



## OCEAN VICTORY & OCEAN ALBATROS

# Albatros Expeditions Ships Ocean Victory

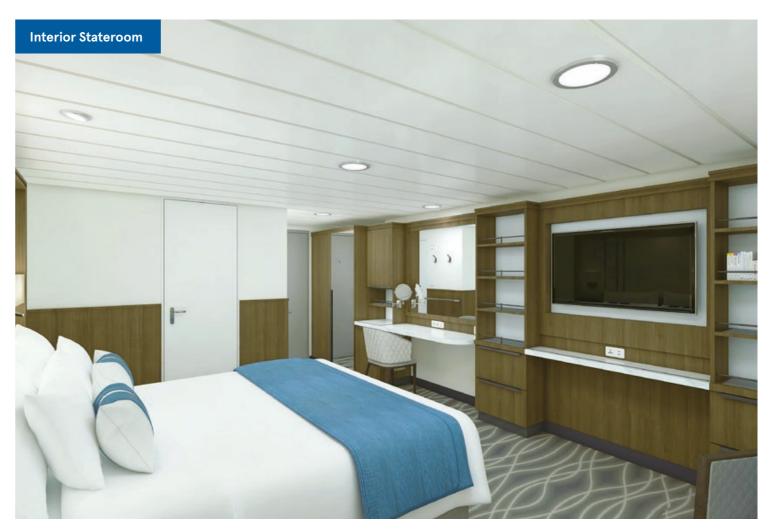




Albatros Expeditions is honored to announce the acquisition of its new luxury infinity vessel, Ocean Victory, which will join our fleet from November 2021, being established as one of the most modern small ship vessels in the market

This stylish cruise ship, ideally suited for our business model of small ship expeditions, will be deployed and dedicated to varied Antarctic region voyages, with sales launching from November 2021.

With a total of 93 comfortable staterooms for our guests, all with a view of the ocean, (and 90% with their own balcony), several restaurants, a wellness area, an Albatros Nordic Bar, an open deck dining facility, a modern lecture lounge, and other amenities, the vessel will also be environmentally-friendly onboard, with an implementation of the Green Initiative Program, ensuring both absolute comfort and sustainability for our guests.

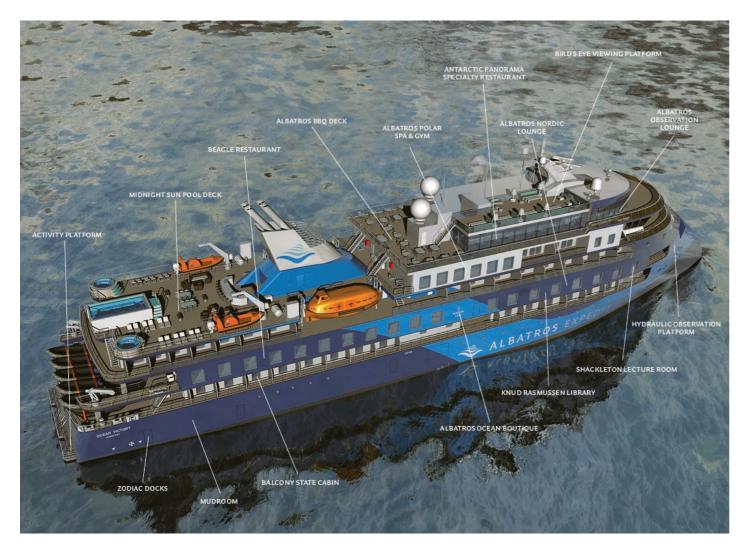












### TECHNICAL DETAILS

With the highest Polar code 6 and Ice class 1A, Ocean Victory is the ideal vessel for small-ship cruising due to her sturdy construction and X-Bow®-Infinity class, which provides high stability in rough weather and allows for the smoothest movements on high waves, and a Solas 2012

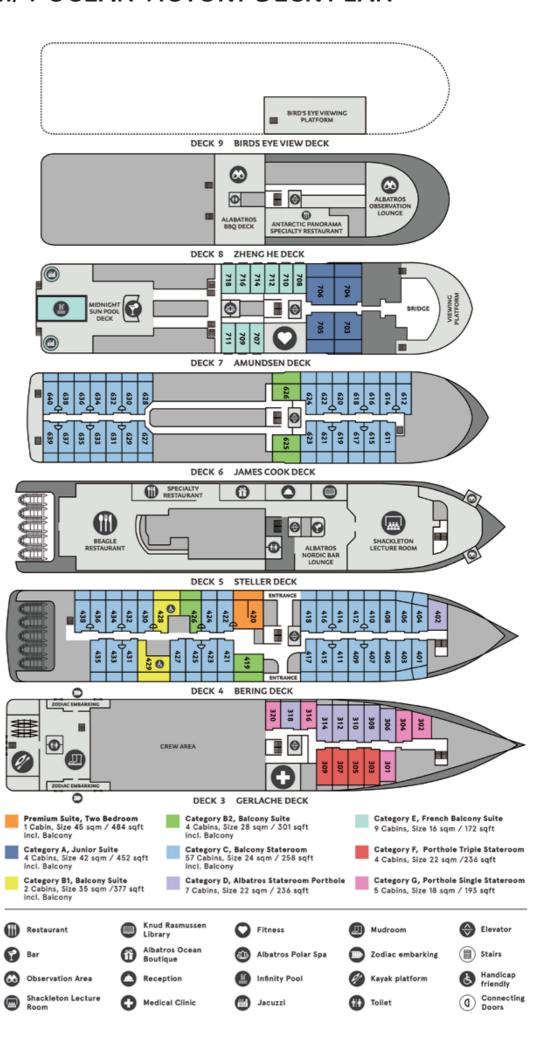
classification which facilitates a safe return to port.

