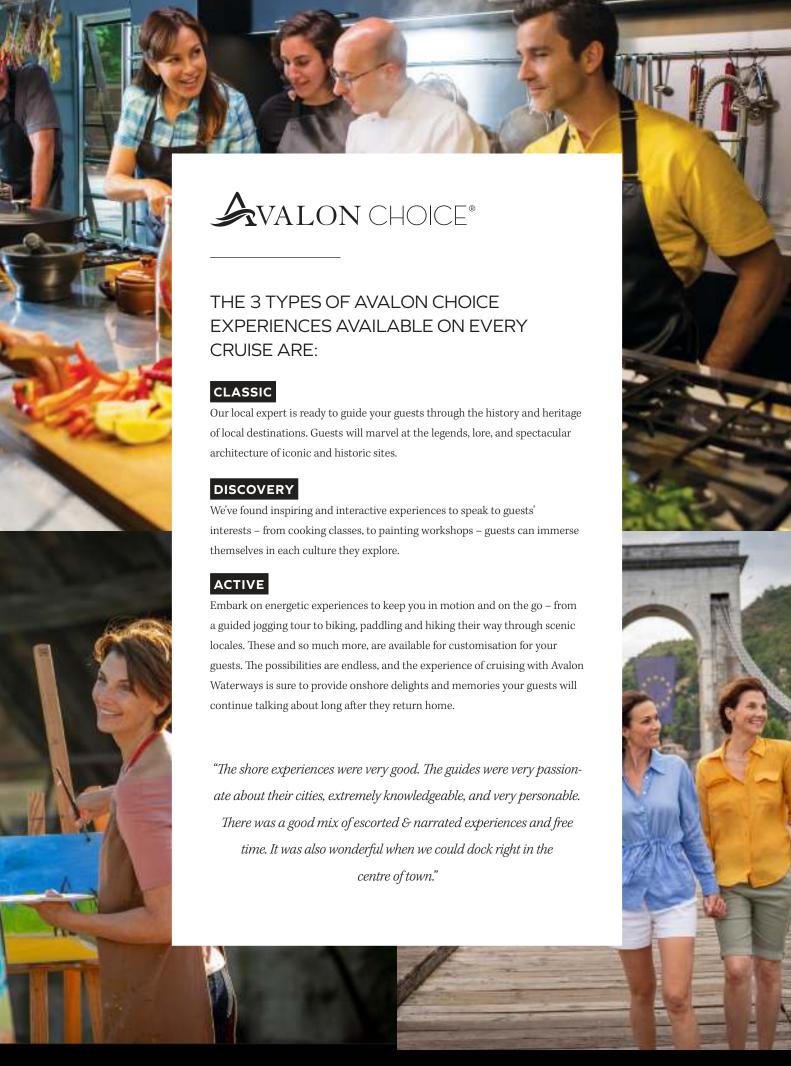


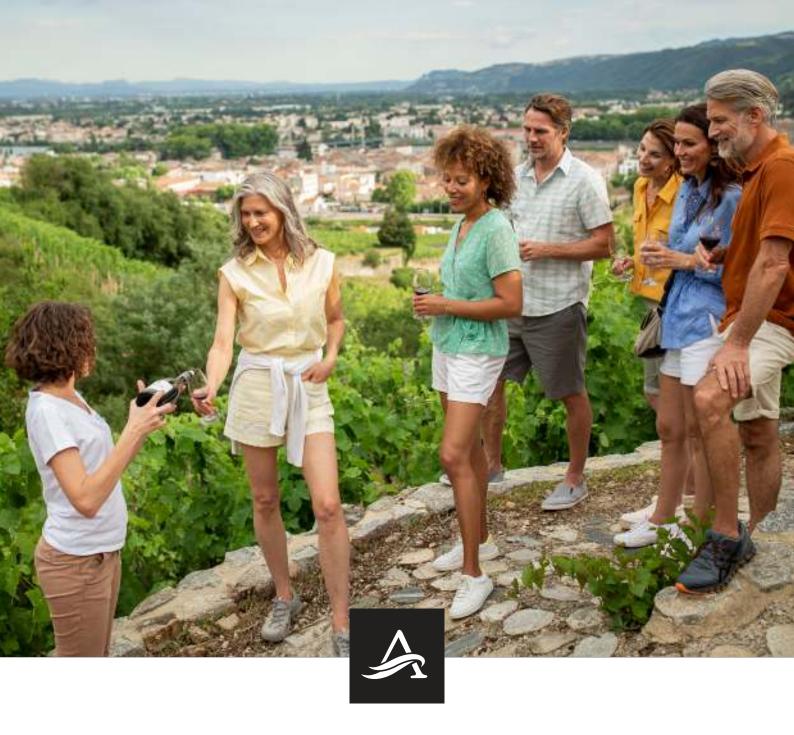
## YOUR CRUISE. YOUR WAY.

#### Easy on shore customisation with Avalon Choice

Our unique programs are not only fully customisable, they also include sightseeing with Certified Local Guides and ample free time for guests to explore on their own. Avalon Choice lets each individual on board personalise their day based on their interests and passions. We invite guests to select the activities and events that interest them the most so they can experience their cruise ...their way.

Explore CLASSIC sights, make a new DISCOVERY through hands-on cultural and artistic experiences shared by local residents and experts, or embark on ACTIVE excursions.

