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### Overview /

### Europe & North Africa

INFINITE IN ITS APPEAL, EUROPE IS AN ENTICING MIX OF CELEBRATED CITIES, SUN-SOAKED MEDITERRANEAN RESORTS AND BUCOLIC COUNTRYSIDE, WHILE NORTH AFRICA BRINGS A HINT OF EXOTIC MYSTIQUE.

### Spain

An irresistible spirit runs through Spain from the luxury of its high end resorts to flamboyant flamenco fiestas and the Moorish magnificence of Andalucía. Mallorca is a revelation, with its beautiful beaches and quaint towns or slip away to the Canary Islands to be cosseted in year round warmth.

### Italy

The majestic Alps and lakes of the north, the soft green hills of Tuscany, the magical Bay of Naples, the brooding presence of Etna and Vesuvius...Italy's attractions are legion. Delve into boisterous cities where the buzzing of Vespas provides the backing soundtrack, or escape to a romantic spa for a little indulgent pampering.

### France & Monaco

From the sun-drenched beaches of the Riviera to the high rolling casinos of Monte Carlo and the catwalk-chic of Paris, France offers a panoply of diverse holiday experiences. It's a place to sip Champagne by yacht-dotted harbours, feast on classic haute cuisine or simply spread out a picnic on a pine cloaked Provençal hillside and soak up the joie de vivre.

### Cyprus

The third largest of the Mediterranean islands is remarkably intimate, a welcoming place of myth and legend, where Aphrodite is said to have risen from the sea. It's an island of many facets, peppered with monasteries and high-end beach resorts. A place to soothe the soul.

#### Greece

In the achingly blue Aegean and Ionian Seas 6,000 islands lie scattered, many uninhabited, the rest offering an intoxicating mix of pastoral tranquillity and beachfront chic. Share a little gossip in a 'kafeneia' – life is effortless and easy paced, but Athens calls, and the view of the sun sinking behind the Parthenon stays forever in the mind.

### Portugal & Madeira

Famed for its ravishing beaches, tasty cuisine and strong cultural heritage, Portugal is a paradise for all ages and interests. Explore enchanting fishing villages such as Sagres with its iconic fortress and admire the beautiful coastline and subtropical splendour of friendly Madeira.

### Turkey

Summer lasts as long as eight months in some parts of this entrancing country, where a spectacular shoreline is laced with beaches, bays, coves and peninsulas. Inland lie majestic mountains, valleys, lakes and grottoes, and the fabulous remains of the many ancient civilisations nurtured by the soils of Anatolia.

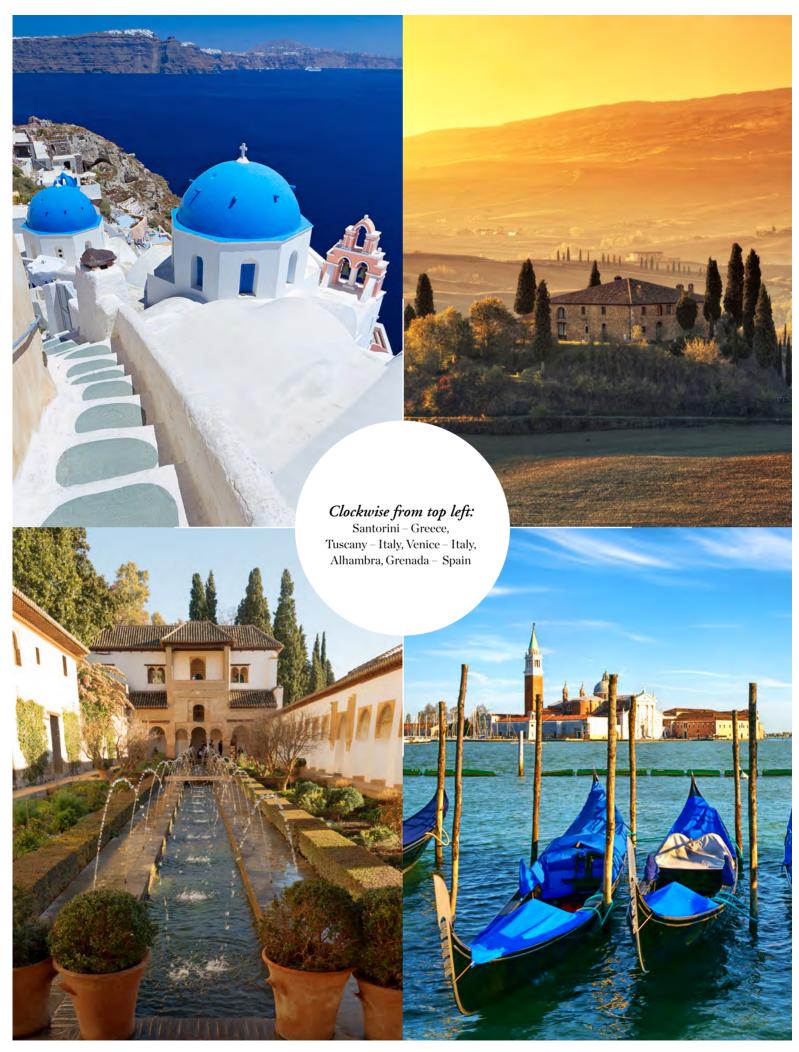
### Croatia & Montenegro

Dubrovnik, 'pearl of the Adriatic', the definitive Croatian attraction. Climb the medieval ramparts for stupendous views over the old town with its time-worn marble streets and wealth of Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque buildings. Montenegro boasts the walled city of Kotor, Venetian-built Budva and a profusion of lakes and monasteries.

#### Morocco

To be Morocco bound is to enjoy the anticipation of a thousand spellbinding experiences. Immerse yourself in the tumultuous life of Marrakech with its snake charmers and piles of aromatic spices; trek through tiny Berber villages or head to the coast where the sea winds cool the sandy beaches.

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Las Brisas









### **Inspirations**

ITALY, FRANCE, MONACO, SPAIN

### Cook the Italian Way

Forget flashy techniques and exotic spices - Italian cuisine is all about cooking quality local ingredients well. It's the tradition that Italians know best, and getting to know its secrets makes a memorable holiday experience. Two that stand out for sheer excellence are the Buono Buonissimo! cooking school at Villa San Michele near Florence and the Gritti Epicurean School in Venice. In just a short time, the Buono Buonissimo! course has taken the foodie world by storm, with Executive Chef Attilio Di Fabrizio revealing the glories of Tuscan cuisine in small hands-on classes. The Young Chefs Academy caters for children from six to fourteen years of age. Courses at The Gritti Epicurean School often include a visit to the ancient Rialto market to select seasonal ingredients for typical Venetian recipes, followed by an aperitivo at a local bacaro before the lesson. Hugely experienced Executive Chef Daniele Turco presides over the proceedings.

#### Wine Tours

Being able to combine the wonderful landscapes of Provence and Tuscany with fascinating insights into the world of wine production is an oenophile's dream. Here is just a selection of our top class wine tours, each suffused with rich wine growing tradition. In the gentle hills of the Chianti region experiences range from tours of intimate, family-run estates such as Poggio Amorelli to the decidedly medieval flavour of Castello di Volpaia, involving underground passages and wine cellars set within former churches. There are opportunities to dine in gourmet style during many of the visits the Michelin-starred Osteri di Passignano on the Badia di Passignano estate meriting particular mention. Lovers of Brunello won't want to miss the tutored wine tastings at Casanova di Neri. Meanwhile, beyond the lavender fields and olive groves of Provence lie unforgettable experiences such as the 'Cru Classé' of Chateau Sainte Roseline and the phenomenal rosés of Chateau d'Esclans

where consulting oenologist Patrick Leon works with the legendary Sacha Lichine to create oak barrel-fermented rosés such as the Garrus – reputedly the world's priciest.

### Privileged Access

Quite understandably, the world's greatest cultural showpieces attract visitors in their droves. Imagine then the immense privilege of being able to have these places all to yourself, visiting at specially arranged times with your own expert guides. In the Vatican, that means savouring the delights of the many priceless antiquities, maps and tapestries in private, visiting Raphael's Rooms and roaming through centuries of treasures from Egyptian to Etrurian, Renaissance to Baroque. Gaze in crowdfree peace and silence upon Michelangelo's frescoes in the Sistine Chapel, including his most cherished works - The Creation of Adam and The Last Judgement.

The Apostolic Palace awaits with a private viewing of areas normally out of bounds to visitors, entering the Vatican State through a special entrance attended by Swiss Guards. Visit the usually inaccessible Sala Ducale and Sala Regia, taking the rare opportunity to admire two of Michelangelo's late frescoes in the Pauline Chapel and even lingering awhile in the Room of Tears where the newly-elected Pope retreats in prayer. At the Colosseum you can walk in the footsteps of gladiators, accessing behind-the-scenes tunnels, cells, animal pens and passages, taking in basilicas, temples and triumphal arches in the company of outstanding art historians. A wonderful chance to sense the thrill, fear, dread and anticipation that the gladiators must have felt before they entered the baying arena. The adrenalin also flows at Siena's famous Palio as the horses and their riders' race at break-neck speed around the historic Piazza del Campo - yet for many visitors, the only view is of the spectator in front. With Carrier, privileged access is assured, viewing the parades and drama from a private terrace overlooking the

piazza, or if you prefer to be in the middle of the action we can arrange tickets for the boxes or on the terraces of the buildings that surround it. Races take place in July and August.

### Monaco Grand Prix

Since that glorious inaugural day in 1929 when Britain's William Grover-Williams sped to victory in his Bugatti, the Monaco Grand Prix has maintained its iconic status as the world's most glamorous motor racing event. We are proud to be able to offer a choice of exclusive race viewing options. enhanced by deluxe accommodation in Nice or Monaco, helicopter or private chauffeur transfers and VIP access to the best F1 afterparties. Few trackside vantage points can match that of the Ermanno Palace 7th Floor Suite, with its birds-eve view of 70% of the circuit including the first turning and clear line of sight from the tunnel exit through to Rascasse. Alternatively, watch the race unfold from the lavish comfort of a tri-deck super yacht, enjoying superb cuisine and an open bar, plus an invitation to an exclusive on board party on the Friday. For the best of both worlds, take a VIP Combo Package to spend a Champagne Saturday on the yacht, moving to the Ermanno Palace for Sunday's action.

### Year-Round Whale Watching

To see a pod of dolphins carving through the water, or witness the giant slap of a whale's fluke is one of life's most thrilling experiences, and you don't have to travel far to enjoy the privilege. The warm waters off the south-west coast of Tenerife are renowned for their populations of whale and dolphin, with as many as twenty four species migrating through the food-rich waters at different times of year. Sightings are virtually guaranteed and can include bottlenose dolphins, pilot whales, sperm whales, minke and killer whales, together with many kinds of sea birds, turtles, sharks and rays. Leave all the arrangements to Carrier for a truly unforgettable trip.



### Spain /

### IMMERSE YOURSELF IN THE TIMELESS CHARM OF THIS PASSIONATE LAND, EPITOMISED BY ITS RICH CULTURE AND FABULOUS CUISINE – ISLAND HIDEAWAYS, CHIC BEACHFRONT ENCLAVES AND EXUBERANT CITIES.

A riot of colour welcomes the visitor to Spain. If passions run higher here today as a result of the Arab and Moorish influences, so too is the food fiercer, the wine more intense and the sense of drama stronger, manifesting itself most vividly in the flamboyancy of flamenco. Amidst the white-washed walls of Andalucía, festivals seem to be forever in full swing, accompanied by the strumming of acoustic guitars and dancers moving spectacularly in the moonlight. Glorious countryside and majestic mountains contrast

with the stylish coastline of Estepona and Puerto Banus, where marinas overflow with luxurious yachts. In Barcelona, the streets bustle with hip bars and boutique hotels, the exuberance pulsating all around. In Gran Canaria, golden sand dunes are reminiscent of Egyptian deserts, whilst in Tenerife, African-tinged coastal villages exude relaxation. The interior is an unspoilt sub-tropical wilderness of volcanic rock formations, fields of wildflowers, and pine forest bordering snow-capped Mount

Teide. Mallorca is a further explosion of scents and colour – sweet smelling citrus groves blossom and cobbled towns are speckled between craggy mountains. In Palma, ancient olive trees and stone-walled gardens are hidden against a backdrop of stylish boutiques and designer bars. Across the water the "white island" of Ibiza fizzes with culture and nightlife, where beautiful beaches are complimented by tranquil villages. Seductive and sultry, Spain speaks to the soul in a thousand different ways.



### Best Experiences

- \* Time your visit to Tenerife to coincide with the Santa Cruz festival, the largest in Europe
- \* Take the vintage narrow gauge train from Palma to Soller passing through some of the most beautiful scenery on the island
- Be swept up by the passion of the Flamenco in Andalucía
- \* Enjoy a walking tour of Barri Gòtic (Gothic Quarter) in Barcelona and discover its ancient history

### When To Go

Mainland Spain's climate varies from temperate in the north to dry and hot in the south. Spring and autumn are pleasant and warm whereas July and August are hot, particularly inland. In Mallorca and Ibiza, sunshine and warm temperatures are the norm from April to October with the cooling influence of the sea preventing excessive temperatures during the peak summer months, winters are mild and dry with occasional showers. The Canary Islands are year round destinations, the climate being consistently warm for most of the year with July and August being hot.

#### Our Pricing

Our pricing aims to give an indication of the prices in low and high season. Low season for the Canary Islands is generally between the months of May to June and September;

high season is from October to April and July to August. In mainland Spain and the Balearic Islands low season is from October to May, with high season from June to September. Prices are based on 2 sharing (unless otherwise indicated) and include return economy flights from London. Regional departures, child prices and single supplements are available on request.

**GMT** +1 hour in winter/+2 hours in summer

Flying Time London to: Málaga 2 hours 50 minutes / Mallorca 2 hours 15 minutes / Barcelona 2 hours / Canary Islands 4 hours 15 minutes / Ibiza 2 hours 30 minutes



### Tenerife /

### The Ritz-Carlton, Abama

461 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Tenerife South Airport

Prices from

### £1170pp in low season £1645pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Picture a spectacular Moorish-style private estate atop a hillside flanking Tenerife's highest mountain, with exuberant gardens stretching down to the sea. All is as you would expect from Ritz-Carlton, with attentive service and luxuriously appointed

accommodation - all rooms and suites having marble bathrooms, floor-to-ceiling glass doors and an expansive terrace for prime views over the Atlantic, gardens or golf course. On the secluded Club\*Level tenth floor, the nineteen rooms and two suites will wow with all-day culinary offerings, panoramic Club Lounge, feather beds, exclusive in-room check-in and amenities by Asprey of London. In the adult-focused Tagor Villas, deluxe rooms have been recently refurbished and come complete with complimentary WiFi. Ten

restaurants tempt with delicious specialities from Argentinean steaks to Michelin-starred Kabuki for Japanese or M.B., the signature restaurant of Chef Martin Berasategui.

Alfresco lunches are served at the Beach Club.

There's a golden sandy beach, accessed from the lobby by the hotel's 40-seat private funicular, a superbly equipped spa complete with sauna and a vast spectrum of activities including tennis, 18-hole golf, Ritz Kids Club and seven outdoor heated swimming pools.





Clockwise from above: Club Lounge, Junior Suite, Beach, Tagor Villas Swimming Pool





Above: Hotel Exterior Right: Double Room Garden View



### Tenerife / **Hotel Bahía del Duque**

347 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Tenerife South Airport

Prices from

### £1480pp in low season £1815pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A resplendent gem on Tenerife's Costa Adeje, this member of The Leading Hotels of the World is an extensive resort on several levels, comprising three distinct areas of accommodation. In addition to the colourful rooms and suites arranged in a horseshoe around the pools, there are the Casas Ducales. Designed by Pascua Ortega, they form a hotel within a hotel featuring Canarian-style houses with special services including those of a resident butler. The luxuriant Las Villas form the third section. With an array of separate enticing venues, deciding where to dine poses a pleasurable dilemma. Choices include French restaurant

La Brasserie, Basque steakhouse SUA, seafood lunches at the Beach Club and creative Canarian cuisine at Las Aguas.

For children the resort is paradise, with a complimentary Mini Club to provide a full programme of entertainment. At the Spa Bahía del Duque a range of pampering treatments await including four treatment rooms in the Thai Room Spa and an outdoor Thalassotherapy pool.

### Tenerife /

### Las Villas at Hotel Bahía del Duque

40 one and two bedroom villas 25 minutes from Tenerife South Airport

Prices from

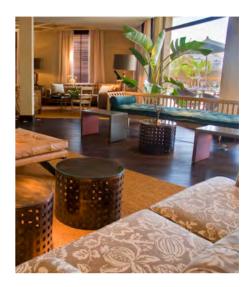
#### £3450pp in low season £3625pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Combining the experienced service of the hotel with the cosseted personal luxury of villa accommodation, this exclusive development is a sumptuous addition to the resort. Tucked away in their own private area, the villas have their own reception and concierge as well as individual pool areas and large terraces. Couples and families alike will appreciate the spacious

interiors designed by Pascua Ortega, large living areas with Bang & Olufsen entertainment, enormous basalt stone baths in the bathrooms and the lush sub-tropical gardens. The villas enjoy the services of a butler, on hand to whisk guests around the resort in a private buggy. Prestigious Canarian chef Braulio Simancas creates epicurean fare at Las Aguas although all of the resort's dining venues are there to be explored.

Close to the villas is the Spa Bahía del Duque, built over three levels with palmshaded relaxation areas and open-air treatment cabanas, situated amongst saltwater pools and fragrant gardens linking to saunas and crystal steam rooms.



Above: Villa Reception Below: Las Mimosas Infinity Pool



### Tenerife /

### Sheraton La Caleta Resort & Spa

284 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Tenerife South Airport

Prices from

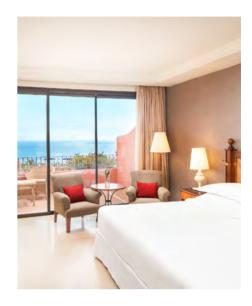
#### £845pp in low season £1215pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Standing in extensive sub-tropical gardens and bathed in year-round sunshine of the Costa Adeje, the resort boasts bright contemporary rooms with spacious marble bathrooms, signature Sheraton Signature beds and private terraces. For an additional supplement guests staying in Deluxe Suites or Club Rooms can enjoy exclusive facilities such as breakfast beside the seawater pool, soft drinks, afternoon pastries, spirits

and canapés in the evening. Gastronomic choices are wide and varied, with no fewer than four restaurants from which to select. Savour first class Canarian and Spanish specialities at La Venta Restaurant and exquisite sushi and Teppanyaki grill at Kamakura Japanese Restaurant. Cocktails are served all day at the Vivace Pool Restaurant.

The enticing Spa Eutonos features a Thalasso Vitality Pool, steam room, solarium and ice room. Youngsters are well supervised in the Guanchito Club; teenagers are entertained at M@GMA which has a DJ booth and PlayStations. The Costa Adeje is famed for its international-standard golfing.



Above: Club Room Below: Exterior View





# Gran Canaria / **Seaside Grand Hotel Residencia**

94 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Las Palmas Airport

Prices from

### £1555pp in low season £2540pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Furnished in the refreshing blues and yellows of a typical Canarian residence, this welcoming resort is set amidst a tropical palm garden. An ambience of seclusion and tranquillity pervade, whilst being just





Clockwise from top: Swimming Pool, Piano Bar, Junior Suite

a short stroll from a golden sand beach and the spectacular sand dunes of Maspalomas. Colonial-style rooms are arranged in attractive villas around the heated pool, each having a comfortable wooden balcony or terrace from which to enjoy the vistas. A wellness spa offers a wide-ranging health and beauty programme based around its Thalasso pool, Rasul, salt cave and saunas. The pleasant climate combined with the standards you would expect from a member

of The Leading Hotels of the World could be the ideal tonic for those in search of winter warmth or a summer retreat. Connoisseurs of gourmet cuisine will appreciate the à la carte dining opportunities.

The hotel is just a five minute drive from an 18-hole golf course on the edge of the Maspalomas dunes, or simply relax by the heated salt water swimming pool; there is also a well-equipped gym.



Above: Resort View Right: Royal Suite Main Bedroom



385 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Arrecife Airport



### £925pp in low season £1535pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Designed in colonial Canarian-style and offering stunning views over the white sands of Playa Dorada, the property features a wide choice of accommodation including superior rooms overlooking the gardens,

pool or sea, and well-appointed suites with every conceivable amenity. Couples will appreciate the Relax rooms and suites with added exclusive benefits such as adults-only gourmet breakfast, complimentary spa access and aromatherapy turndown service, while the spacious Royal Kiko Suites are ideal for families, complete with PlayStation and kids' mini bar. Gourmands are spoilt for choice, from organic delights at Isla de Lobos restaurant, authentic Italian specialities at Don Giovanni to fresh

seafood at Chiringuito. Cocktails at 4 Lunas and the Lobby Bar are accompanied by live music.

Relax beside one of eight outdoor swimming pools, keep fit with Pilates, yoga and Zumba in the gym or succumb to rejuvenating treatments in the Thalasso Spa. Tots-to-teenagers will enjoy exploring the wonders of Kikoland, where trained entertainers run a wide variety of activities from football to climbing walls.



### Fuerteventura /

### Sheraton Fuerteventura Beach, Golf & Spa Resort

266 rooms and suites 10 minutes from Fuerteventura Airport

Prices from

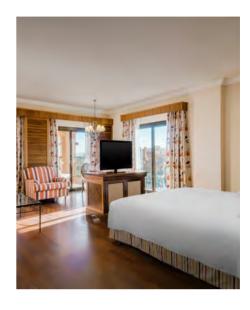
#### £835pp in low season £1065pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

An air of casual chic pervades this sumptuous Sheraton resort on the Caleta de Fuste – one of the island's finest beaches. Graced by a terrace or balcony, Canarianstyled rooms are genuinely spacious, complete with all the modern comforts one would expect from a five-star hotel. Choose from four diverse restaurants including El Faro de Antigua for sensational Spanish and Mediterranean cuisine; La Veranda

by the pool; Wok-n-Zen with its Asian specialities served in an oriental garden ambience. The Piano Lobby Bar is the perfect place for high tea or pre-dinner cocktails beneath a majestic dome, also popular for its live music and wide range of spirits.

In the Hesperides Thalasso Spa numerous treatment rooms are complemented by a sauna, Roman bath, ice pool and Turkish bath; further activities encompass archery and premium access to the 18-hole Fuerteventura Golf Club and supervised fun for kids at Yambaland. Relax at one of three swimming pools including a heated pool for children.



Above: Junior Suite Sea View Below: Hotel Exterior



### Ibiza /

### Seven Pines Resort Ibiza

182 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Ibiza Airport

Prices from

### £1695pp in low season £2810pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The bar is raised yet again on the west coast of Ibiza with the arrival of the Seven Pines all-suite resort. Tucked away on a tranquil bluff within an area of exquisite natural beauty it stands above Cala Codolar beach, one of the longest and least frequented on the island. Light floods into whitewashed accommodations that are the epitome of understated luxury, each boasting a fully stocked bar for ice cold sundowners,

and either a private sun garden at ground level or a roof terrace on the first floor. Gastronomes will be in seventh heaven with innovative Mediterranean cuisine, interactive culinary concepts with celebrity chefs and fine Champagnes and whiskies in the glamorous Pershing Bar. At night the nearby Cone Club supplies the coolest laidback beats.

Although only thirty minutes from the attractions of Ibiza town, it's tempting to relax by one of the four pools or to be cossetted in the Pure Spa, where treatments employ local ingredients such as Ibizan salt, olive oil and oranges.



Above: Garden Suites Below: Pershing Bar





Above: Cloud 9 Corner Suite Right: Vi Cool Rooftop Terrace



### Ibiza /

### Aguas De Ibiza Lifestyle & Spa

112 rooms and suites 20 minutes from Ibiza Airport

Prices from

### £965pp in low season £1930pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Air, water and light create an interplay of elements to give this tranquil Ibizan hotel a bright, bold feel. Designed with eco-friendly performance in mind it stands in the small coastal town of Santa Eulalia, cool interiors melding marble with dry stone walling and purist architectural innovation, echoed in the white cotton and lace worn by the discreet staff. Rooms, which reflect Feng Shui principles, feature large windows and balcony or terrace, the Dreamer rooms having mountain views. For added luxury, lavish Grand Corner suites offer 180° sea views; luxury Cloud 9 suites overlook the pretty harbour or the sea. Dine at the airy Oligo with its large terrace, or choose the

Alabastro Lounge for a fusion of Ibizan and international flavours. Michelin-starred chef, Sergi Arola, creates sensational tapas at the rooftop Vi Cool.