The vessel is part of a brand new generation of low-energy vessels, with 4 diesel engines and 2 electro engines, all controlled electronically to optimize speed and fuel consumption.

- X-Bow for more stability and comfort
- Polar code Class 6
- Highest Ice Class 1A
- 4 diesel engines and 2 electro engines
- Solas classification
- Environmentally friendly in all aspects
- Green initiative program & CSR
- Albatros Nordic Bar lounge
- Albatros Ocean Boutique
- Albatros Observation Lounge

- Unique hydraulic observation platforms
- Polar Spa / Wellness area / Gym
- Modern lecture lounge and Polar library
- 93 spacious comfortable state rooms
- Dedicated single state rooms
- All staterooms with panoramic ocean view
- 75% of all staterooms with panoramic balcony
- Restaurant on deck 5
- Observation speciality restaurant on deck 9
- Infinity pool, jacuzzis and pool bar

#### M/V OCEAN VICTORY DECK PLAN



## Albatros Expeditions Ships Ocean Albatros



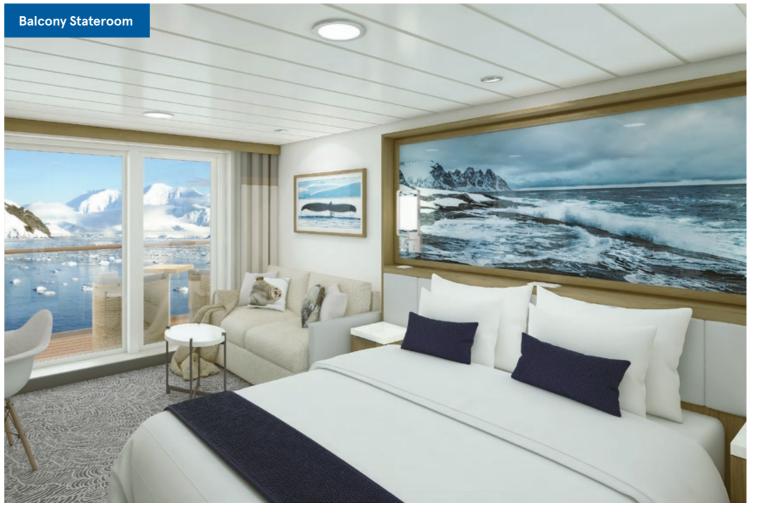


The Ocean Albatros, sistership to the Ocean Victory, will join the fleet of Albatros Expeditions in November 2022.

The Ocean Albatros will be deployed to a large selection of expedition cruise destinations, Antarctica, the Arctic, any various exciting new destinations in between.

With a total of 95 comfortable staterooms and suites, all with unobstructed sea view, most with their own balcony, the Ocean Albatros will definitely become one of the most popular expedition cruise vessels in the world. Like it's sistership the Ocean Victory it offers two restaurants, a wellness area,

an Albatros Nordic Bar, an open deck dining facility, a modern lecture lounge, and other state--of-the-art amenities. The vessel will have more than a 50% lower carbon footprint than traditional expedition vessels and be one of the most environmentally friendly, implementing the Green Initiative Program, ensuring both absolute comfort and sustainability for our guests. Unlike the Ocean Victory, the Ocean Albatros will also offer a unique panorama sauna, and a total of 12 dedicated solo travel cabins without a single-supplement.













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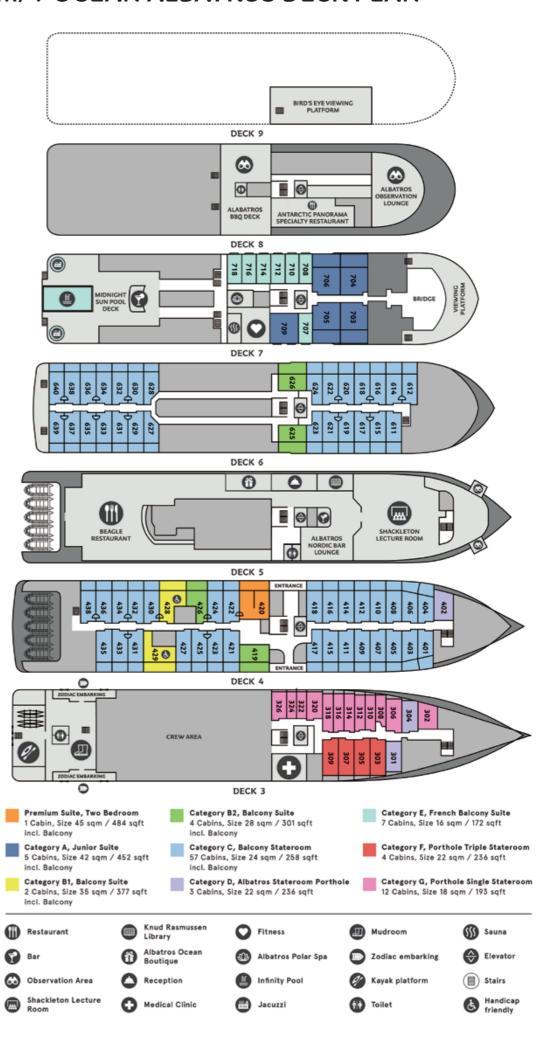
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- Unique hydraulic observation platforms
- Polar Spa / Wellness area / Gym
- Modern lecture lounge and Polar library
- 95 spacious comfortable state rooms
- 12 Dedicated solo-travel rooms
- All staterooms with panoramic ocean view
- 75% of all staterooms with panoramic balcony
- 3 Restaurants one sushi restaurant
- Observation speciality restaurant on deck 9
- Infinity pool, jacuzzis, pool bar and sauna

