



Explora
JOURNEYS

AN OCEAN
OF NEW

SUMMER 2026
MARCH – NOVEMBER

INTRODUCING EXPLORA JOURNEYS

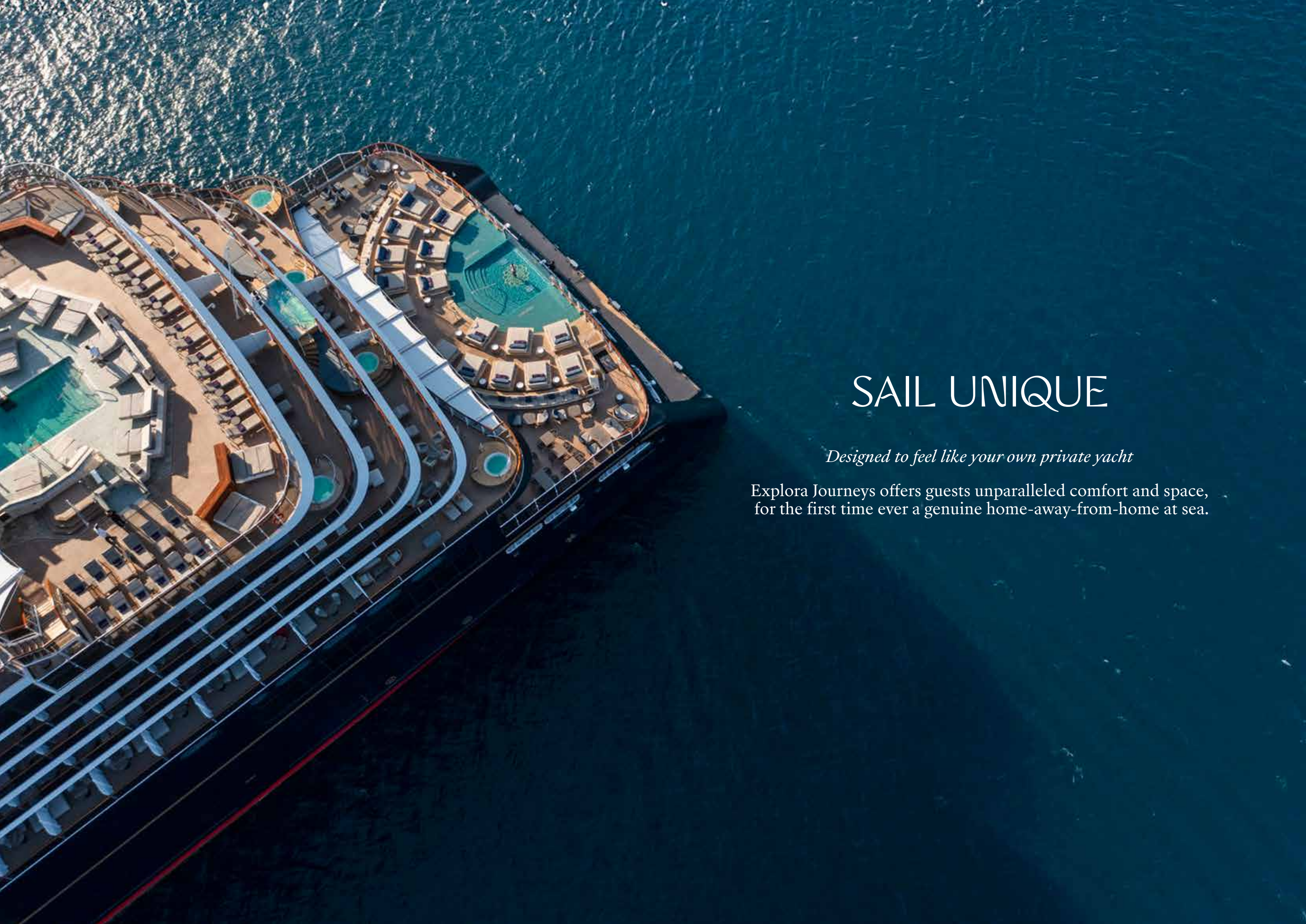
Explora Journeys is the new **LUXURY** *lifestyle* travel brand launched by the MSC Group with the ambition to **REDEFINE** the luxury cruise category.

The concept: Vibrant, cosmopolitan, relaxed European luxury at sea. Instead of cruises, we create journeys – of the mind, and across the oceans of the world, to destinations on and off the beaten track.

On board: Spaces that offer guests relaxed luxury, creating a home at sea. Restoring life's essential balance with a combination of discovery and appreciation for wellbeing and nature. This is what our new discerning travellers have asked for and this is what they will enjoy on Explora Journeys.

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SAIL UNIQUE

Designed to feel like your own private yacht

Explora Journeys offers guests unparalleled comfort and space,
for the first time ever a genuine home-away-from-home at sea.

DISCOVER THE OCEAN STATE OF MIND

Its influence is at the heart of Explora Journeys.

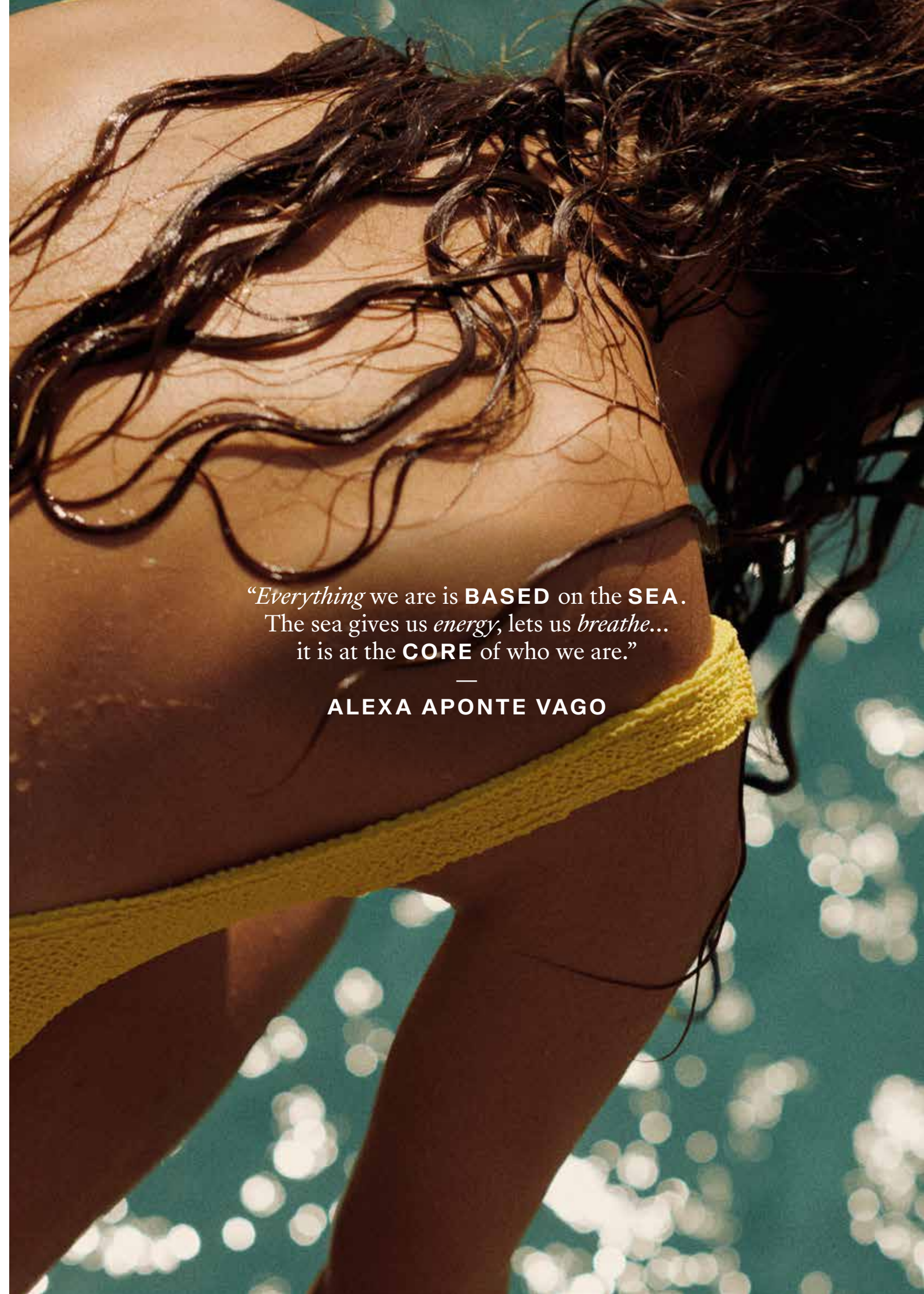
The ocean connects us with ourselves,
other people, and the places around us.
It inspires inner and outer discovery, broadening
horizons and triggering new connections.

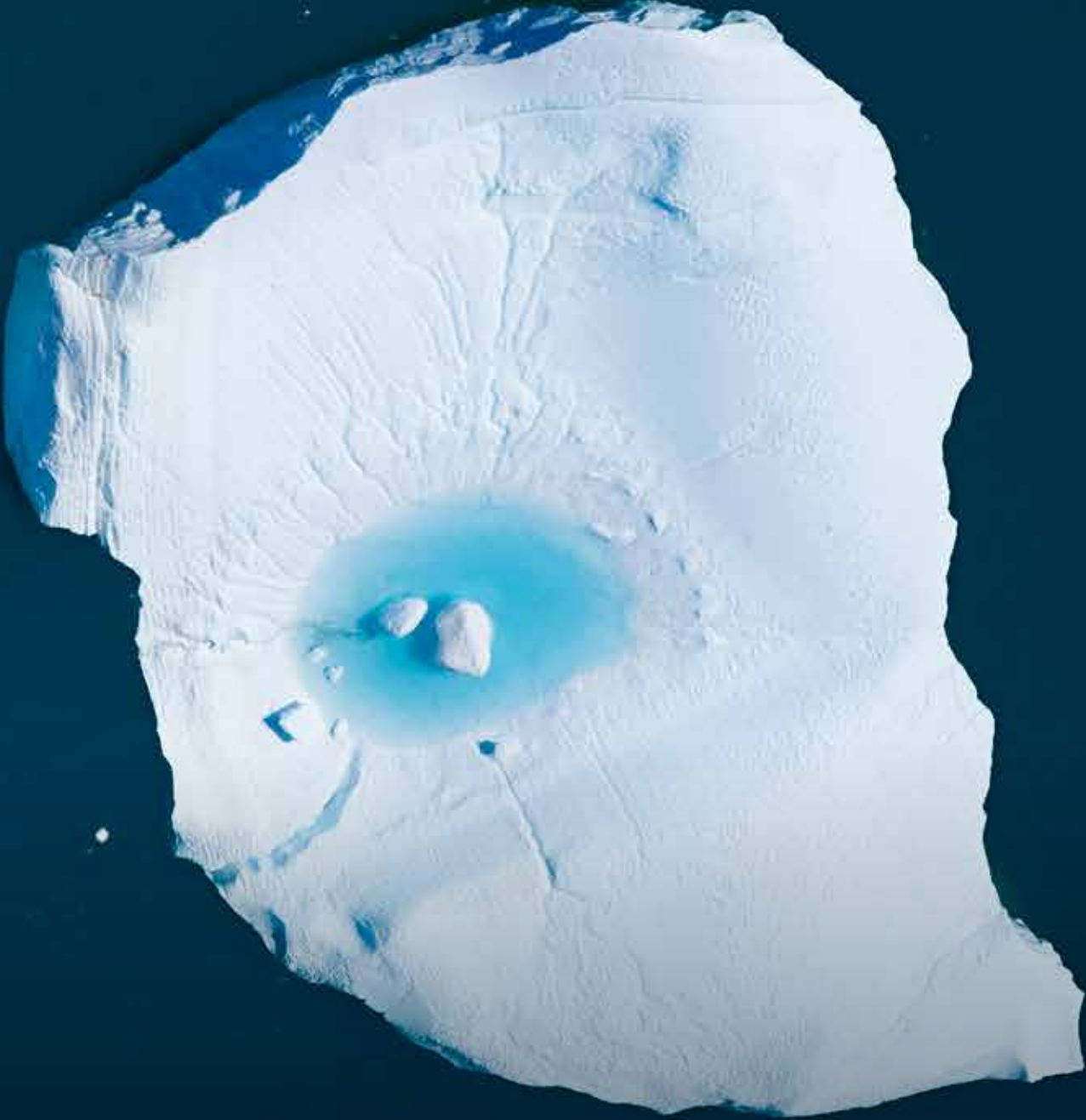
We call this powerful, transformative and rewarding
emotional response the Ocean State of Mind.