In the Revival Spa by Clarins, a healing circuit encompasses an invigorating ice fountain and rain showers, sauna, steam room and indoor pools, with detox programmes featuring weight-loss treatments and organic juices.

### Mallorca /

### Cap Rocat

24 rooms and suites Children over the age of 14 years are welcome 20 minutes from Palma Airport

Prices from

### £760pp in low season £990pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

Picture an imposing nineteenth century fortress above the sparkling Bay of Palma, complete with drawbridge – this is Cap Rocat, now impeccably restored whilst retaining the original architecture. Dominating two kilometres of coastline the property features elegantly-appointed rooms and suites set into former shooting buttresses, some with private patio and sea views. The El Cabo suite boasts

unique artwork, three private terraces and swimming pool. In The Fortress Restaurant enjoy gourmet Mediterranean cuisine created by chef Victor Garcia, while the open air Sea Club in the spectacular Cala de la Reina is perfect for dishes cooked in a traditional Mallorcan firewood oven. Evenings are for sitting back on the panoramic terrace to soak up the entrancing views of the Bay of Palma.

Relax around the saltwater infinity pool, enjoy an in-suite massage or a holistic Ayurvedic ritual in one of the vaulted massage pavilions; explore by mountain bike or join wine tastings and cookery classes. Cultural experiences anduch as visits to markets and private villas can be organised.



Above: Courtyard Below: Sentinels





Above: Swimming Pool Right: Executive Junior Suite



## Mallorca / Belmond La Residencia

67 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Palma Airport

Prices from

#### £1165pp in low season £2050pp in high season

including flights, 5 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

To visit Mallorca without sampling the delights of this legendary Belmond hotel in the beautiful mountain hideaway of Deià would almost be a crime. Created from three lovingly restored manor houses, with views down over the shady terraces to the rugged hills beyond. Its superb location and spacious rooms have attracted a who's who of guests, as has the enticing gourmet cuisine of El Olivo, the candlelit restaurant set in a former olive press, or dine more informally on local specialities and enjoy cocktails at Café Miró at Son Moragues, to the sounds of live piano music. For recreation, relax around the large outdoor

pools; join yoga sessions or classes in painting, sculpture and ceramics. A club for four to twelve years operates six days a week.

Revitalise your senses with an alfresco massage at the spa or unwind in the Jacuzzi, sauna and indoor swimming pool. Activities include two tennis courts with views of the mountains and Mediterranean Sea and complimentary boat tours to explore the Mallorcan coast.



# Mallorca/ Jumeirah Port Soller Hotel & Spa

121 rooms and suites 35 minutes from Palma Airport

Prices from

### £1415pp in low season £2910pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Nestled amidst pine forests in the unspoilt northwest of the island, this escapist enclave offers incomparable views of the Mediterranean, the Tramuntana Mountains and the picturesque fishing





Clockwise from top:
Reception, Es Fanals Restaurant Terrace,
Junior Suite Mountain View

village of Port Sóller. Beautifully appointed rooms – all with terrace or balcony – offer every modern comfort, the Junior Suites being particularly spacious while the Lighthouse Suite is split over two levels with outdoor Jacuzzi, and the Observatory Suite has its own private access. A feast of dining options includes fabulous fresh seafood at Cap Roig and refreshing cocktails and juices at the Infinity Pool Bar, or enjoy dinner at Es Fanals, set on the highest panoramic point of the resort.

Sundowners are accompanied by creative sushi and Asian appetisers in the Sunset Sushi Lounge.

Signature treatments in Talise Spa, with its spectacular vistas over the port and mountains, include Ayurvedic and oriental therapies employing local olive oil, lemons and oranges; a Rasul suite, hammam and hydropool promise deep rejuvenation. The Babarojas Kids' Club welcomes children from three to twelve years of age.

### Mallorca /

### The St. Regis Mardavall Mallorca Resort

125 rooms and suites 20 minutes from Palma Airport

Prices from

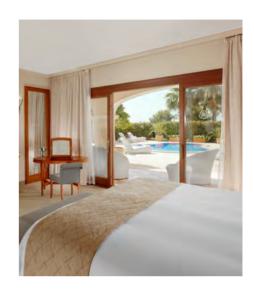
#### £1495pp in low season £3330pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

From the moment you enter the lobby with its soaring atrium and modern chandelier, you will appreciate why this resort is part of the prestigious St. Regis collection. The comfortable suites, which range from Junior through to Presidential, feature king-size beds, designer marble bathrooms and original works of art. Spacious balconies are enhanced by views to the lush gardens and the Mediterranean Sea. To satiate gourmet

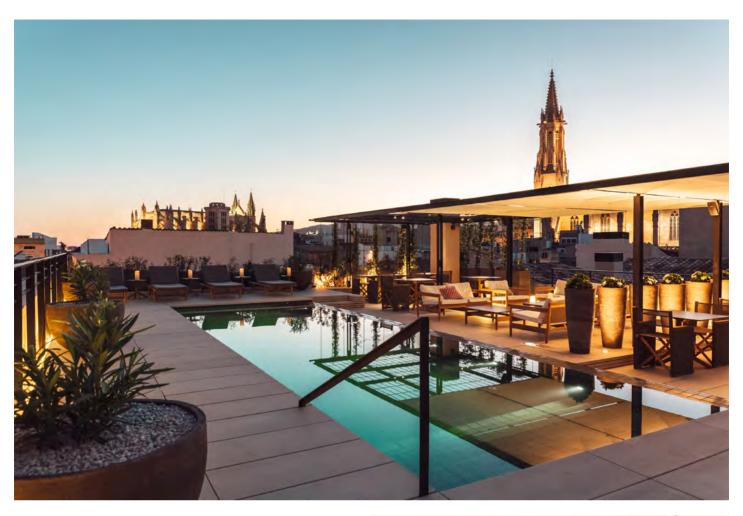
desires, choices range from Mediterranean cuisine at the one Michelin-star Es Fum, to informal dining at Aqua and poolside tapas at Pool Bar Sa Badia. Amongst the landscaped gardens is a large split-level swimming pool and separate children's pool along with an indoor pool. An array of entertainment and a shaded separate pool area is provided for younger guests at the kids' club.

For further relaxation, visit the Arabella Spa, an inviting temple of well-being offering an unrivalled range of treatments and Mallorca's first Thalasso centre. Four world-class golf courses lie close to the resort, totalling sixty three holes.



Above: Blue Oasis Pool Suite Below: Swimming Pool





Above: Sushi Bar Rooftop Terrace Right: Singular Junior Suite



## Palma / Sant Francesc Hotel Singular

42 rooms and suites 15 minutes from Palma Airport

Prices from

### £705pp in low season £975pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Hidden away in the historic centre of Palma yet steps from the tourist hotspots, this Neoclassical property exudes character and tradition. Sympathetically restored to preserve many original features, interiors feature Mallorcan stone and French oak with specially commissioned artwork by renowned local and international artists. Many of the rooms and suites feature beamed ceilings, covered verandas and original frescos, the most remarkable of which adorns the ceiling of the open-plan Sant Francesc Suite. Choose La Torre for impressive triple-level living with panoramic views over the cathedral and Tramuntana

mountains. The culinary cognoscenti come here to dine on Mediterranean specialities fused with Asian flavours; dine inside or alfresco at the Quadrant garden restaurant in the former stables.

While the sights of Palma old town are on the doorstep, a diverse range of massages and treatments await upon your return or head to the rooftop for a dip in the pool and sundowner at The Sushi Bar Rooftop Terrace.

### Costa del Sol /

### Puente Romano Beach Resort & Spa · Marbella

269 rooms and suites 45 minutes from Málaga Airport

Prices from

#### £1675pp in low season £2635pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This Leading Hotel of the World, famed for its illustrious clientele, enjoys a privileged beachfront position between Marbella and Puerto Banus. Spacious deluxe rooms and suites, all with terrace or balcony, are scattered throughout the sub-tropical gardens in a private village style, whilst at the heart of the resort lies the Roman bridge from which it takes its name. Dine

on Japanese delights at Uni, Italian at Serafina or Andalucían tapas at the new brasserie style Bibo restaurant; innovative à la carte and tasting menus are prepared in the open plan kitchens of the new two Michelin-starred Dani Garcia Restaurant. In addition to the hotel's three pools, relax on the beach, enjoy a game of tennis or luxuriate at the new beachfront Six Senses Spa featuring roof top relaxation area with swing cabanas.

For younger guests, the hotel offers the Kids' Club which operates during July and August. Golf and horse riding are available in the Benahavís Mountains, a twenty minute drive from the hotel.



Above: Junior Suite Below: Beach Club Pool & Beach





### Costa del Sol /

### Finca Cortesin

67 suites and 3 villas 50 minutes from Málaga Airport 25 minutes from Gibraltar Airport

Prices from

### £2255pp in low season £3240pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Melding seamlessly into the Andalucían landscape in the foothills of the Casares mountains between Marbella and Sotogrande, this boutique hotel reflects the traditional style of Spanish 'fincas' with its red clay tiles and white-washed walls. All-suite in design, it boasts lavishly appointed accommodation with impressive marble bathrooms and private terrace or garden. At Michelin-starred Kabuki Raw, Chef Luis Olarra fuses Japanese cuisine with Mediterranean ingredients, whilst El Jardin serves relaxed Mediterranean fare or try Don Giovanni for traditional Italian specialities. Tapas is served alfresco by the pool; drinks can be enjoyed on the candlelit outdoor veranda or on the atmospheric Moroccan chill-out terrace.

For golf aficionados the challenges of the championship 18-hole course designed by Cabell Robinson and the lure of the Jack Nicklaus Academy will prove hard to resist.

Children will be well entertained at the FC Kids' Club whilst sanctuary beckons in the Zen-inspired spa with snow cabin, sauna and heated indoor pool. Outside are two mosaic-tiled swimming pools and, during the summer months, a Beach Club with restaurant, infinity pool and sandy area with Balinese beds.



Clockwise from right: Executive Suite, Beach Club, Swimming Pool



### Costa del Sol /

### Marbella Club Hotel, Golf Resort & Spa

130 rooms, suites and villas 35 minutes from Málaga Airport

Prices from

#### £1575pp in low season £3475pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This legendary resort, renowned for its elegant private home ambience, lies just along the coastline from stylish Puerto Banus. The hotel, which has many accolades for outstanding hospitality and service, is surrounded by lush gardens and features a number of exceptional family villas in Andalucían style, some with private heated pools. The gastronomic lure is the traditional Mediterranean and Spanish cuisine,

prepared by award-winning Executive Chef Juan Gálvez and served at the elegant Grill Restaurant. Try the contemporary Euro-fusion menu at the MC Café, or sip Champagne in the opulent surroundings of the Champagne Room. The 18-hole Dave Thomas-designed golf course, reserved exclusively for residents, and an equestrian centre both lie twenty minutes from the hotel. Children from four to fourteen are entertained in the kids' club by Minimec.

Guests can look forward to a full range of seasonal watersports, followed by delicious lunches at the Beach Club. Lie back for blissful days by the two heated outdoor pools or enjoy holistic treatments at the luxurious beachfront Thalasso Spa.



Above: Five Bedroom Villa-Bedroom Below: Beach Club



### Barcelona / Hotel Arts

483 rooms, suites and apartments 20 minutes from Barcelona Airport

Prices from

### £670pp in low season £950pp in high season

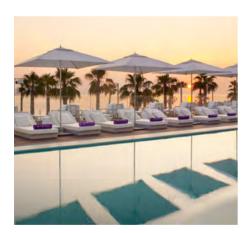
including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Contemporary Spanish artworks grace the suites and apartments of this ultra-chic Ritz-Carlton managed enclave in the city's marina, a few steps from the Barceloneta boardwalk. Catch a glimpse of the Sagrada Familia from the hotel's city-facing side, while from the other there are uplifting

views over the bustling Port Olimpic. Past the reception area lie neutrally-toned guest rooms bedecked with luxurious marble bathrooms and complete with cutting edge entertainment systems. Gourmets come from afar to dine at Enoteca, the two-starred Michelin restaurant with its emphasis on seafood and cellar of over 700 wines. For lighter fare, dine alfresco in the gardens at Marina. Relax on the sun terrace by the outdoor pool and treat yourself to a little pampering in the panoramically-located 43, The Spa comprising treatment rooms, saunas, steam baths and hydrotherapy pools.







Left: WET Deck
Below left: Spectacular Suite Bedroom

### Barcelona /

### W Barcelona

473 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Barcelona Airport

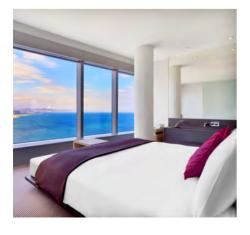
Prices from

### £490pp in low season £880pp in high season

Including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

In fashionable Barcelona, the smart crowd make a beeline for the W, with its catalogue-shoot chic and prime beachfront location alongside the La Barceloneta boardwalk. Just a short walk from the Gothic quarter and the buzzing bars of El Born its state-of-the-art rooms feature signature W beds and robes, the famous Munchie Box and

Bliss® Spa products. The spectacular seafacing terrace makes for an unforgettable dining experience at Bravo 24 Restaurant overseen by Catalan chef Carles Abellán. Tapas and seafood are fused with Arab and Lebanese specialities at WAVE, while the Eclipse cocktail bar promises glitzy evening get togethers. Indulge in mini chill-out treatments in the Bliss Cabanas beside the outdoor infinity-edge splash pool, relax in the Jacuzzi or work out with personal trainers in the impressive gym.







### INSPIRED BY TWO THOUSAND YEARS OF HISTORY, ITALY'S LEGENDARY 'DOLCE VITA' IS MORE ALIVE THAN EVER, INFUSING ITS ART-FILLED CITIES, WINE-RICH COUNTRYSIDE AND JET SET RESORTS.

A landscape of endless variety forms the backdrop to 'Il Bel Paese' and its colourful history; the rumbling volcano of Mount Etna in Sicily, the white-washed conical 'trulli' of Puglia, the breathtaking coastline that is Amalfi and the sun-dappled beaches of Sardinia. Sleek gondolas drifting ethereally along the Grand Canal and a labyrinth of narrow alleys and open squares characterise inimitable Venice. Its peace contrasts with the buzz of Rome; the exuberant rush of Vespas forms a

chaotic soundtrack to the city's wonders. Here history is preserved in the dramatic Colosseum, where mighty gladiators once sparred before immense crowds. Tuscany beckons with halcyon days filled with long, alfresco lunches and the exuberant flow of fine Chianti. Vineyards and patches of bright sunflowers skirt the lower slopes of the hills and inundate the mist-hazed valleys resting between breathtaking vistas. Renaissance opulence combine in Florence: its cobbled streets and animated

piazzas dressed with unmistakeable Italian flair. Moving south, the sweeping Amalfi Coast seems to surge triumphantly from a shimmering blue sea. Positano clings to the vertiginous cliffside, speckled with lemon groves, a montage of pastel coloured buildings and mosaic-covered domes. The Mediterranean islands possess the reputation as a playground for the glitterati with their sophistication and style. This is the Italy of quintessential glamour – La Dolce Vita prevails.



### Best Experiences

- \* Immerse yourself in the magical atmosphere of the Venice Carnival, which takes place every year just before Lent
- \* Take a boat trip from the Marine Grande to Capri's La Grotta Azzurra (Blue Grotto)
- \* Climb to the top of the Duomo for a bird's eye view of the beautiful city of Florence
- \* Hike in the Etna National Park home to spectacular Mount Etna one of the most active volcanoes in the world

### When To Go

Italy is a year-round destination especially for city breaks, with a largely temperate

climate with regional variations. Summers are hot especially from Rome southwards, whilst spring and autumn are mild. Winter in the south is warmer and drier than in the north and central areas which can be much colder with snow falls in the mountainous regions.

#### Our Pricing

Our pricing aims to give an indication of the prices in low and high season. Low season for Italy is generally between the months of October to April, high season is from June to September except in the cities where high season tends to be spring and autumn. Prices

are based on 2 sharing (unless otherwise indicated) and include return economy flights from London. Regional departures, child prices and single supplements are available on request.

 $\emph{GMT}$  +1 hour in winter / +2 hours in summer

Flying Time London to: Pisa 2 hours 10 minutes / Catania 3 hours / Olbia 2 hours 20 minutes / Cagliari 2 hours 45 minutes / Naples 2 hours 45 minutes / Rome 2 hours 50 minutes / Milan & Venice 2 hours / Bari & Brindisi 2 hours 40 minutes

### Art Cities

9 nights from £2295 per person, based on two sharing

#### Venice

Rising mirage-like from the lagoon, labyrinthine Venice is a city of living art, from the glorious architecture of Piazza San Marco to the gothic façade of St Mark's Basilica and the imposing Doge's Palace. Take a launch to the island of Murano, famed for its glassware. Drift on a gondola past evocative landmarks such as the Rialto Bridge and the Bridge of Sighs. Highlights to time your visit with are the Venice Carnival and Venice Film Festival.

#### Florence

Cradle of the Renaissance, Florence captivates with its magnificent architecture and world-renowned art - in the Uffizi alone stand Michelangelo's David, Giotto frescoes and works by Da Vinci. The city boasts unforgettable sights - the marbled Cattedrale di Santa Maria del Fiore.

medieval Ponte Vecchio and the Piazza della Signoria to name but a few.

#### Rome

Reflecting the glories of one of the greatest empires, the Eternal City mixes a proud history with a buzzing aperitivo scene. The astonishing sights are never ending - take a private tour of the famous Colosseum, linger amongst the architectural remains of the Roman Forum. The Sistine Chapel and the Raphael Rooms of the Vatican are a must see, with the Basilica of St. Peter offering beguiling views from its dome.

#### Suggested Itinerary

#### Days 1-3

Flight to Venice Marco Polo Airport, transfer to the Danieli, A Luxury Collection Hotel for a 3 night stay (B)

#### Days 4-6

Travel by rail to Florence for a 3 night stay at Hotel Savoy, A Rocco Forte Hotel (B)



#### Days 7-9

Travel by rail to Rome for a 3 night stay at Gran Melia Rome Villa Agrippina (B)

#### Day 10

#### Flight to London

Price includes flights, transfers, rail travel, accommodation and meals as specified. B - Breakfast

Below: Trevi Fountain, Rome





Above: Procida, Naples

### Southern Italy Sojourn

9 nights from £2460 per person, based on two sharing

### Amalfi Coast and Capri

Few stretches of coastline compare with the rugged cliffs and terraced lemon groves of Amalfi. In Positano, all pastel colours and winding streets, savour world class cuisine, shop in chic boutiques and visit the black Madonna inside the domed Church of Santa Maria Assunta. Capri is the very essence of romance with its upmarket hangouts, ancient churches, famous sea caves and the eight hundred Phoenician Steps which connect Anacapri to the sea.

#### Sicily

Sun-soaked Sicily offers an exceptional mix of attractions, from the lava fields of brooding Mount Etna – the summit accessible by cable car and four wheel drive – to walking amongst the gods in Agrigento's

Valley of the Temples. From scenic Taormina with its winding shopping streets, medieval buildings, bars and restaurants, the volcano views are spectacular, as is the town's Greek theatre where theatrical and musical performances are an unforgettable experience.

#### Suggested Itinerary

#### Days 1-3

Flight to Naples, transfer to Le Sirenuse in Positano for a 3 nights stay (B)

#### Days 4-6

Travel by hydrofoil to Capri for a 3 night stay at Capri Palace Hotel & Spa (B)



### Days 7-9

Transfer to Naples for the flight to Sicily. Stay 3 nights at the Belmond Grand Hotel Timeo (B)

#### Day 10

Flight to London

Price includes flights, transfers, accommodation and meals as specified. **B** – Breakfast

### Ravello, Amalfi Coast /

### Belmond Hotel Caruso

50 rooms and suites 1 hour from Naples Airport

Prices from

### £950pp in low season £1650pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

Owned with immense pride by Belmond, the hotel has long been a favoured haunt of royalty and glitterati alike. Frequented by members of the Bloomsbury Group, it has also been the choice of Tennessee Williams and Gore Vidal, Jackie Kennedy and many more. The hotel is located at the highest point in Ravello, high on an Amalfi cliff top overlooking the Mediterranean. Almost all of the beautifully appointed rooms and

suites have a sea view, Exclusive Suites being the most dramatically positioned. Spectacular panoramas can also be enjoyed from the terrace of the Caruso restaurant, whilst the Belvedere serves meals in a colonnaded garden setting, the accent being on time-honoured recipes from Naples and southern Italy. Share relaxed evenings in the cocktail and piano bar – graced by frescos from the eighteenth century.

Facilities include an outdoor heated infinity swimming pool, a gymnasium and an indulgent spa tucked away in the lush Caruso gardens. Complimentary daily mini-cruises are offered for exploring the magnificent Amalfi coast in addition to a courtesy shuttle to Amalfi and Positano.



Above: Deluxe Junior Suite Below: Infinity-Edge Pool









Clockwise from top: Rossellinis Dining Terrace, Swimming Pool, Junior Suite

## Ravello, Amalfi Coast / Palazzo Avino

43 rooms and suites 1 hour from Naples Airport

Prices from

### £725pp in low season £1225pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This beautiful Moorish fantasy, tucked away in the medieval village of Ravello, is the height of sophistication in more ways than one. Set in glorious gardens and offering spectacular views over the Amalfi Coast,

its origins as a twelfth century nobleman's villa imbue an air of aristocratic refinement, lovingly restored with a successful blend of antique quality and modern style. Vietri tiles and antique carpets adorn the rooms and suites, while iPod docking stations and internet access bring the facilities bang up to date. Elegance also abounds in Rosselinis, the one Michelin-starred gourmet restaurant overseen by Chef Michele Deleo;

enjoy relaxing evenings with aperitifs accompanied by the mellow sounds of the resident pianist in the airy Caffé dell'Arte.

There is an open air fitness area, a spa with hydrotherapy pool and a panoramic rooftop solarium with two Jacuzzi whirlpools. Spend the day at the private beach club, reached by complimentary shuttle or relax around the pool in the terraced gardens.

### Positano, Amalfi Coast / Le Sirenuse

58 rooms and suites 1 hour 30 minutes from Naples Airport

Prices from

### £955pp in low season £1950pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

"Positano", said John Steinbeck, "...is a dream place that isn't quite real when you are there and becomes beckoningly real after you have gone". His favoured haunt was Le Sirenuse, an eighteenth century palazzo and summer retreat of the Marchese Sersale. This member of The Leading Hotels of the World is a place where couples can enjoy the best of the Amalfi Coast, relaxing in the Champagne Bar or dining alfresco at the Michelin-star La Sponda with its panoramic views across Positano. Le Sirenuse Spa is perfectly equipped with sauna, Turkish bath, fitness centre and massage cabins. Relax around the heated swimming pool or enjoy the short walk to the boutique-lined streets of Positano and its dramatic black sand beach. Explore the Amalfi Coast on the hotel's boat Sant' Antonio.







Left: Sunset Terrace
Below left: Deluxe Bedroom

### Amalfi Coast /

### Monastero Santa Rosa Hotel & Spa

20 rooms and suites 1 hour 30 minutes from Naples Airport

Prices from

#### £1010pp in low season £1345pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Perched on the Conca dei Marini cliff between Positano and Amalfi, with seductive panoramas of the coastline, this luxury boutique hotel exudes character. Originally a seventeenth century monastery, many of the lovingly restored deluxe rooms and suites boast vaulted ceilings. Dine on outstanding cuisine featuring specialities of the Campania region inspired by the local fishermen's catch; suspended over the Bay of Salerno, The Restaurant Terrace commands one of the most enthralling vistas imaginable, with a sommelier always on hand. The spa's signature tepidarium, treatment suites and relaxation areas all embrace the monastery's authentic character complemented by modern day luxury. Relax on the day beds in the manicured grounds which cascade from the bar terrace and culminate at the cliff edge infinity pool where refreshment and captivating views over the Amalfi Coast await.



