SOUTH GEORGIA - FALKLANDS, SOUTH GEORGIA & ANTARCTICA | SEAVENTURE



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DEPARTURE

27/12/2022, 29/12/2023

DURATION

21 Days

LOCATIONS

Falkland Islands, South Georgia, Antarctica

INTRODUCTION

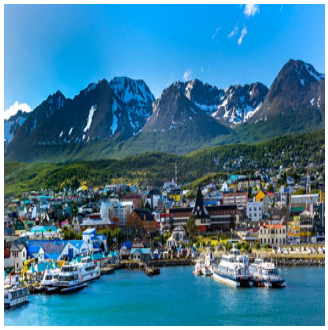
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Departing from Ushuaia this classic voyage will give you the complete taste of Antarctica and the Sub Antarctic Islands. On this 21 Day voyage you will witness the incredible sights of the Antarctic Peninsula, Falkland Islands and South Georgia. Explore the fascinating history of the region, explore secret coves and discrete bays and encounter wildlife like no other on Earth.

ITINERARY

DAY 1: Arrival in Ushuaia - Day 1

No need to stress about missed connections or flight delays as you arrive with plenty of time to unwind and enjoy the beautiful Arakur Resort & Spa or spend time discovering the southernmost city in the world, Ushuaia.



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DAY 2: Ushuaia - Day 2

Explore the sights of Ushuaia such as the museums and Argentinean leather markets or continue relaxing at the hotel. Attend the optional evening briefing for the opportunity to ask questions and meet some of your fellow travelers. *Please note in 21-22 government protocols dictate all guests fly via group charter into Ushuaia. 21-22 Itineraries will start on "Day 2" with an overnight in Buenos Aires before embarking on "Day 3".



DAY 3: Embarkation Ushuaia - Day 3

Spend your morning exploring Ushuaia or unwinding at the resort until our mid-afternoon transfer to the ship. Our Expedition Team and ship staff will greet you on board, followed by a safety and orientation briefing and Captain’s welcome dinner.



DAY 4: Southern Ocean - Day 4

As we sail south, important briefings on environmental regulations and expedition safety are held, and you won’t want to miss our experts as they begin their informative and entertaining talks about the wildlife, history, and geology of the area.



DAY 5: West Falklands/Malvinas - Day 5

We’ll be exploring some of the westernmost settled outposts in the Falklands/Malvinas, where you can take in the beautiful countryside and look for Black-Browed albatross or Rockhopper, King, and Magellanic penguin rookeries.



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DAY 6: Stanley, E Falkland/Malvinas - Day 6

Stanley is a lively hub of activity nestled in a sheltered harbor. Head out on foot to explore the museum, shops and services centered on the port, or look for sea lions, dolphins, and bird life along the shores.



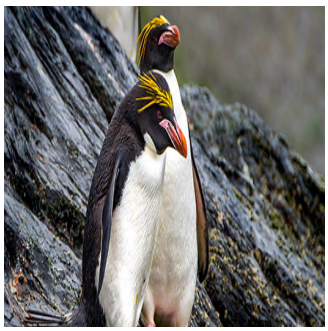
DAY 7: Southern Ocean - Day 7-8

Things really start to ramp up with plenty of wildlife identifying to do as we make our way east across the Antarctic Convergence and officially enter Antarctic waters. Shipboard presentations continue, featuring topics such as the captivating history and abundant wildlife of South Georgia.



DAY 9: South Georgia - Day 9 - 12

South Georgia is often referred to as the ‘Serengeti of the Southern Ocean’ and it’s easy to see why as you take in tens of millions of breeding penguins, seals, and seabirds. Magnificent mountain scenery, glaciers galore, icebergs, a rich historical tapestry, and an incredible array of wildlife will astound you as we travel down South Georgia's leeward coast. We’ll also visit historic Grytviken whaling station, featuring the tiny graveyard where the great Antarctic explorer Sir Ernest Shackleton is buried.