“This is the guiding force for everything we do,” says
Pierfrancesco Vago, Executive Chairman, MSC Group
Cruise Division. “Everything we do, everything we offer,
is for one reason alone: to ensure our guests reach
the Ocean State of Mind. It is the ultimate benefit that
makes the Explora Journeys experience unique.”

“*Everything* we are is **BASED** on the **SEA**.
The sea gives us *energy*, lets us *breathe*...
it is at the **CORE** of who we are.”

—
ALEXA APONTE VAGO





OUR JOURNEYS COLLECTION

Explora Journeys is **CREATING** a *collection*
of journeys that offer the *perfect* **BLEND**
of *celebrated* destinations and less-travelled spots,
both seen from *new* and original *points of view*
that will **INSPIRE** and **EXCITE** in equal measure.

OUR DESTINATIONS

The *perfect blend* of **CELEBRATED DESTINATIONS**
and *off-the-beaten-path* ports.

SLOWER PACE AND DEEPER IMMERSION

Most of the journeys in our collection offer overnights and longer stays (or unconventional times of arrival/departure) at destinations for in-depth exploration of the local culture and experiences, while avoiding crowds and larger ships.

SEAMLESS TRAVEL WITH FLEXIBLE ITINERARIES

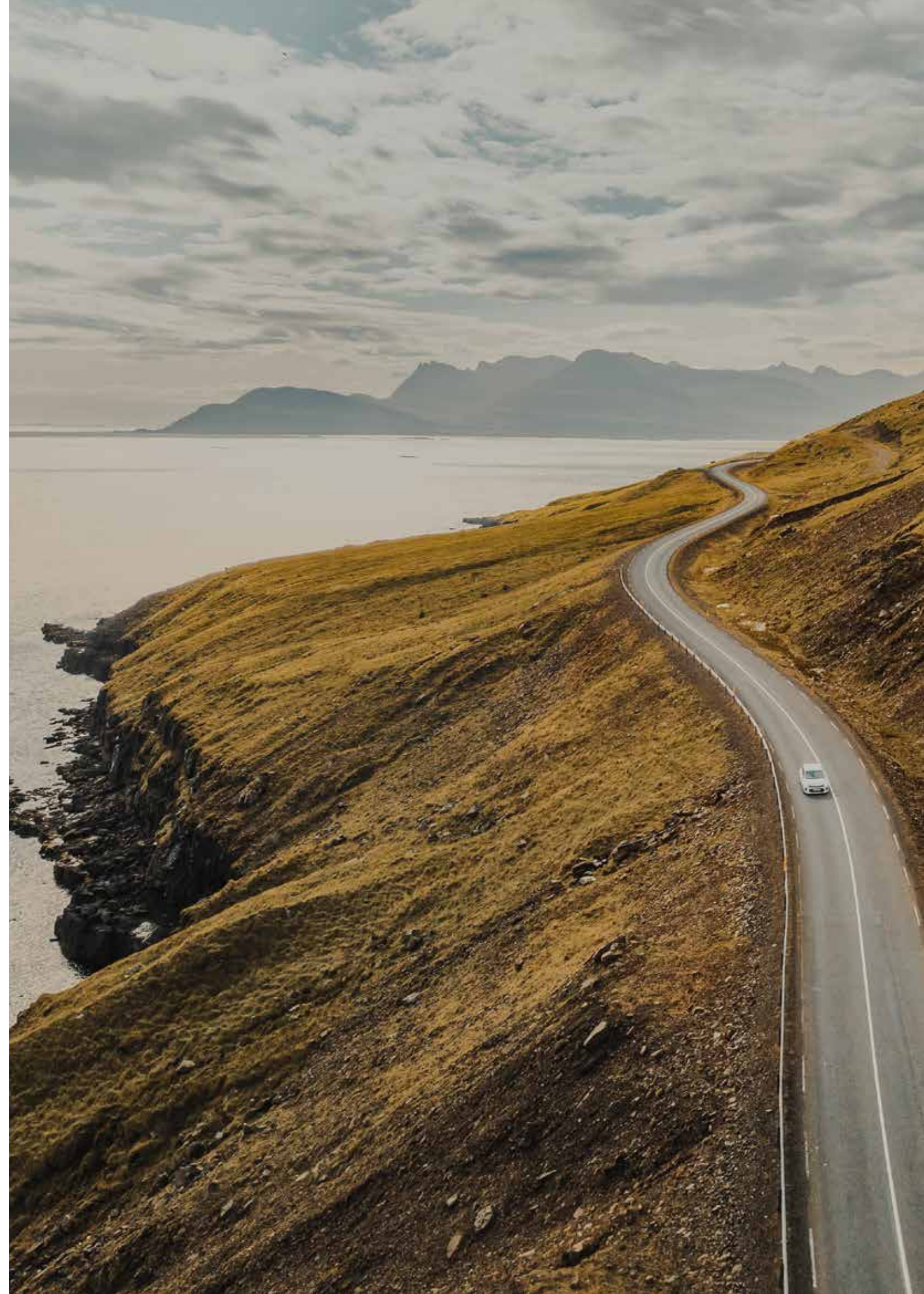
Experience magical journeys, starting at 7 nights, extendable to 14 or 21 nights, all from easy-to-reach ports.

WORRY-FREE TRAVEL WHERE EVERYTHING IS TAKEN CARE OF

Pre- and post-journey hotels, flights, transfers and luggage handling: our Explora Experience Ambassadors ease you into your travel experience by taking care of essential arrangements before and after your journey.

THE ULTIMATE OCEAN ESCAPE WITH EXTENDED JOURNEYS

Guests can combine any consecutive journeys they wish. Extended Journeys are two or more consecutive journeys that together, present deeper, longer travel with more cultural immersion, savings and the ease of remaining in the same suite throughout the whole journey.





OUR DESTINATION EXPERIENCES

The '**OCEAN STATE OF MIND**' is not *lost* when venturing ashore. At *every destination*, Explora Journeys provides **INSPIRING** opportunities for guests to **DISCOVER** authentic *cultural, historical, and culinary delights* from an *extraordinary* perspective.

EXPLORE WITH PEACE OF MIND

- Intimate, smaller groups with like-minded guests, for immersion to local culture – opportunities to understand the culture, connect with locals and feel the real vibe of the places visited
- Enriching opportunities to explore destination essentials, get behind-the-scenes and experience unique locations reserved for Explora Journeys guests, led by local experts
- Seamless and worry-free experiences with everything taken care of, no hidden fees, fully insured partners, transportation arrangements and flexibility in change of plans. If an experience is delayed, our ship will wait
- Crafted experiences curated in collaboration with expert partners and ambassadors such as explorer Mike Horn



AN OCEAN OF NEW

REVEALING SUMMER 2026

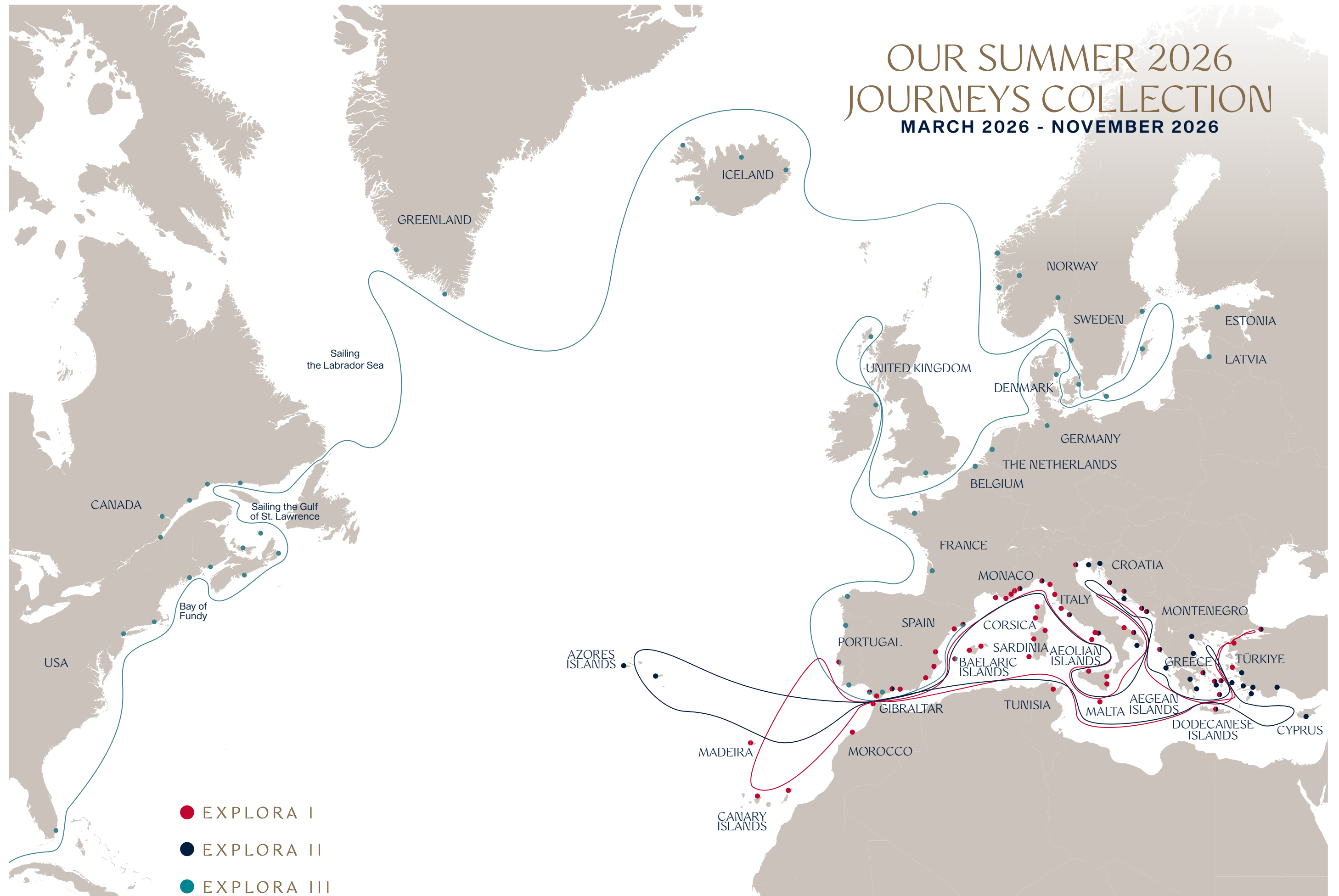
Explora Journeys invites travellers to experience an “Ocean of New” with the introduction of its Summer 2026 Journeys Collection.

In her extraordinary inaugural season, EXPLORA III will navigate the dramatic landscapes of *Northern Europe* and continue westward through *Iceland and Greenland* to the vibrant coasts along *North America’s East Coast and New England*.

Meanwhile, EXPLORA I and EXPLORA II will sail guests to the timeless allure of the *Mediterranean*, exploring its captivating coastlines across celebrated and lesser-travelled destinations.

OUR SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS COLLECTION

MARCH 2026 - NOVEMBER 2026



OUR NORTHERN EUROPE, ICELAND & GREENLAND

A pendulum swings between art, culture, and cocktails in Europe's most cosmopolitan cities and the profound serenity of nature at its most powerful and restorative. Fairytales and folksongs unite Ireland and Iceland with Celtic melodies and ballads that echo with the ghosts of the past. Form and function harmonise in the sheltered harbours of Baltic capitals and Scandinavia's storied cities, where towering spires overlook jagged coastlines and fjord-filled seas.



WESTFJORDS, ICELAND

NATURE UNVEILS ITS MOST SURREAL LANDSCAPES

Soak in the silent majesty of Norway's fjords, where seabirds wheel above the endless seas.

Experience the surreal landscapes of Iceland, where ponies trot along black-sand beaches and mossy lava fields hold secrets, then journey into Greenland's untouched wilderness and pristine bergy bays along its southern shores.

Here, **TIME** is marked by *tectonic* shifts, *frothing* **GEYSERS** and *stirring* **VOLCANOES** that beckon the *adventurous* spirit.



Journey through *awe-inspiring* **LANDSCAPES**
and *rugged* **COASTLINES** as you immerse yourself
in *charming* **TRADITIONS**.

OUR US & CANADA EAST COAST & NEW ENGLAND

Glide along North America's Atlantic seaboard, where French capitals, Scottish villages, historic strongholds, and vibrant Indigenous cultures await. Journey between cosmopolitan cultural hubs, explore hidden coves crowned with colourful lighthouses, or relax on balmy beaches exuding Latin charm. The Canadian Maritimes beckon in the peak of autumn's vibrant hues.