## Praiano, Amalfi Coast / Casa Angelina

39 rooms and suites

Children over the age of 11 years are welcome 1 hour 30 minutes from Naples Airport

Prices from

#### £820pp in low season £1045pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

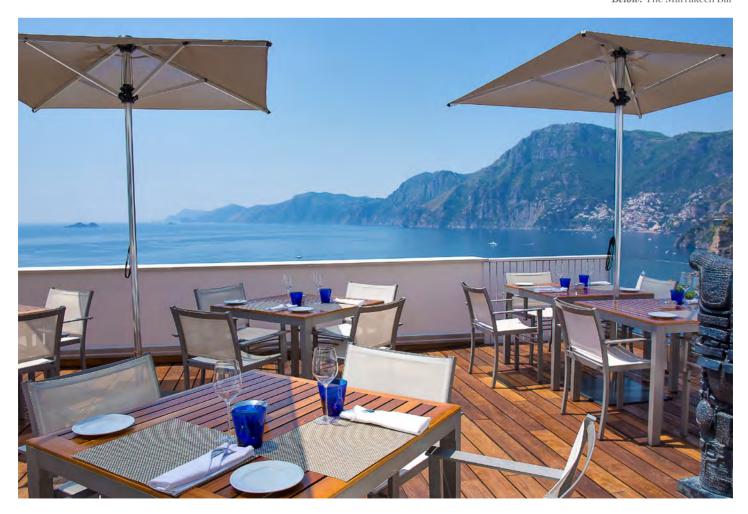
The plunging coastline between Positano and Amalfi provides the setting for this diaphanous property of whiter-than-white décor kept immaculate by in-house handyman Peppe. The sleek and stylish interiors are complemented by bright splashes of Murano Glass art pieces and wood parquet floors – most rooms having a balcony or floor-to-ceiling picture

windows offering bewitching ocean vistas. Alternatively, experience the authentic charm of one of four "Eaudesea" Rooms, former fisherman's houses on the beach reachable by elevator and 200 steps. At Un Piano Nel Cielo restaurant, Chef Vincenzo Vanacore creates gourmet menus from locally sourced Mediterranean produce accompanied by the sommelier's choices from a 3,000-strong collection, or dine poolside with a menu of healthy salads and lighter dishes.

There's an outdoor pool, wellness area with indoor heated pool, sauna and fitness suite. Explore the dramatic coastline in the hotels' private vessel the Master Angelina or take the complimentary shuttle service to Positano.



Above: Swimming Pool Below: The Marrakech Bar





Left: Deluxe Room
Below left: Acropolis Suite

## Capri / Capri Palace Hotel & Spa

72 rooms and suites 2 hours from Naples Airport



#### £1030pp in low season £1260pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

Art plays a leading role in this magnificent hotel, located in the centre of Anacapri – regarded as the most exclusive and unspoilt part of the island. Stone floors, graceful columns and vaulted ceilings recall the glories of the Mediterranean palaces of the eighteenth century. Accommodation

ranges from Classic Rooms to Suites, some offering mesmerising sea views and private heated pools. Suite Magritte pays homage to Surrealism's leading exponent, while Suite Warhol is a vibrant pop art space. Fine dining is assured at L'Olivo, the two Michelin-starred restaurant, serving innovative Mediterranean specialities; Alfresco dining in the Ragu Bistrot offers magnificent views. Experience the signature treatment of the renowned Capri Beauty Farm or take the complimentary shuttle to II Riccio Beach Club and Michelinstar restaurant. Excursions in opulent speedboats can also be arranged.



Right: Hotel Lobby Below right: Park View

## Capri/ Grand Hotel Quisisana

147 rooms and suites 2 hours from Naples Airport

Prices from

### £1260pp in low season £1435pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This member of The Leading Hotels of the World has been receiving its celebrated guests for over a century, drawn here both by the atmosphere of exclusivity and the enviable position next to the piazzetta in Capri Town. The interior is imbued with an air of cool refinement with abundant use of Italian marble and traditional local tiles.

Many of the expansive rooms and suites overlook the immaculate gardens which surround the outdoor swimming pool, some boasting views to the distant Faraglioni rocks. Enjoy light lunches, snacks and leisurely dinners in the refined ambience of Rendez-Vous and authentic local cuisine complemented by Italian wines at poolside restaurant Colombaia. Relaxing treatments and pampering await at the QvisiBeauty spa, with hammam, Jacuzzi, indoor pool, fitness studio and relaxation lounge.









67 rooms and suites 45 minutes from Genoa International Airport

Prices from

### £1275pp in low season £1670pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

From its hillside position high above the yacht-dotted harbour of Portofino, this former monastery exudes an air of elegance and refinement. A Belmond hotel, it retains its patrician air and Belle Epoque grandeur,



Clockwise from top: Swimming Pool, Executive Junior Suite Sea View, La Terrazza Restaurant

the lavishly decorated guest rooms and suites having either a balcony or terrace to capture the incomparable bay vistas. Cuisine is exceptional – at La Terrazza succulent seafood and pasta specialities are served on the fragrant terrace overlooking the ocean; an experience of Focaccia, Pesto and Olive Oil tasting can be organised by the chef. At sister hotel Belmond Splendido Mare, Chuflay restaurant conjures up the glamour of decades past, dine indoors or alfresco on the terrace bordering the

bustling Piazetta, where in the evening a pianist plays while you dine.

Recreations centre around the tennis court and the open air heated seawater swimming pool. A new wellness centre with three treatment rooms offers sensuous therapies, pedicures and massages, together with family yoga and an array of kids' activities at the Smile Club. There is a complimentary shuttle service from the hotel to Portofino village.



Above: Floating Swimming Pool Right: Junior Suite Top - Lake View



## Lake Como / Villa d'Este

152 rooms and suites 1 hour from Milan Malpensa Airport

Prices from

### £1125pp in low season £1555pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Beyond the massive wrought iron gates lies a secluded world, where over one hundred and forty years of tradition blends discreetly with modern comforts. Comprising two lavish palaces - the Cardinal building and Queen's Pavilion – the Villa offers everything you might expect from a member of The Leading Hotels of the World.

Magnificent guest rooms and suites are individually styled with antique furniture, oil paintings, silk brocade drapes and deluxe marble bathrooms, the terraces, balconies and large windows maximising the views of Lake Como. Savour gourmet Italian cuisine in the Veranda, go informal at the Grill, dining alfresco in the summer, or simply

enjoy an aperitif at the jasmine-scented Terrace Bar, overlooking the lake.

At the Beauty Center, treatments are based on Zen philosophy employing specially created products, from aromatherapy to power peels and age-defying rituals. There is also an indoor swimming pool and two outdoor pools, including the unique floating pool on the lake with Jacuzzi and children's pool.

### Lake Como /

### Grand Hotel Tremezzo

 $90\,\mathrm{rooms}$  and suites

1 hour 15 minutes from Milan Malpensa Airport

Prices from

#### £1075pp in low season £1475pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The era of romantic Grand Tours is redolently evoked in this charming, family owned luxury hotel. Art nouveau charm extends through grand drawing rooms to the superbly-appointed bedrooms and suites. All of the Park View and Lake View Rooms in the ancient Palace have been recently refurbished; lavishly-appointed Rooftop Suites have a private terrace,

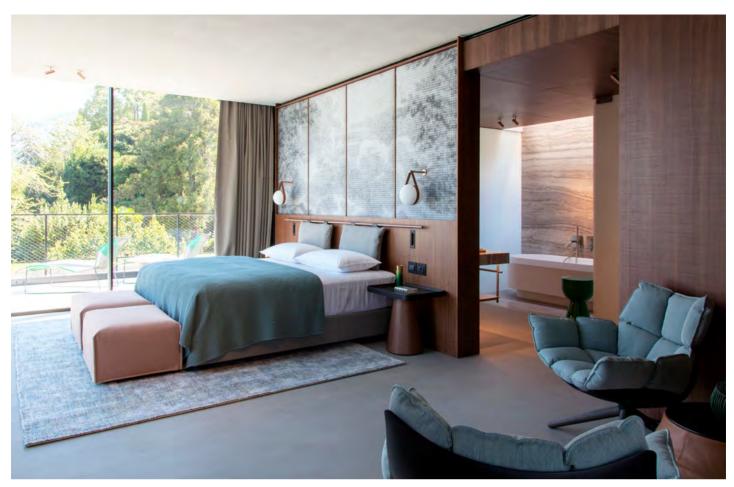
outdoor Jacuzzi and dedicated butler service. Gualtiero Marchesi is the force behind seasonal menus at La Terraza in one of the most beautiful settings on the lake, while L'Escale specialises in fondues. Try a signature 'T Cocktail' on the stylish terrace of T Bar.

Relax by one of three pools – the T Beach by the floating swimming pool on the lake having real sand and comfy sunbeds; the panoramic T Spa featuring an infinity pool with outdoor and indoor Jacuzzi. The concierge can arrange private lessons in water-skiing, sailing and wind surfing, golf or lake excursions on board the hotel's mahogany-hulled Venetian motor launch.



Above: L'Escale Restaurant Below: Flowers Swimming Pool





Above: The Penthouse Right: Hotel Exterior



## Lake Como / *Il Sereno*

 $30 \, \mathrm{suites}$ 

 $1\,hour\,10\,minutes\,from\,Milan\,Malpensa\,Airport$ 

Prices from

### £1595pp in low season £1925pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Having recently opened to rapturous reviews, Il Sereno combines an intimate setting on the shores of Lake Como with impeccable personal service. Nestled in the picturesque town of Torno it exudes

panache, designer Patricia Urquiola's interpretations being both contemporary and relaxed. Stone, wood and copper grace airy interiors bathed in natural light from floor to ceiling windows, each of the suites boasting a private bar, custom robes and furnished terraces, all just steps from the lake shore. In partnership with venerated Milan restaurateur and Michelinstarred chef, Andrea Berton, Ristorante Berton al Lago serves creative cuisine

inspired by the rich produce of the region. The Lobby Terrace is the perfect place to drink in the stunning lake views over aperitivos.

The hotel's deluxe Riva boats, with a driver if required, provide transport across and around the lake, while a heated freshwater infinity pool and Pool Club are the focus of recreations. March 2017 sees the opening of a full service spa.

Right: Private Beach Below right: Il Portico

### Lake Maggiore /

### Grand Hotel Majestic

80 rooms and suites 1 hour from Milan Malpensa Airport

Prices from

#### £735pp in low season £815pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Dreamily evocative of the Belle Epoque era, this palatial property on the western shores of Lake Maggiore affords sweeping views across to the Borromean Islands and mountains beyond. Once a favoured haunt of artists such as Debussy and Toscanini,

and now a member of The Small Luxury Hotels of the World, it stands in an English-style garden with its own private waterfront and small beach. Most of the classically furnished rooms and suites boast balconies from which to absorb the vistas. Dine in a choice of lakefront restaurants – La Beola exuding cosmopolitan elegance, Il Portico situated under the pretty veranda for laid-back summer dining. For recreation there is a wellness centre and spa with a heated swimming pool and sauna, or take the opportunity to enjoy the lake views by boat.







Left: Hotel Exterior and Gardens Below left: Suite Room

### Lake Garda /

### Villa Cortine Palace

54 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Verona Airport



Prices from

#### £815pp in low season £1075pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Within one of Lake Garda's prettiest lakeside resorts lies one of the region's most resplendent hotels. As you sweep along the entrance drive past ornate statues, fountains and exotic plants you enter a world of grandeur dominated by the villa with its Palladian-style façade.

Mosaics, frescos and precious marbles from the quarries of Verona grace elegant drawing rooms bedecked with priceless objets d'art. In the adjacent main part of the hotel, more contemporary in style, spacious double rooms and a number of meticulously appointed Prestige Deluxe Rooms offer refined comfort and splendid lake views. Dine outdoors on the terrace in summer or stroll down to the private beach area where barbecue lunches are served. Lake promenades are popular, along with mountain biking, horse riding, boat trips and visits to local towns and thermal baths.



Above: Restaurant Leonefelice Right: Hotel Exterior and Vineyards



### Lake Iseo, Brescia/ *L'Albereta*

57 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Bergamo Airport 50 minutes from Milan Linate Airport

Prices from

#### £810pp in low season £900pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

With views from all rooms of the Franciacorta vineyards that cascade down the Lombardian hillsides, the boutique Relais & Chateaux L'Albereta provides refinement in a nineteenth century residence. Precious marble adorns deluxe bathrooms; satins, silks and damasks abound; vintage furniture lends a distinguished air. Within the exclusive Cabriolet Suite, a draw-back roof gives vistas of the night skies from the comfort of the king size bed. At Leonfelice, Chef Fabio Abbattista creates gourmet cuisine sourced locally wherever possible, while the atmospheric Vistalago Bistro serves typical Italian regional dishes accompanied by

panoramas over Iseo Lake. Bringing body and soul back to optimum wellness is the aim of the therapies in the ultra-modern Espace Chenot Spa, where treatments inspired by Dr Henri Chenot follow the principles of Biontology.

Maty's Club is a place of pure fun for youngsters; hiring a bike with trail maps is a great way to discover the locality, where attractions include the Parco delle Sculture di Franciacorta open-air museum.

Right: Urban Junior Suite Below right: Swimming Pool

### Rome /

### Gran Meliá Rome Villa Agrippina

116 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Rome Fiumicino Airport

Prices from

#### £680pp in low season £810pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast.

Room upgrades available.

A sense of special occasion pervades this exceptional property on the banks of the Tiber, just minutes from St Peter's Square. Interiors drip with Murano chandeliers, furnishings balancing traditional luxury with avant-garde flair encapsulated in the dramatic artworks that adorn each habitation. Some also have gardens or

terraces for making the most of the Eternal City's near-eternal sunshine. For the ultimate VIP experience guests can choose the exclusive RedLevel service with dedicated butlers. VivaVoce is the place to savour Italian culinary classics; taking afternoon tea in the Library has become a local institution. For aperitivos meet up at Nectar Bar or the aromatic Liquid Garden in its poolside setting amongst orange trees. After an exciting day exploring the eternal city unwind in the Spa My Blend by Clarins.







Left: Picasso Suite Lounge Below left: Secret Garden

### Rome /

### Hotel de Russie, A Rocco Forte Hotel

121 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Rome Fiumicino Airport



Prices from

### £1100pp in low season £1365pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

A member of Rocco Forte Hotels, the hotel is located in the heart of the city, next to the Piazza del Popolo and just a short stroll from the Spanish Steps and Rome's most fashionable shopping streets. The design is stylish and contemporary throughout, the Classic Suites incorporating a king bed, separate living room and mosaiced marble

bathroom. Alfresco dining can be enjoyed during the warmer months beneath ancient trees and fragrant rose bushes in the beguiling terraced gardens. Internationally renowned chef Fulvio Pierangelini overseeing the culinary creations in the terrace setting of the elegant Le Jardin de Russie restaurant. The superb De Russie Spa promises ultimate pampering and relaxation, its trained therapists specialising in facials, body treatments and massages using high end beauty products by names such as Swiss Perfection, Carita Paris and Skinceuticals.

Right: Junior Suite Below right: Hotel Lobby

## Florence / Four Seasons

Four Seasons Hotel Firenze

116 rooms and suites 20 minutes from Florence Airport 1 hour from Pisa Airport

Prices from

#### £850pp in low season £1425pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

This luxury address in Florence is a peaceful garden oasis only a short walking distance from many of the city's famous sights, shops and galleries. Comprising a fifteenth century palazzo and a former convent, the hotel offers atmospheric accommodation and a private park of eleven acres. No two rooms

are alike, many featuring original frescos and friezes, tastefully blending Renaissance artistry with modern comforts. The Michelin starred Il Palagio offers regional dishes with a contemporary twist, served either in the elegant dining room or alfresco on the terrace beneath the shade of a majestic tree, whilst the piano bar is perfect for evening cocktails. For added romance, guests may also dine in the property's historic chapel. The extensive spa is a luxurious retreat with an outdoor swimming pool, whirlpool and steam room.







Left: Hotel Exterior
Below left: Signoria Suite

### Florence /

### Hotel Savoy, A Rocco Forte Hotel

102 rooms and suites 20 minutes from Florence Airport 1 hour from Pisa Airport

Prices from

### £795pp in low season £1070pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Located in the heart of Florence, in Piazza della Repubblica, close to the Duomo and just steps away from the city's chic boutiques and iconic landmarks. Hotel Savoy, part of Rocco Forte Hotels, is a contemporary hotel bringing a refreshing ambience to the elegant guest rooms and

suites – classic contemporary guest rooms having bathrooms finished in marble and mosaics, Classic Suites adorned with sculptures and artworks. Irene, the new Florentine bistro spills out onto the piazza in the summer months and is one of the city's most cosmopolitan spots, offering tantalising fare created by Fulvio Pierangelini. In the convivial ambience of the bar, sip cocktails from original 1950s coupe glasses. A comprehensively equipped fitness centre offers superb views over Florence, while for younger guests there's a specially devised children's programme including a Pinocchio workshop.



### Fiesole, Near Florence /

### Belmond Villa San Michele

45 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Florence Airport 1 hour 10 minutes from Pisa Airport

Prices from

### £1295pp in low season £1450pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Just fifteen minutes by courtesy shuttle service to central Florence yet a world away from its teeming bustle, this splendidly grand Belmond hotel commands captivating city views from its hillside setting in Fiesole. The colonnaded façade was designed by none other than Michelangelo, elegant rooms and suites are individually styled, many retaining

original features. Garden Suites lie within the lush grounds, while for added luxury the Limonaia Suite is located in the convent's former orangerie and features its own private heated plunge pool and natural water spring. Dine alfresco to the accompaniment of more wonderful vistas in La Loggia or experience the refined ambience of the vaulted Cloister restaurant.

An open air heated swimming pool provides a quiet spot to relax. Children will enjoy the array of activities on offer at the Smile Club. The renowned Buono Buonissimo! Cookery School offers courses specialising in Italian dishes, with small classes ensuring devoted personal attention.



Above: La Loggia Restaurant Below: Garden View



## Tuscany / Castel Monastero

74 rooms, suites and 1 villa 2 hours from Pisa Airport

Prices from

#### £1250pp in low season £1370pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Step back in time into a beautifully preserved medieval eleventh century village centred around a lively piazza, just twenty minutes from Siena and ensconced in quintessential Tuscan scenery. Dotted throughout the village are rooms and suites reflecting an elegant and rustic style whilst

offering every modern amenity, as well as an independent villa complete with private chef and butler upon request. The lure of the location is matched by that of the cuisine - Gordon Ramsay overseeing the menus at gourmet restaurant Contrada complemented by a more relaxed offering in the property's wine cellar at La Cantina, serving typical Tuscan fare. There are three swimming pools, a tennis court, cookery classes and nearby horse riding. Relax in the spa with sauna and hammam plus treatments encompassing slimming, detox and anti-ageing.







Left: Swimming Pool
Below left: Villa Biondi Master Bedroom

### Tuscany /

### Rosewood Castiglion Del Bosco

23 rooms, suites and 10 villas 2 hours 20 minutes from Pisa Airport



### £1060pp in low season £2010pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A centuries old unique Tuscan retreat set within the UNESCO-protected Val d'Orcia Natural Park. At its heart, the Borgo is the setting for the castle ruins, medieval church and suites; all with grand master bedrooms, some with sitting rooms and private terraces. Villas boast private heated infinity

pools and landscaped gardens, some with private tennis courts. Enjoy sylvan views whilst dining on the terrace at Ristorante Campo del Drago or relax in the friendly atmosphere of a restored Tuscan trattoria at Osteria La Canonica. Set in the former wine cellar, indulge in treatments using La Prairie products and the estate's own Tuscan range body care line in The Spa at Rosewood Castiglion del Bosco. Numerous activities encompass golf at the private club, truffle hunting, wine tours and tastings.



## Tuscany / Il Pellicano

50 rooms and suites 1 hour 45 minutes from Rome Fiumicino Airport

Prices from

#### £1435pp in low season £1920pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This magnificent retreat, set high on a clifftop on Tuscany's Argentario peninsula in Porto Ercole, is a favoured haunt of those in search of discreet elegance and privacy. Surrounded by olive groves and gardens, each of the spacious rooms and suites has its own unique décor whilst reflecting the typical Tuscan traditions

of the area; many boasting views of the sea and Tyrrhenian coast. The excellent Il Pellicano Restaurant serves superb local and international fare to the accompaniment of over one hundred fine wines. Exquisite Tuscan cuisine is also served on the alfresco terrace at Pelligrill, overlooking the sea. The Pelliclub health and beauty centre features a relaxing spa oasis with an array of treatments. Enjoy the unforgettable views from the heated seawater swimming pool or hire a boat to explore the nearby Tuscan archipelago.







Left: Dining Terrace and Swimming Pool Below left: Limonaia Master Bedroom

### Tuscany /

### Hotel Castello di Casole

41 suites; 29 villas and farmhouses 50 minutes from Florence Airport 1 hour 30 minutes from Pisa Airport



### £1165pp in low season £1870pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Standing amidst vineyards, olive groves and rolling hills, this tenth century former castle has been carefully transformed into an intimate boutique hotel. Suitably grand suites effortlessly combine Tuscan charm with modern comforts. Dining choices

encompass romantic picnic lunches in the grounds, pizzas from a wood-burning oven and fine dining at Ristorante Tosca beneath Murano glass chandeliers or alfresco on the panoramic terrace. Summer nights are perfect for enjoying Tuscan tapas, cocktails and superb estate-produced wines within the frescoed walls of Bar Visconti. Formerly a wine cellar, the Essere Spa offers indulgent pampering and yoga sessions; a large outdoor heated infinity pool gives stunning views over the hilltop town of Casole d'Elsa. Concerts and special events are held in the estate's amphitheatre, while guests can also join art, language and cookery classes.



### Venice /

### Belmond Hotel Cipriani

 $95\,\mathrm{rooms}$  and suites 30 minutes from Marco Polo Airport

Prices from

### £1720pp in low season £2080pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Exuding an implacable air of serenity, the Belmond Hotel Cipriani is famed for its luxurious style. It stands in mature gardens on Giudecca Island just four minutes by private launch from Piazza San Marco. Breathtaking views abound over the gardens and vineyard, the lagoon or overlooking St Mark's Square - from tastefully furnished rooms of the main hotel or from the deluxe annexe of Palazzo Vendramin, a fifteenth century residence

linked to the main hotel by a delightful courtyard lined with flowers. The Oro Restaurant and Terrace offers elegant dining, whilst Cip's with its Venetian specialities has a spectacular view of Piazza San Marco.

Relax around the heated Olympic-sized seawater swimming pool or in the Casanova Wellness Centre. There is also a red clay tennis court situated on the edge of the lagoon. During the summer months children are entertained at the Smile Club in the gardens. 'Shirley', the hotel's own wooden boat, is on hand for personalised excursions.



Above: The Oro Restaurant Below: Junior Suite Lagoon View



### Venice /

### Danieli, A Luxury Collection Hotel

210 rooms and suites 45 minutes from Marco Polo Airport

Prices from

### £560pp in low season £1290pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

World famous and extraordinarily atmospheric, this Luxury Collection Hotel stands on Riva degli Schiavoni, just a short walk from St Mark's Square. The hotel comprises three interlinked historical palazzos including the breathtakingly restored fourteenth century Dandolo Palace. Stylish guest rooms are individually and opulently furnished with antiques, Murano

glass, ornately carved pink marble columns and exquisite tapestries evoking the city's unique heritage. The rooftop restaurant Terrazza Danieli is where excellent cuisine is served indoors or alfresco, accompanied by incomparable views of Venice's skyline. Relax in the award-winning Bar Dandolo where light snacks and signature cocktails are served to live music or indulge in a luxurious personalised in-room spa treatment. Multilingual staff are the epitome of discretion; the Concierge team will organise everything from city tours to romantic night time gondola rides.