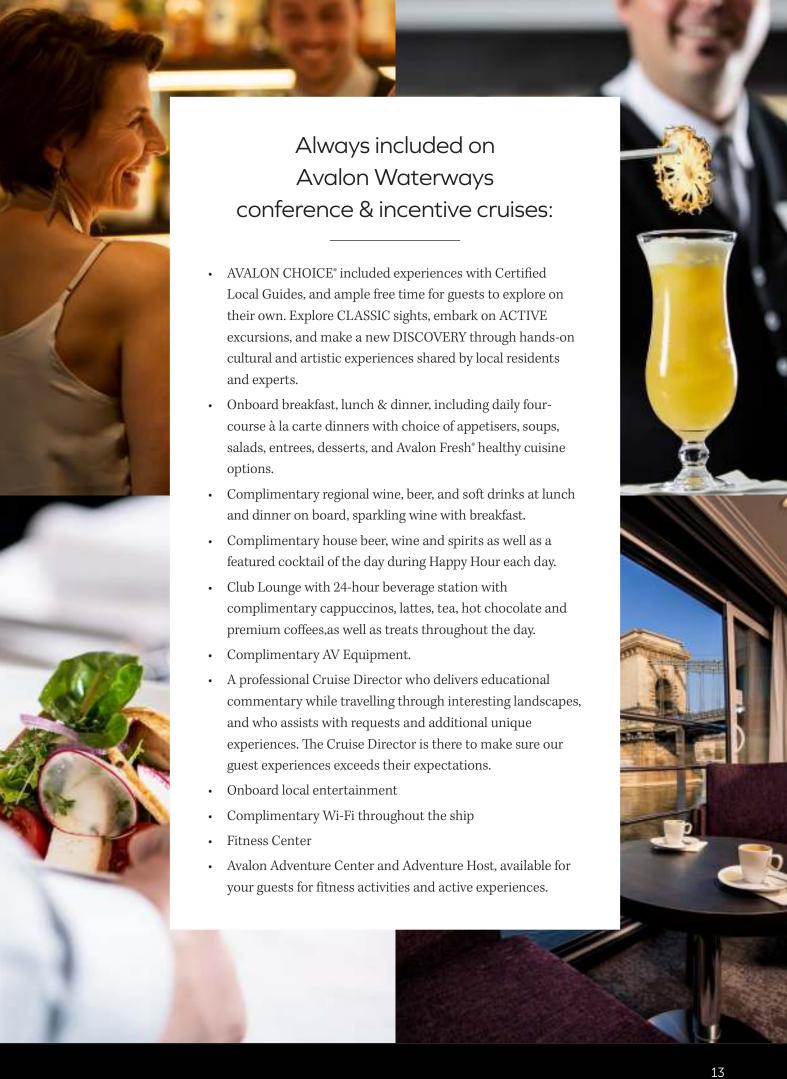




## **EXCLUSIVE MEETS INCLUSIVE**

## What's included beyond a flawlessly planned program for your guests — everything

In our quest to make every guest feel perfectly at home, we include the features — both big and small — that make your cruise with us as rich as possible. An exclusive experience features all the right inclusions, yet still leaves room for personalisation. In addition to little luxuries like complimentary Wi-Fi and around-the-clock cappuccinos, Avalon gives you the greatest luxury of all — the freedom to customise your conference or incentive cruise with endless options.









## EVERY MEAL IS PART OF THE JOURNEY.

#### **OUR DINING EXPERIENCE**

From morning breakfast to elegant dinners, Avalon frees your taste buds from the ordinary. Choose the onboard dining venue that suits your mood — from a breezy al fresco lunch at the Sky Grill to an elegant four-course dinner in the glass-walled dining room. For a less formal "sitdown" atmosphere, guests can take a more casual approach to fine dining while mingling over satisfying selections in our Panorama Bistro. Whichever venue your guests choose, they'll savour local flavours and the familiar favourites you may crave — as well as our Avalon Fresh\* menu options — throughout your cruise.

#### ONBOARD DINING OFFERINGS & CHOICES:

- · Captain's welcome & farewell receptions with sparkling wine & canapés
- Daily choices of regional recipes, familiar favourites, and Avalon Fresh® vegetarian and healthy cuisine including fresh, local ingredients at every meal
- Daily full breakfast à la carte with made-to-order egg station, hot and cold menu items, and complimentary sparkling wine & juices
- Daily lunch buffet with rotating chef's features including carving & pasta stations, and complimentary beer, wine, and soft drinks
- Choice of alternative fare at the Sky Grill on the Sky Deck (weather permitting) or light lunch in the Panorama Lounge
- Enjoy our Panorama Bistro for a casual dinner option with a petite plate à la carte of select dishes and beverages
- Daily Afternoon Tea featuring tea, coffee, sweet treats & sandwiches
- Daily four-course à la carte dinners in the main dining room with choice of appetisers, soups, salads, entrées, desserts or cheese, after-dinner premium coffees or tea, and complimentary wine (including from the region), beer, and soft drinks
- Complimentary room service available for Continental breakfast & beverages
- Made-to-order picnic lunch boxes for independent onshore experiences
- Special Dietary options upon request

#### **DRINK PACKAGES:**

Whether you want your guests to have all cocktails included each day or select a package of drink selections for your cruise outside of meal times, we can help you design the best offering for your budget and your group.

## LOCAL. HEALTHY. AVALON FRESH®

Who says healthy cuisine can't be inspiring? On an Avalon Waterways river cruise, you can take an indulgent holiday without drifting from your healthy habits. Our Avalon Fresh selections are exclusively created in collaboration with Austrian brothers Leo and Karl Wrenkh, leading chefs in the healthy-dining movement. Using the freshest ingredients from local farms and suppliers, our chefs create flavorful dishes with a dash of innovation. These creative yet wholesome options are available at every meal we serve on board. Whether you're looking for an energising juice at breakfast, an artfully crafted salad at lunch, or a satisfying plate at dinner, Avalon Fresh steps up to







## CUSTOMISATION IS WELCOME HERE, ON BOARD & ON SHORE.

#### You dream it. We'll deliver it.

Looking for something unexpected and unique? Our passion is ensuring you and your guests are delighted through the planning process to cruise end. We can fully customise your program, and offer the opportunity for exclusive excursions and nboard events personalised for your group.

With Avalon Waterways, you have choices. From where to sail, how long to sail, where to port, to the number of activities and onshore events, we make the cruise personalised for you. Not sure what is best? We'll help make the process seamless, building a program that makes it easy for you to pick and choose what activities and destinations will leave your guests enchanted.

Have a dream in mind? Let us help make it a reality. Not sure what to even dream? We're here to help with that too.