#### M/V OCEAN ALBATROS DECK PLAN



#### **EXPEDITION EXPERIENCE**

At Albatros Expeditions, our aim is to spend as much time possible off the ship, exploring and learning through our landings and zodiac cruises. We also offer a wide range of on-board activities for taking advantage of our time at sea.



#### S CSR auctions & raffles

Giving back is part of moving forward, and at Albatros Expeditions we recognize our responsibility to contribute positively to social, environmental and economic sustainable developments in more ways than one. For this reason, towards the end of each voyage, we host charity auctions and raffles in support of organizations that are improving our environment locally and globally. The projects we collaborate with receive the proceeds of the auctions at the end of each season to make a tangible difference. Bring your spending pants and join us for a fun event that also satisfies the heart.



#### Activities on board

Onboard the vessel excitement continues through a series of activities that will keep your brain and body entertained. From a visit to the captain's bridge, a slideshow presentation at the end of each voyage featuring the best-of picks of our photographer's shoots, as well as welcome and farewell cocktails... and even access to a digital visual journal free to all our guests after their voyage, containing the voyage log, species lists, photo gallery and more!



#### Lectures & Workshops

Due to our passion for knowledge and the world around us, lectures are an essential part of Albatros Expeditions' voyages in the Polar Regions. The Polar Regions are vulnerable to the growing number of visitors and we therefore offer a broad range of enrichment lectures and workshops so our guests not only have transformative experiences but also learn about relevant topics such as wildlife, environment and history, navigation, photography, geology or glaciology, culture and much more!



#### Zodiac Cruises

Zodiac boats are not only used for shuttling guests to/from land. Zodiac cruising is a great way to venture out and get even closer to some of the magnificent sights during your voyage. It is also great for wildlife spotting and for taking in the dramatic sights from up close. The Zodiac boats are perfect for cruising around in the Polar Regions, giving you the chance to see the world from a new and spellbinding point of view.

#### **OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Albatros Expeditions offers a range of optional activities to explore our destinations in new and different ways, like kayaking, a photographic program, snowshoeing and the unforgettable "polar plunge" for the thrill seekers!



#### Photo Program

We always have a dedicated expedition photographer onboard to document the voyage and share their passion for photography through lectures and during landings and zodiac cruises. The Polar Regions are filled with mesmerizing landscapes and amazing wildlife; and the expedition photographer is available to help elevate your photographic capabilities to beautifully capture the magical moments of your voyage.



#### Kayaking

Glide through the waters and take in the royal grace of the icebergs, see the varied birds, seals and maybe even whales in their natural habitat, and paddle through this scenery under the supervision of experienced guides who will ensure your safety during each outing, weather permitting, of course. \*additional fee applies.



#### Polar Plunge

For the brave guests, the polar plunge is a beloved activity. Jump into the ice-cold water for a refreshing sensation with absolute bragging rights when returning home. The ship's crew and expedition team ensure the safety of the guests. All participants receive a polar plunge pin to show off and proudly remember their braveness.



#### Snowshoeing / Hiking

Take in most of the unimaginable landscapes and fresh air by hiking in suitable locations! These guided hikes are perfect if you want to enjoy active sightseeing surrounded by nature; at times crossing streams, on uneven and rocky terrains and/or hilly areas.

Snowshoeing is an activity that allows you to hike across soft, powdery snow, reaching unique vantage points without the hassle of sinking into deep snow. Please note that this activity is only possible sometimes, weather permitting. \*additional fee applies.

#### **FLY THE DRAKE**









Encounter the 7th continent in comfort! Substituting the 2-day Drake passing with a 2-hour flight, we can experience the incredible wildlife, stunning mountain scenery and gigantic icebergs in record time and comfort.

Departing from Punta Arenas in Chile, we fly across the mighty Drake Passage and land at King George Island. From here we embark our wonderful ship and navigate around the South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic peninsula. Throughout the following days we will be making Zodiac landings at penguin rookeries and fascinating lookouts. Continuing southward, deep into the inlets of Antarctica, we pass the famous Gerlache Strait, where 3000-ft ice cliffs rise straight out of the still water. Experiencing so much of the remote continent in comfort, and in so few days, is only possible on a "Fly the Drake" voyage!