Left: Landmark Grand Canal Room Below left: Riva Lounge

### Venice /

### Gritti Palace, A Luxury Collection Hotel

82 rooms and suites 50 minutes from Marco Polo Airport



Prices from

### £650pp in low season £1290pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

This 'grande dame' of Venetian palaces, famed for its refined ambience, unstinting luxury and fanatically loyal clientele, lies close to a myriad of prime attractions such as La Fenice Theatre, St Mark's Square, the Bridge of Sighs and Guggenheim Museum. Interior designer Chuck Chewning of Donghia has created magnificent new-

look suites with sumptuous beds, spacious bathrooms and décor rich in archival fabrics and artefacts – some featuring splendid stuccos and hand-restored Murano glass chandeliers. The famous Ristorante Club del Doge and its terrace have also been remodelled, diners enjoying sensational Mediterranean cuisine and romantic views. Retire for a nightcap in the elegant Bar Longhi restored to its former glory and adorned with original artworks. The Acqua di Parma Blu Mediterraneo Spa is a sumptuous retreat with two spa suites, Turkish baths and foot-baths.

Right: Tiepolo Suite Bedroom Below right: Garden Bar

Venice /

### San Clemente Palace Kempinski

190 rooms and suites 45 minutes from Marco Polo Airport

Prices from

### £780pp in low season £965pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Set on the island of San Clemente within the Venetian lagoon, ten minutes by complimentary boat from the bustle of Piazza San Marco. Elegant rooms and suites, including connecting rooms for family use, are tucked away amidst lush gardens or overlooking the lagoon, all with rug-covered terrazzo floors, Murano glass light fittings and intricate Italian brocades.

Three dining choices include a poolside grill and wood-fire oven at La Dolce and gourmet restaurant Acquerello for modern Adriatic fare served on an expansive terrace by a private pier. Sip hand-crafted cocktails in the visually stunning Clemente Bar, or alfresco in the Garden Bar when the sun is shining. The swimming pool proffers vistas of the Venetian Lagoon and further recreations span three-hole pitch and putt golf, tennis and gym workouts.







Left: Ballroom
Below left: Garden Terrace

### Venice /

### Aman Venice

 $24 \operatorname{rooms}$ 

45 minutes from Marco Polo Airport



#### £1705pp in low season £2375pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Tiepolo frescoes, gilded ceilings and priceless treasures at every turn lend Aman Venice an air of rare exclusivity. Set in a grand sixteenth century palazzo on the Grand Canal its light-filled salons are complemented by accommodation with views to the canal or the hotel's private garden. Chandeliers and chinoiserie abound;

walls are graced with wood panelling and silk coverings. In the elegant dining rooms feast on culinary creations from the inspired hand of Michelin-starred chef Davide Oldani, or take your place under the flowering pergola to dine alfresco in the gardens. There's a full manicures-to-massages menu in the captivating spa, dedicated to re-centering one's equilibrium – the Himalayan salt exfoliation meriting particular mention – while guests can also enjoy an exclusive after-hours visit to the Gothic Palazzo Ducale, once home to the Doge.



### The Venice Simplon-Orient-Express

This aristocrat amongst trains takes its passengers to some of the most celebrated cities in Europe. Travelling in its gloriously restored vintage carriages revives the golden age of travel. A variety of journeys are available from April to November including these two prestigious routes:

#### London to Venice 1 Night

Day 1 / Depart mid-morning from London Victoria Station aboard Belmond British Pullman. A Bellini brunch is served as the English countryside forms a scenic backdrop. After crossing the Channel, board the carriages of the Venice Simplon-Orient-Express and enjoy a four-course dinner on board. After dinner enjoy the soothing sounds of the baby grand piano in the bar before retiring to your cabin. (LD)

Day 2 / Awaken to the magnificent scenery of the Swiss Alps, as a continental breakfast is

served in the comfort of your own cabin at a time to suit you. Spend the morning relaxing in your cabin or the Bar Car before enjoying a leisurely three-course lunch served in one of the three beautiful restaurant cars as the train passes through the Italian Dolomites. Enjoy late afternoon tea before arriving into Venice. (BL)

#### Prices from £2435 per person

Excludes accommodation in Venice. Other itineraries are available – contact reservations for more information. Departures are scheduled on selected Thursdays and Sundays throughout the year.

### Venice – Prague – London 4 Nights

Day 1 / Board the splendid Venice Simplon-Orient-Express at Venice Santa Lucia station, departing early evening. Enjoy an aperitif in the bar before dinner. (D)

 $\textbf{Days}\, \textbf{2-3} \, / \, \textbf{Continental breakfast is served in}$ 

your cabin as the train meanders through the countryside. Later enjoy a three-course lunch before the train arrives in Prague. Two nights are spent in Prague with a full day to explore the medieval streets of the Old Town. (BL)

Day 4 / The morning is free to explore further before rejoining the train for your overnight journey to London. Enjoy afternoon tea whilst admiring the passing scenery. A leisurely four-course dinner is served on board. (D)

Day 5 / Enjoy brunch before disembarking the train. After crossing the channel, board Belmond British Pullman for afternoon tea before arriving into London Victoria station. (BL)

#### Prices from £3180 per person

Excludes accommodation in Prague. Other itineraries are available – contact reservations for more information. Departures on 24 May and 11 October 2017.

Below left: Venice Simplon-Orient-Express Porters Below right: Restaurant Car







## Puglia / Borgo Egnazia

63 rooms and suites 92 townhouse suites and 30 villas 45 minutes from Brindisi Airport 55 minutes from Bari Airport

Prices from

#### £995pp in low season £2675pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This exclusive year-round Puglian retreat combines traditional lines with contemporary luxury; white-washed masserias and a central piazza characterise this beautiful property. Built in the style of an authentic Apulian village dotted with ancient olive trees, it borders the 18-hole championship San Domenico golf course. Expansive grounds reveal three outdoor swimming pools, one indoor pool and an array of accommodation. In addition to elegant and contemporary rooms in the hotel, there are spacious townhouses, most with Arabian gardens and private rooftop terraces proffering views towards the Adriatic Sea. Three bedroom villas, tastefully furnished in a palette of neutral tones, boast expansive living areas, wrap-

around balconies with private pool and garden. Dining choices range from the sophistication of Due Camini to the delicious grilled fish of Pescheria da Vito, directly on the beach.

The Vair Spa is an oasis of rejuvenation with twelve treatment rooms, fitness centre, sauna and steam bath. Activities include a cookery school, tennis academy, bicycles, two beach clubs, watersports, fishing trips, boat excursions and more. Children will appreciate the Trullalleri kids' club and the Marinai and Tarantari Teen's Clubs.



Clockwise from right: Borgo Splendida Bedroom, Borgo Splendida Bar, Villa Splendida



### Puglia /

### Apulian Masserias

The masserias of Puglia are fast becoming the destination of choice for aficionados of Italian holidaymaking. Rustic and charming, they give an authentic taste of life on a working farm – Torre Coccaro and Torre Maizza being part of an extensive estate overlooking the sea. Five hundred metres apart, the boutique properties exude traditional Apulian charm. Whilst sharing a private sandy beach club, restaurant and bar facilities and a mini club for children, they each have their own private spa and outdoor pool. At the centre of the estate lie an organic farm and a fruit orchard that's perfect for tranquil escape, its ancient colonnade hung with grapes that can be picked as you pass. Diverse recreations include the Coccaro Beach Club, golf on the estate's own course and cookery lessons featuring visits to local markets.



Above: Coccaro Chapel

## Puglia / Torre Coccaro Masseria

40 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Brindisi Airport 55 minutes from Bari Airport

Prices from

#### £1265pp in low season £1960pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The tower which gives the masseria its name, was once part of a defensive shield against marauding Saracens. It dominates this retreat

where individual accommodation ranges from rooms with a private garden to rustic suites including those in the tower itself and the Orange Suite, tucked away in a white-painted cave with its own private heated pool. In the old stables, the restaurant Egnthia serves meals alfresco under a pergola laden with bougainvillea and jasmine, while special summer events include the Village Feast, Pizza Night, Open Fire Grill and Dinner Jazz Concerts. Don't miss the tai chi lessons and sumptuous olive oil therapies in the spa; a beautiful outdoor pool among the olive groves has its own restaurant cabana.

### Puglia /

### Torre Maizza Masseria

30 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Brindisi Airport 55 minutes from Bari Airport

Prices from

### £1395pp in low season £2015pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Built around a seaward-facing lookout tower, the masseria offers a choice of rooms and suites, many with white-washed vaulted ceilings, terraces, deckchairs and views either to the olive groves or ocean. Particularly attractive are the suites with fireplace, Jacuzzi and private heated pool. Restaurant Le Palme serves creative local cuisine in the ancient stables or under a romantic pergola, or eat poolside. Old walls and colonnades surround the atmospheric outdoor swimming pool, while the Aveda Spa features a Turkish bath. Walk along the dunes from the Beach Club, hop on a complimentary mountain bike or board the estate's private 12m yacht for excursions to Monopoli and the sea caves of Polignano a Mare.

Below: Swimming Pool



## Sardinia / Cala di Volpe

121 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Olbia Airport

Prices from

### £3770pp in low season £10055pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This Jacques Couëlle-designed retreat lies in one of the most beautiful bays on the Costa Smeralda. Resembling a traditional Sardinian village, terraces, irregular roofs and porticoes blend perfectly with the surrounding landscape. Each uniquely decorated guest room and suite has a balcony or terrace. Two restaurants serve international and Italian cuisine; full board guests have the opportunity to dine at sister hotels Romazzino, Cervo and Pitrizza. Relax by the pool or take the short boat ride to the hotel's private beach. Nearby are a golf course and abundant watersports. The hotel has three tennis courts and a therapist on hand for massage and Shiatsu while children are entertained in the Toy Club. Early booking is essential in July and August.





Above: Swimming Pool

### $Sardinia \, / \,$

### Romazzino

94 rooms and suites; 6 villas 35 minutes from Olbia Airport

Prices from

#### £3715pp in low season £9300pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Friendly intimacy is assured at this familyoriented escape on the sun-blessed Costa Smeralda. Set on one of the island's most attractive beaches, the property lies in fragrant floral gardens surrounding a cluster of Mediterranean village-style white buildings which house the rooms and suites. Elegantly decorated in typical Sardinian style, all boast private terraces with sea or garden views. Dining choices range from grilled meats and fish by the beach and delicious poolside buffets to the inspired regional cuisine of the Romazzino restaurant. Two swimming pools include a fabulous sea-water pool and new fresh water pool for cooling dips. At the Toy Club, the children's programme keeps younger guests entertained all day. Early booking in July and August is essential.

### Sardinia /

### Pitrizza Hotel

58 rooms and suites; 7 villas 35 minutes by private car from Olbia Airport

Prices from

#### £4070pp in low season £10300pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A rare gem embedded in a jagged coast, this is a favourite destination for travellers seeking privacy and tranquillity. Located close to Porto Cervo with its colourful houses and fashionable wharfs, it offers rooms and suites that are comfortable and refined, each with handcrafted furniture and breathtaking views over Liscia di Vacca Bay. Sea views can be enjoyed too from the restaurant, noted for its international cuisine. For sunset cocktails on the terrace, meet up at the bar. There is a beauty centre offering massages and beauty treatments, but many will simply linger by the seawater swimming pool, carved out of natural rock. Early booking is essential in July and August.



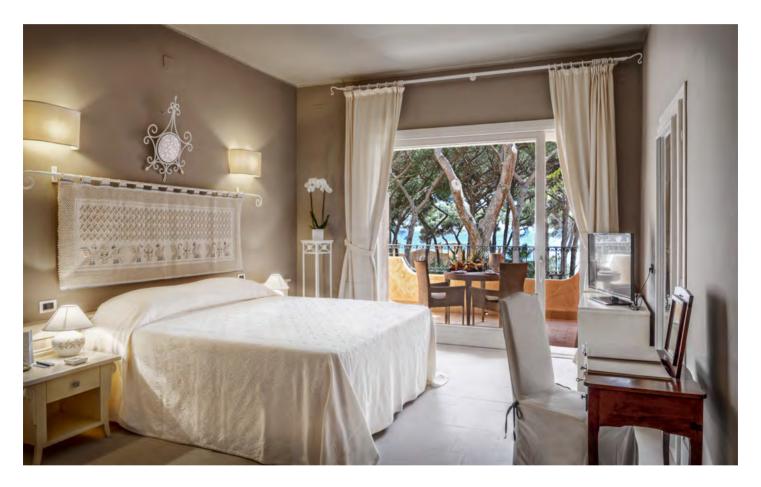
Below: Villa Turchese

### Sardinia /

### Forte Village

Regularly named the world's leading resort, Forte Village lies in extensive lush gardens by a beautiful stretch of sandy Sardinian coastline. There is a sense of stepping into a deluxe, self-contained world complete with numerous hotel choices and over twenty restaurants, including a Gordon Ramsay restaurant and Forte Gourmet by the Oasis pool and Trattoria Italiana. There are also seafront venues specialising in succulent seafood, opportunities to feast on Brazilian and Japanese cuisine and a children's restaurant with lowered-height tables.

Recreational choices are unending, from more gentle pursuits such as cooking classes with Rocco Iannone and revitalising body treatments in the Acquaforte Spa with its Turkish bath and six seawater pools of varying salinity to full-on sporting facilities such as the Chelsea Football Soccer School and academies for netball, rugby, swimming, cricket and more. Leisureland linked to the Village by underground pass, offers go-karting and ten pin bowling; Piazza Maria Luigia is the place for live entertainment and designer-brand shopping.



Above: Executive Mare Room

### Sardinia /

### Hotel Castello

177 rooms and suites 45 minutes from Cagliari Airport

Prices from

£2525pp in low season £3435pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available. Recently refurbished across all five floors, the hotel comprises a variety of chic rooms and suites decorated in contemporary style with traditional Sardinian touches, all having a bath, shower and balcony or terrace to maximise the sea or pine forest views. For families, the interconnecting rooms add

the desired flexibility, while those seeking enhanced services can choose the terraced rooms on the executive floor which have their own dedicated reception. Bar Bandiere – perhaps the most elegant of the Village's many choices – is the perfect place to meet up for pre-dinner drinks and late night cocktails.

### Villa del Parco & Spa

47 deluxe rooms and luxury bungalows 45 minutes from Cagliari Airport

Prices from

### £4675pp in low season £7530pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

As you would expect from a member of the Leading Hotels of the World, standards are impeccable throughout this refined boutique hotel set amongst centuries old pine groves and hibiscus trees against a backdrop of pineclad mountains. Individual rooms and garden bungalows provide delightful accommodation with first class amenities, the bungalows featuring interconnecting rooms for the convenience of larger families. Breakfast is served in the intimate Patio restaurant; fine gourmet cuisine awaits in the top floor Belvedere Restaurant with a panoramic terrace ideal for alfresco dining. A private passage leads to the Acquaforte Spa.





#### Above: Suite

## Sardinia / *Le Dune*

82 luxury bungalows and suites 45 minutes from Cagliari Airport

Prices from

#### £6205pp in low season £9310pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgradces available.

An oasis of calm in a privileged beachfront position, Le Dune is a collection of

recently refurbished bungalows and suites, conveniently close to the resort's main amenities yet tucked away in the vibrant tropical gardens. The property offers unsurpassed VIP treatment and features accommodations with a patio, garden or private terrace – some with added extras such as whirlpool baths and a relaxing living area with sofa bed and one with its own private swimming pool. Adjoining bungalows are particularly handy for groups of friends wishing to be close together while enjoying their own space.

## Sardinia / Bouganville

133 luxury bungalows and suites 45 minutes from Cagliari Airport

Prices from

#### £1645pp in low season £2190pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The newest hotel in Forte Village stands immersed in exotic tropical greenery at the heart of the resort. Following extensive upgrading the hotel welcomes guests into a world of Sardinian charm, the bungalow-style

accommodation being both cool and spacious. With their private patio and garden areas, the bungalows range from Deluxe to Deluxe Family Plus – the latter having two bedrooms each with their own bathroom. For enhanced family convenience there is also a choice of interconnecting rooms. Breakfast is served at Terrazza Oasis; the resort's many restaurants, bars and cafes are close by. Also near at hand are the three freshwater swimming pools at the Oasis.

**Below:** Deluxe Family Bungalow





### Sicily /

### Verdura Resort, A Rocco Forte Hotel

203 rooms and suites 1 hour 20 minutes from Palermo Airport 2 hours 30 minutes from Catania Airport

Prices from

#### £1290pp in low season £2995pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Located on Sicily's spectacular southern coast, close to the temples of Agrigento, is Rocco Forte Hotels' first resort style property. Equally appealing to couples and families alike, it is fronted by a magnificent stretch of beach and sits amidst a verdant backdrop of olive and lemon groves. Woven subtly into the landscape using natural local materials, the rooms and suites have a fresh, contemporary design overseen by renowned designer Olga Polizzi and boasting private terrace and beguiling sea views. Gourmet experiences encompass seven venues from beachside barbecues at Amare, panoramic dining at Liolà to sophisticated Sicilian and Mediterranean specialities at

Zagara. Indulge in soothing rituals by Forte Organics, Sepai and Pevonia at Verdura Spa, inspired by Sicilian traditions.

Relax on the beach, by the infinity-edge swimming pool, one of the largest in Europe, or in the expansive sanctuary-style spa with Thalassotherapy pools. Tee off on two 18-hole and one 9-hole Kyle Phillips-designed golf courses, or partake in watersports and tennis, whilst younger guests will be cosseted in the nursery, children's and teens' club.





Clockwise from top: Classic Suite, Zagara Restaurant, Exterior

### Sicily /

### Belmond Grand Hotel Timeo

70 rooms and suites 50 minutes from Catania Airport

Prices from

### £1135pp in low season £1960pp in high season

including flights, 5 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This Belmond hotel exudes a timeless glamour that has long been a lure for the glitterati. From its elevated position in central Taormina it commands breathtaking views over brooding Mount Etna and the sun-drenched resorts along the coastline. Stroll through verdant grounds in the footsteps of illustrious guests to the fabled Literary Terrace. Rooms and suites recall the magnificence of Sicilian Baroque and

most boast a terrace or balcony to maximise the vistas. The elegance continues into The Restaurant where Mediterranean dishes are a speciality. Meet up in the indoor bar designed to evoke the atmosphere of a nineteenth century winter garden, or at the snack bar by the heated outdoor swimming pool, serving pizzas from a brick oven.

Massages and beauty treatments are available in the wellness centre; the private beach facilities and the Smile Club at sister property Belmond Villa Sant'Andrea are reached by a complimentary shuttle service. Daily boat cruises are available for exploring the Taormina coast.



Above: Swimming Pool Below: Superior Junior Suite





# Sicily / **Belmond Villa Sant'Andrea**

68 rooms and suites 50 minutes from Catania Airport

Prices from

### £1075pp in low season £1790pp in high season

including flights, 5 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This seafront villa nestles on a private beach in the beautiful Bay of Mazzarò, its refined nineteenth century grandeur conjuring up a bygone era of leisured luxury. Vivacious colours and spacious terraces provide a



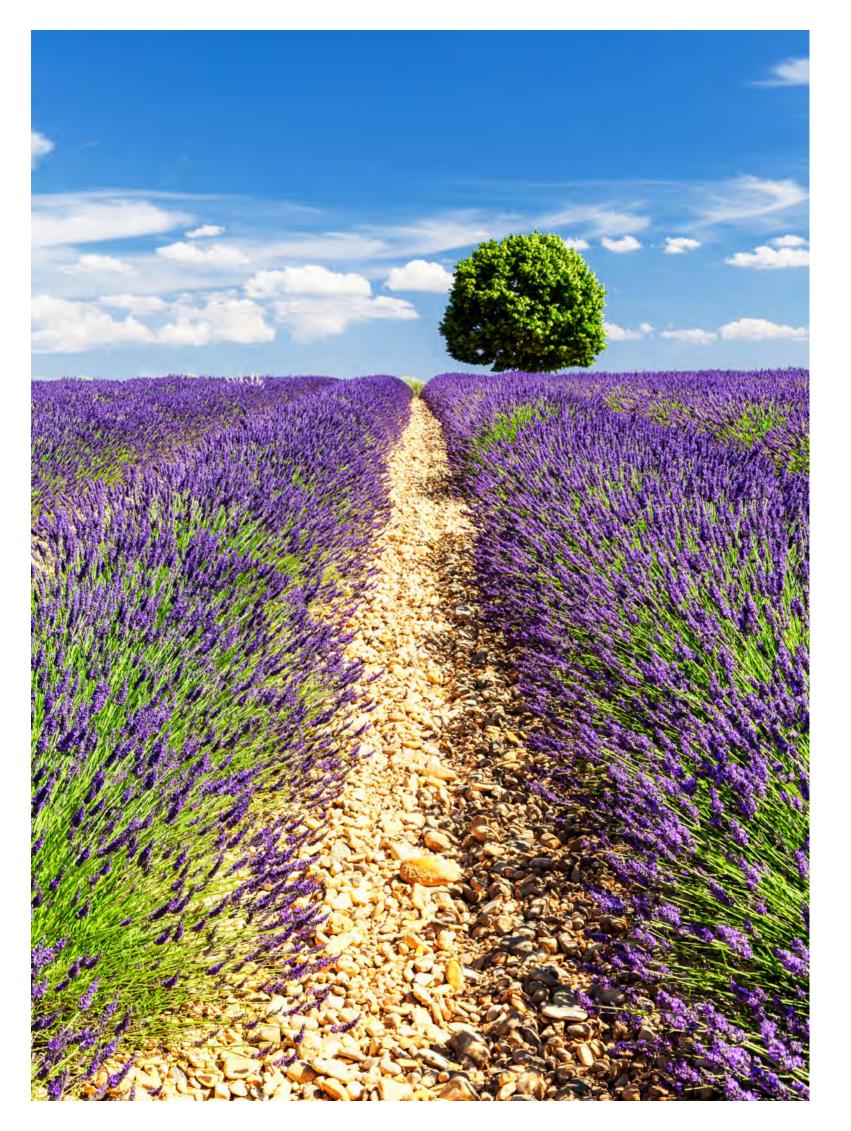


Clockwise from top: Indoor Bar, Suite Terrace, Deluxe Suite

bright, airy ambience that is perfect for relaxation. Brimming with aristocratic charm, its rooms and suites – many with balcony or veranda – offer entrancing views over the sub-tropical Mediterranean gardens or the Ionian Sea. A Wellness Centre offering spa treatments and a heated pool with sun loungers and umbrellas is located directly on the sea. Explore coastal delights such as the bay of Isola Bella and the rocks of Capotaormina courtesy of daily boat

cruises or take the complimentary shuttle to Taormina or sister hotel Belmond Grand Hotel Timeo. Younger guests are entertained at the Smile Club.

Dine indoors or alfresco on the panoramic terrace at the elegant Oliviero, serving succulent fresh seafood and a host of Sicilian specialities. For cocktails and post-prandial drinks take a table at the chic terrace bar where the resident pianist entertains until late.



## France /

## SAINT-TROPEZ GLAMOUR OR PARISIAN CHIC, PROVENÇAL SIMPLICITY OR MONACO GLITZ – LA BELLE FRANCE OFFERS A DEGUSTATION OF CULTURAL AND CULINARY DELIGHTS.

Strung out between beach and mountain along the slender curve of the corniche, the towns and villages of the Côte d'Azur and the exclusive principality of Monaco have never lost their iridescence or allure. The historic hilltop village of Mougins nestles above Cannes, cloaked by forests of pine, olive and cypress trees; its beauty once a persuasive muse for Picasso and Cocteau. Village squares bustle with outdoor life, characterised by chattering locals deftly rolling boules along sandy

pitches. Heady scents of lavender imbue Provençal villages, aromas of café au lait and freshly baked croissants fill the air whilst the simple flavours of a world-renowned cuisine are there to be savoured. Eze perches precipitously above the crystalline sea whilst further along the coast, the sophisticated enclave of Saint-Tropez and the irresistible chic of Monte Carlo await. Here, the harbour is dotted with luxuriant yachts and the streets are dressed with designer boutiques

and opulent casinos. Cannes is star-lit each May with the annual Film Festival, Nice's Mardi Gras is awash with colour and Monaco hosts the glamorous Grand Prix. Paris, as ever, exerts its magnetic appeal, drawing the culture seeker to its array of world-famous attractions. Delve into the art collections of the Louvre, discover the treasures of Versailles and splash out in the fashion house boutiques. Alluring and captivating, France is an eternal love affair.