CUSTOMISABLE PORTS

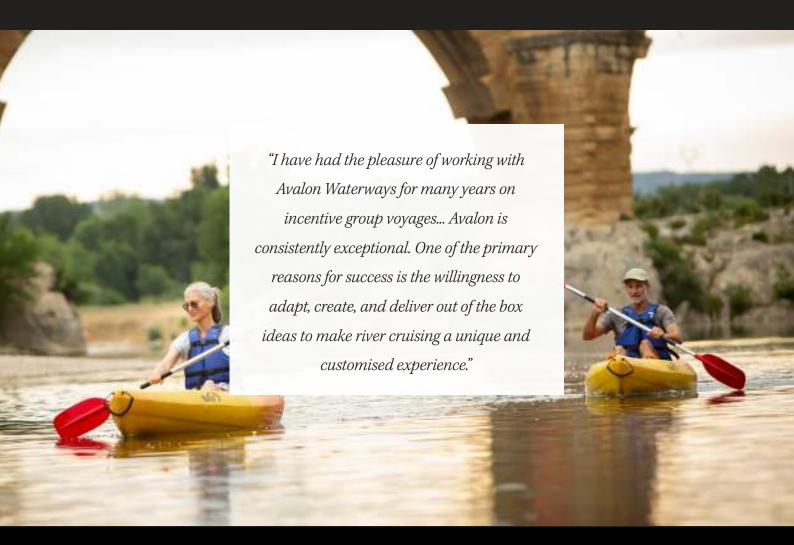
VARIABLE SAILING TIMES

LENGTH OF CRUISE

ONSHORE ACTIVITIES

EXCLUSIVE GALAS AND EVENTS

PRE- AND POST-CRUISE LAND STAYS





## WORK TO PLAY. DAY TO NIGHT.







#### Observation Lounge

Breathe in the peaceful space and perfect vantage point on the river while relaxing in our Observation Lounge. Stretch out with coffee, wine, or whatever you please to watch the scenic shorelines, hills, and valleys.



The ideal spot for a casual dinner in a social setting to mingle with your travelling companions and fellow Avalon guests. Enjoy petite plates of delicious dishes and beverages.



#### Panorama Lounge & Bar

Enjoy cosy seating, panoramic windows, and a dance floor to enjoy the evening's entertainment or unique artisan demonstrations. Visit the Panorama Bar for your favourite libation—or to try something new by our creative mixologists.



#### Sky Deck

The perfect place to take in the sights of the passing landscape or mingle with fellow travellers. Features a whirlpool and seating galore to soak up the sun or drink in the moonlight. Bring your appetite to the Sky Grill for made-to-order lunch dishes to enjoy as you watch the world go by.



#### Dining Room

From morning breakfast to elegant dinners, Avalon frees your taste buds from the ordinary. In this glass-walled dining room, you'll savour local flavours (and familiar favourites, should you crave them) as well as our Avalon Fresh® menu offerings. Every meal is a part of the journey.



#### Adventure Center

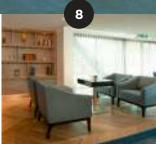
Find the gear, maps, and more for active pursuits on ship and off. Check out a bike, grab a Nordic walking stick and head up to a fortress on a hill, or join a guided jog. Whether you're looking for a yoga class on deck or an optional canoe excursion, your Avalon Adventure Host<sup>SM</sup> can make it happen.



#### Fitness Center

Just because you've gone on holiday, doesn't mean your fitness regimen has to. Visit our fully equipped Fitness Center for a great workout on your schedule. Get your crosstraining in with

a bike, treadmill, and weights.



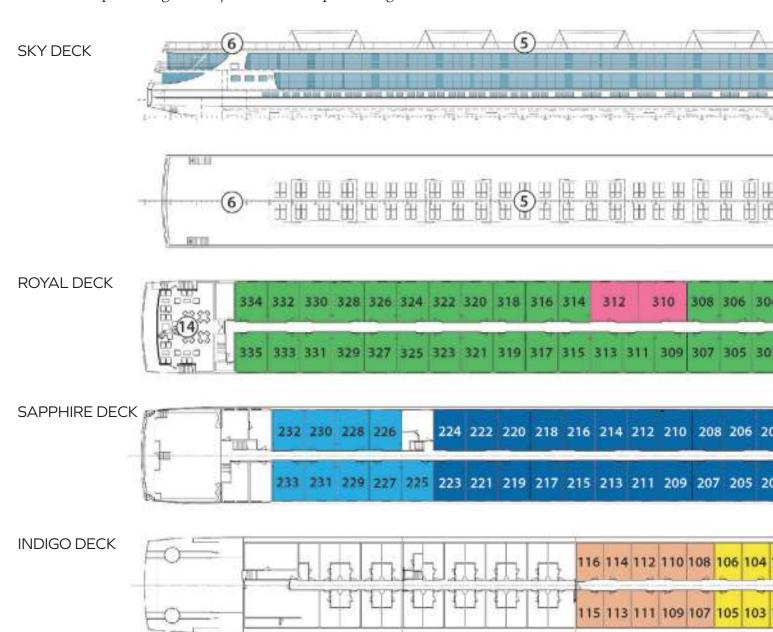
#### Club Lounge

Our beautiful airy and open lounge features a 24-hour beverage station offering complimentary Lavazza coffee, decaffeinated coffee specialties, cappuccinos, lattes, hot chocolate, and a selection of teas. Cookies are available throughout the day.



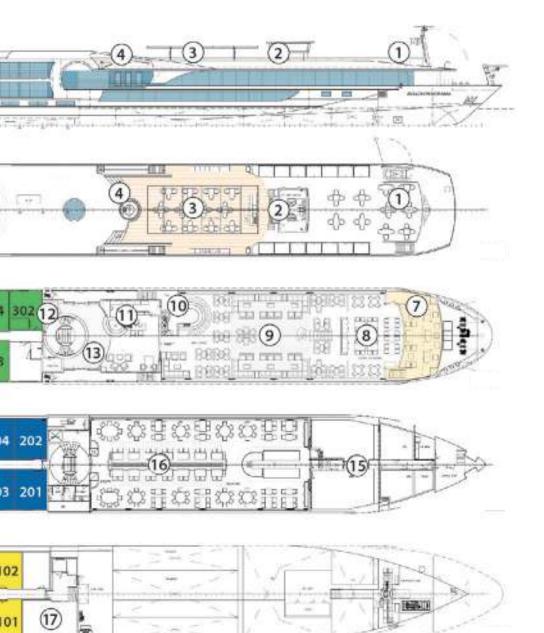
## YOUR SHIP HAS COME IN. AVALON EUROPE SUITE SHIPSM:

64 Cabin ships – 128 guests | 83 Cabin ships – 166 guests









- 1 Sky Lounge
- 2 Navigation Bridge
- 3 Sky Grill
- 4 Whirlpool
- 5 Premium Lounge Chairs and Shade Awnings
- 6 Deck Game Area
- 7 Observation Lounge
- 8 Panorama Bistro
- 9 Panorama Lounge
- 10 Bar
- 11 Reception
- 12 Elevator
- 13 Lobby
- 14 Club Lounge
- 15 Galley
- 16 Dining Room
- 17 Fitness Center