NEW YORK CITY

SAIL THROUGH A VIVID TABLEAU OF RARE WONDERS

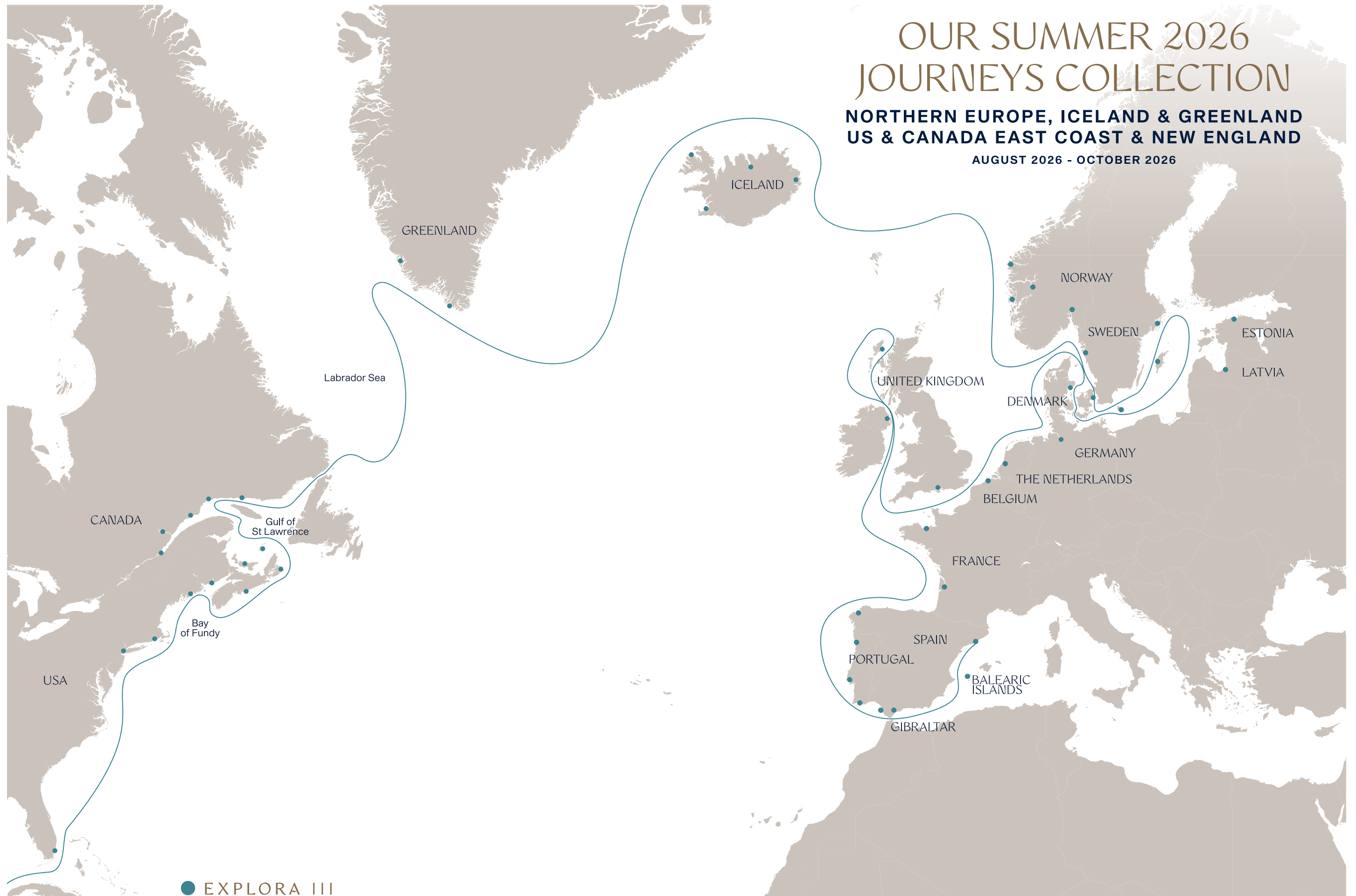
Waves of cinematic landscapes unfurl along scalloped shores where time and tide have sculpted rugged cliffs, deep river canyons, and pine-covered slopes.

Savour regional dishes, celebrate local customs, and admire the sustainable spirit that thrives in these tranquil, scenic surroundings.

OUR SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS COLLECTION

**NORTHERN EUROPE, ICELAND & GREENLAND
US & CANADA EAST COAST & NEW ENGLAND**

AUGUST 2026 - OCTOBER 2026



SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS

17 August - 9 September 2026



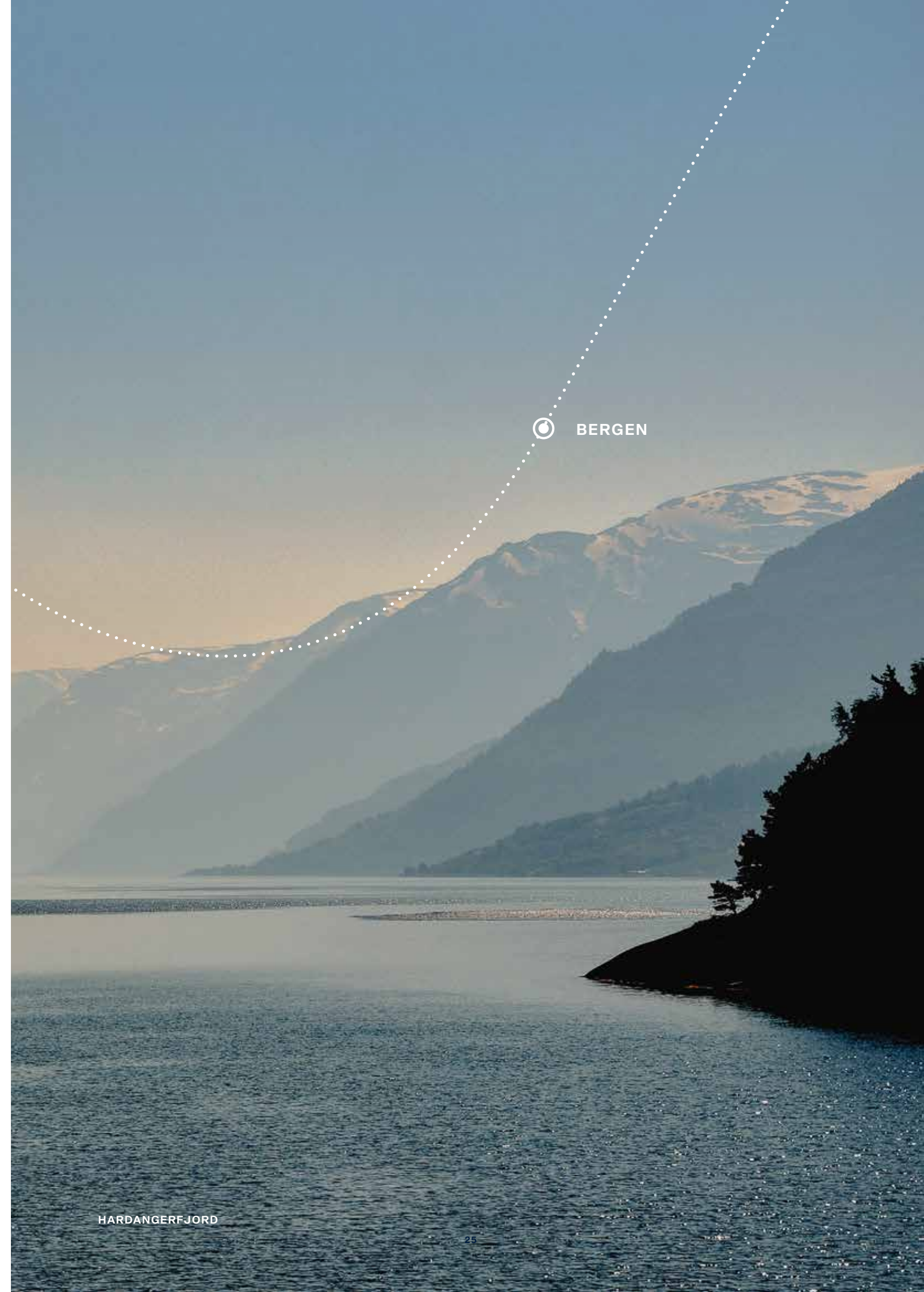
AMSTERDAM

THREE WEEKS OF STUNNING SCENERY & ENCHANTING FJORDS

23 Nights | *EXPLORA III*

From Southampton's lively quay, journey to Bruges' medieval past and Amsterdam's scenic canals. Drift towards charming Måløy, Bergen's stunning peaks and Flåm's breathtaking fjords before Copenhagen welcomes us with cosy neighbourhoods. Continue to Tallinn's splendour, Stockholm's chic, Riga's Art Nouveau, and Visby's UNESCO heritage. Discover Rønne's rocky beauty, Aarhus' vibrant culture, Göteborg's Nordic treasures, before Oslo's whimsical greens.

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BERGEN

HARDANGERFJORD

THREE WEEKS OF STUNNING SCENERY & ENCHANTING FJORDS

JOURNEY 1

SOUTHAMPTON TO COPENHAGEN

17 - 25 August 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
17.08	SOUTHAMPTON		18:00
18.08	Zeebrugge (Bruges)	09:00	19:00
19.08	Amsterdam	08:00	18:00
20.08	At Sea		
21.08	Måløy	09:00	20:00
22.08	Bergen	09:00	19:00
23.08	Flåm	09:00	18:00
24.08	At Sea		
25.08	COPENHAGEN	08:00	

JOURNEY 2

COPENHAGEN TO COPENHAGEN

25 August - 2 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
25.08	COPENHAGEN		17:00
26.08	At Sea		
27.08	Tallinn	09:00	16:00
28.08	Stockholm	09:00	
29.08	Stockholm		13:00
30.08	Riga	09:00	18:00
31.08	Visby (Gotland)	08:00	18:00
01.09	Rønne	09:00	20:00
02.09	COPENHAGEN	08:00	

JOURNEY 3

COPENHAGEN TO SOUTHAMPTON

2 - 9 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
02.08	COPENHAGEN		20:00
03.08	Aarhus	08:00	18:00
04.08	Göteborg	08:00	18:00
05.08	Oslo	08:00	23:55
06.08	At Sea		
07.08	Hamburg	08:00	20:00
08.08	At Sea		
09.09	SOUTHAMPTON	07:00	



SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS

9 - 17 September 2026

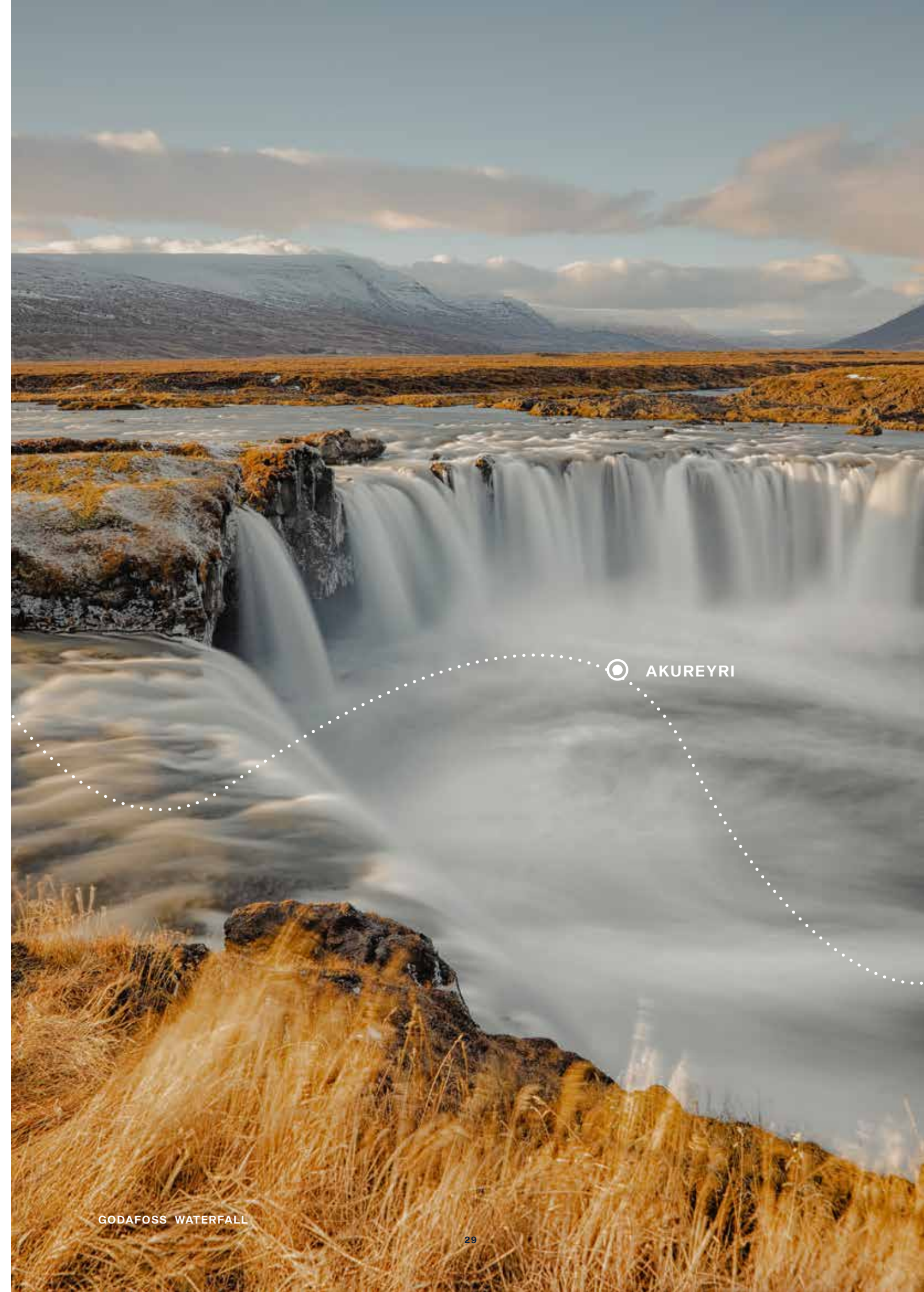


A JOURNEY THROUGH NORDIC DISCOVERIES & GEOTHERMAL WONDERS

8 Nights | *EXPLORA III*

Sail from the maritime soul of Southampton to Belfast's museum-rich, music-filled streets. Discover the rugged landscapes and Gaelic heritage of the Outer Hebrides in Stornoway. Enjoy ocean-inspired wellness aboard EXPLORA III as we arrive for the first time in Seyðisfjörður to explore a tranquil, colourful fjord village. In Akureyri, wander through botanical gardens and dip into restorative hot springs before drifting to the geothermal delights of Iceland's capital, Reykjavik.

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A JOURNEY THROUGH NORDIC DISCOVERIES & GEOTHERMAL WONDERS

SOUTHAMPTON TO REYKJAVIK

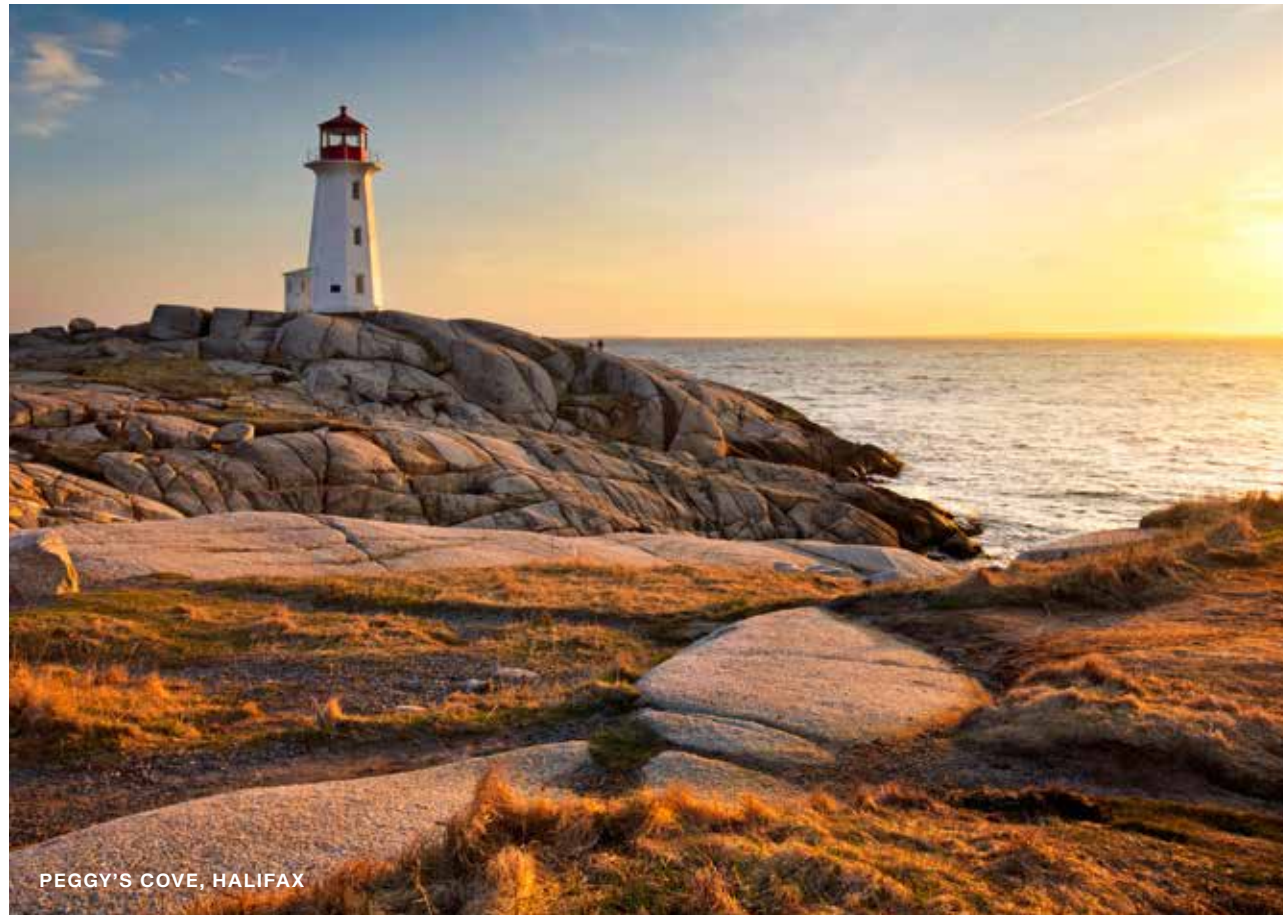
9 - 17 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
09.09	SOUTHAMPTON		17:00
10.09	At Sea		
11.09	Belfast	08:00	18:00
12.09	Stornoway (Isle of Lewis)	10:00	18:00
13.09	At Sea		
14.09	Seyðisfjörður	09:00	17:00
15.09	Akureyri	08:00	18:00
16.09	Reykjavik	15:00	
17.09	REYKJAVIK		



SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS

17 September - 7 October 2026



PEGGY'S COVE, HALIFAX

A THREE-WEEK JOURNEY THROUGH RUGGED LANDSCAPES & NORTH AMERICAN GEMS

20 Nights | *EXPLORA III*

Begin in Reykjavik, then sail to Iceland's haven of Isafjordur and traverse the fjords of Prins Christian Sund to reach Paamiut and Nanortalik's Greenlandic wild beauty. Cross the scenic Labrador Sea to arrive in Havre-Saint-Pierre and Baie-Comeau. Quebec City's historic charm leads to La Baie's scenic fjord, Charlottetown's vibrant coast, Sydney's Celtic spirit, and Halifax's lively waterfront, ending in the iconic energy of New York City.

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SYDNEY

NOVA SCOTIA

A THREE-WEEK JOURNEY THROUGH RUGGED LANDSCAPES & NORTH AMERICAN GEMS

JOURNEY 1

REYKJAVIK TO QUEBEC CITY

17 - 28 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
17.09	REYKJAVIK		18:00
18.09	Isafjordur	08:00	17:00
19.09	At Sea		
20.09	Sailing the Prins Christian Sund waterway		
21.09	Paamiut	08:00	16:00
22.09	Nanortalik	09:00	17:00
23.09	Sailing the Labrador Sea		
24.09	Sailing the Strait of Belle Isle		
25.09	Havre-Saint-Pierre	09:00	18:00
26.09	Baie-Comeau	09:00	18:00
27.09	Quebec City	09:00	
28.09	QUEBEC CITY		

JOURNEY 2

QUEBEC CITY TO NEW YORK CITY

28 September - 7 October 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
28.09	QUEBEC CITY		19:00
29.09	La Baie (Saguenay)	08:00	16:00
30.09	Sept-Iles	09:00	18:00
01.10	At Sea		
02.10	Charlottetown (Prince Edward Island)	08:00	17:00
03.10	Sydney	08:00	17:00
04.10	Halifax	09:00	19:00
05.10	At Sea		
06.10	Newport	08:00	17:00
07.10	NEW YORK CITY	07:00	



OUR MEDITERRANEAN

“The sea was sapphire coloured, and the sky burned like a heated opal through air. We hoisted sail; the wind was blowing fair.” So wrote Oscar Wilde as he sailed for Greece and its islands, where every cove, olive grove and flower-strewn mountaintop captured his imagination. We endeavour to do the same on our explorations of the Mediterranean, combining the beguiling glamour of French Riviera and the Côte d’Azure with island hopping from Sardinia, Ibiza and Santorini to Captain Corelli’s Kefalonia.

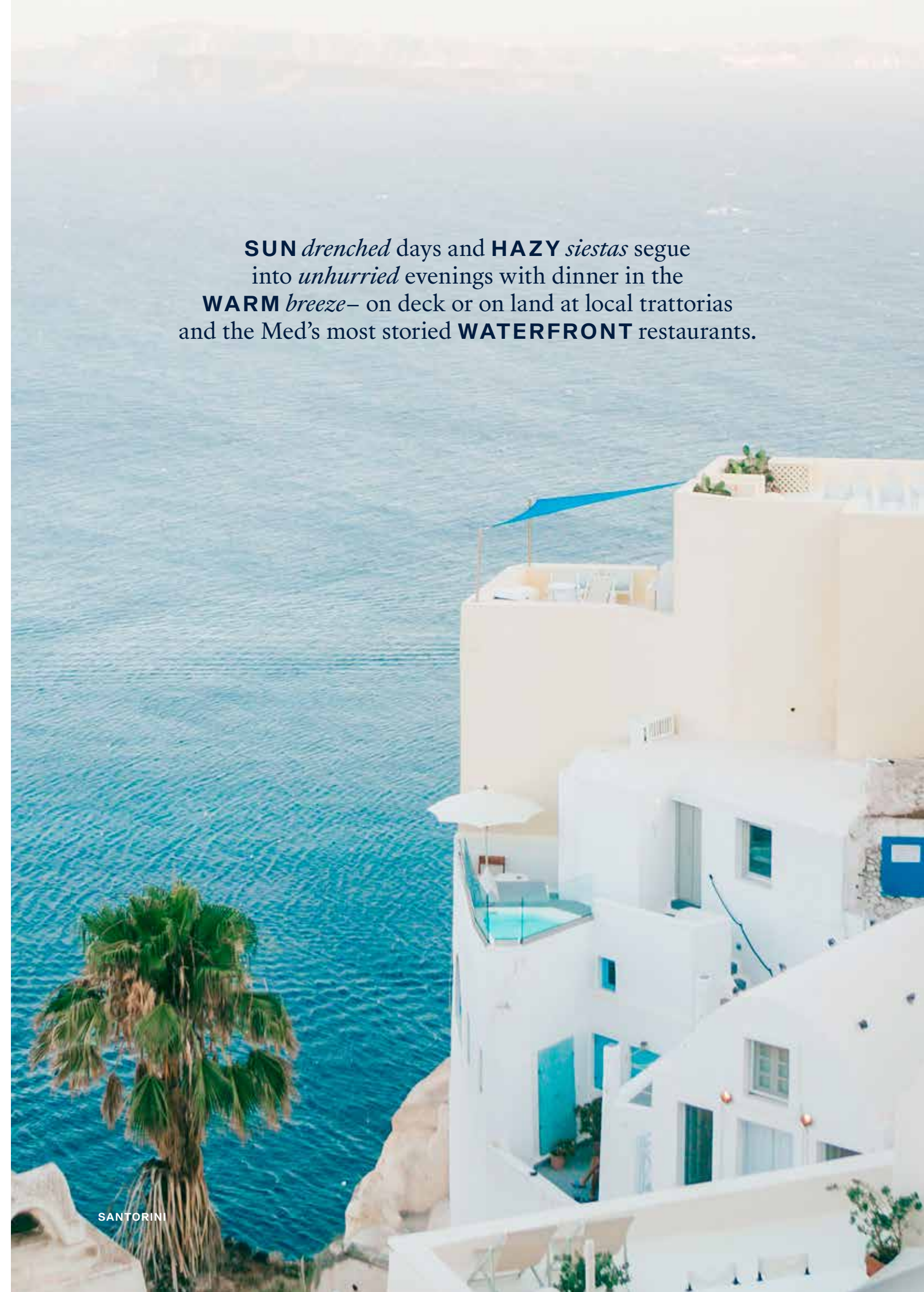


WE TIME TRAVEL BACK TO THE CLASSICAL CIVILISATIONS OF ATHENS AND ROME.