Any voyage to Antarctica is an adventure, but this cruise offers a unique experience for the few. Shore landings, excursions, lectures and Zodiac safaris are easily accommodated to help you enjoy an unrivalled expedition experience. Onboard our brand new strong, ice-strengthen (Class 1A) expedition vessel, Ocean Albatros, we are sure to get close to the dramatic coastlines. Zodiac cruising and shore landings are an important and considerable part of the planned itinerary, hopefully enabling all expedition guests to set foot on the Antarctic continent, as well as the many surrounding islands.



#### **ITINERARY**

- Arrival Punta Arenas and getting ready for our expeditions cruise
- Flying the Drake. Flight, King George Island, embarkation and possible first zodiac landing
- Exploring the South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic Peninsula
- Depart Antarctica Back to Punta Arenas
- Punta Arenas

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- Return flight to King George Island from Punta Arenas, in standard seats
- 6-day cruise in a shared outside double stateroom with private facilities
- 2 nights in Punta Arenas in a shared double room (pre & post)
- All Zodiac landings and excursions as per itinerary
- Transfers to/from Punta Arenas airport
- Expedition parka
- Rubber boots on a loan basis
- Guiding, briefing and lectures
- Special photo workshop
- English-speaking expedition team
- Visual Journal link after voyage
- Welcome dinner at hotel (day 1)
- Full board on the ship breakfast, lunch and
- Free tea, coffee and afternoon snacks
- Welcome and farewell cocktails on board

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Visit the Antarctic South Shetland Islands
- Explore the Antarctic Peninsula
- Top wildlife destination in the world with penguins, seals, whales and albatrosses
- Icebergs and glaciated mountains
- Many Zodiac excursions and landings
- Strong expedition ship that enables access to remote areas
- Onboard activities while at sea Lectures, photo workshops and wildlife spotting

### **VOLCANIC ISLANDS OF THE SUN**

-a voyage from Cape Verde to Lisbon

11 days | From only USD 4.590 | Departures in 2023: April 14





Macaronesia is the name for the Atlantic islands off the North African coast. It is also – according to mythology – the winterless resting place for the fortunate heroes of the Greek pantheon. On board Albatros' brand-new expedition vessel Ocean Albatros we now have the fortune to visit five small sanctuaries in this long chain of volcanic islands. From two islands in Cape Verde Archipelago via La Gomera and Tenerife in the Canaries to Portuguese Madeira. After a unique 11-days' voyage we reach Lisbon in Portugal and bid farewell to the crew and vessel.

Each of the islands we visit has its origin from a so-called hotspot of molten magma resting deep under the ocean floor. At intervals, the lava breaks through to form yet another island, while the older volcanoes slowly erode and disappear as submerged seamounts. On all our visits we will see evidence of this hot volcanic past from huge craters to steaming fumaroles and tell-tale lava formations showing signs from their molten creation. As we travel north across the Tropic of Cancer and into the trade winds we go from desert-dry landscapes to cooler and more humid climates enabling local farmers to exploit the immense fertile value of volcanic soils. During the cruise we will experience the diverse cultures from the easy-going Caribbean ambiance in Cape Verde to hardworking mountain farmers on Madeira.

Ocean Albatros offers all the comfort needed for this long voyage. She is specifically designed to provide a better expedition experience than any other ship. The patented X-bow and zero speed stabilizers provide a calmer ride and reduces discomfort for passengers.



#### **INTINERARY**

- Praia on Cape Verde's Ilha de Santiago. **Embarkarkation**
- Island of São Vicente and the cultural hotspot town of Mindelo
- Towards Canary Islands. Lectures
- San Sebastián on La Gomera. Town walks and optional excursion
- Puerto de la Cruz, Tenerife. Town walks and optional excursion
- At sea towards Madeira
- Madeira and Port of Funchal. Town walks and optional excursion
- En route for mainland Europe, enjoy lectures, workshops and bird watching
- Arrive to Lisbon. Disembarkation

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- 11-day/10-nights' cruise with Ocean Albatros in a shared outside/inside double cabin
- English-speaking expedition staff
- Town walks in Mindelo, San Sebastián, Puerto de la Cruz and Funchal
- Zodiac cruises and nature hikes as per itinerary
- Information briefings and lectures by expedition team
- Special photo workshop
- Full board on the ship
- Free Coffee, tea, and afternoon snacks on the
- Taxes, tariffs, and landing fees
- Digital visual journal link after voyage including voyage log, gallery, species list and

- Visit five of the Macaronesia volcanic islands
- Fascinating geological history made inspiring by onboard geology lectures
- Diverse ethnic histories in three countries
- Ocean Albatros' inverted bow and automatic stabilizers gives excellent stability in heavy
- Ocean Albatros exceeds the highest environmental standards and has less than half the carbon emission per passenger of traditional expedition vessels

#### ANTARCTICA & SOUTH GEORGIA

- In only 13 days

ALBATROS EXPEDITIONS

13 days | From only USD 11.990 | Departures: 2023, March 6





South Georgia Island, remotely located in the far south of the Atlantic Ocean, is the dream destination of any wildlife enthusiast. Usually it takes a 3-weeks voyage to visit Antarctica, South Georgia, and the Falklands. But on this unique Ocean Albatros expedition, your adventure commences with a comfortable 2-hour flight from Punta Arenas to King George Island in Antarctica. This way you can visit all three destinations in less than 2 weeks!