#### ROOM CATEGORY LEGEND

Royal Suite Cat. P Royal Deck | Royal Suites

Royal Deck | Panorama Suites

Panorama Suites
Sapphire Deck Forward

Cat. A Sapphire Deck For Panorama Suites

Cat. B Sapphire Deck Aft | Panorama Suites

Cat. D Indigo Deck Aft | Deluxe Staterooms

Cat. E

Indigo Deck Forward | Deluxe Staterooms

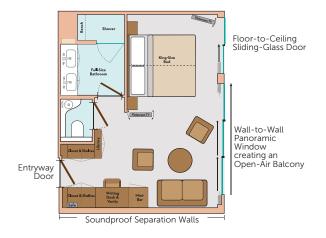


### THE ART OF MAKING YOU FEEL AT HOME.

- Comfort Collection Beds<sup>SM</sup>, featuring premium memory foam mattress toppers with special construction for increased airflow and ventilation and a choice of four firmness selections – from extra firm to pillow-top soft
- Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, blankets and European-style duvets
- Soft and firm pillows
- Choice of bed configuration two twins or one queen or (Royal Suite only) one king
- · Nightly turn-down service
- · Bathrobes and slippers
- Bedside tables with reading lamps
- Large private bathroom featuring full shower with glass door, hairdryer, premium L'Occitane\* amenities and plenty of storage
- Spacious 3-door closets with shelves for ample storage
- · Easy under-bed luggage storage
- Flatscreen satellite TV with movie channels
- Writing desk/vanity with mirror and comfortable chair
- · Complimentary Wi-Fi access
- Direct-dial telephone
- Well-stocked minibar
- USB Ports
- In-room safe
- · Individual climate control

#### ROYAL SUITES

27.8 SQM ROYAL DECK



#### PANORAMA SUITESSM

#### 18.6 SQM

**ROYAL & SAPPHIRE DECKS** 

Category B, A, P

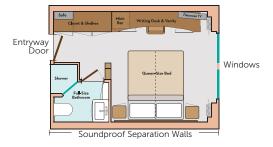


#### DELUXE STATEROOMS

15.97 SQM INDIGO DECK

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Category D & E





















## CRUISING ON THE DOURO RIVER

AVALON ALEGRIASM (2024)

Passengers: 102 | Crew Members: 33 | Length: 80m | Decks: 4. | Deluxe Staterooms: 14 (15.97 sqm & 16.72 sqm) | Panorama Suites: 37 (18.6 sqm)





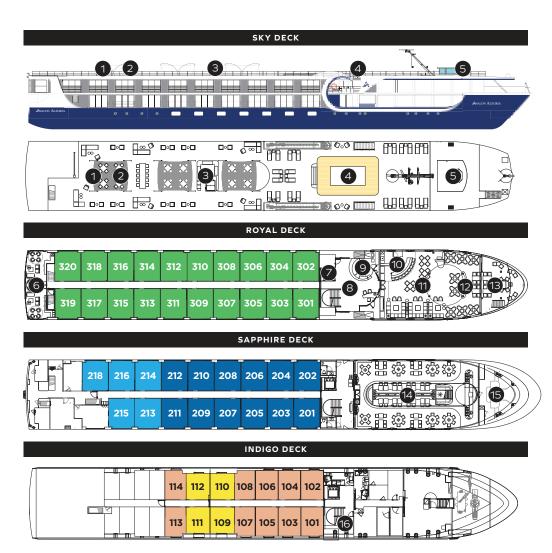




#### **AMENITIES**

- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout the ship
- Panoramic windows throughout the ship
- Elegant, contemporary design & decor
- Friendly, English-speaking crew & Cruise Director
- Sky Deck features swimming pool, shade awnings, and premium lounges)
- Covered Observation Lounge
- Club Lounge with 24-hour self-serve beverage station with complimentary cappuccinos, lattes, tea, hot chocolate & premium coffees, as well as treats throughout the day
- Elevator
- $\bullet$  Non-smoking interior and staterooms
- Active shore excursions, both included and optional
- Fitness Center
- Avalon Adventure Center

## AVALON ALEGRIA DECK PLAN



#### **DECK PLAN**

- 1 Sky Lounge
- 2 Premium Lounge Chairs and Shade Awnings
- 3 Sky Grill
- 4 Pool
- 5 Navigation Bridge
- 6 Club Lounge
- 7 Elevator
- 8 Adventure Center
- 9 Guest Services
- 10 Bar
- 11 Panorama Lounge
- 12 Panorama Bistro
- 13 Observation Lounge
- 14 Dining Room
- 15 Galley
- 16 Fitness Center

#### **CATEGORIES**



Panorama Suites

Cat D Indigo Deck

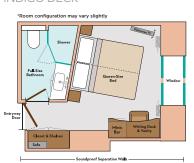
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#### 15.97 SQM