Step in awe amidst their ancient ruins and savour the spell cast by Europe’s wealth of great art and glorious architecture. Visits ashore may range from a quiet caffè latte in a shaded piazza corner to a cocktail.

Back on board we channel the people of the Mediterranean, who have long mastered the art of living well.

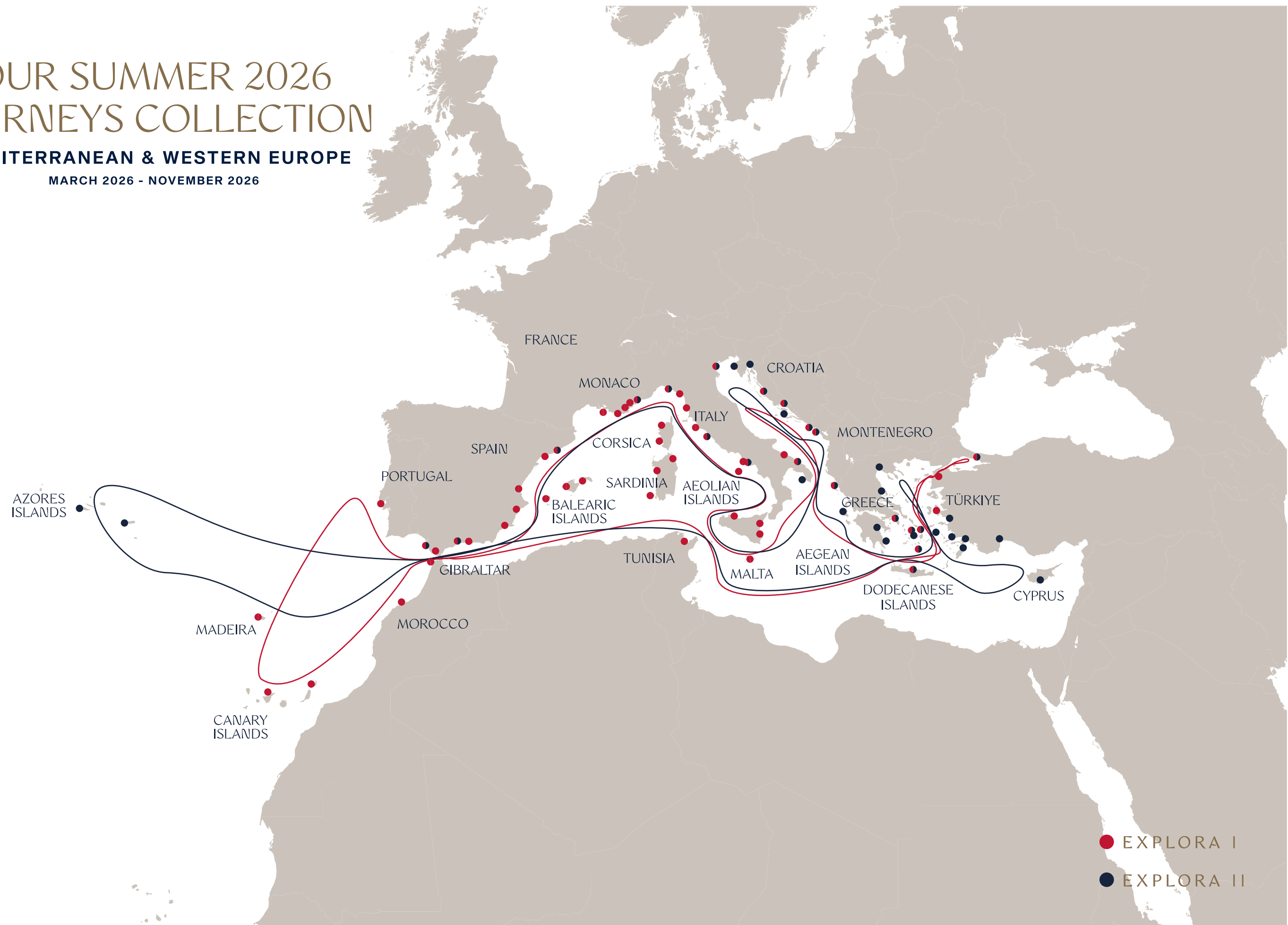
SUN *drenched* days and **HAZY** *siestas* segue into *unhurried* evenings with dinner in the **WARM** *breeze*— on deck or on land at local trattorias and the Med’s most storied **WATERFRONT** restaurants.



OUR SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS COLLECTION

MEDITERRANEAN & WESTERN EUROPE

MARCH 2026 - NOVEMBER 2026



SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS

22 June – 6 July 2026



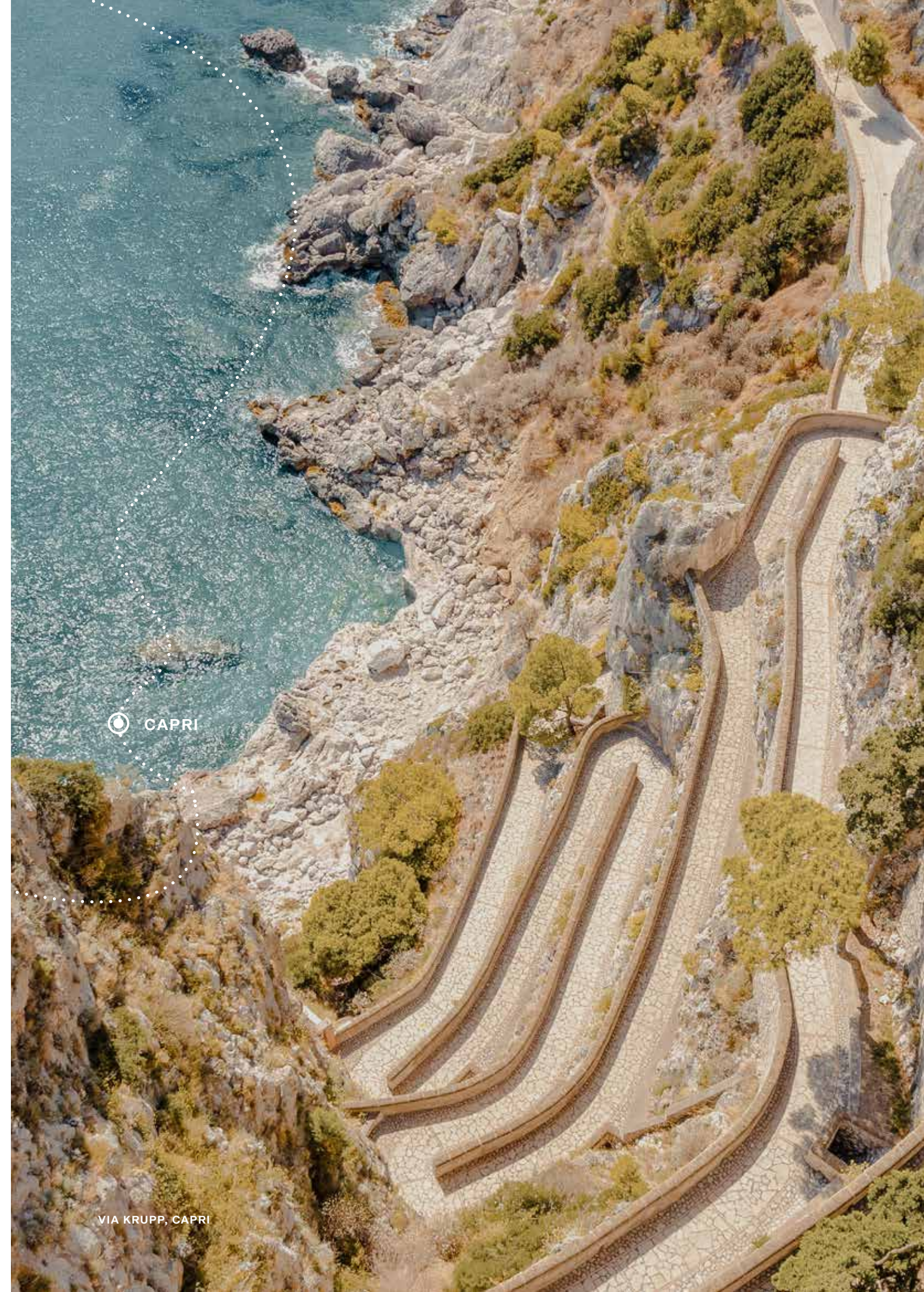
CALANQUES BETWEEN CASSIS AND MARSEILLE

TWO ENCHANTING WEEKS OF SHIMMERING MEDITERRANEAN SHORES & HISTORIC BEAUTY

14 Nights | *EXPLORA I*

Explore the Mediterranean's allure, from Barcelona's vibrant charm to Cannes' Riviera elegance and Portofino's rugged coast. Florence's art contrasts with Porto Cervo's serene beaches. Discover Rome's ancient secrets and Naples' storied streets, then Capri's mythical beauty. Corsica and Nice offer peaceful shores, Marseille brims with tradition, and Menorca brings calm. Complete your journey by returning to Barcelona's colourful heart.

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CAPRI

VIA KRUPP, CAPRI

TWO ENCHANTING WEEKS OF SHIMMERING MEDITERRANEAN SHORES & HISTORIC BEAUTY

JOURNEY 1

BARCELONA TO ROME

22 - 29 June 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
22.06	BARCELONA		20:00
23.06	At Sea		
24.06	Cannes	08:00	21:00
25.06	Portofino	09:00	23:00
26.06	Livorno (Florence)	07:00	20:00
27.06	Porto Cervo (Sardinia)	14:00	23:55
28.06	Ajaccio (Corsica)	08:00	18:00
29.06	CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)	07:00	

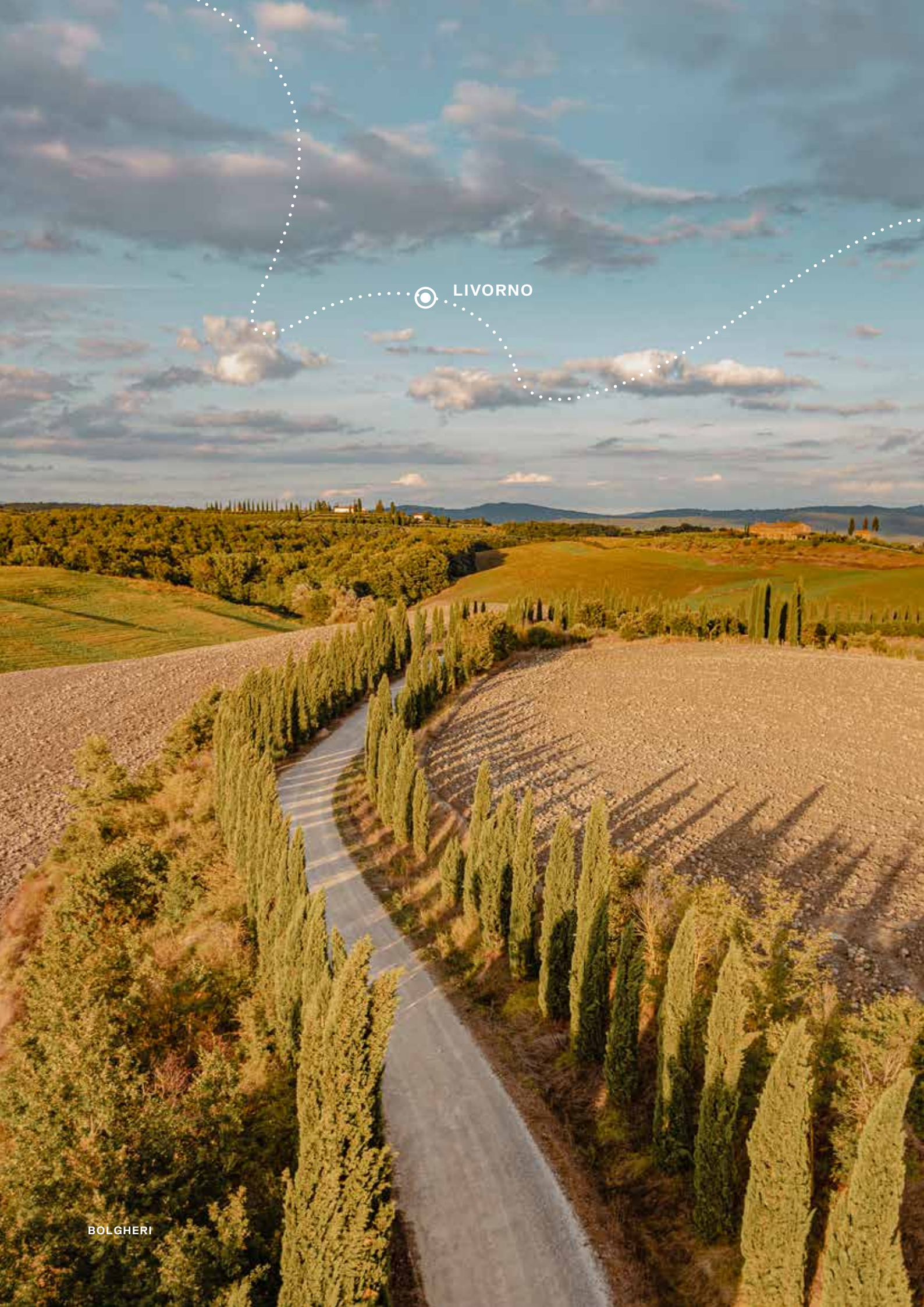
JOURNEY 2

ROME TO BARCELONA

29 June - 6 July 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
29.06	CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)		20:00
30.06	Naples	08:00	16:00
30.06	Capri	19:00	02:00
01.07	At Sea		
02.07	Calvi (Corsica)	08:00	20:00
03.07	Villefranche-sur-Mer (Nice)	08:00	22:00
04.07	Marseille	08:00	18:00
05.07	Mahón (Menorca)	09:00	20:00
06.07	BARCELONA	08:00	





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OUR SUMMER 2026 DESTINATION EXPERIENCES

26 June 2026



DISCOVER BOLGHERI

From Livorno

Journey through Tuscany's stunning countryside along the legendary Viale dei Cipressi (Cypress Avenue), where ancient trees are serried like timeless sentries. This scenic route leads to Bolgheri—a village celebrated in Giosuè Carducci's poetry—where history is etched into every stone and brick. Amidst the quiet beauty of this walled town, explore charming streets that brim with history. Then, adjourn to a local estate for a tasting of local wines that are an authentic expression of the land and its heritage.