### Best Experiences

- \* For oenophiles visit one of the numerous wine regions, Bordeaux, Burgundy or Côtes du Rhône to name a few
- \* Sip a cocktail at the infamous Café de Paris in Casino Square surrounded by the buzz of Monaco
- \* Visit the Fragonard Parfumeur in Grasse which dates back to 1782
- \* Explore the numerous art galleries in Mougins, where Pablo Picasso spent the last fifteen years of his life and had his final workshop

#### When To Go

The southern regions of France and the Côte d'Azur enjoy a typical Mediterranean climate with hot dry summers with little rainfall, whilst the northern region of France has a temperate climate with warm summers and cold winters. May, June and September are good months to avoid the crowds.

#### Our Pricing

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 $\emph{GMT}$  +1 hour in winter / +2 hours in summer

Flying Time London to: Nice 2 hours



### Provence /

### Terre Blanche Hotel Spa Golf Resort

115 suites and villas 45 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

### £895pp in low season £1570pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation room only and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Crowning a wooded summit in an undiscovered corner of Provence, this member of The Leading Hotels of the World provides spectacular views over picturesque villages to the hills beyond. Architects and designers have skilfully built on the region's

artistic traditions to create a contemporary all-suite enclave – all accommodation having a separate living room and French doors leading to a large open air terrace. Savour the vivid flavours of Mediterranean cuisine indoors or alfresco in the Michelinstarred restaurant Le Faventia accompanied by captivating vistas. For more casual dining relax at the pool bar and grill. Complete with helipad, the resort lies in the middle of two 18-hole Dave Thomas designed golf courses, with clubhouse restaurant and on-

site David Leadbetter Golf Academy.

Swim in the large outdoor heated infinityedge swimming pool and for added enjoyment a whirlpool, two tennis courts and children's play pool are close by. A beautiful, spacious spa offers a range of Provençal inspired signature treatments, indoor and outdoor heated swimming pools, VIP couples' suites and beauty centre. The supervised pleasures of the complimentary kids' club will keep children entertained.



Clockwise from right: Villa Esterel Bedroom, Le Faventia Restaurant, Swimming Pool



### Mougins /

### Le Mas Candille

46 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

### £895pp in low season £1570pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

There are few settings lovelier than this hilltop retreat in the picturesque village of Mougins, immediately above Cannes and commanding unsurpassed views of the foothills of the Alps. Set in ten acres of shady grounds it offers individually decorated rooms, each a masterpiece of interior design, which are split between Le Mas – a renovated eighteenth century farmhouse – La Bastide and La Villa

Candille, which houses six spacious suites, each with an enchanting terrace. In addition to relishing the views, many travel miles to savour the sumptuous culinary creations of David Chauvac in the Michelin-starred Le Candille restaurant, while in summer La Pergola restaurant, with its attached swimming pool, opens for lunch and dinner.

The hotel has three swimming pools, a seasonal poolside bar and restaurant – perfect for a dip and refreshments before surrendering mind and body to the pleasures of spa treatments by ESPA. A trip into medieval Mougins, where Picasso spent the last years of his life, is always a delight.



Above: Le Mas Bedroom Below: Le Mas Terrace





# Saint-Jean-Cap-Ferrat/ Grand-Hôtel du Cap-Ferrat, A Four Seasons Hotel

74 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

#### £695pp in low season £1915pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation room only and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Epitome of exclusivity and discreet hideaway of the glitterati, set amidst seventeen acres of gardens and shady pines at the tip of the Cap-Ferrat peninsula, with views that inspired Picasso and Matisse.





Clockwise from top: Swimming Pool, Lobby, Hotel Exterior

Belle Epoque style graces the elegant rooms and suites with their cream and white marble interiors, some having private plunge pools. Accommodations in the original Heritage Wing have their own expansive terrace, while the contemporary Residence houses the Deluxe Pool Terrace Suites and Deluxe Terrace Sea View Garden Rooms. For complete privacy, a four bedroom private villa can be reserved. Equally glamorous is the Michelin-starred dining at Le Cap with

its 600-bottle wine list or eat more casually at Le Club Dauphin by the seafront. All-day alfresco dining can be enjoyed at La Véranda.

The spacious state-of-the-art spa, designed by Pierre-Yves Rochon, features men's and women's private steam rooms, a sensorial shower and indoor swimming pool. A beautiful Olympic-sized pool stands on the cliff top; a funicular takes guests down to the shore.



Left: Hotel Exterior and Swimming Pool Below left: Junior Suite Sea View

## Saint-Jean-Cap-Ferrat / Royal-Riviera

 $78\,\mathrm{rooms}$  in the main hotel; 16 in the Orangerie  $30\,\mathrm{minutes}$  from Nice Airport

Prices from

#### £920pp in low season £1470pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

Enjoying a privileged position on the peninsula, this hotel is the epitome of cool refinement. Rooms are offered in both the Orangerie – an independent villa of contemporary design - and in the main hotel where many of the rooms and suites have garden or sea views. Just a few paces beyond the large swimming pool area with its adjacent cocktail bar lies the shimmering

Mediterranean. La Table du Royal restaurant promises a memorable culinary experience, whilst exotic flavours can be savoured at Jasmin Grill & Lounge. The hotel has its own private sandy beach with sunloungers and a watersports pier, whilst a short stroll will bring you to the marina with its many restaurants. As part of the Royal Kid Programme, children receive their own passport and access to supervised activities from water sports to trampolining.



Right: Swimming Pool Below right: Luxury Junior Suite

## Saint-Tropez / Byblos Saint-Tropez

91 rooms and suites 1 hour 30 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

#### £1295pp in low season £2135pp in high season

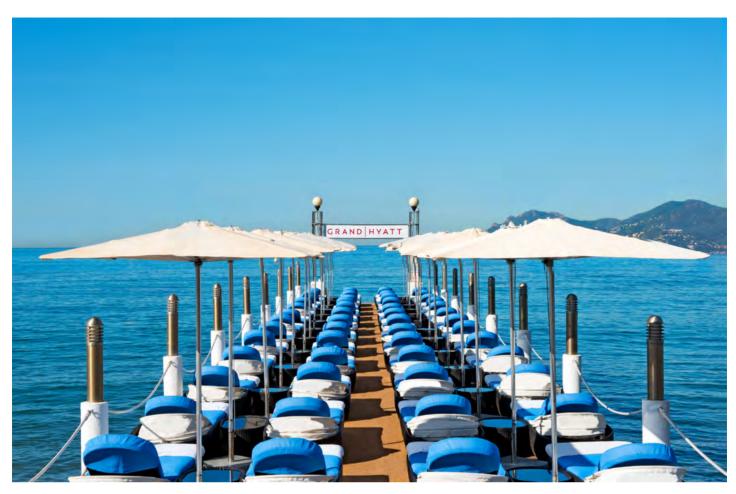
including flights, 3 nights accommodation room only and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A member of The Leading Hotels of the World, this glamorous Mediterranean village-style enclave which will celebrate its 50th anniversary during 2017, blends seamlessly into the landscape, fanning out around an enchanting olive tree patio. Just minutes from the beach and town centre, guest rooms and luxury suites

offer individual Provençal touches complemented by views of the garden, pool or village; the three bedroom Riviera Suite has a large living room and private terrace overlooking the pool. The Rivea at Byblos by Alain Ducasse showcases fresh regional and Italian cuisine, while poolside 'B' is the setting for all-day dining. Rejuvenate in the Byblos Spa by Sisley Cosmetics; further recreations include a lovely swimming pool, fitness centre, nearby sailing and golf. At night Les Caves du Roy is the place to be seen.







Above: Z-Plage Right: Sea View Deluxe Room



#### Cannes /

#### Grand Hyatt Cannes – Hotel Martinez

409 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

#### £665pp in low season £1310pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Set on La Croisette facing the Bay of Cannes, this flagship Riviera hotel preserves the quintessential style of the Roaring Twenties. Elegant Art Deco rooms and suites offer contemporary elegance and comfort, with every conceivable amenity to hand. For unsurpassed luxury choose the four bedroom Penthouse or the two bedroom Suite des Oliviers with spacious terrace on the seafront overlooking La Croisette and the Bay of Cannes. Dine on gourmet creations augmented by magnificent sea views at the two Michelin-starred La Palme d'Or; savour Mediterranean cuisine at Le Relais, either in the light and airy dining room or on the

terrace overlooking the pool. Later, relax over drinks in the convivial piano bar.

Immerse yourself in total 'soin du corps' pampering at the L. Raphael Beauty Spa and tone up in the excellently equipped fitness centre. There is also an outdoor pool and the private beach of Z-Plage with beach restaurant, across from the hotel. Cannes' port, haute couture boutiques and cafés are all within strolling distance.



*Above:* Hotel Gardens *Below:* Executive Suite



#### Eze /

#### Le Château de la Chèvre d'Or

38 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

#### £755pp in low season £925pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation room only and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Combining charm with idiosyncratic appeal, this historic hotel lies in the heart of the village of Eze. Perched above the sparkling Mediterranean Sea between Nice and Monaco, the narrow medieval streets and deep sense of calm are a magnet for artists and intellectuals – the Nietzsche Pathway being just one of the reminders of the village's illustrious past. Rooms and suites are scattered throughout the village, each of them utterly individual in style – some modern, some boasting a distinguished heritage, all with the latest comforts and Jacuzzi bath. The menus of four different restaurants are designed to satisfy the most discerning gourmet, from La Chèvre d'Or

with its two Michelin–stars and panoramic vistas to three seasonal restaurants with terraces for alfresco dining.

Recreations include an outdoor heated swimming pool, fitness room, Jacuzzi and massage room. Take a walk in the hotel gardens or unwind in languorous comfort on the hotel's hanging terrace, a place to unwind while enjoying immense ocean views.

#### Saint-Tropez /

#### La Réserve Ramatuelle

40 rooms, suites and villas 1 hour 30 minutes from Nice Airport

Prices from

#### £1890pp in low season £2850pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Discrete luxury, ideally located just minutes from Saint-Tropez, overlooking the Mediterranean, La Réserve Ramatuelle offers contemporary Provençal-style living. Designed by renowned architect Jean-Michel Wilmotte, its chic rooms and suites benefit from a private south facing terrace or fragrant garden, while the Remi Tessier-designed villas boast private pools and a full choice of optional hotel

services such as a dedicated chef, butler and housekeeper. Healthy yet intensely flavoured Mediterranean cuisine is the speciality of chef Eric Canino, the Michelinstarred La Voile having a terrace for alfresco dining. Ease away the aches of the day in the exceptionally spacious spa where tailor-made treatments by Crème de la Mer, Nescens better-aging programmes and bootcamps are enhanced by an indoor pool with jet lane, an outdoor pool and hammam. The concierge will be delighted to arrange trips to the beach - two kilometres away - for recreations such as diving, boat excursions and water-skiing. The beautiful landscape between the sea and the mountains is ideal for hiking and Nordic walking.



Above: Villa Below: Hotel Entrance





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## **Inspirations**

#### PORTUGAL, CROATIA, MOROCCO, GREECE

#### Lisbon by Sidecar

You haven't seen Lisbon until you've seen it from the unique perspective of travelling in the sidecar of a motorcycle. The narrowest of cobbled streets become accessible as you tour the medieval maze of the Alfama quarter, inspiration of many a Fado lament, or sweep uphill to the ramparts of Castelo São Jorge to take in the panoramic city vistas. Down by the harbour stand tributes to Portugal's maritime heritage - the Moorish watchtowers and exotic sculptures of the UNESCO-listed Belem fortress and the Monument of Discoveries, commemorating the achievements of Vasco da Gama, Magellan, Cabral, Prince Henry the Navigator and other Portuguese heroes. Close by is the fifteenth century Jerónimos Monastery, containing the tombs of Vasco de Gama and poet Luís de Camões.

Similar ground is covered by those opting for a photography-based tour of the city in the company of a local professional photographer who will follow your motorbike and sidecar on his scooter to give advice on capturing the essence of Portuguese life and landscapes. From the city's most spectacular 'miradouros' viewpoints to the tree-lined Avenida da Liberdade, the atmospheric Barrio Alto and the attractions of the old port, this promises to be an exceptional experience. Both tours include a stop to savour traditional Pastéis de Belém custard tarts at Antiga Confeitaria de Belém, where you can take a look at the kitchen dating back to 1837.

#### Photography Tour of Marrakech

Colourful is a description that applies equally to Marrakech and Mauro Parmesani, the photographic guru who leads this immensely interesting photography tour. Those familiar with magazines such as Architectural Digest, Condé Nast Traveller and Vogue may already be familiar with his work which ranges from high fashion shoots to rugged photojournalism. Mauro will help you discover the most intimate secrets of the city, advising on setting, framing and light as you move through vibrant markets

such as the fabric and dyers' souk or the wrought iron and brass souk, taking in the architectural confections of the Ben Youssef Koranic School and Sidi Bel Abbes mosque.

No shoot would be complete without an in-depth nature tour of the Jardins de Majorelle with their Moorish charm and hints of Art Deco. To end the day, Mauro will help you set up your equipment with a view to capturing one of the Red City's most alluring sights – sunset over Jemma El Fna square.

#### Moroccan Cooking Class

Rich tajines, spicy couscous, sweet and savoury pastilla, b'ssara soup, fish chermoula...the mouth begins to water at the very mention of Moroccan cuisine.

Ginger, turmeric, saffron and cinnamon abound, contributing to dishes that are both hearty and exotic, and currently enjoying resurgence among the world's top kitchens.

Learn how to create Moroccan cuisine at its best on the acclaimed cookery courses which take place at La Maison Arabe, in the heart of Marrakech's medina.

Following a fascinating introduction into the history of Moroccan cooking and its importance within society you'll get to try your hand at making some of the country's classic signature dishes, including mains, salads, desserts and pastries. A translator is on hand to provide explanations and instructions, and each cooking station has a television monitor to ensure that you don't miss a moment. Naturally, participants get to taste the fruits of their efforts after class.

#### Truffle Hunting in Istria

King of luxury gastronomy, the truffle is both mysterious and unmistakeable. At the right time of year its odour and flavour are intense, marking it out as the must-have ingredient for epicures and gourmets. Finding truffles, however, is no easy task, but you can learn the secret of successful detection on our exclusive Istrian truffle hunt around the village of Livade. Dogs have now largely

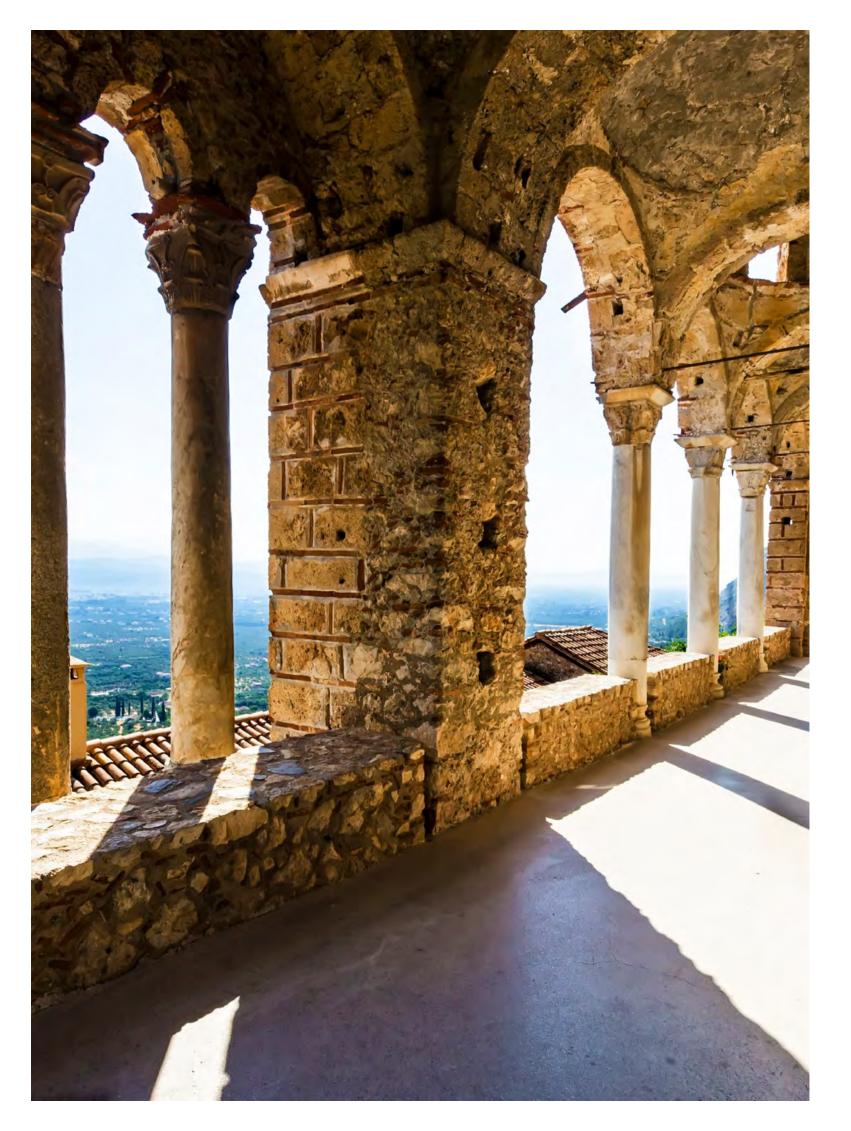
replaced pigs as the truffle-sniffers of choice, and on this private truffle hunt you will join a hunter and his dog to seek out the precious subterranean fungus. Afterwards you can dine at Restaurant Zigante which specialises in truffle-infused dishes and is owned by Giancarlo Zigante who in 1999 unearthed a Guinness World Record-holding white truffle weighing well over a kilogram.

#### Greek Island Hopping

This is undoubtedly Aegean island hopping at its most elegant. Crete contrasts glorious beaches with dramatic mountain landscapes, remnants of ancient cultures mixed with upmarket resorts and charming towns. The luxury hotels of Elounda attract discerning clientele with picturesque beaches and views across to the popular day escape of Spinalonga Island. For those who love the great outdoors a visit to Samaria Gorge is a must, with an undeniable raw beauty the gorge runs for sixteen kilometres making it the longest in Europe.

Dream-like Santorini – thought by some to be the real Atlantis – is a place of white-washed villages, blue-domed churches and exclusive cliffside restaurants and hotels. Famed for its multi-hued evening skies as the sun sets beyond the crescent moon of the volcanic caldera. Visit Akrotiri, the Minoan Pompeii to see the remains of a flourishing town buried under ash following a volcanic eruption in 1450BC.

Cosmopolitan and lively, picture-perfect Mykonos is famed for the white-washed windmills which overlook Mykonos Town, and the lively nightlife which centres around the harbour. Meander through a maze of tiny lanes peppered with boutiques, galleries and convivial bars, stopping off in Little Venice where two-storey Venetian houses and trendy cafes line the seafront. Also worth seeing in the town is the church complex of Panagia Paraportiani, located close to the old Venetian castle in Kastro.



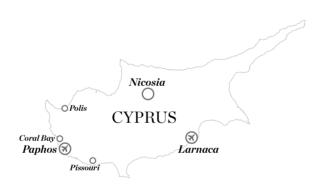
## Cyprus /

#### A TRADITIONAL WAY OF LIFE CONTRASTS WITH WORLD-CLASS BEACH RESORTS ON AN ISLAND FAMED FOR ITS ARCHAEOLOGICAL TREASURES, LAVISH FOOD AND GOOD WINE.

An island filled with mysticism and legend, Cyprus is the fabled birthplace of Aphrodite, born from the rich foam of the sea. A classic destination for rest and relaxation, the coast calls to sun seekers. Heavenly beaches are backed by rugged mountains, whilst inland traditional villages, medieval castles and impressive ancient sites nestle within verdant landscapes. The remote valleys of the Troodos Mountains beckon, with magnificent frescoed monasteries strung out amongst the pine forests, whilst the Akamas

peninsula is splashed with the vibrant colours of orange trees, flowers, fruit and fauna. Village squares are filled with the chattering of exuberant locals; ladies robed in black and groups of men engaged in lively games of cards. The convivial Cypriot spirit comes alive in village 'kafeneia' with generously shared mezes of olives, tzatziki, taramasalata and grilled halloumi. Sublime Mediterranean cuisine is dressed with pungent herbs and spices with lashings of olive oil, all

accompanied by the ubiquitous aniseed-flavoured ouzo. Everywhere, the past mingles with the present and a tangible sense of being at the crossroads of east and west pervades. Visit Kourion, where the Greek-Roman temple is built into a bluff overlooking the Mediterranean. Impressive mosaics in the Houses of Dionysus, Theseus, Orpheus and Arion in Paphos relay stories of a colourful past. These living remnants of history inspire the imagination – Aphrodite's spirit is alive and well.



#### Best Experiences

- \* Visit Aphrodite's Rock, where the goddess of love is reputed to have risen from the sea
- \* Hire a jeep and experience the rugged beauty of the Troodos Mountains
- \* Admire the mosaics in Paphos
- Visit the ancient ruins of Kourion in Episkopi, one of the island's most important

#### When To Go

The island's Mediterranean climate of hot,

dry summers is ideal for beach lovers with temperatures peaking in August. Mild winters are perfect for exploration, with increased rainfall expected between December and February.

#### Our Pricing

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 $\emph{GMT}$  +2 hours in winter / +3 hours in summer

*Flying Time* London to: Paphos 4 hours 25 minutes / Larnaca 4 hours 35 minutes



## Polis / *Anassa*

162 rooms and suites; 4 private residences 45 minutes from Paphos Airport

Prices from

#### £1425pp in low season £1920pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Meaning 'Queen' in classical Greek, Anassa sits on one of the finest beaches in Cyprus. The design of this member of The Leading Hotels of the World is that of an authentic Cypriot village, featuring a central square and a small traditional church with bell tower. For atmospheric dining and fine fusion cuisine, wind your way down the stone steps to Basiliko, sample the fresh Mediterranean specialities at Amphora or the gourmet delights of Helios. White walls and pastel fabrics create a sense of cool Mediterranean elegance in the spacious rooms, king-sized beds are positioned to afford a view of the sea, whilst some suites have private pools. In addition to a serene indoor swimming pool,

there are three further pools, one with a swim-up bar. Tennis and squash are also available, along with a full range of activities at the watersports centre.

A Roman-style spa offers treatments, whilst the Explorers Kids' Club for children from four months to twelve years, during July and August the Teens' Club promises fun and games in a supervised environment.



Clockwise from right: Adonis Suite, Alexandros Residence Pool, Hotel View





#### Paphos /

#### Constantinou Bros Asimina Suites Hotel

110 suites Children over the age of 16 years are welcome 15 minutes from Paphos Airport

Prices from

#### £1395pp in low season £1755pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Set in splendid gardens by a sandy beach, this adult focused five-star escape redefines luxury on the Paphos coast. Suites boast large balconies, deluxe marble bathrooms with rain shower, up-to-the minute in-room entertainment and Espresso machines. Impressive Executive Suites with sea view have a separate living area, Jacuzzi bathtub and a private pool with wooden deck and also include use of complimentary private beach Cabanas with seating areas and sunbeds. Relax in the Sports Bar or enjoy a night cap in VIP's Bar or the lounge bar. Dining encompasses a choice of four restaurants, Estia for themed buffets and Table d'hôte, an À La Carte Restaurant, Pool Restaurant and the Kymata Mediterranean

beachfront restaurant where romantics can watch the sunset and dine by candlelight. For special occasions, private dining for two on the Pier can be arranged.

In addition to two interconnecting outdoor freshwater swimming pools there is an indoor pool all with Jacuzzi jets, two saunas, steam bath, gym and a sumptuous Elixir spa offering an impressive selection of massages and therapies. Floodlit tennis and a fully equipped gym add to recreational pursuits.