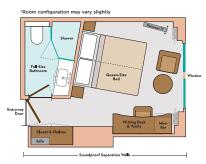
INDIGO DECK



#### CATEGORY D DELUXE STATEROOM

### 16.72 SQM

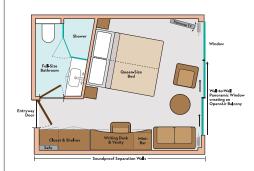
INDIGO DECK

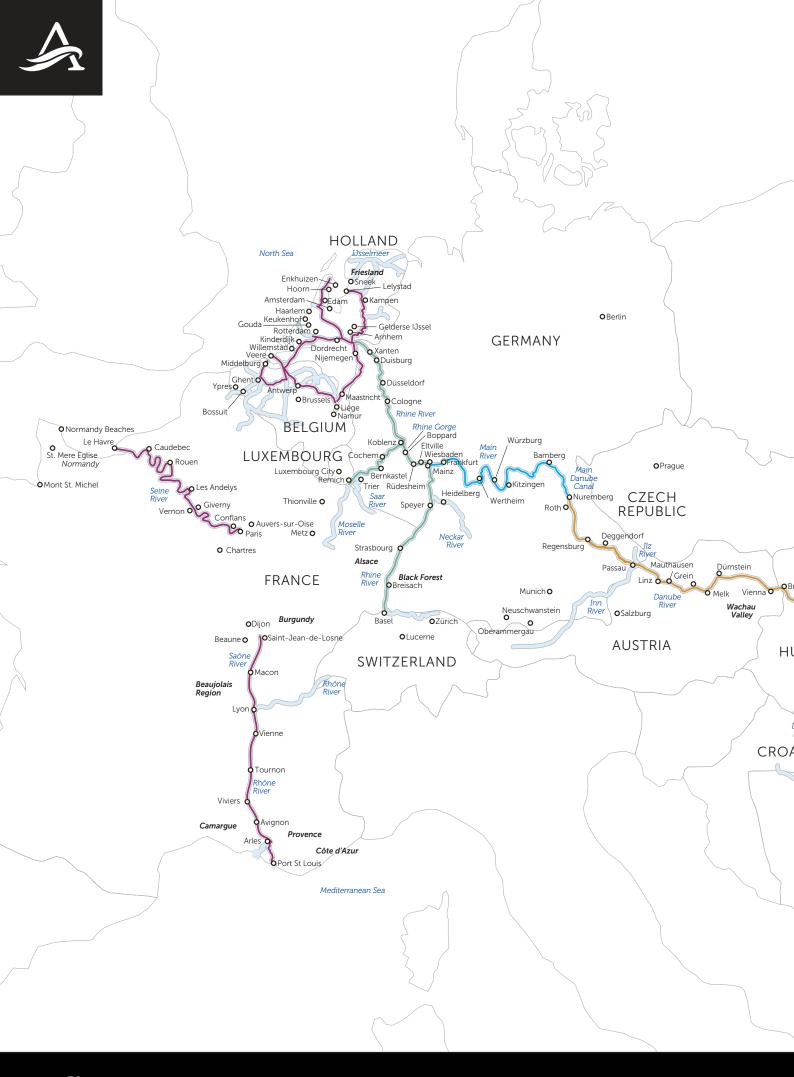


#### PANORAMA SUITE

#### 18.6 SQM

ROYAL & SAPPHIRE DECK





## GREAT RIVERS TO ROAM

Gently rambling, eagerly flowing, wildly rushing... each of Europe's legendary waterways have a distinct personality and a long, fascinating history.

SLOVAKIA

Visegrád

Vukovar O

**JNGARY** 

Budapest

Novi Sad

Belgrade

**SERBIA** 

Vidin o Belogradchik O

#### WHERE AVALON SAILS



#### RHINE RIVER

Flowing from the Swiss Alps to Holland's North Sea, the Rhine is one of the most important rivers in Europe, perhaps most famous for its legendary Lorelei rock and the imposing medieval castles that line its banks.



#### MAIN RIVER

Winding across Central Germany, the Main River is formed by the joining of the Red Main and the White Main, meeting the Rhine River at the town of Mainz.



#### MOSELLE RIVER

Flowing through France, Luxembourg, and Germany, the Moselle River is known for the excellent wines produced along its banks as well as for its picturesque medieval castles.



#### SEINE RIVER

The Seine rises just northwest of Dijon and flows in a northwesterly direction through Paris before emptying into the English Channel at Le Havre. It is one of Europe's great historic rivers and since the early Middle Ages has been considered the river of Paris.



#### RHÔNE RIVER

An important inland trade and transportation route since Greek times, the Rhône River flows south to the Mediterranean, winding through the orchards and vineyards of the fertile Rhône Valley.



#### DANUBE RIVER

As Europe's second-longest river and a vital means of transportation for 2,000 years, the Danube is the only major European river to flow from west to east.



#### DOURO RIVER

Here, vineyards cling to steep slopes along the river where 2,000-year-old traditions of winemaking are cherished in the charming villages in one of Europe's oldest countries.





## A SAMPLING OF OUR MOST POPULAR EUROPEAN PROGRAMS:

#### A TASTE OF THE DANUBE

4 days | Budapest to Vienna (and reverse)

Budapest – Bratislava – Melk – Dürnstien – Vienna

#### DANUBE SYMPHONY

6 days | Vilshofen to Budapest (and reverse)

Vilshofen – Linz – Mauthausen – Ybbs – Krems – Vienna – Bratislava – Budapest





#### THE LEGENDARY DANUBE

8 days | Nuremberg to Budapest (and reverse)

Nuremberg – Roth – Regensburg – Passau – Linz – Melk – Vienna – Budapest

#### **ROMANTIC RHINE**

8 days | Amsterdam to Basel (and reverse)

Amsterdam – Cologne – Rüdesheim – Mainz – Heidelberg – Strasbourg – Breisach – Basel

#### PARIS TO NORMANDY

8 days | Paris to Paris

Paris – Vernon – Les Andelys – Caudebec – Normandy Rouen – Conflans – Paris

#### **BURGUNDY & PROVENCE**

8 days | Chalon-sur-Saône to Arles (and reverse)

Chalon–sur–Saône – Mâcon – Lyon – Tournon – Viviers Avignon – Arles



#### **ACTIVE** DISCOVERY

We travel to see new things, try new things, and experience new cultures. So it only makes sense to set sail on a river cruise that's just as far from the ordinary. From endless views to endless possibilities, Avalon Waterways charts a whole new course in river cruising with Active & Discovery.

Guests can choose from a variety of inclusions to match your mood, pace, and interests each day, all while experiencing the sights, sounds and flavours of the destination. Guests can enjoy beautiful views of castles as they glide along legendary riverbanks in a canoe or perfect their brushstrokes in a local art studio. From steering a bicycle through Europe's must-see sights to searing today's catch in a lively cooking class, our Active & Discovery river cruises present a whole new level of engagement.

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE RHÔNE 8 days | Arles to Lyon (and reverse)

Arles – Port–Saint–Louis – Avignon – Viviers – Tournon/Tain–l'Hermitage – Lyon

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE DANUBE 8 days | Vilshofen to Budapest (and reverse)

Vilshofen – Engelhartszell – Linz – Mauthausen – Grein – Spitz – Vienna – Visegrád – Budapest

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE RHINE 8 days | Basel to Amsterdam (and reverse)

Basel – Breisach – Strasbourg – Mainz – Heidelberg – Rhine Gorge – Koblenz – Düsseldorf – Amsterdam

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY IN HOLLAND & BELGIUM 8 days | Amsterdam to Amsterdam

Amsterdam – Middelburg – Ghent – Brussels – Antwerp – Rotterdam – Amsterdam

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE MOSELLE 8 days | Remich to Frankfurt

Remich – Luxembourg – Trier – Bernkastel – Cochem – Koblenz – Rüdesheim – Eltville – Frankfurt

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE SEINE 9 days | Paris to Paris

Paris – Conflans – Vernon – Les Andelys – Rouen – Normandy – Le Havre – Paris

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE LOWER DANUBE

#### 8 days | Bucharest to Belgrade

Bucharest – Nikopol – Veliko Tarnovo – Arbanassi – Vidin – Lepenski Vir – Donji Milanovac – Belgrade

## ACTIVE & DISCOVERY ON THE DANUBE FROM SERBIA TO THE BLACK SEA

#### 8 days | Belgrade to Bucharest

Belgrade – Golubac – Donji Milanovac – Lepenski Vir – Vidin – Rousse – Veliko Tarnovo – Arbanassi – Constanta – Fetesti – Bucharest











## SPECIAL INTEREST RIVER CRUISE SELECTIONS:

BEER-TASTING

CULINARY

FESTIVE TIME

GARDEN & NATURE-LOVER

HISTORY

JEWISH HERITAGE

PHOTOGRAPHY

WINE APPRECIATION

All of our Special Interest programs are fully customisable for conference and incentive cruises.