To discover more of our experiences in Italy and in the Mediterranean please visit explorajourneys.com

SUMMER 2026 JOURNEYS

31 August – 14 September 2026

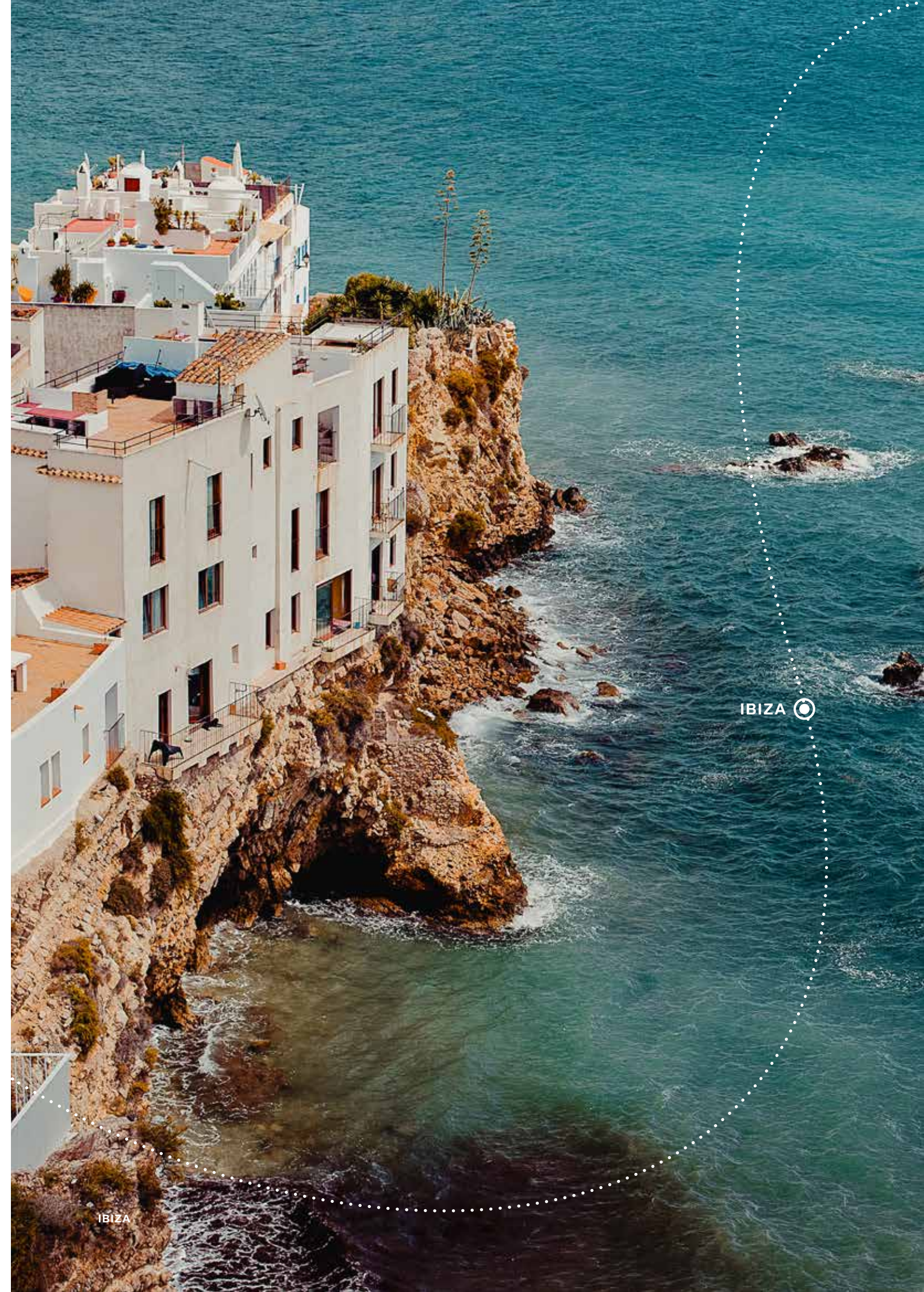


A FORTNIGHT BETWEEN ARTISTIC SPIRIT, ELEGANCE & CULTURAL ESSENCE

14 Nights | *EXPLORA I*

Embark from Barcelona's Catalan energy, then unwind on Ibiza's serene beaches or embrace its vibrant nightlife. Discover Tunis rich souks, explore Valletta's golden fortresses, and wander Taormina's Greco-Roman streets. In Sorrento, enjoy Vesuvian views before Rome's timeless splendour. Glide to Argentario's Tuscan coast, bask in Monte Carlo and Saint Tropez's glamour. Finish with Valencia's towers and Palma de Mallorca's rugged coast.

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JOURNEY 1

BARCELONA TO ROME

31 August- 7 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
31.08	BARCELONA		20:00
01.09	Ibiza	11:00	03:00
02.09	At Sea		
03.09	La Goulette (Tunis)	09:00	16:00
04.09	La Valletta	09:00	20:00
05.09	Taormina (Sicily)	08:00	19:00
06.09	Sorrento	08:00	20:00
07.09	CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)	07:00	

JOURNEY 2

ROME TO BARCELONA

7 - 14 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
07.09	CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)		20:00
08.09	Porto Santo Stefano (Argentario)	08:00	20:00
09.09	Monte Carlo	09:00	23:30
10.09	Saint-Tropez	08:00	23:30
11.09	At Sea		
12.09	Valencia	09:00	20:00
13.09	Palma de Mallorca	09:00	21:00
14.09	BARCELONA	08:00	



OUR SUMMER 2026 DESTINATION EXPERIENCES

10 September 2026

📍 SAINT-TROPEZ



ROSÉ TASTING & A MICHELIN-STARRED LUNCH

From Saint-Tropez

Indulge your senses with a duo of rosé wine tastings and a Michelin-starred meal. Northeast of Saint Tropez, the Château d'Esclans is home to Whispering Angel, one of the world's most celebrated rosé wines. Learn about the estate's industry-leading viticulture as you wander the beautiful vineyards and sample several delicious vintages. For lunch, enjoy a gourmet meal at the Michelin-starred Chez Bruno, renowned for its truffle dishes.

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4 May - 25 May 2026

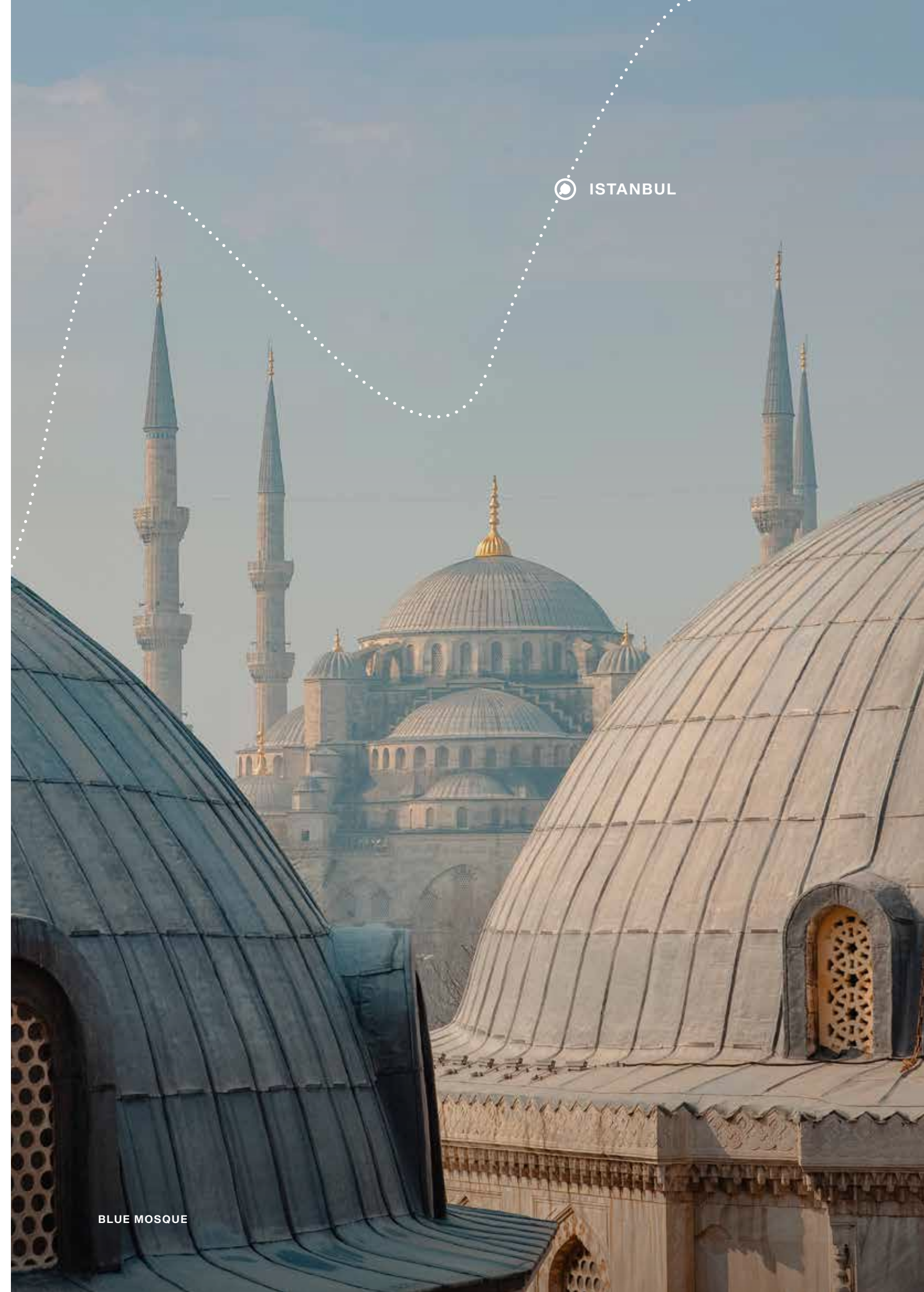


A THREE-WEEK VOYAGE THROUGH LUSH LANDSCAPES & LEGENDARY MARVELS

21 Nights | *EXPLORA II*

We first sail to Patmos's peaceful shores, explore Istanbul's vibrant bazaars, and uncover Ephesus's ancient. Bask on Mykonos's glittering coast, then drift to Paros's sandy beaches and Rhodes's mythical paths. Continue to Corfu's olive groves, Hvar's lavender hills, and Croatia's Rijeka. Explore Venice's romantic canals, Dubrovnik's medieval walls, and Santorini's sunsets before Athens welcomes us back, full of timeless allure.