DAY 13: Scotia Sea - Day 13 - 14

Heading farther south, we’ll continue our informative presentations and wildlife spotting as the icebergs become bigger and more plentiful.



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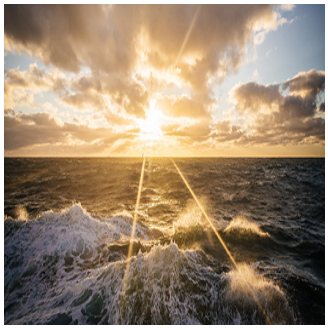
DAY 15: Antarctica - Day 15 - 18

Here we'll explore any number of picturesque bays and famed harbors, maneuvering through majestic channels as we travel the wildlife-rich waters. There are great opportunities to stop at several active scientific bases and historic landing sites as we spot numerous species of penguins, seals, and whales along the rugged coastlines and in the sea.



DAY 19: Drake Passage - Day 19 - 20

We leave this magical place and make our way north, once again crossing the legendary Drake Passage. We have one last hurrah as we celebrate the conclusion of our expedition with a special slideshow and a final meal together.



DAY 21: Disembarkation in Ushuaia - Day 21

With huge smiles on weary, content faces, we disembark in the morning, letting you catch a flight to Buenos Aires or stay in Ushuaia for more sights and adventure.



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INCLUSIONS & DETAILS

Accommodation	Cabin on board ship

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Inclusions	Transfer from airport in embarkation city to group hotel if arriving on Day 1 of itinerary. Two pre-voyage nights hotel accommodation in embarkation city Transfer from the group hotel to ship for embarkation Cabin accommodation on board ship All meals whilst on board All scheduled landings and excursions Citizen science program: Expedition jacket (yours to keep) Complimentary use of rubber boots for duration of voyage Coffee/tea/cocoa 24 hours daily Alcohol (house brands) and non-alcoholic beverages: Mineral water, soft drinks, juices, tea, house wine, various beers, long drinks, cocktails of the day All taxes and port fees WIFI from the public computers 200MB WIFI card for use on personal devices Digital voyage log Guiding and lectures by experienced expedition team **Exclusions** International flights Optional activities not mentioned as included Onboard communication charges such as outgoing phone calls, WiFi from personal devices in excess of the 200 MB provided Travel and medical insurance Personal expenses Gratuities for the staff and crew
Difficulty Rating	2 (light adventure)
Single Surcharge	Available upon request, contact us for more details.
Notes	Please note this itinerary is subject to change depending on weather and ice conditions.
Price Dependent upon	Departure date, season and availability.

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SUSTAINABILITY

We appreciate that voyages to the Antarctic to have an impact on this pristine environment. In light of this, all our voyages are double carbon offset. In addition, we strive to eliminate as many single use plastics as possible from our supply chain. In choosing this voyage you are also supporting the fantastic work done by the Antarctic Science Foundation (ASF) and their work in understanding and protecting this unique destination. In addition all voyages support the Mawsons Huts Foundation (MHF). The MHF support the legacy of Sir Douglas Mawson, the legendary Antarctic explorer and scientist. As a member of IAATO we follow strict guidelines appointed by the Antarctic Treaty System to go above and beyond in support of minimizing negative impacts on this

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pristine landscape. We also encourage clients to look to book pre-and post-accommodation with us, where local businesses will be supported. Our clients also receive restaurant recommendations which support locally owned restaurants.

We carefully select all ships we work with and choose smaller sized vessels to create less impact. We use a highly regulated, licensed vessel which is well equipped to operate in the Antarctic's delicate ecosystem. We view the voyage to the Antarctic as an expedition, not a sightseeing trip. Smaller ships such as ours can navigate narrow waterways and are far less polluting than the larger ships in Antarctic waters. By carrying less passengers, we have far less waste. The waste is carried back to the home port to allow for environmentally conscious waste management and disposal.

For more information on our sustainability policies, including how we are striving towards being a paperless organisation, click HERE

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