Visit www.avalonwaterways.com.au/experiences for a complete list of themed cruises.





## AFRICA: A TASTE OF EGYPT ON THE NILE

Egypt – 60 Cabins – 120 guests

Join us for an adventure to ancient Egypt, as well as its modern enjoyments on a Nile River cruise for the ages. Arrive in Cairo, and explore the pyramids and Sphinx of Giza. See the Ramses II statue in Memphis and King Tut's tomb in Cairo's Egyptian Museum. In Old Cairo, see the Church of the Virgin Mary (also called the Hanging Church), built in the place where Mary and Jesus were said to find refuge during their flight to Egypt, and visit the Alabaster Mosque. These and more exciting discoveries are to be found for your guests as they see Egypt's incredible monuments to pharaohs and gods of Egyptian history.

Fly to Luxor to embark on an enchanting Nile River cruise. Guests visit the Luxor Temple, Avenue of the Sphinxes, monument of Karnak, and the Temple of Amun-Ra before enjoying an onboard welcome reception on board. Visit the valley of Kings and Valley of Queens, where the pristine tomb of King Tut was found with undisturbed riches and splendour. This incredible cruise on the Nile River takes guests to amazing ancient sites, including the twin temples at Kom Ombo, devoted to the crocodile god Sobek-Ra and the falcon god Horus. Ponder the magnitude of the task of building the pyramids with a visit to the granite quarries—where an unfinished obelisk still remains. Visit the Temple of Isis, then take a return flight to Cairo to wander the world's largest open-air museum, and browse the bustling maze of the endless bazaar in Cairo's medieval alleys. Join us for a once-in-a-lifetime experience in Cairo, expedition to the Egyptian pyramids, and a Nile River cruise your guests will never forget.









## INDIA: COLORFUL INDIA & THE GANGES RIVER

Exotic Ganges Voyager –28 Cabins – 56 guests

Enter a world of colour, culture, and cherished spiritual tradition of India. Your programme of India and Ganges River cruise begins in the bustling city of Delhi. Your guests experience the city with an expert local guide, and take a rickshaw ride through the Chandni Chowk bazaar – brimming with everything from silver and spices to saris of every colour. Guests will visit Qutub Minar – the world's largest brick minaret, and see Delhi's largest Sikh gurudwara (house of worship), before travelling to Agra – site of the legendary Taj Mahal.

Guests will delight in the city of Jaipur, with its famous Palace of the Winds, and spectacular Amber Fort, before flying to Kolkata to board your Ganges river cruise. The holy river of Hinduism, the Ganges, slowly courses through one of the world's most fertile and populated areas. Along its banks, human life is connected to its waters and your guests will get a glimpse of life away from India's big cities. See muslin weaving in Kalna and candy making in Matiari. Stop in Murshidabad for an excursion to Azimganj and Jiaganj – to experience a historic mansion and see a gold and silver making demonstration. Explore the fascinating Hare Krishna headquarters in Mayapur, and visit Saint Mother Teresa's former home upon your returning to Kolkata.

All of this and more await your guests on this once-in-alifetime guided experience of India and a Ganges River cruise.