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BLUE MOSQUE

A THREE-WEEK VOYAGE THROUGH LUSH LANDSCAPES & LEGENDARY MARVELS

JOURNEY 1

ATHENS TO ATHENS

4 - 11 May 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
04.05	PIRAEUS (ATHENS)		20:00
05.05	Patmos	09:00	23:00
06.05	At Sea		
07.05	Istanbul	08:00	02:00
08.05	At Sea		
09.05	Kusadasi (Ephesus)	08:00	21:00
10.05	Mykonos	08:00	22:00
11.05	PIRAEUS (ATHENS)	07:00	

JOURNEY 2

ATHENS TO VENICE

11 - 18 May 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
11.05	PIRAEUS (ATHENS)		20:00
12.05	Paros	09:00	20:00
13.05	Rhodes	09:00	20:00
14.05	At Sea		
15.05	Corfu	09:00	19:00
16.05	Hvar	12:00	20:00
17.05	Rijeka	09:00	20:00
18.05	FUSINA (VENICE)	08:00	

JOURNEY 3

VENICE TO ATHENS

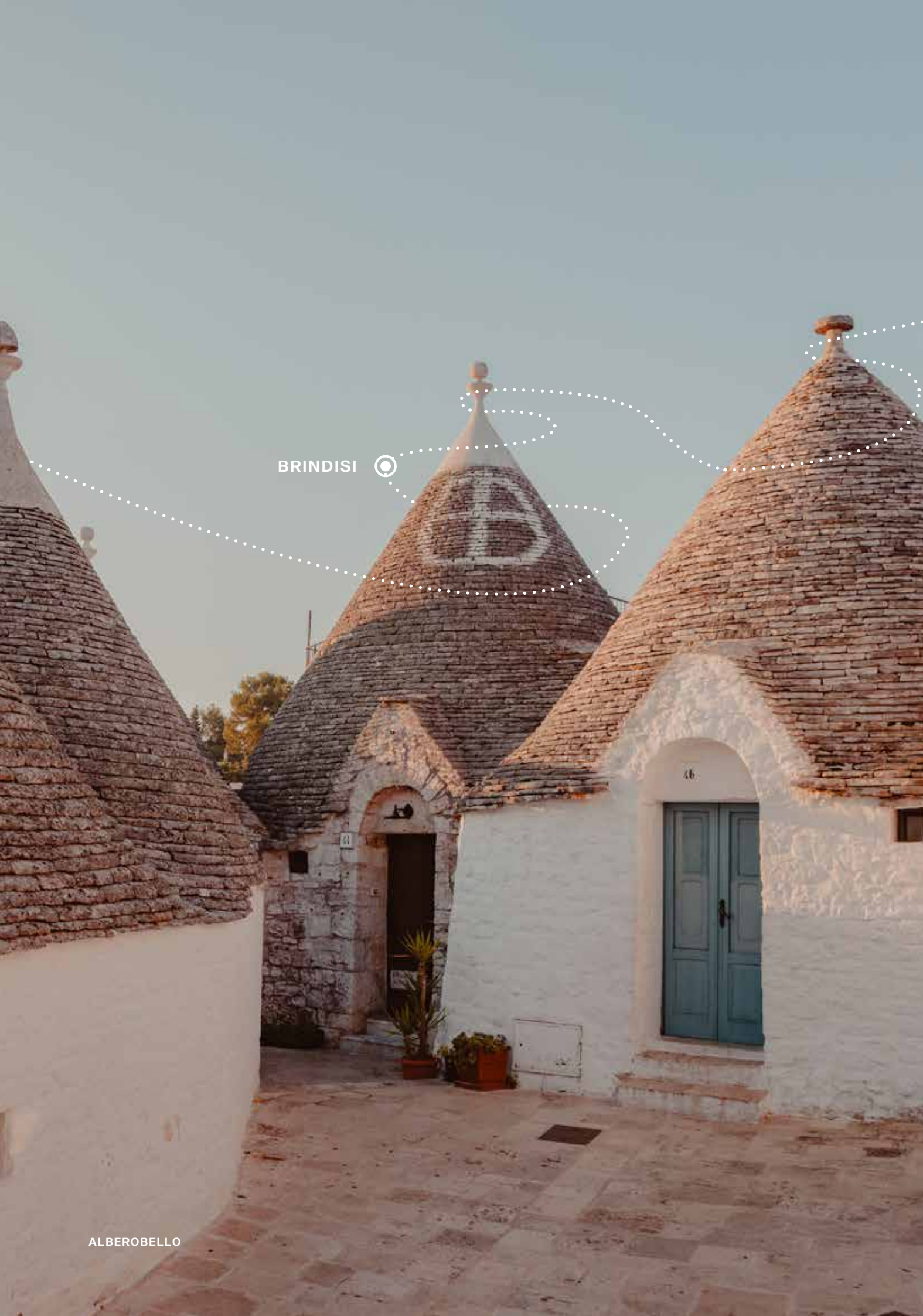
18 - 25 May 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
18.05	FUSINA (VENICE)		18:00
19.05	Rovinj	08:00	19:00
20.05	Dubrovnik	12:00	23:00
21.05	Brindisi	09:00	19:00
22.05	Kotor	08:00	18:00
23.05	At Sea		
24.05	Santorini	09:00	21:00
25.05	PIRAEUS (ATHENS)	07:00	



OUR SUMMER 2026 DESTINATION EXPERIENCES

21 May 2026



BRINDISI



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ALBEROBELLO'S FAIRYTALE TRULLI

From Brindisi

Experience the quirky charm of Alberobello, the most popular UNESCO World Heritage Site of three in Puglia. Its the simple but unique trulli, or dry stone hut dwellings, with their tajine-lid roofs originating in the 16th century, that have made the Itria Valley world-famous. See the magical appeal of these huts up close, wander the town's narrow streets, and take photos that recall the set of a fantasy film.

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24 August - 7 September 2026



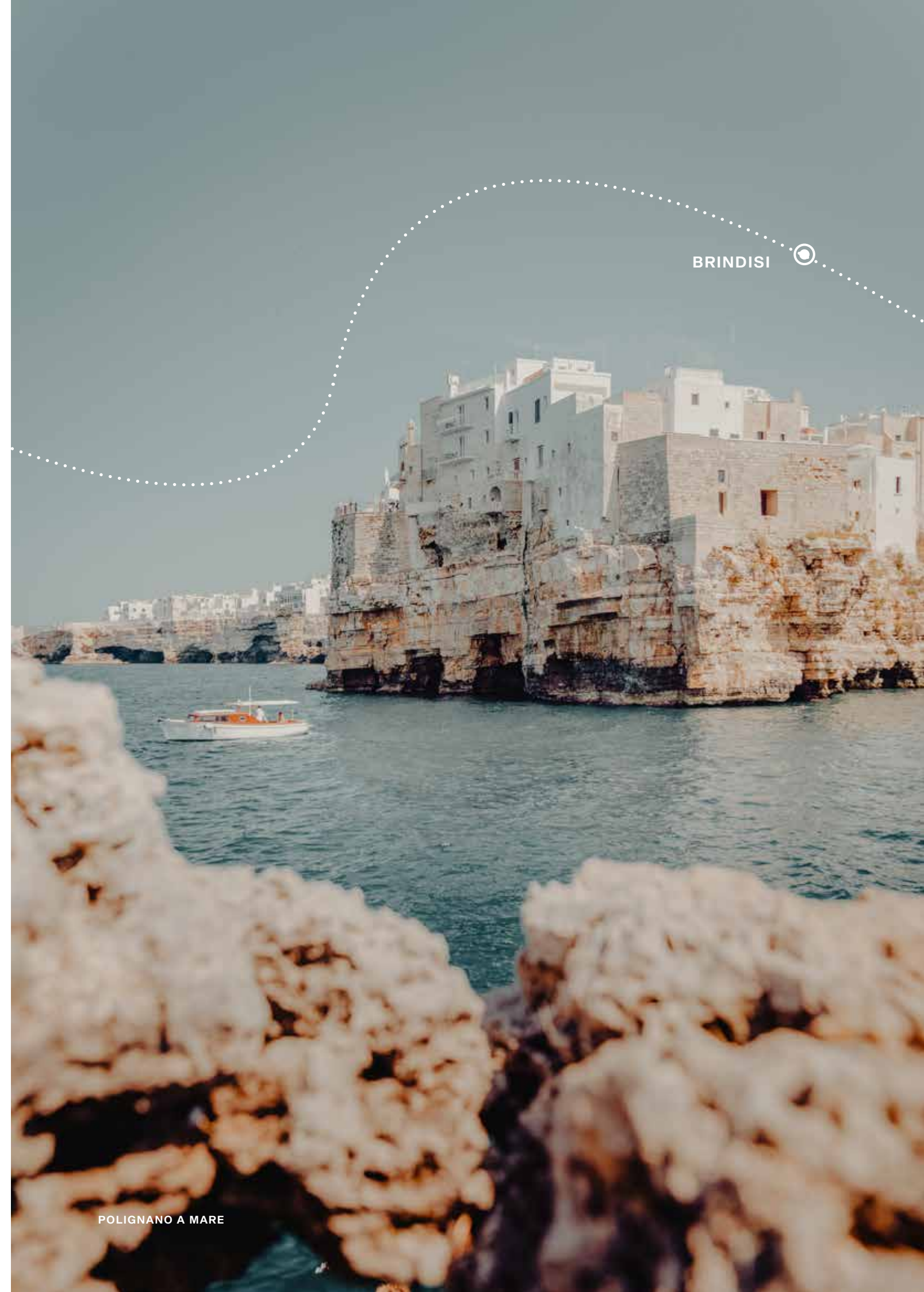
SANTORINI

TWO WEEKS OF VENETIAN ELEGANCE & GREEK MYTHOLOGY

14 Nights | *EXPLORA II*

From Athens' blend of ancient wonders and modern energy, sail to Syros' neoclassical shores and Paros' charming villages. See Corfu's Ionian landmarks, followed by Hvar's Venetian castle. Marvel at baroque architecture in Rijeka, then embrace the golden canals of Venice. Glide to Rovinj's Croatian charm, Dubrovnik's fortified old town, and Brindisi's historic beauty before Fiskardo's pine-fringed harbour and Santorini's iconic cliffs.

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BRINDISI

POLIGNANO A MARE

TWO WEEKS OF VENETIAN ELEGANCE & GREEK MYTHOLOGY

JOURNEY 1

ATHENS TO VENICE

24 - 31 August 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
24.08	PIRAEUS (ATHENS)		18:00
25.08	Syros	09:00	23:55
26.08	Paros	09:00	20:00
27.08	At Sea		
28.08	Corfu	09:00	19:00
29.08	Hvar	12:00	20:00
30.08	Rijeka	09:00	20:00
31.08	FUSINA (VENICE)	08:00	

JOURNEY 2

VENICE TO ATHENS

31 August- 7 September 2026

DATE		ARR	DEPT
31.08	FUSINA (VENICE)		18:00
01.09	Rovinj	08:00	18:00
02.09	Dubrovnik	12:00	23:00
03.09	Brindisi	09:00	19:00
04.09	Fiskardo (Kefalonia)	09:00	21:00
05.09	At Sea		
06.09	Santorini	09:00	21:00
07.09	PIRAEUS (ATHENS)	07:00	





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2026

DATE	NIGHTS	SHIP	DESTINATIONS
25.03.2026	8	EXPLORA I	EX20260325BCNBCN BARCELONA · Marseille · Monte Carlo · Livorno (Florence) · Civitavecchia (Rome) · Ajaccio (Corsica) · Valencia · BARCELONA
02.04.2026	11	EXPLORA I	EX20260402BCNFSA BARCELONA · Naples · La Valletta · Siracusa (Sicily) · Corfu · Kotor · Brindisi · Split · FUSINA (VENICE)
13.04.2026	11	EXPLORA I	EX20260413FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Zadar · Dubrovnik · Bari · Mykonos · Istanbul ☞ · Çeşme · Syros · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
24.04.2026	9	EXPLORA I	EX20260424PIRBCN PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Santorini · Heraklion (Crete) · Taormina (Sicily) · La Valletta · La Goulette (Tunis) · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
25.04.2026	9	EXPLORA II	EP20260425BCNPIR BARCELONA · Monte Carlo · Portofino · Civitavecchia (Rome) · Sorrento · Monemvasia · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
03.05.2026	10	EXPLORA I	EX20260503BCNCVV BARCELONA · Cadiz · Gibraltar · Motril · Cartagena · Saint-Tropez · Monte Carlo · Livorno (Florence) · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
04.05.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260504PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
11.05.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260511PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Paros · Rhodes · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
13.05.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260513CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Sorrento · Palermo (Sicily) · La Goulette (Tunis) · Ibiza · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
18.05.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260518FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Kotor · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
25.05.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260525MCMBCN MONTE CARLO · Civitavecchia (Rome) · Sorrento · Palermo (Sicily) · Carloforte (Sardinia) · Mahón (Menorca) · Palma de Mallorca · BARCELONA
25.05.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260525PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
01.06.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260601BCNCVV BARCELONA · Ajaccio (Corsica) · Porto Cervo (Sardinia) · Portofino · Cannes · Livorno (Florence) · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
01.06.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260601PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Paros · Rhodes · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
08.06.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260608FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Kotor · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)