Clockwise from above: Executive One Bedroom Suite with Private Pool and Sea View, Estia Restaurant, Hotel Lobby, Swimming Pool



## Paphos / Almyra

189 rooms and suites 15 minutes from Paphos Airport

Prices from

#### £640pp in low season £1070pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Designed by Joëlle Pléot, favourite of Karl Lagerfeld, Almyra is surrounded by eight acres of fragrant, landscaped gardens with uninterrupted views of the harbour and within walking distance of the town. In the signature Kyma Suites, individual roof terraces are furnished with a seating area with cushions and lanterns while the Premium Sea View Aethon Rooms cater for adults only. Mosaics, one of four restaurants

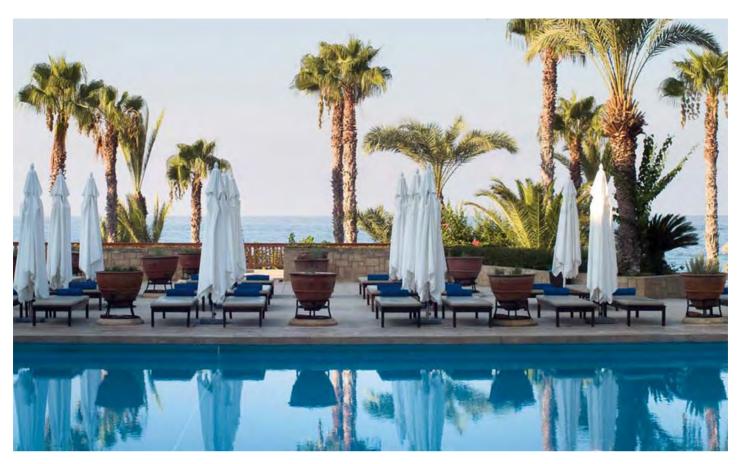
offering a variety of Mediterranean and international cuisine, serves freshly caught seafood and lavish buffets in the evenings, whilst a traditional seafront Ouzeri offers Greek delicacies during the summer. AlmyraSpa offers ILA organic luxury skincare treatments as well as an outdoor and indoor adult-only pool.

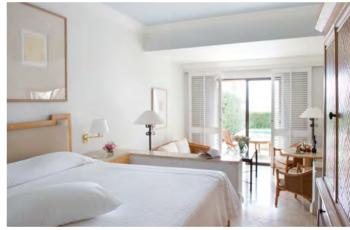
Families can enjoy the main pool as well as a small children's pool; supervised clubs for infants and children are complemented by a peak summer teens club at adjacent sister hotel Annabelle; pre-order baby items prior to arrival through the Baby Go Lightly scheme.



Above: Kyma Suite Rooftop Terrace Below: Veranda Sea View







*Top:* Swimming Pool *Above:* Studio Suite

## Paphos / Annabelle

218 rooms and suites 15 minutes from Paphos Airport

Prices from

#### £640pp in low season £1110pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Lying adjacent to sister hotel Almyra, on the Paphos seafront, within walking distance of the picturesque harbour and ancient fort, the resort lies in six acres of lush sub-tropical gardens. Spacious rooms and suites have deluxe marbled bathrooms and a private terrace or balcony with beguiling sea or garden views; some have outdoor whirlpool or personal plunge pool for added luxury. In addition to contemporary French dining at Amorosa, authentic Cypriot fare at Mediterraneo is accompanied by live music on a weekly basis. Asteras opens on selected nights during high season for gourmet cuisine with a Far Eastern flavour and a number of bars provide the ideal venue for

poolside and post-dinner relaxation.

A large outdoor pool and free-form swimming pool are complemented by tennis and squash courts. Other amenities include the peak summer Escape teens'club and at adjacent sister hotel Almyra, the Explorers Kids' Club, alternative dining options and the AlmyraSpa. Pre-order baby items prior to arrival through the Baby Go Lightly scheme.



## Greece /

## STEEPED IN MYTHOLOGY AND IMBUED WITH A PEACEFUL PURITY, GREECE COMBINES A MOUNTAINOUS BEAUTY WITH A MYRIAD OF WORLD-CLASS BEACH RESORTS.

Greece is the cradle of Western civilisation, a destination that both stimulates the mind and soothes the senses. The sensuality and serenity of a lifestyle spun out in the warmth of the southern sun pervades. Here, traditions hold firm and the pace of life is slower and unaltered by the pressures of the modern world. From the dramatic lunar beauty of the Cyclades to the pinecovered mountains and sandy beaches of Halkidiki, the sheer geographical variety of the Greek mainland and its infinite

scattering of islands is intoxicating. Marvel at the treasures of Athens with its dazzling Acropolis temples of Zeus and Venus, before sailing out to a host of enchanting islands. Mykonos with its colourful harbour; Crete's wildflowers, white-washed villages, dramatic gorges and rugged scenery and in Santorini, blue-domed churches contrast vibrantly against sugar-hued buildings. The clear waters and temptingly quiet coves of the Costa Navarino and Halkidiki are a triumph for families. Everywhere

delicious Greek cuisine is to be savoured in convivial style, mezes of feta salads, spicy souvlaki and tangy moist stuffed vine leaves complemented by fish plucked freshly from crystalline seas. Whether in search of the quiet simplicity of village life or the classical elegance of city hotels, each destination has its own separate identity and distinctive spirit. No wonder the Gods of old mythology, so enchanted by what they saw, made Greece their heaven on earth.



#### Best Experiences

- \* Sit in a seaside taverna watching the fishermen bring in the catch of the day
- \* Enjoy a private boat trip to Spinalonga Island in Crete
- \* Take the cable car from the harbour in Santorini to the town of Fira for breathtaking views
- \* Visit the ancient Acropolis in Athens
- Visit the island of Hydra, where the only modes of transport are of the nonmotorised variety mostly donkeys and water taxi's

#### When To Go

Greece is blessed with a Mediterranean climate. From mid-May to mid-June and mid-September to October the climate is pleasant and sunshine is plentiful. July and August are hot with temperatures reaching 37°C. Winters tend to be mild in the south but much cooler in the north with an increased chance of rain.

#### Our Pricing

Our pricing aims to give an indication of the prices in low and high season. Low season for Greece is generally between the months of October to May, high season runs from mid-

June to September, with many hotels closing for the winter season. Prices are based on 2 sharing (unless otherwise indicated) and include return economy flights from London. Regional departures, child prices and single supplements are available on request.

 $\emph{GMT}$  +2 hours in winter / +3 hours in summer

*Flying Time* London to: Thessaloniki 3 hours 15 minutes / Heraklion, Mykonos, Santorini & Kalamata 4 hours / Athens 3 hours 35 minutes

#### Mykonos /

### Santa Marina, A Luxury Collection Resort

114 rooms, suites and villas 15 minutes from Mykonos Airport

Prices from

#### £1675pp in low season £2505pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

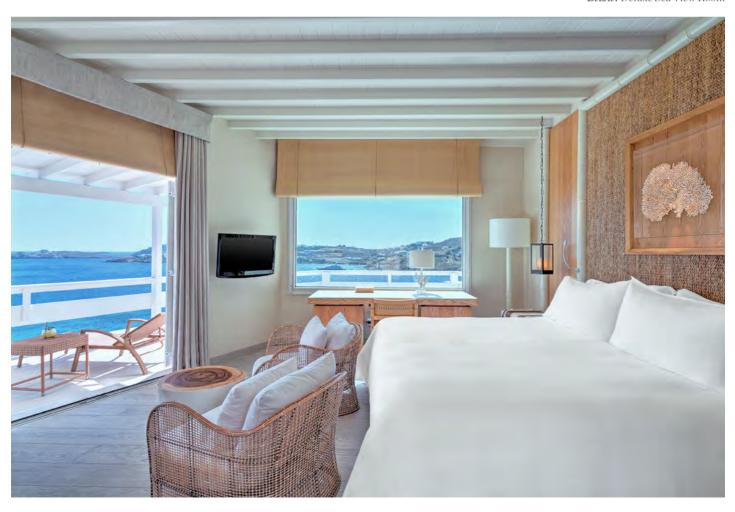
Perched on a private peninsula overlooking the Bay of Ornos, five minutes from Mykonos Town, lies a haven of seclusion and sophistication – more luxurious than ever following extensive upgrading throughout. A Luxury Collection Resort, its beautiful gardens envelop a choice of accommodation – elegantly decorated rooms and suites enjoying panoramic balcony views and two to six bedroom villas.

Gourmets will delight in the Mediterranean and seafood dishes served at the pool restaurant and bar, while those looking to kick back can unwind to the chill-out sounds of the DJ in the resort's newest dining venue, the Buddha-Bar Beach. Feast on succulent seafood and other popular selections, accompanied by the innovative creations of the resident mixologist.

In addition to rejuvenating treatments by ila and Phytomer in the Lotus Spa, recreations encompass floodlit tennis, a health club, watersports and a choice of infinity-edge pools and the only private beach on the island. Children will revel in the activities on offer at the kids' club.



Above: Pool Bar Below: Deluxe Sea View Room







Calabrese.

## Mykonos / Grace Mykonos

32 rooms and suites 15 minutes from Mykonos Airport

Prices from

#### £1310pp in low season £2105pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

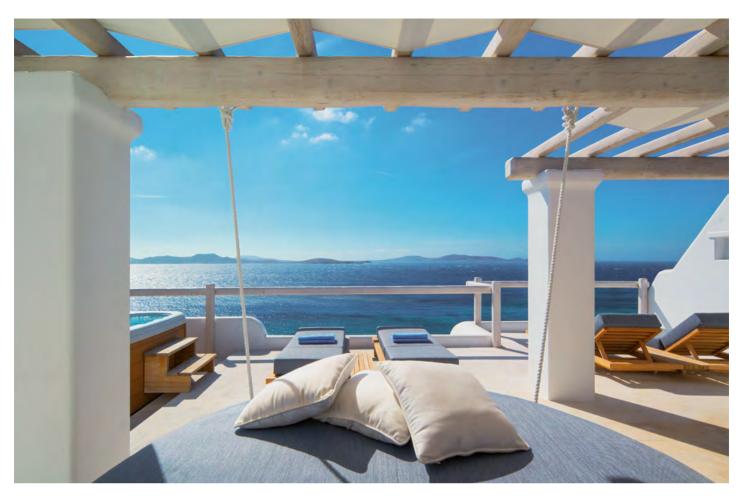
An intimate boutique hotel overlooking the sandy beach of Agios Stefanos, the resort offers a relaxed retreat for families and couples alike. A chic reception area sets a tone of understated elegance which continues in the rooms and suites, many of which have a private plunge pool. Families will particularly appreciate the spaciousness of the family suites which feature two separate bedrooms – the main room having a balcony. For added style and exclusivity, choose from an array of luxury suites with terraces for enchanting sea views. In addition to dinner, the Grace Restaurant at pool level serves an all-day signature breakfast as well as mouthwatering light meals throughout the day. The congenial

bar is famed for its Grace cocktails created by world-renowned mixologist Salvatore

Clockwise from top:

Swimming Pool, Mykonos Suite

Oversized sunbeds surround the swimming pool, while the Boutique Spa, with steam room, sauna, and hydrotherapy bath, is also a tranquil retreat for soothing massages and beauty treatments. Visit the hotel's new Art Gallery or browse the handmade Greek designer products at the Zeus+Dione boutique.



Above: Executive Suite Terrace
Right: Open Plan Suite



## Mykonos / Mykonos Grand Hotel

96 rooms and suites 15 minutes from Mykonos Airport

Prices from

#### £1115pp in low season £2170pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Surrounded by hills and famed for its glorious sunsets, the soft, sandy beach of Ayios Yiannis is the setting for this exquisite white-painted hideaway facing the sacred island of Delos. Cobbled paths lead through the Cycladic

architecture to rooms and suites bedecked with sheer white drapes and canopy style beds. The newly renovated Premium Sea View Rooms offer the last word in luxurious comfort – interiors featuring a Mykonian arch between the bedroom and sitting areas, together with a Wet Experience bathroom complete with freestanding bathtub and rain shower. For exquisite dining try the open air Dolphins of Delos, the poolside Aqua e Sole or choose a romantic dinner on the beach

with private table and glowing bonfire.

Below the 500m² swimming pool and deck with cabanas and chaises longues lies a large hot tub, while further amenities include a children's pool, fitness centre, tennis and yoga pavilion. For further pampering and relaxation the Althea Spa Centre has six treatment rooms. Relax on the hotel's serviced beach with complimentary day beds, sunchairs and umbrellas.

#### Mykonos /

### Myconian Ambassador Hotel & Thalasso Centre

70 rooms and suites 10 minutes from Mykonos Airport

Prices from

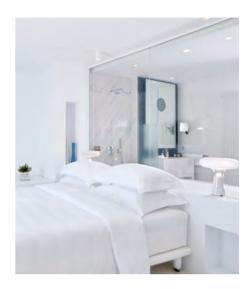
#### £970pp in low season £1950pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This Relais & Châteaux property blends home from home ambience with five-star standards in a family owned boutique hotel. Situated in an elevated position overlooking Platis Yialos, the best-known beach in Mykonos, the hotel has been recently fully renovated and offers exclusively designed rooms and suites, some with a Jacuzzi, some with private pools and views of the Aegean Sea.

Enjoy the luxury of an in-room massage as you soak up the entrancing vistas. Mediterranean cuisine is the hallmark of STAY - the pool deck restaurant or choose the Efisia restaurant for fine à la carte dining. There is also a pool bar and a chic cocktail bar with outdoor terrace.

Experience the blissful Thalasso treatments in the extensive spa, created using natural raw materials and oils. If you are feeling active, visit the fitness centre or pick up your scuba equipment at the nearby Mykonos Diving Centre. Private excursions can be arranged to destinations such as Delos, Naxos and Santorini.



Above: Thalassa Suite Below: Swimming Pool



#### Mykonos /

## Myconian Villa Collection

50 rooms and suites; 10 villas 25 minutes from Mykonos Airport

Prices from

#### £1070pp in low season £2055pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Created in the Cycladic style for privacy and five star personal service, this exclusive resort above Elia Beach delights guests with impeccable service. Hotel villas and spacious guestrooms combine highend luxury with cutting edge design, varying in size from one or two bedroom accommodations, many with either outdoor Jacuzzi or infinity pool, to grand six bedroom affairs. Sleeping up to fourteen

guests, ultra-spacious villas also boast a generously sized lawn and veranda or choose a sumptuously appointed one or two bedroom guestroom, bookable on an individual basis. The almost limitless list of inclusives span the use of a private beach section with complimentary umbrellas and sunbeds and upon request, in-villa chef, packing and unpacking service and villabased health and beauty treatments.

All guests have access to the infinity pool and bar serving an all-day menu and signature cocktails. Indulgent champagne buffet breakfasts with sea views are served until 11.00am at Nouveau Restaurant or discover fine Mediterranean gastronomy at Cabbanes Restaurant.



Above: Villa Super Paradise Below: Swimming Pool





## Mykonos/ *Myconian Utopia Resort*

35 rooms, suites and villas 25 minutes from Mykonos Airport

Prices from

#### £1240pp in low season £1705pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Relais & Châteaux impeccability mixes with classic Greek conviviality in this Myconian Collection resort above Elia Beach – one of the prettiest on Mykonos. Built to have minimum environmental impact it





Clockwise from top: Pavillion Restaurant, Majestic Retreat with Private Pool, Swimming Pool

comprises meticulously outfitted rooms, suites and villas resplendent in exotic woods, hand-cut stone and opulent custom-made furnishings, all rooms having designer bathrooms and a private balcony or terrace overlooking the beach, some with Jacuzzi or infinity pool. If maximum space is key, the two or five bedroom villas fit the bill perfectly, all containing a generously sized living room, kitchen, dining area, bathroom with stone bathtub and pool with infinite

views. Light lunches are served poolside or in the main Pavilion restaurant – renowned for its fresh fish and lobster creations.

Sophisticated evening dining features a diverse wine list and dishes that draw heavily on seasonal ingredients while a chef is also on hand to cater for requests for in-villa dining. All guests have access to the reserved beach area, while blissful thalassotherapy treatments await in the spa.



Above: Swimming Pool Right: Pure Sea View Room



85 rooms, suites and villas 25 minutes from Mykonos Airport



#### £1145pp in low season £1860pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Connoisseurs of the Greek coastline will know that Elia Beach on Mykonos is one of the finest. This is the location for the Avaton suites – expansive living spaces featuring an innovative open-plan layout, designer bathroom and private furnished balcony, some with Jacuzzi or pool – and the Avaton villas, which sleep up to six, with a cutting edge kitchen and two grand master bedrooms. Dine indoors or feast alfresco in the restaurant where choices range from imaginative interpretations of traditional local fare to elaborate gourmet dishes accompanied by a global wine list. Guests can also request in-villa dining or use any of the seven further restaurants within the

Myconian Collection of hotels, opening up a selection from Mediterranean to Japanese.

Settle down with waiter-served drinks in the reserved beach area, complete with complimentary sunbeds and umbrellas, or submit mind and body to the pampering ministrations of the trained staff in the Avaton Spa where restorative therapies by Elemis, St Barth and Kerstin Florian will reinvigorate the senses.



## Santorini / Katikies

34 rooms and suites Children over 12 years of age are welcome 20 minutes from Santorini Airport



#### £2055pp in low season £2715pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Perched three hundred metres above the island's shimmering Caldera, this chic retreat is a fantasy of free-form stairs, bridges and cave houses. Early booking is essential for this member of The Leading Hotels of the World. Rooms and suites are set into multi-level terraces, each with

a private veranda; the Honeymoon and Katikies Suites with an outdoor Jacuzzi for two. MIKRASIA Restaurant offers a unique dining experience on the rooftop with beguiling Caldera views or enjoy champagne inspired specialities at the SELTZ Restaurant. Languid days centre around the infinity-edge pool which hangs dramatically over the edge of the volcanic cliffs. Relax on the large double sunbeds and enjoy a drink from the Pool Bar & Restaurant. A spa suite is available for those who want to ease away any lingering tension.







Left: Villa Interior Below left: Suite

## Santorini / Villa Katikies

7 rooms and suites Children over 12 years of age are welcome 30 minutes from Santorini Airport



#### £1950pp in low season £2555pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Sublime vistas of the Santorini caldera abound from virtually every point of this white-washed retreat perched on the cliff sides of Oia. Sited next to its sister property Katikies it offers an enchanting meld of traditional Cycladic and contemporary architecture, radiating the atmosphere of a discreet private residence while offering the full spectrum of luxury boutique hotel amenities. Open plan, light-filled double rooms and villa suites feature bespoke interiors distinguished by hand-picked furniture and draped with fine linens and muslins; private verandas with open air Jacuzzi maximise the views. The Villa Katikies Lounge Bar lies next to the expansive outdoor swimming pool on the sun deck, this congenial lounge bar serves a range of beverages, fine wines and cocktails along with an all-day menu of light fare.



#### Santorini / Sun Rocks Hotel

18 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Santorini Airport

Prices from

#### £1830pp in low season £2555pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Life is a leisurely affair in this couples only hideaway above the caldera in the serene village of Firostefani. A short drive from the island's capital Fira, Sun Rocks comprises simple, understated rooms in muted, earthy colours, each with a dramatic vaulted ceiling and access to an outdoor veranda.

The lovely suites with private veranda include the lavishly-appointed Honeymoon suite with intimate boudoir and indoor Jacuzzi; for the ultimate indulgence the Sun Rocks Suite boasts private infinity pool. Relax by the pool bar for breakfast buffets, juices and all-day cocktails; dine by candlelight at Faos, a poolside restaurant serving innovative dishes accompanied by fine international wines. There are regular wine tastings on the terraces of the cliff side swimming pool which has double sun loungers for soaking up the day's rays.







Left: Swimming Pool Below left: Junior Suite

#### Santorini / Chromata

25 rooms and suites Children over 12 years of age are welcome 20 minutes from Santorini Airport





Prices from

#### £1610pp in low season £1830pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Not one for traditionalists, this hip hideaway in the quiet village of Imerovigli on the very tip of the caldera is the very essence of cool informality. All rich textures, white planes and sumptuous fabrics, its rooms and suites cascade down the cliff, each with

an expansive private veranda or terrace, some of the suites having a living room and Jacuzzi. Dining at the CHROMA Up Style Restaurant is an impossibly romantic affair, with its handful of candlelit tables set on a glass deck by the infinity pool as it merges with the waters of the caldera against the multi-hued sunsets. There's a poolside cocktail bar and alfresco wining and dining at the Cocktail Bar & Lounge Restaurant. For relaxation there is an open air Jacuzzi on the deck.





#### Above: Infinity Pool Above right: Grace Suite

#### Santorini /

#### Grace Santorini

 $22\,\rm rooms,$  suites and  $1\,\rm villa$  Children over  $13\,\rm years$  of age are welcome  $20\,\rm minutes$  from Santorini Airport

Prices from

#### £2060pp in low season £2965pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Nestling in the white-washed village of Imerovigli above the spectacular caldera, this boutique gem is the perfect place to unwind and absorb the resplendent Santorini sunsets. Secluded, yet just a few minutes from the capital Fira, the resort faces Skaros, famed for its Venetian castle ruins. Rooms and suites are superbly appointed with breathtaking vistas, some with plunge pool or expansive terraces. Offering panoramic views over the caldera, the Grace Suite combines elegance with fabulous comfort, whilst The Villa offers the exclusivity of a private residence with all the services of a five-star hotel. Laze by the infinity-edge swimming pool with its

comfy sunbeds and designer showers, or visit some of the islands beautiful volcanic sand beaches. Oenophiles may wish to explore the local vineyards.

Savour light lunches and cocktails from the pool bar or enjoy alfresco dining overlooking the Aegean from the Mediterranean kitchen of Santoro. Mediterranean fusion cuisine is a speciality, or ask the chef to prepare the gastronomic treat of your choice, a tasting menu with wine pairing is also available.



Left: Suite Interior Below left: Sea View Terrace

#### Santorini /

#### Mystique, A Luxury Collection Hotel

39 suites and villas

Children over 13 years of age are welcome 30 minutes from Santorini Airport

Prices from

#### £1855pp in low season £3180pp in high season

7 nights accommodation with breakfast and shared transfers.

Room upgrades and private transfers available.

Names such as Aura Bar and the Secret Wine Cave hint at the ambience here at this enigmatic offering from Starwood's Luxury Collection. Built into the cliffs at Oia, a sensory experience awaits, from basking on your caldera view terrace or balcony to dining alfresco by the infinity-edge pool. Asea Lounge Restaurant invites you to a unique sushi experience accompanied by stunning views of the caldera. For breakfast, relax on the cliff top balcony of the new Captain's Lounge. All accommodation has been hand-crafted from local stone and wood, and decorated with antique textiles. A heavenly spa offers signature treatments with spectacular views to the Santorini Caldera; mountain bikes are available for more energetic guests. Or simply soak up the atmosphere with sunset wine tasting from the vast selection in the Secret Wine Cave.



Right: Sun Beds by Main Pool Below right: Olympian Villa Bedroom

#### Santorini /

#### Vedema, A Luxury Collection Resort

45 suites and villas 15 minutes from Santorini Airport

Prices from

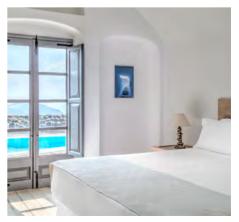
#### £1415pp in low season £2030pp in high season

7 nights accommodation with breakfast and shared transfers.

Room upgrades and private transfers available.

Set amidst vineyards and gardens, lightsuffused suites and villas are perfect for a special anniversary or romantic getaway. Marble floored suites have a separate living space, bathroom with rain shower and private terrace or balcony, while the Olympian Villa features a private outdoor pool and Jacuzzi, and the three bedroom Presidential Villa combines neoclassical architectural flourishes with every modern comfort. Premier dining options include poolside fare at Pergola, sunset wine ceremonies at Cavana Wine Bar and seafood specialities served in the ancient wine cellar at the Alati restaurant, or on its new terrace ideal for stargazing. Relax in the main pool and Jacuzzi or, from May to October, take the shuttle to the fully serviced volcanic sand beach with private facilities. Activities for kids include stone painting and treasure hunts.