# SOUTH AMERICA: FROM THE INCA EMPIRE TO THE PERUVIAN AMAZON.

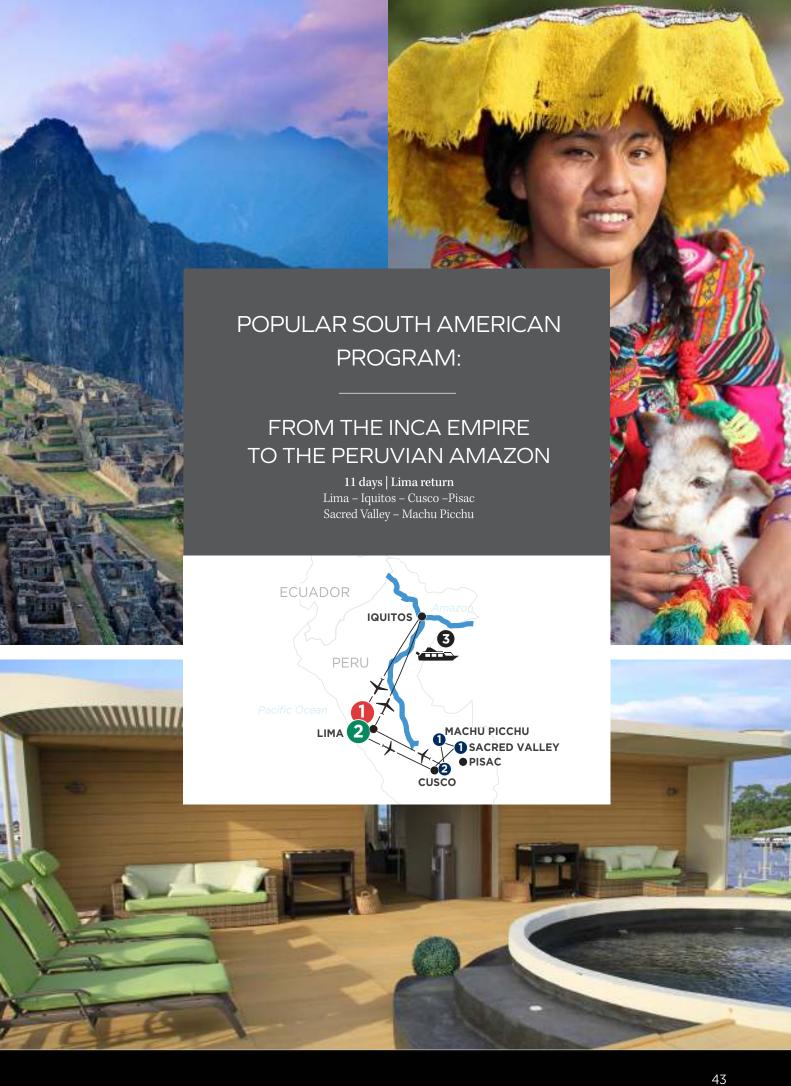
Delfin III - 22 Cabins - 44 guests

From its amazing archaeological treasures and gastronomic delights to its scenic beauty and melting pot of cultures, Peru offers visitors a wide array of attractions - and on this programme, your guests experience its highlights. Begin Lima with a guided sightseeing experience, a visit to the Larco Herrera Museum, and a special welcome dinner in an ornate family-owned mansion. Fly to Cusco and descend into the Sacred Valley of the Incas for guided tours of the ceremonial site of Kenko, where ancient rituals were performed, and the Temple of Sacsayhuaman, with its impressive display of stones weighing up to 300 tons. Of course, no trip to Peru is complete without visiting astonishing Machu Picchu. Built around 1450, at the height of the Inca Empire, it is located in a gorgeous mountain setting above the Sacred Valley.

Next, guests will fly to Iquitos where they will embark on a journey to one of the world's vastly unexplored regions – the mighty Amazon. Experience the Amazon wilderness – where biodiversity is at its greatest and the rainforest is untamed. Board one of the world's most luxurious small ships – *the Delfin III* – and enjoy fine wine, famous Peruvian cuisine, and all-inclusive comfort while venturing deep into the Amazon jungle in search of elusive wildlife. During their time in the Amazon, guests may take naturalist-guided panga rides through the river tributaries, swim with pink dolphins, and visit native communities – all while returning to their plush five-star yacht. Wonderful scenery, historical treasures, learning opportunities, and so much more—all are available on this thrilling river cruise adventure to Peru!









## SOUTHEAST ASIA: INTIMATE CRUISING AT ITS BEST

Avalon Saigon – Mekong River –18 Cabins – 36 guests

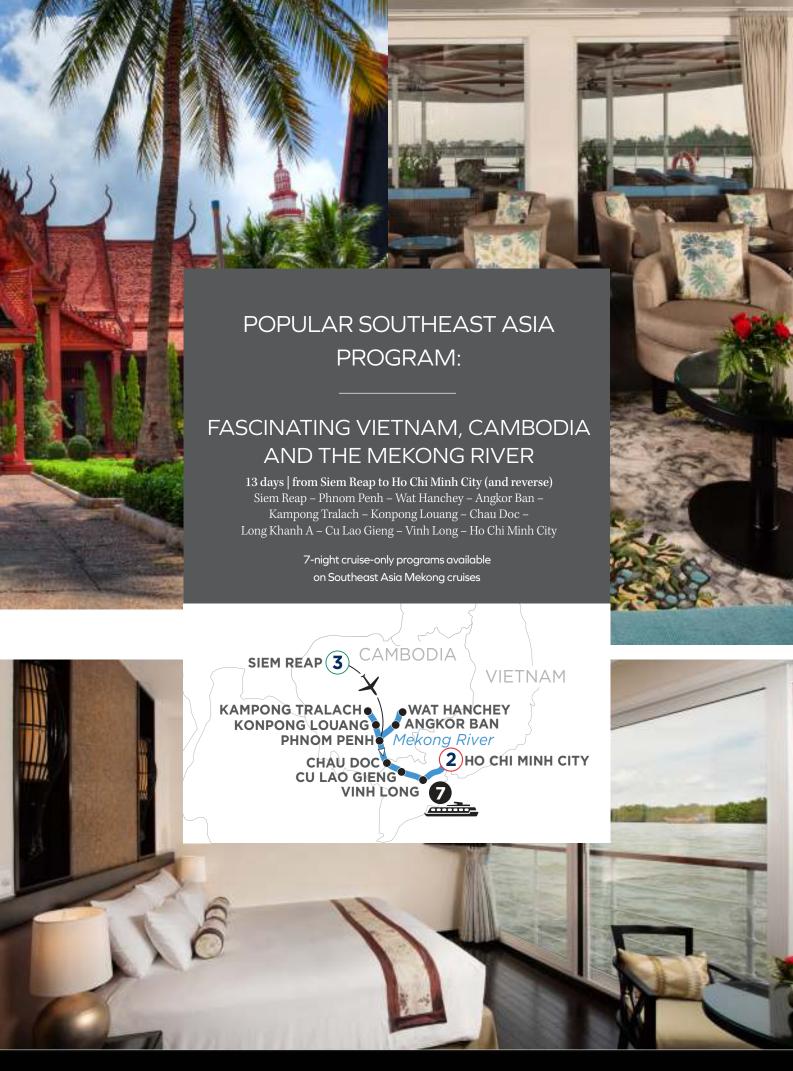
Avalon river cruises go beyond expectation. They go beyond the grand waterways of Europe, too, winding down the intriguing waters of the Mekong in Southeast Asia. Our incredible Suite Ship<sup>SM</sup> along the Mekong River carries just 36 guests for a more exclusive experience. Gliding through narrow passageways, the smaller vessel gets travellers up close to the exotic sights, cultures, and traditions, leading to areas virtually untouched by tourists. Personalised touches abound throughout this cruise.

#### THE MEKONG RIVER

Pulsing through the heart of Vietnam and Cambodia, the Mekong River provides a lifeline for millions of people. Along this vibrant "Mother of Water," scenes of everyday life will mesmerise your guests — from fishermen hauling in their daily catch to chanting monks to boats crisscrossing the river. Cruise the massive Mekong Delta, meet with smiling schoolchildren, see skilled silversmiths at work, and partake in a traditional water blessing ceremony with area monks. Explore French-influenced Phnom Penh, take a walking tour of Ho Chi Minh City, marvel at spectacular Angkor Wat in Siem Reap, and relish other fascinating activities.