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08.06.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260608CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Sorrento · Taormina (Sicily) · La Valletta · Palma de Mallorca · Valencia · BARCELONA
15.06.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260615BCNBCN BARCELONA · Ibiza · Monte Carlo · Saint-Tropez · Alghero (Sardinia) · Mahón (Menorca) · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
15.06.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260615PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
22.06.2026	7	EXPLORA I ●	EX20260622BCNCVV BARCELONA · Cannes · Portofino · Livorno (Florence) · Porto Cervo (Sardinia) · Ajaccio (Corsica) · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
22.06.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260622PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Paros · Rhodes · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
29.06.2026	7	EXPLORA I ●	EX20260629CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Naples · Capri · Calvi (Corsica) · Villefranche-sur-Mer (Nice) · Marseille · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
29.06.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260629FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Kotor · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
06.07.2026	7	EXPLORA I ●	EX20260706BCNCVV BARCELONA · Ibiza · La Goulette (Tunis) · La Valletta · Taormina (Sicily) · Sorrento · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
06.07.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260706PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
13.07.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260713CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Porto Santo Stefano (Argentario) · Monte Carlo · Saint-Tropez · Valencia · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
13.07.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EX20260720BCNCVV PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Paros · Rhodes · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
20.07.2026	7	EXPLORA I ●	EX20260720BCNCVV BARCELONA · Cannes · Portofino · Livorno (Florence) · Porto Cervo (Sardinia) · Ajaccio (Corsica) · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
20.07.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260720FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Kotor · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
27.07.2026	7	EXPLORA I ●	EX20260727CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Naples · Capri · Calvi (Corsica) · Villefranche-sur-Mer (Nice) · Marseille · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
27.07.2026	7	EXPLORA II ●	EP20260727PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)

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03.08.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260803BCNCVV BARCELONA · Ibiza · La Goulette (Tunis) · La Valletta · Taormina (Sicily) · Sorrento · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
03.08.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260803PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Syros · Paros · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
03.08.2026	7	EXPLORA III	EL20260803BCNLIS BARCELONA · Ibiza · Puerto Banús (Marbella) · Tangier · Cadiz · Portimão · LISBON
10.08.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260810CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Porto Santo Stefano (Argentario) · Monte Carlo · Saint-Tropez · Tarragona · Palma de Mallorca · BARCELONA
10.08.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260810FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Fiskardo (Kefalonia) · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
10.08.2026	7	EXPLORA III	EL20260810LISSOU LISBON · Leixões (Porto) · La Coruña · Bordeaux · Saint-Malo · SOUTHAMPTON
17.08.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260817BCNCVV BARCELONA · Cannes · Portofino · Livorno (Florence) · Porto Cervo (Sardinia) · Ajaccio (Corsica) · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
17.08.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260817PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
24.08.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260824CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Naples · Capri · Calvi (Corsica) · Villefranche-sur-Mer (Nice) · Marseille · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
24.08.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260824PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Syros · Paros · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
31.08.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260831BCNCVV BARCELONA · Ibiza · La Goulette (Tunis) · La Valletta · Taormina (Sicily) · Sorrento · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
31.08.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260831FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Fiskardo (Kefalonia) · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
07.09.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260907CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Porto Santo Stefano (Argentario) · Monte Carlo · Saint-Tropez · Valencia · Palma de Mallorca · BARCELONA
07.09.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260907PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
14.09.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260914BCNCVV BARCELONA · Porto Cervo (Sardinia) · Ajaccio (Corsica) · Cannes · Portofino · Livorno (Florence) · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)

14.09.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260914PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Paros · Rhodes · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
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21.09.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260921CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · Naples · Capri · Calvi (Corsica) · Villefranche-sur-Mer (Nice) · Marseille · Mahón (Menorca) · BARCELONA
21.09.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260921FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Kotor · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
28.09.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20260928BCNCVV BARCELONA · Ibiza · La Goulette (Tunis) · La Valletta · Taormina (Sicily) · Sorrento · CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME)
28.09.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20260928PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Patmos · Istanbul · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Mykonos · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
05.10.2026	7	EXPLORA I	EX20261005CVVBCN CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME) · La Spezia · Monte Carlo · Saint-Tropez · Mahón (Menorca) · Valencia · BARCELONA
05.10.2026	7	EXPLORA II	EP20261005PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Paros · Rhodes · Corfu · Hvar · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
12.10.2026	9	EXPLORA I	EX20261012BCNBCN BARCELONA · Marseille · Villefranche-sur-Mer (Nice) · Porto Santo Stefano (Argentario) · Naples · Palermo (Sicily) · Ibiza · Palma de Mallorca · BARCELONA
12.10.2026	9	EXPLORA II	EP20261012FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Rovinj · Dubrovnik · Brindisi · Kotor · Santorini · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
19.10.2026	10	EXPLORA II	EP20261019PIRFSA PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Syros · Bodrum · Rhodes · Heraklion (Crete) · Gallipoli · Kotor · Split · Rijeka · FUSINA (VENICE)
21.10.2026	11	EXPLORA I	EX20261021BCNBCN BARCELONA · Alicante · Lisbon · Casablanca ⚓ · Tangier · Málaga · Motril · BARCELONA
29.10.2026	11	EXPLORA II	EP20261029FSAPIR FUSINA (VENICE) · Zadar · Dubrovnik · Corfu · Volos · Istanbul ⚓ · Kepez · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
09.11.2026	10	EXPLORA II	EP20261109PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Bodrum · Marmaris · Limassol · Antalya · Heraklion (Crete) · Santorini · Nafplio · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)

19.11.2026	10	EXPLORA II	EP20261119PIRPIR PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Mykonos · Kusadasi (Ephesus) · Rhodes · Istanbul ⚓ · Volos · Thessaloniki · PIRAEUS (ATHENS)
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NORTHERN EUROPE, ICELAND & GREENLAND

2026

DATE	NIGHTS	SHIP	DESTINATIONS
17.08.2026	8	EXPLORA III	EL20260817SOUCPH SOUTHAMPTON · Zeebrugge (Bruges) · Amsterdam · Måløy · Bergen · Flåm · COPENHAGEN
25.08.2026	8	EXPLORA III	EL20260825CPHCPH COPENHAGEN · Tallinn · Stockholm ☞ · Riga · Visby (Gotland) · Rønne · COPENHAGEN
02.09.2026	7	EXPLORA III	EL20260902CPHSOU COPENHAGEN · Aarhus · Göteborg · Oslo · Hamburg · SOUTHAMPTON
09.09.2026	8	EXPLORA III	EL20260909SOUREY SOUTHAMPTON · Belfast · Stornoway (Isle of Lewis) · Seyðisfjörður · Akureyri · REYKJAVIK ☞

US & CANADA EAST COAST & NEW ENGLAND

2026

28.09.2026	9	EXPLORA III	EL20260928QUENYC QUEBEC CITY · La Baie (Saguenay) · Sept-Iles · Charlottetown (Prince Edward Island) · Sydney · Halifax · Newport · NEW YORK CITY
07.10.2026	8	EXPLORA III	EL20261007NYCQUE NEW YORK CITY · Bar Harbor · Saint John (Bay of Fundy) · Magdalen Islands · Havre-Saint-Pierre · Baie-Comeau · QUEBEC CITY
15.10.2026	10	EXPLORA III	EL20261015QUEMIA QUEBEC CITY · La Baie (Saguenay) · Sept-Iles · Sydney · Halifax · New York City · MIAMI

GRAND JOURNEYS

2026

09.03.2026	16	EXPLORA I	EX20260309MIABCN MIAMI · San Juan · Philipsburg · Santa Cruz de Tenerife · Arrecife (Lanzarote) · Gibraltar · BARCELONA
09.04.2026	16	EXPLORA II	EP20260409MIABCN MIAMI · King's Wharf ☞ · Horta (Faial Island) · Ponta Delgada (São Miguel) · Cadiz · Málaga · BARCELONA
17.09.2026	11	EXPLORA III	EL20260917REYQUE REYKJAVIK · Isafjordur · Sailing the Prins Christian Sund Waterway · Paamiut · Nanortalik · Sailing the Labrador Sea · Sailing the Strait of Belle Isle · Havre-Saint-Pierre · Baie-Comeau · QUEBEC CITY ☞
01.11.2026	16	EXPLORA I	EX20261101BCNMIA BARCELONA · Cadiz · Funchal (Madeira) · St. John's (Antigua) · Road Bay · San Juan · MIAMI
29.11.2026	16	EXPLORA II	EP20261129PIRDXB PIRAEUS (ATHENS) · Heraklion (Crete) · Port Said · Crossing the Suez Canal · Jeddah ☞ · Salalah · Muscat · Khasab · DUBAI





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A space dedicated to our younger guests

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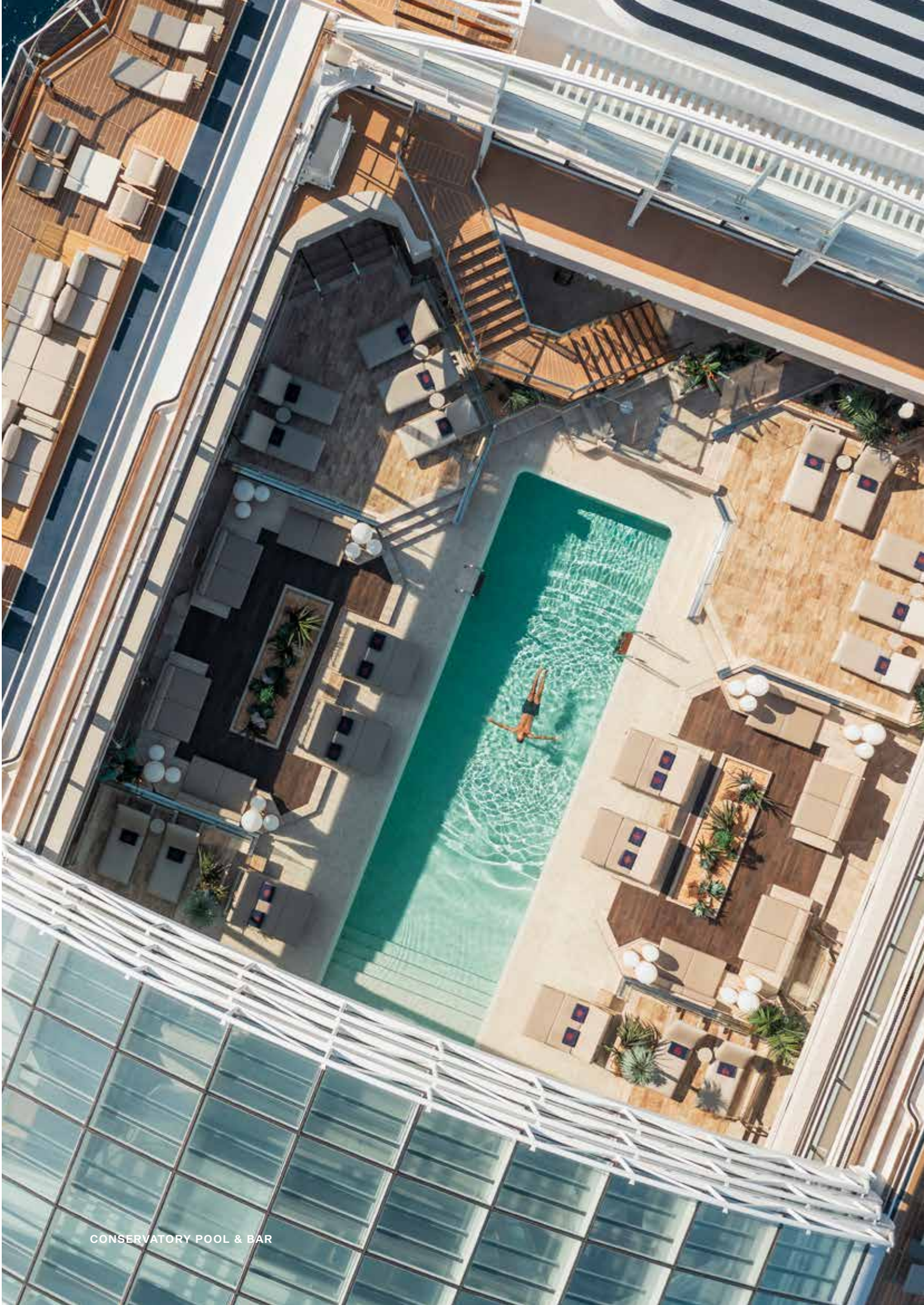
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