After arriving by air to the Chilean Frey Station we will make Zodiac landings on the Antarctic continent before following in the wild wakes of Ernest Shackleton from Elephant Island and onwards to South Georgia. We will make several Zodiac landings at penguin rookeries and elephant seals' haul-outs below spectacular mountain landscapes

This lifetime expedition voyage "in a nutshell" comes to an end in Port Stanley of Falkland Islands after just 13 action-packed days.



#### **ITINERARY**

- Arrival Punta Arenas and getting ready for our expeditions cruise
- 2 Flying the Drake. King George Island, embarkation and possible first zodiac landing
- 3-4 Antarctic Sound, Weddell Sea and Elephant Island
- 5-6 At sea between Antarctica and South
- 7-10 Wildlife wonder of South Georgia
- 11-12 At sea towards Falkland Islands
- Port Stanley, disembarkation. City tour and transfer to airport for home flight

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- One-way flight from Punta Arenas to King George Island, in standard seats
- 12-day cruise in a shared outside double stateroom with private facilities
- 1 nights in Punta Arenas in a shared double room with breakfast (pre-cruise)
- Transfers to Punta Arenas airport
- All Zodiac landings and excursions as per itinerary
- Expedition parka
- Rubber boots on a loan basis
- Special photo workshop
- English-speaking expedition team
- Visual Journal link after voyage
   Welcome dinner at hotel (day 1)
- Full board on the ship breakfast, lunch and dinner
- Free tea, coffee and afternoon snacks
- Welcome and farewell cocktails on board
- Taxes

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Cross the mighty Drake on a comfortable flight
- Explore the Antarctica and South Georgia
- Top wildlife destination in the world with penguins, seals, whales, and albatrosses
- Many Zodiac excursions and landings
- Onboard activities while at sea Lectures, photo workshops and wildlife spotting
- Our brand-new vessel Ocean Albatros ensures less rolling and more comfort in onen sea
- Lower carbon emission per passenger than any other expedition cruise vessels

#### NORDIC RULERS OF THE BALTIC SEA

- Expedition cruising to the Islands of Ruhnu, Gotland and Bornholm

ALBATROS EXPEDITIONS

6 days | From only USD 2.290 | Departure: May 13, 2023



Ruling the Baltic Sea has been the goal of Nordic kings, German knights, and powerful merchants since the Middle Ages. One Danish King fulfilled his dream of power for a few years in the 14th century, whereas the Swedish Empire lasted for more than a hundred years until it broke up at the peace negotiations in 1721. And throughout these eras the Hanseatic League drew strong economic threads between the important trading cities of the Baltic Sea.

The voyage starts in Turku, oldest town of Finland, called Åbo during the Swedish rule and ends after six days of cruising with disembarkation in central Copenhagen, capital of Denmark.

Our brand-new expedition vessel Ocean Albatros will be our home for this beautiful cruise. Like her sister ship Ocean Victory, she is a revolutionary and stylish small ship that combines exquisite comfort with modern technology as well as unique stability in rough seas.

Ocean Albatros can accommodate 188 guests, and the elaborate design, together with a fantastic service from the staff, provides an intimate atmosphere on board. It is easy to find your way around both the common areas inside and the observation areas at the top of the ship, and you avoid large crowds and queues. The total of 93 comfortable and spacious guest rooms and suites all have unobstructed views of the sea and the coasts we pass. Most rooms have a private balcony.



#### **ITINERARY**

- Turku in southwest Finland.
   Embarkation and departure.
- 2 Ruhnu Saar, tiny Estonian island, inhabited by Swedes through 600 years. Zodiac landing.
- Visby on Swedish island of Gotland.
  Scarred by centuries of sieges, attacks
  and plunders from foreign powers,
  Visby has bloomed into the bestpreserved medieval city in Scandinavia.
- Kalmar, Sweden. With its strong castle, Kalmar was one of the most important towns in Sweden during late medieval.
- Bornholm and Christians Ø, Closer to Sweden than Denmark, these easternmost rocky islands of Denmark were taken over and lost several times by the two countries.
- 6 Copenhagen. Disembarking in centre of the Danish Capital.

#### INCLUSIONS

- 6-day/5-nights' cruise on Ocean Albatros in a shared outside double room.
- English-speaking expedition staff.
- Guided half day hike on island of Ruhnu
  Saar
- City walks in Visby and Kalmar.
- Guided hikes on northern part of Bornholm and around Christians Ø.
- Information briefings and lectures by expedition team.
- Photo workshop.
- Full board on the ship.
- Free coffee, tea, and afternoon snacks on the ship.
- Taxes, tariffs, and landing fees.
- Digital visual journal link after voyage, including voyage log, gallery, species list and more!

- Visit four small islands in the Baltic Sea.
- Historical lectures and related town walks in medieval centres.
- Ocean Albatros' inverted bow and automatic stabilizers ensures excellent stability in heavy sea.
- Ocean Albatros exceeds the highest environmental standards and has less than half the carbon emission per passenger of traditional expedition vessels.