#### Blue Palace, A Luxury Collection Resort & Spa

251 rooms, suites and villas 1 hour from Heraklion airport

Prices from

#### £1430pp in low season £2105pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

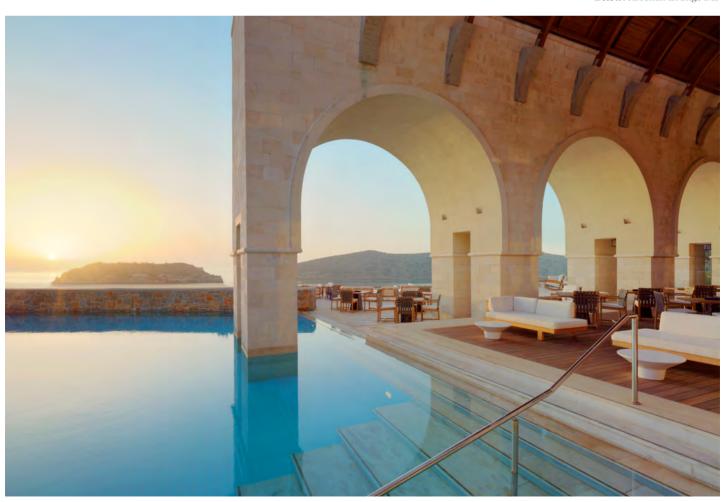
Cretan inspired Greek architecture, terracotta colours, mature palms and the endless blue reflected from over one hundred and forty private pools. These are the ingredients that set the tone for a relaxing escape at this elegant hotel, staying in a choice of generously appointed accommodation – all bungalows, suites and villas replete with marble-lined bathrooms and beguiling sea views. Soothe your

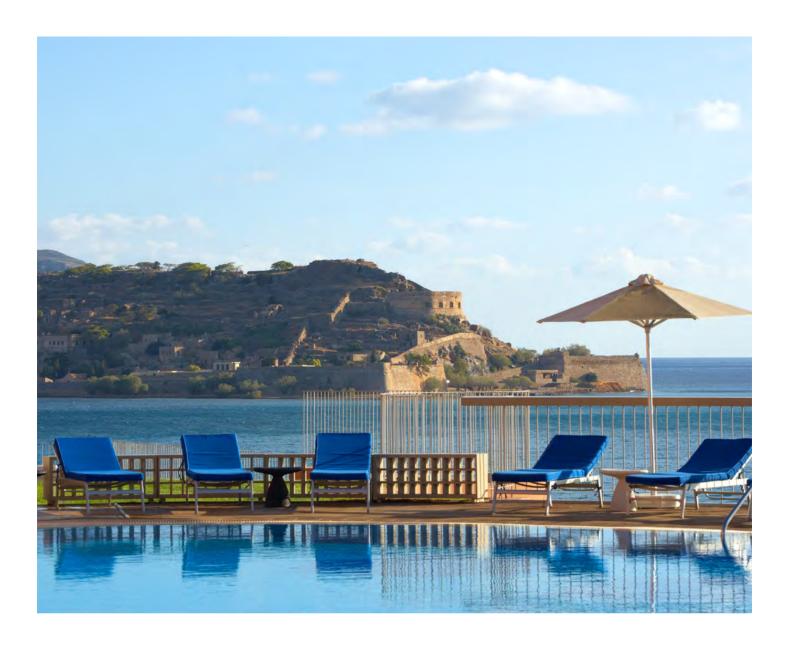
senses in the magnificent Elounda Spa & Thalassotherapy, famed for its rituals employing seawater straight from the clear Cretan Sea. Two Thalasso pools are enhanced by hammams, saunas, Jacuzzis and a gym. Five different restaurants range from the international cuisine of Olea, Oriental fusion at Asia Blue, Italian fare at Isola and the Blue Door fresh fish tavern to the steakhouse Flame.

A private beach has sunbeds, umbrellas, beach service and watersports, while the new Isola Beach Club features top mixologists and DJ. The hotel has three main swimming pools, together with a children's pool, playground and kids' club.



Above: The Isola Beach Club Below: Arsenali Lounge Bar





## Domes of Elounda, Autograph Collection

118 suites, villas and residences 1 hour from Heraklion airport

Prices from

#### £1115pp in low season £2465pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A stone's throw from the Venetian castle on the UNESCO protected islet of Spinalonga, this all-suite and villa property sits amid verdant amphitheatre gardens and olive groves, its attractive domed structures blending harmoniously with the

surroundings. A recent renaissance has seen the addition of the exceptional Domes Ultraluxe Villas, which along with the Domes Luxury Residences form the resort's 'Haute Living Selection' offering enhanced VIP services, amenities and privacy as well as boasting ample space to sunbathe and relax with heated private pools and balconies or verandas. Exceptional culinary choices include Blend Lobster & Steak, seafood specialities at the seafront 1910 restaurant, poolside dining at Yaosai Asian Restaurant and multicultural Tholos.

An adults-only seawater pool proffers scintillating sea views and the private Blue Flag beach is the only naturally sandy one in Elounda.

Close to the kids' crèche and teenagers' club, family activities are focussed around the new Domes Family Plaza where the family pool complex comprises two freshwater pools – one heated - and children's plunge pool with cooling fountains. Get around the resort courtesy of a complimentary electric golf car chauffeur service.





Clockwise from above: Mesoyios Restaurant, Mesoyios Lobby, Luxury Residence, Swimming Pool



#### Elounda Peninsula All Suite Hotel

52 suites 45 minutes from Heraklion airport

Prices from

#### £1595pp in low season £2835pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A hideaway for halcyon days beside the beautiful Bay of Mirabello this glamorous all suite hotel is a favoured haunt of Europe's glitterati. Spacious suites offer breathtaking Aegean views, the Peninsula Collection suites providing double-storey accommodation ideal for families and groups of friends – each with a private pool – while Presidential Suites feature direct access to a jetty or the hotel's private beach.

For additional space and privacy, a number of Diamond Residences come complete with a fully equipped kitchen and outdoor pool, some with massage room. Seven resort restaurants include gourmet cuisine at Calypso restaurant; Koh serves pan-Asian specialities on the waterfront.

Enjoy Ayurvedic pampering in the Six Senses Spa with its tepidarium and Thalassotherapy suites or take advantage of a cornucopia of activities from scuba diving and private yacht hire to tennis and golf. Children are supremely well catered for in the extensive indoor and outdoor spaces of the Kids Ark complete with water slides and a soccer school.



Above: Private Sandy Beach Below: Private Dining





Above: Imperial Spa Pool Villa Right: Aegean Pool Villa Bedroom



#### Elounda Gulf Villas & Suites

18 villas and 15 suites 45 minutes from Heraklion airport

Prices from

#### £1640pp in low season £2320pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

With magnificent views over the Gulf of Mirabello, this member of The Small Luxury Hotels of the World offers a rare combination of exceptional luxury, state-of-the-art amenities and bespoke service. An award-winning luxury boutique villa-

hotel, accommodation features a collection of original furnishings and objets d'art. Sumptuous villas with up to four bedrooms all have private pools and Jacuzzi, fully equipped kitchens and marbled bathrooms; some boast their own spa. A butler service is available to arrange breakfast, whilst candlelit dinners may be prepared by a personal chef. Elegant suites, including new Junior Suites with private pool and massage room, offer hotel-style accommodation

ideal for couples. Two à la carte restaurants serve authentic Mediterranean cuisine and gourmet international dishes.

Take the daily shuttle to the hotel's Private Beach Club or enjoy nearby watersports such as kayaking and windsurfing. Relax in the Elixir Spa Gallery with gym, sauna, steam bath, massage room and outdoor heated Jacuzzi while younger guests are inspired at EGV Crèche and Kids' Club.

#### Elounda Mare

82 suites and bungalows 45 minutes from Heraklion Airport

Prices from

#### £1475pp in low season £2140pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Originally a Cretan mansion, the hotel has been a Relais & Châteaux member since 1988. Architectural flourishes and antique gems still grace the property, with many original artworks adorning the interiors. Within the elegant main building guests are accommodated in one or two-bedroom suites, the one to three-bedroom bungalows in the grounds have a private pool and garden, as do the Minoan Royalty suites

– all exceptionally spacious with opulent bathrooms and deluxe amenities. Dining is an all-Greek affair at the Yacht Club where the weekly 'fishermen's evenings' by the water's edge are highly popular – rich seafood buffets overlooking the beach below. At the Old Mill restaurant with its ancient millstone centrepiece, innovative Cretan gourmet fare is a speciality, served in the romantic garden amongst Carob trees and lanterns.

Stretch out under your especially reserved parasol on the Blue Flag private sandy beach. Shared with two neighbouring sister hotels, there is also a 9-hole golf course, watersports, Kids Ark water playground and superb Six Senses Spa with hammam and tepidarium.



Above: Yacht Club Dining Below: King Minos Royalty Suite with Private Pool





# Crete / Daios Cove Luxury Resort & Villas

300 rooms and suites 50 minutes from Heraklion Airport



#### £1315pp in low season £2380pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Offering sophisticated seclusion overlooking Vathi beach, minimalistic rooms and Junior Suites feature open plan living areas, supremely comfortable beds with Egyptian linen bedding and a lavish marble-lined bathroom – most with an individual pool.



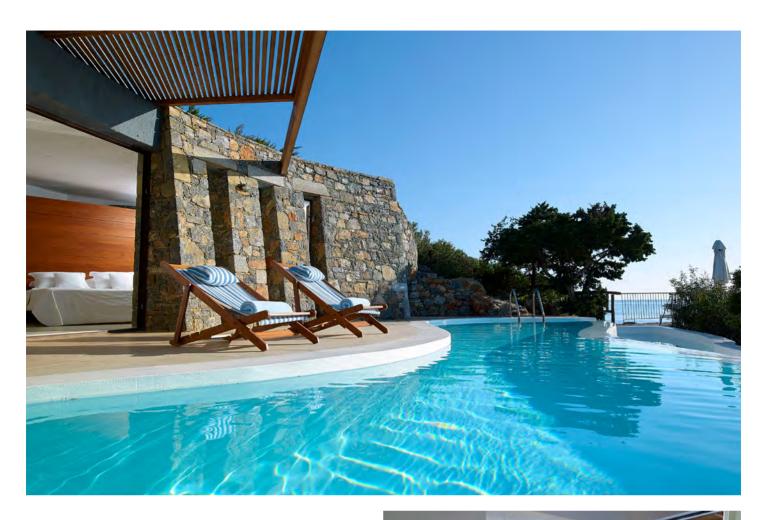


Clockwise from top: Swimming Pool, Deluxe Room, Taverna Restaurant

One to three-bedroom villas, some set at the water's edge, have private pools, exclusive Cove Club service and the option to elevate your stay as a member of the Residents' Club with dedicated concierge, complimentary meals and more. Dine on traditional Greek cuisine at the Taverna, a unique buffet-style food bazaar at Pangea and mouth-watering Mediterranean temptations at Ocean. Soak up sublime views from the heated infinity pool or

exclusive sandy shoreline with umbrellas, sun beds and attentive bar service; special DJ nights and live music events create a sensuous laid-back vibe.

Visit the watersports centre, take excursions to the island's historical highlights or relax in the extensive spa by Anne Semonin with two indoor pools and two floodlit tennis courts. Younger guests are entertained in the crèche or well-equipped children's club.



Above: Thalasso Studio with Private Pool Right: Classic Suite

## St. Nicolas Bay Resort Hotel & Villas

107 suites and bungalows, 6 villas 60 minutes from Heraklion Airport



#### £1380pp in low season £2040pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Part way between Aghios Nikolaos and Elounda lies this private beach resort hotel, blending airy contemporary design with high-end amenities. Accommodation ranges from bungalow-style rooms and suites to villas with private pools, some of

which extend into a small peninsula with views to the enchanting Gulf of Mirabello Bay. Relax in the Poseidon Spa, with its full complement of Turkish baths, saunas and hydrojet bubble loungers; Blue Room provides treatments on the roof top terrace with breathtaking sunset views. Enjoy watersports by the private sandy beach including scuba diving and boat excursions, whilst the kids are being entertained in their

own club. For inventive cocktails, meet up at the Bonaccia Jetty Bar by the water's edge.

Dining is a pleasurable dilemma, with no fewer than five restaurants to select from, among them Labyrinthos for local and international cuisine, Blue Bay for Mediterranean and Asian dishes and The Greek Kafenion for innovative Cretan specialities served to the sound of live music.

### Crete /

### Domes Noruz Chania, Autograph Collection

83 rooms and suites Children over 16 years of age are welcome 30 minutes from Chania Airport

Prices from

### £1245pp in low season £1825pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

Manifesting an eclectic fusion of cultural influences, this exclusive adults-only boutique hotel lies on the outskirts of captivating Chania where Ottoman, Venetian and Greek architecture provide an unforgettable backdrop. Situated on a sandy beach, its clean lines and intimate spaces are decorated in earthy tones and thoughtful design, all rooms and suites having either

a heated private plunge pool, or outdoor heated Jacuzzi, with tasteful touches such as black ceiling fans and Smeg minibars. Acclaimed chef Doxis Bekris oversees menus mixing authentic Cretan cuisine with international elements at Zeen, the emphasis being on local, organic ingredients. Retire to N Bar for conversation and drinks in a sophisticated ambience; Raw Bar draws a discerning crowd with wonderful fresh seafood and a selection of fine wines and Champagnes.

Organic ingredients also feature on the menu at the chic Soma Spa, alongside intensely therapeutic Elemis Treatments. There's an indoor pool, juice bar and an up-to-the-minute gym with the option of a personal trainer.



Above: Upbeat Retreat
Below: Main Pool



## Halkidiki / Sani Club

212 rooms and suites 50 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport

Prices from

#### £880pp in low season £2250pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Perfectly situated by a secluded azure bay with white sands and views to Mount Olympus, contemporary low-rise bungalows are discreetly luxurious and ideal for families featuring huge picture windows and large terraces to maximise vistas. New for 2017, One Bedroom Bungalow Suites are highly appointed with private pool or

garden while the luxurious Two Bedroom Bungalow Suite boasts Private Pool and a sublime beachfront location. Culinary options abound with guests free to explore over thirty bars and restaurants throughout Sani Resort and Marina. Complimentary sunbeds are provided on the one kilometre Blue Flag beach, whilst further recreations include nearby tennis, diving and windsurfing. The Melissa Mini Club for four to twelve year olds is complemented by a crèche for babies from four months and a high season Teen's Club.







Left: Water Bar Below left: Junior Suite

### Halkidiki / **Sani Asterias**

57 suites

50 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport



#### £1320pp in low season £3895pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The cerulean waters of the Kassandra peninsula promise endless pleasure for guests of these luxurious suites within the Sani Resort. Fronting their own exclusive beach with views to the marina, all suites have a Jacuzzi bathtub and Three Bedroom Deluxe Suites have private pools. For pure

indulgence visit the Spa Retreat or enjoy a beauty treatment or massage in the privacy of your suite. In addition to the Suites' own gourmet restaurant there are over thirty bars and restaurants to choose from; or enjoy romantic candlelit dining on your suite terrace or balcony. In the evenings the Sani Resort comes alive to jazz and classical lounge music in the chic Water Bar overlooking Sani Marina. Parents will appreciate the Babe Watch beach babysitting, crèche and children's clubs.





Above: Swimming Pool Right: Junior Suite



# Halkidiki / Porto Sani

109 suites 50 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport

Prices from

### £1190pp in low season £3095pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Stepping into this luxurious all-suite hotel is like entering a private club, where exceptional facilities meet discreet personal service. Set in the heart of Sani Resort near to the marina with its shopping piazza

and bars, family oriented suites feature contemporary interiors and private terraces. Dining options are numerous and range from à la carte at Artemis and adults only fine dining at the Byblos Caviar to brasserie snacks and Italian trattoria specialities. Relax in the heated pool at the spa, or try a regenerative rasul mud treatment while one area of the Sea You beach is exclusive to Porto Sani guests who can also use the beach

at Sani Asterias and the Blue Flag beach with complimentary sunbeds.

Relax around the heated pools, the lagoonstyle swimming pool with separate children's pool, or the adults' only pool. Other features include tennis and watersports, a PADI diving centre, Babe Watch babysitting on the beaches, a crèche at the Mini Club and Melissa Club and high season Teens' Club.



Above: Swimming Pool Right: Panorama Junior Suite Sea View



# Halkidiki / Sani Dunes

136 rooms and suites 50 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport Children over the age of 12 years are welcome

Prices from

### £940pp in low season £2415pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The turquoise waters of the Kassandra peninsula lap the beach front location of Sani Dunes, a new addition to the Sani Resort family, set to open summer 2017. Sophisticated and adult friendly, the

resort welcomes guests over 12 years to an exclusive environment enhanced by discreet service and sublime design touches. Overlooking Mount Olympus and close to the glamorous Sani marina, Sani Dunes features understated rooms and suites – low-rise double rooms enjoying pool views whilst a selection of Junior suites includes the spacious Panorama Beach Front on the water's edge, with veranda, luxury furnishings and Anne Semonin amenities. Dine in the main adult-only restaurant

or alternatively there are two a la carte restaurants to indulge the senses, one of which will be overseen by Michelin starred Chef Ettore Botrini.

Teenagers can cut loose in their own activity area in the marina; further recreations encompass pedalos, water sports, beach volley ball, tennis and mini soccer. In the glorious Anne Semonin spa there's a couples suite with a private steam bath, Thai massage cabin and Jacuzzi.

## Halkidiki / **Ikos Olivia**

142 rooms and suites, 149 bungalow suites 50 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport

Prices from

#### £930pp in low season £2040pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation all-inclusive and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The warm waters of the Toroneos Gulf lap the idyllic beaches of southern Halkidiki, where Ikos Resorts have created an utterly contemporary resort offering Greek hospitality at its best. Launched in May 2015, spacious guest rooms and suites brim with understated sophistication, set in twenty two acres of immaculately tended grounds. Luxury one and two bedroom suites in low-

rise bungalows look out over the Aegean sea, each with a private pool, garden or balcony. No fewer than six bars and four à la carte restaurants provide a surfeit of dining options including Greek, French, Italian and Asian – all with menus overseen by Michelin-starred chefs. The Dine-Out concept offers eating out in a choice of specially selected venues, 24 hour room service, international spirits in the minibar and waiter service at the pools and beach.

Indoor and outdoor pools are complemented by a luxurious spa, tennis, biking and watersports, with children sure to have a whale of a time in the multi-lingual Heroes Kids' Club.



Above: Panorama Junior Suite Below: Deluxe Two Bedroom Bungalow Suite Beachfront



### Halkidiki /

### Danai Beach Resort & Villas

55 suites and 5 villas 50 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport

Prices from

### £1775pp in low season £2560pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This elegant Grecian beach resort is perched above the impossibly blue Aegean in Sithonia. A luxurious member of The Leading Hotels of the World, classical in style and welcoming in approach, a number of deluxe suites and neo-classical villas, some with private pools, feature every conceivable comfort including butler service on request. Fine dining venues range from relaxed beachside lunches of fresh fish at The Seahorse Grill. Mediterranean

cuisine at Andromeda to French gourmet dining at the spectacular open air Squirrel restaurant. With oversized sofas, the Seaside Bar is the perfect place for a sundowner or cocktail overlooking the beach. An indoor and outdoor swimming pool, diving, fishing and watersports are complemented by a tennis court, gym and sauna; an 18-hole golf course is found nearby.

There is a crèche and complimentary kids' club for children while adults can indulge at the Moroccan-inspired Danai Spa in massages, facial treatments and wellness baths. Excursions can be arranged to visit Mount Athos, Meteora and the Cave of Petralona.



Above: Executive Pool Suite Below: Beach









Clockwise from top: Armyra Restaurant, Grand Suite Sea Front with Private Pool, Swimming Pool

# Halkidiki / Eagles Palace

157 rooms, suites and bungalows 1 hour 30 minutes from Thessaloniki Airport

Prices from

### £815pp in low season £1385pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

This member of Small Luxury Hotels is tucked away by a golden sand beach on an unspoilt peninsula close to Mount Athos. The resort's tranquillity is enhanced by its monastic architecture and features rooms

with views over the gardens or ocean, whilst luxury suites offer direct access to the beach. Nestled in the gardens or along the seafront, delightful bungalows provide simple but chic accommodation. Varied dining options include gourmet Greek cuisine at Kamares, fresh fish by the sea at Armyra and tapas style international cuisine served at Washi Restaurant. Live music at the Eagles Club is accompanied by gourmet finger food,

cocktails and glorious sunset views.

In addition to a full spectrum of watersports, from wake boarding to water-skiing and a PADI diving centre, guests can enjoy the beach bar service or relax in the Spa by Elemis with three new therapy rooms. There is a mini club for children, a new playground, separate kids' pool and a seawater flotation pool.



Above: Lobby Terrace Right: The Lagoon Pool



# Costa Navarino / The Westin Resort Costa Navarino

445 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Kalamata Airport

Prices from

### £1295pp in low season £2005pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with half board and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Inspired by old Messinian mansions, this picture postcard retreat by the glittering Ionian Sea comprises clusters of stone built low-rise villas. Contemporary rooms and suites decorated in soothing seascape tones

feature the Westin's signature Heavenly Bed® plus a spacious terrace or balcony, many with a private infinity-edge pool. At the heart of the development is the Agora where an outdoor cinema, retail outlets and a Greek amphitheatre rub shoulders with enticing eateries including Da Luigi for Italian treats and Souvlakeriei. With the focus on family wellbeing, energising programmes include the WestinWORKOUT® Gym, SuperFoodsRX™ and Eat Well menus for

all ages; fitness gear and running maps are available to maintain your workout routine courtesy of the Gear Lending initiative.

As well as the fun of the Aqua Park, children are creatively entertained at the Sandcastle and Cocoon kids' clubs, leaving more time for adult indulgence in the therapeutic treatments at the Anazoe Spa. There are two signature golf courses, biking, hiking, racquet sports and watersports.

### Costa Navarino /

### The Romanos, A Luxury Collection Resort

321 rooms, suites and villas 40 minutes from Kalamata Airport

Prices from

### £1480pp in low season £2050pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Serenity pervades The Romanos, a Member of the Starwood Luxury Collection.

Extensive grounds dotted with olive groves and a long sandy beach form the unspoilt landscape for this luxurious resort. Awardwinning architecture reflects Messina's rich history, the contemporary rooms, suites and villas basking in the warm palette of the Mediterranean. Infinity Rooms and Suites boast their own individual infinity-edge

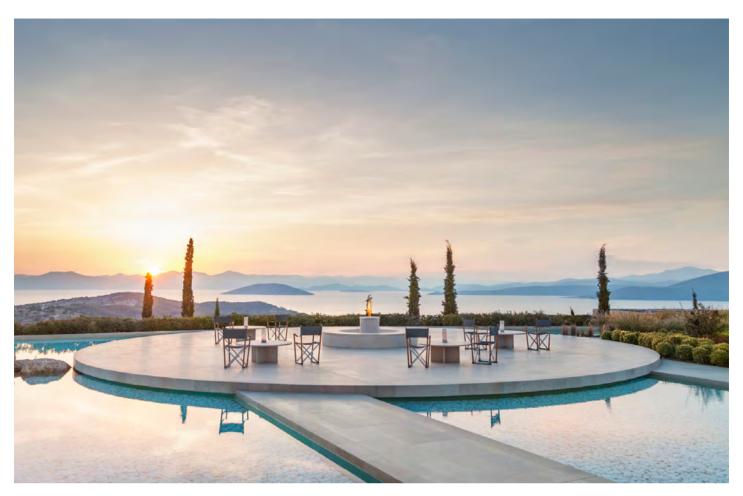
pool with direct access from a furnished wooden deck whilst villas have personalised butler service. Central to resort life is the Agora village square with shopping and entertainment, Greek amphitheatre, alfresco cinema and culinary experiences from traditional Greek at Taverna to Italian at DaLuigi, while beachside Barbouni serves freshly caught fish; unwind over cocktails in the luxurious Anax Lounge.

The Anazoe Spa offers Thalassotherapy facilities and floating pools complemented by ice grottoes, herbal saunas and natural signature treatments. Sports amenities include two signature golf courses, Racquet Academy, watersports and kids' clubs. Upscale concierge services help guests discover the area's rich Messinian treasures.



Above: Villas Ithomi and Sapientza Master Bedroom Below: Open Air Lobby





Above: Amanzoe Terrace Right: Pavilion Bedroom



### Porto Heli / Amanzoe

38 pavilions, 4 beach cabanas and 7 villas 2 hours 30 minutes from Athens Airport 25 minutes by helicopter

Prices from

### £4040pp in low season £7330pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A contemporary retreat embracing the rich cultural heritage of Greece, Amanzoe overlooks undulating olive groves and the Mediterranean Sea from its elevated

hilltop position. Close to the tavernas and vibrant life of Porto Heli, the resort boasts its own private beach and features free standing pavilion-style accommodation with high-ceiling living areas and marble-walled alcove beds – spacious bathrooms having sunken baths opening onto the terrace. Pool Pavilions and Deluxe Pool Pavilions come with six-metre and twelve-metre pools respectively; four, five, six and nine bedroom villas are also available. Exquisite Mediterranean inspired cuisine

is served in the main restaurant, while the Pool Bar offers casual all-day dining; or guests can dine in their own romantic pavilion.