### SOUTH AMERICA: TREASURES OF THE GALÁPAGOS ISLANDS

Treasure of Galápagos – Galápagos Islands – 9 cabins – 16 guests

Fantastic treasures await your guests this cruise experience to Peru and the Galápagos Islands. Enjoy a walking tour of Lima; guided sightseeing in Quito, where your guests can have their photo taken at the "Center of the World," and also in Cusco, the former capital of the Inca Empire; and an excursion to Otavalo's famous Indian market, where guests can shop for beautiful textiles, artwork, and other unique treasures. Also, visit the fascinating Inca constructions of ancient Puca Pucara, which translates to "Red Fortress," the magnificent Temple of Sacsayhuaman, which overlooks the city of Cusco, the Inca fortress of Ollantaytambo, and mystical Machu Picchu. Then, fly to San Cristobal Island for a fantastic 4-night Galápagos Islands cruise onboard the recently refurbished Treasure of Galápagos. In the company of a local Naturalist, you'll encounter indigenous plants and animals found only in the Galápagos Islands, such as giant tortoises, Galápagos fur sea lions, and marine iguanas—just to name a few. Also, enjoy an amazing opportunity to snorkel in the turquoise waters and see the colorful fish, sea lions, and perhaps a penguin or shark!

For incentive winners who want to see ancient ruins, learn about new cultures, and be awed at the amazing natural world, this cruise adventure is not to be missed!





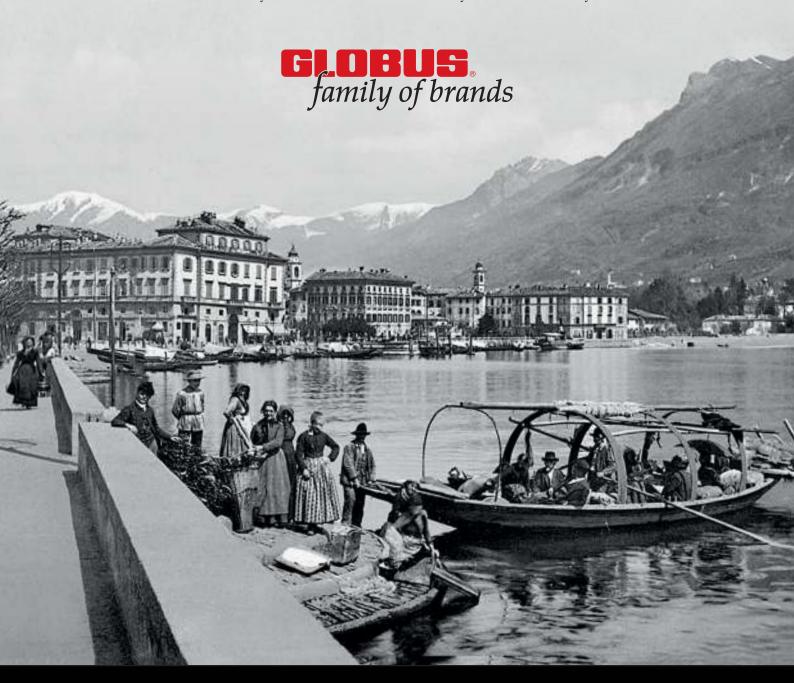




## WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED.

## MORE THAN 90 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE BACKED BY THE GLOBUS FAMILY OF BRANDS.

When you cruise with Avalon Waterways, the safety of our family — our travellers — is our top priority. Our entire team closely monitors situations at our destinations, and in the event of an incident, we implement ways to safely avoid trouble spots. As a global operator with over 50 offices worldwide, and the on-trip support of our expert Tour Directors, Cruise Directors and Local Hosts<sup>SM</sup>, you can count on the Globus family of brands wherever you travel.





### **QANTAS FREQUENT FLYER**

We're excited to share our partnership with Qantas Frequent Flyer

– bringing your clients the opportunity to earn Qantas Points when
you book your next Conference or Incentive cruise with us!

#### HOW TO EARN QANTAS POINTS



### EXPLORE ITINERARIES AND BOOK

Explore itineraries and speak with our Specialty Groups Department to design your customised program



#### PROVIDE QANTAS FREQUENT FLYER NUMBER

Provide your clients Qantas Frequent Flyer number when you submit your passenger name list



#### EARN QANTAS POINTS

Your clients will earn 2 Qantas Points per \$1 spent on an Avalon Waterways cruise\*

<sup>\*</sup>Terms & Conditions apply, please visit avalonwaterways.com.au.



## CARING FOR THE PLACES WE'RE SHARING WITH YOU

#### DEDICATED TO MAKING A DIFFERENCE

We are fortunate to have shared the world with travellers from all walks of life for more than 90 years, and we make it our responsibility to protect the people and places we visit and cherish around the world. By supporting economic, social, and environmental initiatives around the globe, we're giving back and paying it forward to make a difference today and tomorrow. Reducing single-use plastics in our corporate offices, ships, and motorcoaches is just one way we're helping to preserve destinations for future generations to share. By working with inspiring partners like The Ocean Cleanup<sup>TM</sup> and Trees4Travel, we're taking our sustainable travel commitment to new horizons each year.



#### A CLEANER PLANET IS THE BEST REWARD

Avalon Waterways has recently been honoured by Europe's Green Award—recognised for our Suite Ship<sup>SM</sup> fleet's high safety and environmental standards. This prestigious award is given to river cruise ships based on the environmental impact of engines, fuel consumption, waste and maintenance, pollution prevention, and more.





#### **AVALON ASSURANCE PROGRAM**

Today's world has changed, but what remains certain is Avalon's commitment to our guests safety, comfort and peace-of-mind. To that end, we've established a set of enhanced protocols and procedures through a new Avalon Assurance Program, to ensure the health – and happiness of our guests.



#### WELCOME ABOARD

Social distancing throughout embarkation.



#### FRESH AIR, INSIDE AND OUT

Air is not circulated between staterooms, only mixed with fresh outside air.



## BLENDING CULTURAL PROXIMITY WITH SOCIAL DISTANCING

Adjusting ratio of guides and coaches for excursions and following local guidelines of social distance requirements.



#### COMMITMENT TO THE CLEANEST SHIPS

Enhanced cleaning and disinfection throughout each ship, going above our already strict procedures.



#### FOCUS ON CREW HEALTH

Regular health screenings and social distancing in crew quarters.



#### TOUCHING HEARTS, NOT HANDS

Reducing risk with more hand sanitising stations throughout the ship.

Avalon will continue to review and update Assurance initiatives as we make our return to the world's waterways, including adhering to—and building upon—the standards set fourth by travel and health agencies across the globe, including the European Centre for Disease Prevention (ECDC), Center for Disease Control (CDC), World Health Organization (WHO), and Cruise Lines International Association (CLIA).



## WELCOME ABOARD

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