#### CRUSADERS OF THE BALTIC SEA

- Historical cruise from Copenhagen to Turku in Finland



6 days | From only USD 2.690 | Departure: May 7, 2023



After the fall of Jerusalem in 1187, Christian states and their crusading knights pointed their weapons at the pagan tribes along the Baltic Sea. This rarely told story of the Danish medieval kings and the expansion of the German order of knights forms the framework for this cruise. The Baltic Sea has always played a central role in the history of Northern Europe. It acted as a parallel to the Mediterranean for the surrounding states, and for a short number of years Denmark – due to her maritime sovereignty – expanded into an empire that stretched around the Baltic Sea all the way to Estonia.

On our route east, we visit some of the medieval trade association's strongest members, Gdansk and Klaipéda, then called Danzig and Memel. We reach the island of Øsel, now Saarema, Denmark's easternmost possession. Our voyage ends in Finland in the beautiful town of Turku,

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#### **ITINERARY**

- Copenhagen, embarkation and departure from central Copenhagen
- Sassnitz, Rügen and Arkona. Danish battle with the Wendian tribes
- 3 Gdansk, a Crusaders' stronghold in Poland
- 4 Klaipéda, Lithuania. Yet another beautiful Hanseatic port of trade
- 6 Kuressaare, Estonia. Former Danish possession
- 7 Turku, oldest city in Finland.
  Disembarkation and transfer to airport

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- 7-day/6-nights' cruise with Ocean Albatros in a shared outside double room.
- English-speaking expedition staff.
- Half day bus excursions on Rügen and in Gdansk, Klaipéda and Kuressaare.
- Airport transfer from Turku to Helsinki.
- Information briefings and lectures.
- Photo workshop
- Full board on the ship
- Free coffee, tea, and afternoon snacks on the ship.
- Taxes, tariffs, and landing fees.
- Digital visual journal link after voyage, including voyage log, gallery, species list and more!

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit six nations and seven towns around the Baltic Sea.
- Historical lectures and related town walks in medieval centres.
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#### **EXPLORERS CRUISE**

#### Antarctic peninsula and the extreme weddel sea

11 days | From only USD 7,990 | Departure: 16 Dec. 2022



Join us for a once in a lifetime expedition voyage to the Weddell Sea and the seventh continent. Experience the incredible wildlife in icy waters, stunning mountain scenery and gigantic icebergs during 11 action-packed days.

Departing Ushuaia in Argentina, we cross the mighty Drake Passage on our way to the South Shetland Islands, where we plan to make our first Zodiac landing. From here we navigate the South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic Peninsula. We plan to make landings at penguin rookeries, research stations and fascinating sights that allow us to enjoy the spectacular views. Continuing eastward, we will explore the Antarctic Sound with its mighty tabular icebergs and enter the Weddell Sea in search for wildlife. On our way back, we plan to follow in Ernest Shackleton and rest of the Endurance crews wake as we navigate close to Elephant Island. On no other journey can you experience so much pristine nature and varied wildlife in so few days!

Expedition cruises that plan to traverse into the Antarctic Sound and Weddell Sea allow their guests for real adventure as the giant ice shelves often changes the routes. The rewards are great though, as the pristine waters and krill rich environment invite many penguins and whales. When Ocean Victory returns to Tierra del Fuego and Ushuaia, depending on weather conditions, we might pass close to the mythical Cape Horn - the southernmost point on South America; a celebrated maritime landmark.

Any voyage to Antarctica is an adventure, but with a maximum capacity of 186 guests aboard Ocean Victory, this cruise offers a unique experience for the few. Shore landings, excursions, lectures and whale safaris are easily accommodated to help you enjoy a matchless expedition experience.

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Make sure you reserve your place, on this fantastic journey in good time, as we only cruise this route once during the season.

#### ITINERARY

- Arrival Ushuaia
- 2-3 At sea Cross Drake Passage, South Shetland Islands
- 4-5 Antarctic Peninsula and South Shetland Islands
- 6-8 Antarctic Sound, Weddell Sea and Elephant Island
- 9-10 Depart Antarctica At sea
- 11 Back to Ushuaia and disembarkation

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- 11-days cruise with accommodation in a shared outside double stateroom with private facilities
- All Zodiac landings and excursions as per itinerary
- Expedition parka
- Rubber boot rentals
- Guiding and lectures by our expedition leader and team
- Special Photo Workshop
- English-speaking expedition team
- Visual Journal link after voyage including voyage log, gallery, maps, species list and more!
- Full board on the ship breakfast, lunch, dinner and afternoon snacks
- Free tea and coffee 24 hours' daily
- Welcome and farewell cocktails
- Taxes

- Includes the South Shetland Islands
- Explore the Antarctic Peninsula
- Visit an area few humans have ever seen
- Navigate into as much of the Weddell Sea's remote nature as possible, leaving us at the edge of what is possible.
- Real expedition, where shifting ice decides our route.
- Unique wildlife destination with penguins, seals, whales and birdlife
- Giant tabular icebergs and glaciated mountains
- Many Zodiac excursions and landings
- Strong expedition ship that enables access to remote areas
- Onboard activities while at sea -Lectures, photo workshops and wildlife spotting

#### REMOTE ISLANDS OF THE ATLANTIC

#### - A Bird Watchers' Adventure



28 days | From only USD 8,990 | Departure: 18 March 2023





#### **MV OCEAN ALBATROS**

The second of Albatros Expedition's new vessels, Ocean Albatros is equally equipped as her sister vessel, Ocean Victory.

The unique reclining bow ensures low fuel consumption and first-class comfort in rough sea. Focus on exterior spaces and quickly deployable Zodiacs provides vast wildlife observation – as do the many elegant balcony



#### **REMOTE ISLANDS OF THE ATLANTIC**

#### - A Bird Watchers' Adventure

The Mid Atlantic islands of Tristan da Cunha, Saint Helena and Ascension are the most remote inhabited places on Planet Earth. This once-in-a-lifetime voyage on our very own vessel, Ocean Albatros, takes you to nine of the Mid Atlantic islands. Each of these islands is a paradise for birders and cetacean enthusiasts, promising a wealth of nature sights, from endemic species to breathtaking mountain and volcanic landscapes. Days at sea will be highlighted with amazing sea bird life, migrating whales as well as unique lectures by our expert staff – and of course delicious dining!

The voyage takes place during March and April. The prevailing winds will be westerly during the first part of the cruise, until we reach Saint Helena and the southeast trade winds. In other words: tailwinds all along!

Our brand-new expedition vessel Ocean Albatros offers all the comfort needed for this long voyage. It is specifically designed to provide a better expedition experience than any other ship. The patented X-bow and zero speed stabilizers provide a calmer ride and reduces discomfort for passengers with a tendency to seasickness.

#### **ITINERARY**

Day 1	Port Stanley on Falkland	• 28-day/2/
	Islands. Embarkation	Albatros in
Day 2-3	At sea towards South Georgia	with privat
Day 4-6	South Georgia. Zodiac	<ul> <li>English-sp</li> </ul>
	landings and wildlife colonies	
Day 7-10	At sea towards Tristan da	<ul> <li>Town walks</li> </ul>

Day 11-13 Gough, Inaccessible & Tristan da Cunha. Visit in Edinburgh of the Seven Seas

Cunha

Day 14-17 At sea towards Saint Helena
Day 18-19 Saint Helena, Jamestown visit
and Zodiac cruises
Day 20-21 Cruising with the trade winds

Day 20-21 Cruising with the trade winds towards Ascension Island

Day 22-23 Ascension Island, Zodiac landings. Looking for green turtles

Day 24-27 At sea, crossing Equator
Day 28 Cape Verde Island,
disembarkation in Praia

#### **INCLUSIONS**

- 28-day/27-nights' cruise with Ocean Albatros in a shared stateroom with private facilities
- English-speaking expedition staff
- Town walks in Edinburgh of the Seven Seas, Jamestown and Georgetown
- Zodiac cruises and nature hikes
- Information briefings and lectures by expedition team
- Special photo workshop
- Full board on the ship
- Free coffee, tea and afternoon snacks on the ship
- Taxes, tariffs, and landing fees
- Digital visual journal link after voyage, including voyage log, gallery, species list and more!



Jamestown on Saint Helena



South Georgia

- Visit nine remote islands of the South Atlantic
- A bird watchers' dream voyage
- Probably more than 150 individual bird species to be spotted
- Nesting Green Turtles on Ascension Island
- Visit Napoleon's prison on Saint Helena
- Ocean Albatros' inverted bow gives excellent stability in heavy sea
- Ocean Albatros exceeds the highest environmental standards and has less than half the carbon emission per passenger of traditional expedition vessels

#### OCEAN ALBATROS EXPEDITION DEPARTURE OVERVIEW 2022 - 2023

DEPARTURE DATE	VOYAGE	DAYS/ NIGHTS	EMBARKATION DISEMBARKATION	POLAR PLUNGE	KAYAKING \$250/TRIP	SNOWSHOEING \$150/TRIP	CAMPING \$350/TRIP	GLACIER CAMPING \$425
18 DEC 2022 - 5 JAN 2023	ANTARCTICA, SOUTH GEORGIA & FALKLAND ISLANDS	18N/19D	USHUAIA	√	√			
5 JAN 2023 - 14 JAN 2023	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√			
23 JAN 2023- 10 FEB 2023	ANTARCTICA, SOUTH GEORGIA & FALKLAND ISLANDS	18N/19D	USHUAIA	√	√			
10 FEB 2023 - 16 FEB 2023	CRUISE ANTARCTICA & FLY BACK	6N/7D	USHUAIA / PUNTA ARENAS	√	√			
24 FEB 2023 - 3 MAR 2023	FLY THE DRAKE & CRUISE ANTARCTICA	7N/8D	PUNTA ARENAS	√	√			
1 MAR 2023 - 8 MAR 2023	FLY THE DRAKE & CRUISE ANTARCTICA	7N/8D	PUNTA ARENAS	√	√			
6. MAR 2023 - 18 MAR 2023	ANTARCTICA & SOUTH GEORGIA - IN ONLY 12 DAYS	12N/13D	PUNTA ARENAS / STANLEY	√	√			
18 MAR 2023 - 14 APR 2023	REMOTE ISLANDS OF THE ATLANTIC; A BIRD WATCHER'S ADVENTURE	27N/28D	STANLEY/ PORTO PRAIA					
14 APR 2023 - 24 APR 2023	VOLCANIC ISLANDS OF THE SUN EXPEDITION	10N/11D	PORTO PRAIA / LISBON					
1 JUN 2023 - 8 JUN 2023	SVALBARD - LAST STOP BEFORE THE NORTH POLE	7N/8D	LONGYEARBYEN	√	√	√		
8 JUN 2023 - 15 JUN 2023	SVALBARD - LAST STOP BEFORE THE NORTH POLE	7N/8D	LONGYEARBYEN	√	√	√		
15 JUN 2023 - 22 JUN 2023	SVALBARD - LAST STOP BEFORE THE NORTH POLE	7N/8D	LONGYEARBYEN	√	√			
22 JUN 2023 - 1 JUL 2023	SVALBARD CIRCUMNAVIGATION	9N/10D	LONGYEARBYEN	√	√			
1 JUL 2023 - 10 JUL 2023	SVALBARD CIRCUMNAVIGATION	9N/10D	LONGYEARBYEN	√	√			
10 JUL 2023 - 19 JUL 2023	SVALBARD CIRCUMNAVIGATION	9N/10D	LONGYEARBYEN	√	√			
19 JUL 2023 - 29 JUL 2023	FOUR ARCTIC ISLANDS	10N/11D	LONGYEARBYEN - REYKJAVIK	√	√			
29 JUL 2023 - 8 AUG 2023	IN THE WAKE OF ERIC THE RED - FROM ICELAND TO GREENLAND	10N/11D	REYKJAVIK - KANGERLUSSUAQ	√	√			√
8 AUG 2023 - 15 AUG 2023	GREENLAND DISKO BAY	7N/8D	KANGERLUSSUAQ	√	√			√
15 AUG 2023 - 22 AUG 2023	GREENLAND DISKO BAY	7N/8D	KANGERLUSSUAQ	√	√			√
22 AUG 2023 - 4 SEP 2023	INTO THE NORTH WEST PASSAGE	13N/14D	KANGERLUSSUAQ	√	√			√
4 SEP 2023 - 14 SEP 2023	IN THE WAKE OF ERIC THE RED - FROM GREENLAND TO ICELAND	10N/11D	KANGERLUSSUAQ - REYKJAVIK	√	√			
14 SEP 2023 - 23 SEP 2023	THE "WILD SIDE" OF EAST GREENLAND; NORTH EAST GREENLAND NATIONAL PARK	9N/10D	REYKJAVIK	√	√			
23 SEPT 2023 - 2 OCT 2023	THE "WILD SIDE' OF EAST GREENLAND; NORTH EAST GREENLAND NATIONAL PARK	9N/10D	REYKJAVIK	√	√			

#### OCEAN VICTORY EXPEDITION DEPARTURE OVERVIEW 2021 - 2023

DEPARTURE DATE	VOYAGE	DAYS/ NIGHTS	EMBARKATION DISEMBARKATION	POLAR PLUNGE	KAYAKING \$250/TRIP	SNOWSHOEING \$150/TRIP	CAMPING \$350/TRIP	GLACIER CAMPING \$425
17 NOV 2021 - 26 NOV 2021	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√	√		
26 NOV 2021 - 10 DEC 2021	SOLAR ECLIPSE - SOUTH GEORGIA AND ANTARCTICA	14N/15D	USHUAIA	√	√			
10 DEC 2021 - 19 DEC 2021	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√	√	√	
19 DEC 2021 - 28 DEC 2021	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS, ANTARCTIC PENINSULA AND SOUTH GEORGIA TO FALKLAND ISLANDS	18N/19D	USHUAIA	√	√		√	
6 JAN 2022 - 15 JAN 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√		√	
12 FEB 2022 - 21 FEB 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√			
21 FEB 2022 - 2 MAR 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√			
2 MAR 2022 - 20 MAR 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS, ANTARCTIC PENINSULA AND SOUTH GEORGIA TO FALKLAND ISLANDS	18N/19D	USHUAIA	√	√			
20 MAR 2022 - 2 APR 2022	PATAGONIAN FJORDS OF CHILE	13N/14D	USHUAIA / VALPARAISO					
2 APR 2022 - 18 APR 2022	EXPEDITION CRUISE FROM CHILE TO COSTA RICA VIA PERU	16N/17D	VALPARAISO / PUNTARENAS					
1 NOV 2022 - 19 NOV 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS, ANTARCTIC PENINSULA AND SOUTH GEORGIA TO FALKLAND ISLANDS	18N/19D	USHUAIA	√	√	√	√	
19 NOV 2022 - 28 NOV 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√	√	√	
28 NOV 2022 - 7 DEC 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√	√	√	
7 DEC 2022 - 16 DEC 2022	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√	√	√	
16 DEC 2022 - 26 DEC 2022	EXPLORERS CRUISE: ANTARCTIC PENINSULA AND THE EXTREME WEDDELL SEA	10N/11D	USHUAIA	√	√		√	
4 JAN 2023 - 13 JAN 2023	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√		√	
18 FEB 2023 - 27 FEB 2023	SOUTH SHETLAND ISLANDS AND ANTARTIC PENINSULA	9N/10D	USHUAIA	√	√			
19 MAR 2023 - 1 APR 2023	PATAGONIAN FJORDS OF CHILE	13N/14D	USHUAIA / VALPARAISO					
1 APR 2023 - 17 APR 2023	EXPEDITION CRUISE FROM CHILE TO COSTA RICA VIA PERU	16N/17D	VALPARAISO / PUNTARENAS					