The luxurious Aman Spa features seven double treatment rooms, a Watsu pool, yoga and Pilates studio. An attractive main pool is complemented by a children's pool as well as exclusive use of the magnificent Beach Club – an eight minute complimentary transfer from the resort.

Right: Deluxe Room Below right: GB Roof Garden Restaurant

Athens /

### Hotel Grande Bretagne, A Luxury Collection Hotel

320 rooms and suites 45 minutes from Athens Airport

Prices from

#### £795pp in low season £935pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Behind the splendid façade of this Luxury Collection hotel lies an opulent interior; some rooms and suites enjoying the services of a designated personal butler. The generously sized Executive Grand Suites on the sixth and seventh floors feature rare antique furnishings. For unparalleled views over the historic city to the dramatic Acropolis, sayour Mediterranean cuisine in the contemporary surroundings of the GB Roof Garden Restaurant & Bar. Relax in the serene Winter Garden, serving light lunches and high tea or sample some of the hotel's three thousand bottles in The Cellar, also available for private dining. After exploring the heart of Athens, Syntagma Square is on the doorstep, unwind in the hotel's award-winning GB Spa with indoor pool or relax at the rooftop outdoor pool with magnificent views to Lycabettus Hill.







Left: Grand Terrace Suite Below left: Swimming Pool

# Athens / The Margi

89 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Athens International Airport



Prices from

### £515pp in low season £775pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

The Vouliagmeni peninsula – the most exclusive part of the Athenian Riviera – makes a spellbinding setting for this elegant boutique hotel, run with charm and care by the two sons of owner Maria Stavridis. Close to a sandy beach, smart marina and elite shopping outlets of Glyfada the property comprises rooms and suites

with warm ethnic touches, and soft white furnishings; the dual-level Family suite connects with an executive room to accommodate up to six guests. The newly renovated pool area has spacious decks and four private cabanas with further relaxation offered at The Margi Spa. Dine at pergolashaded Malabar with resident DJ or enjoy the Mediterranean cuisine of award-winning chef Panagiotis Giakalis who utilises produce from The Margi Farm. Nearby golfing and the nightlife of Athens are easily accessible.



# Portugal & Madeira /

# THE PERFECT MÉLANGE OF WORLD CLASS GOLF RESORTS AND BROAD ALGARVIAN BEACHES BLESSED BY YEAR-ROUND SUNSHINE, WHILE EXOTIC FLORA BLANKETS MADEIRA'S RUGGED HILLS.

Fado music rings out from the open doors of Lisbon's late-night bars evoking a sense of the Portuguese soul. All around are wide, tree-lined avenues enriched by Art Nouveau buildings, mosaic pavements and street cafés infused by an unhurried ambience. A little way along the coast the beach resorts of the Portuguese Riviera sweep into view, while up in the cool hills lies Sintra, a magical place described by Byron as 'a garden of earthly paradise'. Far to the south, the ever popular Algarve

attracts sun seekers to its one hundred mile coastline. By the gently shelving beaches, limpid waters wash romantic coves that are ideal for swimming, whilst the ocean is a playground for watersports enthusiasts. Limestone cliffs and natural grottoes form the backdrop for endless family activities, whilst those in search of Portugal's past head for commanding sights such as Sagres fortress – a legacy of an Arabian past. The rich history is reflected in a fusion cuisine that includes spicy chicken piri-piri and

salted sardines freshly plucked from the sea, tempered by refreshing rosé wines. Seemingly surging from the Atlantic lies the island of Madeira, a floating garden cradled within a mountainous interior, its landscape a riot of sub-tropical flora; violet protea, orange bird of paradise, and white cala lilies. The capital Funchal is surrounded by lush hills and dramatic shorelines, its vibrant markets overflowing with displays of colour and the air filled with the exotic lilt of the local language.



#### Best Experiences

- Go bird watching in the Ria Formosa National Park by saveiro – a traditional Portuguese boat
- \* Enjoy a round of golf on one of the numerous world class golf courses
- \* Explore Lisbon's Alfama district on foot with its medieval alleyways and winding streets or take the legendary number twenty eight tram
- \* Enjoy wine tastings and exclusive dining at the Cave de Vinhos – the cellar at the Vila Vita Parc Hotel, housing over 11,000 bottles of wine
- \* Learn to windsurf in Sagres

#### When To Go

Southern Portugal including the Algarve enjoys a Mediterranean climate with hot dry summers and mild winters. July and August are hot but temperatures are moderated by sea breezes. A good time to visit Portugal is May to June and September to October, where days are pleasantly warm and sunny. Madeira is a good year-round destination with temperatures remaining pleasantly mild over the winter months.

#### Our Pricing

Our pricing aims to give an indication of the prices in low and high season. Low season for Portugal is generally between the months of November to March, high season runs from June to October. Prices are based on 2 sharing (unless otherwise indicated) and include return economy flights from London. Regional departures, child prices and single supplements are available on request.

 $\emph{GMT}$  GMT in winter /+1 hour in summer

Flying Time London to: Faro 2 hours 50 minutes/Lisbon 2 hours 35 minutes/Funchal 3 hours 45 minutes/Porto 2 hours 20 minutes

### Douro /

### Six Senses Douro Valley

50 rooms and suites; 7 villas 90 minutes from Porto Airport

Prices from

### £1195pp in low season £1590pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

UNESCO Word Heritage Listed, the vineyards which spread out below this serene Six Senses property form the oldest demarcated wine region in the world. Blending sympathetically with its surroundings, the hotel comprises an immaculately restored nineteenth century manor house incorporating contemporary interiors; rooms featuring floor to ceiling windows to frame the views. Amidst the

vines stand a collection of one, two and three bedroom villas and apartments melding the gleam of chrome with the warmth of wood, their sink-in sofas facing the fireplace, while in the garden of the villas a private pool provides cool respite. Seasonal menus based on local ingredients highlight the cuisine at Vale de Abraão with its open kitchen, terrace and dining room, or try a riverside table popup dining experience.

Enjoy a visit to a winery or nearby monastery before meeting up at the Wine Library & Terrace for pre-dining drinks. The spa has a heated indoor pool and unique Alchemy Bar for revitalising potions; further recreations include river cruises and sightseeing flights.



Above: Quinta Courtyard Suite Below: Swimming Pool





# Lisbon/ Four Seasons Hotel Ritz Lisbon

282 rooms and suites 20 minutes from Lisbon Airport

Prices from

### £620pp in low season £740pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast.

Room upgrades available.

Simply oozing prestige, this Four Seasons landmark close to the heart of the city reflects the nobility and charm of historic Portugal. Situated on one of the city's seven hills, fine views are afforded across





Clockwise from top: Indoor Pool, Veranda Terrace, Central Suite

to Eduardo VIII Park, St George's Castle and the broad sweep of the Tagus as it flows into the Atlantic. Spacious guest rooms and suites – many with private terraces - feature marble bathrooms, handmade tapestries, eighteenth century style furniture and original artworks. Gourmets come to dine at the stylish Varanda Restaurant where chef Pascal Meynard brings his experience from Michelin-starred restaurants to a sumptuous variety of cuisine including

authentic Portuguese caldeiradas and cataplana dishes. Meet up in the Ritz Bar for fine wines, ports and light bites.

A luxurious spa with an indoor pool, treatment rooms, sauna and fitness centre is uniquely located on the rooftop of the hotel, overlooking the garden and park. Aside from discovering Lisbon's myriad attractions there is a nearby tennis club and golf course.



### Sagres /

### Martinhal Sagres Beach Family Resort

37 luxury rooms, 132 houses 45 villas and 23 townhouses 1 hour 30 minutes from Faro Airport

Prices from

### £1135pp in low season £1695pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Understated luxury and genuine hospitality distinguish this excellent family resort which lies within a protected natural park on the unspoilt Western Algarve. One of Europe's best luxury family resorts it offers

an excellent range of accommodation.

Rooms in the stylish beachfront hotel –
all with ocean views are complemented by
a selection of spacious, two-floor family
houses with floor-to-ceiling windows
and front or back lawns, some with their
own private swimming pool. Traditional
Portuguese recipes have been re-invented
with flair and imagination at O Terraço,
a contemporary venue for family dining
featuring an alfresco wooden terrace and
kids' corner. Fish aficionados should head
for As Dunas, while Os Gambozinos is the

place for delicious Italian specialities. The surf-themed M Bar, also with a kids' games area, is a fun hideaway decked out with cosy sofas and quirky highlights such as a 1970s VW Campervan booth.

The resort's village square houses indoor and outdoor swimming pools, together with a kids' club; For rejuvenating therapies and treatments by Terraké and Voya unwind in the expansive Finisterra Spa; Tween, Teen, family treatments and baby massages are also on offer.





Clockwise from above:
Bay House Living Room, Ocean House Bedroom,
Pinewood House Swimming Pool, Beach Club



### The Algarve /

### Vila Vita Parc Resort & Spa

170 rooms and suites 35 minutes from Faro Airport

Prices from

### £895pp in low season £2185pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Perched majestically atop a cliff with ravishing vistas over the Atlantic Ocean, the resort blends Moorish charm with Portuguese hospitality. Cobbled pathways and calming water features bring together the village ambience that suits families and couples equally well, combining exceptional accommodation with superb dining options in a choice of nine seasonal restaurants. In addition to fine gourmet dining at the

intimate two Michelin-starred Ocean Restaurant and the Aladin Grill, you can find traditional Portuguese fare at Adega. Take the opportunity to taste one of the fine wines from the 1,200 label selection in the Cave de Vinhos. Recreational facilities are second to none, including tennis, seasonal watersports and pitch and putt, or board the Vila Vita yacht for an exhilarating ocean cruise.

The Health Club boasts an indoor/outdoor heated pool, Jacuzzi, sauna, ice cave and steam bath, whilst a complete range of massage and therapy treatments await in the ancient Roman-inspired spa. Children are superbly catered for with every facility from a crèche to Annabella's kids' park.



Above: Ocean Restaurant Below: Beach View





# The Algarve / Pine Cliffs, A Luxury Collection Resort

215 rooms and suites, 45 townhouses, 154 Pine Cliffs Residence apartments and villas 30 minutes from Faro Airport

Prices from

### £940pp in low season £1780pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Surrounded by pine trees and overlooking miles of unspoilt beach, this Luxury Collection hotel blends style and comfort



with an expansive range of recreational opportunities. The architecture reflects Portugal's Arab heritage with airy interiors and cool courtyards. A wide range of accommodation choices include newly renovated Premium Deluxe Rooms and superbly equipped Pine Cliffs Terraces; an exceptional collection of two, three and four bedroom townhouses in beautiful landscaped gardens. Dining choices are extensive and vary according to the season, encompassing international menus, themed



Clockwise from top:
Mirador Champagne Bar, Beach Club Restaurant,
Ocean Suite

buffets, superb seafood and chargrilled meats at the Piri Piri Steak House.

A lift platform transports guests to and from the beach, where a full range of seasonal watersports are on offer. Swim in a choice of five outdoor pools or a large indoor pool; play tennis or indulge at the new Serenity Spa. For golfers there is the 9-hole course and the excellent facilities of the Golf Academy. Children will delight in the seasonal Porto Pirata kids' club.



Above: Swimming Pool Right: Grand Deluxe Suite



# The Algarve / Conrad Algarve

154 rooms and suites 20 minutes from Faro Airport

Prices from

### £935pp in low season £2010pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

The epitome of contemporary chic, the Conrad Algarve lies in the exclusive Quinta do Lago enclave, offering easy access to the golden sandy beaches of the Algarve. Beautifully appointed rooms feature every modern comfort and convenience, the roof top Garden Suite coming complete with infinity pool, kitchen, personal host and its own private entrance to the spa. Michelin-starred chef Heinz Beck heads up Gusto by Heinz Beck, the sleek signature restaurant with an open kitchen, cocktail bar and Cuban cigar menu; Louro specialises in Portuguese cuisine and is the venue for cooking classes; dishes at Dado have an inventive South American twist.

While the children enjoy tailored activities in the kids' club, unwind in the spa where Essentially You, a collection of Signature Treatments, are complemented by an aromatic steam room and ice fountain.

A shuttle bus takes guests to a dedicated beach area while further recreations encompass golf with the hotel's own PGA qualified golf pro, sunset boat trips and bird watching in the Ria Formosa National Park.

### The Algarve /

### The Lake Spa Resort

192 rooms and suites; 95 luxury apartments 20 minutes from Faro Airport

Prices from

#### £650pp in low season £1620pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Boasting a private lake and surrounded by world class golf courses, this familyorientated resort in the heart of Vilamoura balances Portuguese tradition with stylish modernity. Contemporary rooms feature private verandas to maximise the panoramic vistas, some looking over the ocean or lake. The resort presents a trio of dining experiences, encompassing the lavish seasonal buffets of Gustatio, the Oriental and Mediterranean specialities of Fusion and the succulent seafood dishes of Mare Nostrum, set on an anchored floating esplanade. For drinks with a difference head to Zanzi Bar, an atmospheric African-themed watering hole known for its sunset vistas. Massages, sauna and steam room beckon in the Blue&Green Spa, a cool retreat with seventeen treatment rooms, hair studio and fitness centre.

To complement the golfing, amenities include a multisport field, canoeing and three outdoor pools – one with a natural sand bottom. Within walking distance lie the Golden Sandy beach Praia da Falésia and the harbour of Vilamoura. The Koala Kids' Club offers indoor and outdoor activities.



*Above:* Deluxe Room Panoramic View *Below:* The Lake Spa Resort



### The Algarve/

### Anantara Vilamoura Algarve Resort

154 rooms and suites20 minutes from Faro Airport

Prices from

#### £775pp in low season £1225pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Opening in April 2017, Anantara Vilamoura will combine sophistication with sports appeal – the resort overlooking the gently undulating Oceânico Victoria golf course, designed by Arnold Palmer. Highest levels of comfort are assured in the smartly appointed rooms, while suites have the added lure of a minibar and full butler service. Dine by the swimming pool at Sensorial, where live show-cooking takes centre stage, or sate your

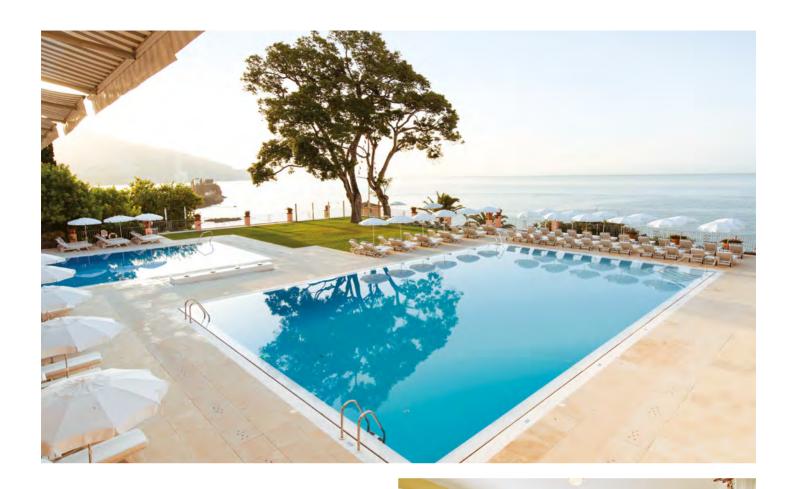
appetite with modern gourmet Portuguese fare at EMO. There are two further outdoor pools – one adult only – and an indoor vitality pool, all enjoying signature complimentary services such as platters of fresh fruit, refreshing juices and oshibori hand towels.

There are spa rituals based on centuriesold therapies, yoga sessions, Pilates classes and an extensive range of kids' and teens' programmes run by the Worldwide Kids Company; golfers will appreciate the daily club cleaning service and regular shuttle service to the major courses in Vilamoura. A complimentary shuttle bus takes guests to a dedicated beach area.



Above: EMO Restaurant Below: Executive Suite





# Madeira / *Belmond Reid's Palace*

158 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Funchal Airport

Prices from

### £1365pp in low season £2420pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

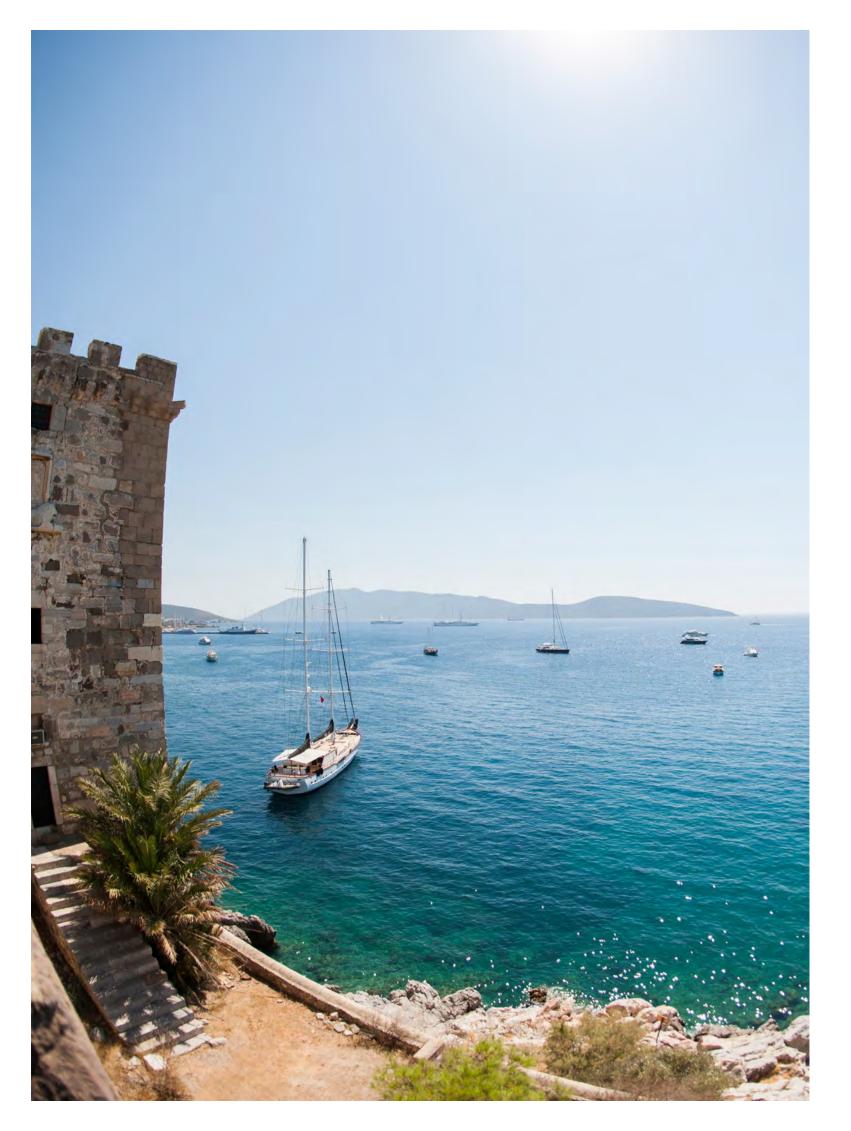
Today, as ever, Belmond Reid's Palace is an oasis of traditional charm. A luxurious retreat where everyday cares melt magically away, this landmark hotel has successfully blended tradition, modern facilities and contemporary comfort. The sub-tropical gardens create a relaxing atmosphere with views across the Bay of Funchal. Rooms and suites are spacious and individually decorated, each with a balcony or terrace. The hotel has two heated swimming pools and an exhilarating sea-level pool reached by a lift. Along with two golf courses a short distance away, local activities include seasonal diving, fishing and watersports whilst teenagers can enjoy the latest technology in the Fun@Reid's Teenagers'



*Top:* Outdoor Pool *Above:* Suite

Club. There is also a Fun@Reid's Children's Club for younger children.

Dining options are numerous, from the panoramic Italian restaurant Villa Cipriani to the elegant Dining Room. The Tea Terrace is the setting for the hotel's famed Afternoon Tea. In the Spa, each room is designed to indulge, offering treatments by Aromatherapy Associates and Natura Bissé together with a private terrace and sea views.



## Turkey /

## VAST AND VARIED, TURKEY BOASTS INCREDIBLE LANDSCAPES AND ENDLESS NATURAL WONDERS IN AN EAST-MEETS-WEST LAND BORDERED BY FOUR DIFFERENT SEAS.

Birthplace of many great civilisations, Turkey's history suffuses every aspect of life. Tread in the steps of the Silk Road traders, Julius Caesar, Alexander the Great and the Ottomans to discover a country full of laid-back charm. A violet sky studded with slender minarets and ancient domes forms a beguiling backdrop to Istanbul where Asian mystery fuses with European flair. The two great continents straddle the mighty Bosphorus River, dotted with boats plying the route between East and West.

Former capital of three great empires it is a vibrant city bursting with Byzantine treasures; musts to visit include the Blue Mosque, Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia and the breathtaking frescoes of the Chora Museum. Submit to the cool stone and gentle rhythm of splashing water in traditional Turkish baths, and plunge into bazaars redolent with rich spices. Head south to Antalya on the Turkish Riviera for 300 days of sunshine a year, and a myriad of sophisticated resorts. Beyond the

beach, the old quarter of Kaleici captivates locals and visitors alike, while in a nearby Roman amphitheatre during June and July the Aspendos Opera and Ballet Festival gets underway. Along the coast, Bodrum beckons with its white-washed houses and riot of bougainvillea, the city's twin bays making it a magnet for yachtsmen, while history aficionados will find Roman Ephesus a revelation. So settle back with a hearty meze and a glass of aniseed raki to savour the many delights of Turkey.



### Best Experiences

- Charter a gulet and explore the coast, stopping in tranquil coves and bays
- Visit the village of Etrim, known for its intricate hand-knotted carpets
- \* Wander through the Grand Bazaar, Turkey's largest covered market and home to over 4000 shops
- \* Spend the day in Istanbul's old quarter, exploring the Agia Sofia, Blue Mosque and Topkapi Palace

### When To Go

Turkey is a vast country that incorporates both a Mediterranean and continental climate, the temperatures in the north being cooler than the south. For sightseeing and visits to Istanbul, spring and autumn are recommended to avoid the peak summer temperatures. November to February can be cool with increased rainfall. Southern Turkey has a Mediterranean climate with hot dry summers and mild winters, July and August being the hottest months. Spring and autumn are good times to visit as it is still warm and less crowded.

### Our Pricing

Our pricing aims to give an indication of the prices in low and high season. For southern Turkey low season is generally between the months of mid-September to May, high season runs from mid-June to mid-September. In Istanbul low season is generally between November to March, high season runs from April to October. Prices are based on 2 sharing (unless otherwise indicated) and include return economy flights from London. Regional departures, child prices and single supplements are available on request.

 $\emph{GMT}$  +2 hours in winter / +3 hours in summer

*Flying Time* London to: Istanbul 3 hours 45 minutes / Bodrum & Dalaman 4 hours



# Datça Peninsula / D-Hotel Maris

193 rooms, suites and 1 villa. Children over 5 years of age are welcome in Family Rooms and the Villa 2 hours 10 minutes from Bodrum Airport 1 hour 45 minutes from Dalaman Airport 25 minutes by helicopter

Prices from

### £1335pp in low season £1975pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Perched on a pine-clad hillside within the protected Datça Peninsula affording breathtaking views over an azure bay and five stunning white sanded beaches. Rooms and suites all feature balconies and the latest entertainment technology; suites also bestow access to the Club Lounge where enhanced amenities range from complimentary food and beverages to Executive Beach access. Five à la carte restaurants include the 'izakaya' style of shared dining at Zuma's award-winning restaurant, Mediterranean seafood and specialities at Il Riccio Beach Club & Restaurant and sophisticated Turkish cuisine at Ruia. Choose from seven bars, El Vino specialising in fine wines and

cognacs; the glamorous Coliseum being sited at the very tip of the peninsula. Charter one of the hotel's private yachts, relax on the beach or linger by one of three swimming pools.

For the more active there is a tennis school and a plethora of watersports on offer, from sailing and diving to water-skiing. The Espace Vitalité Chenot spa features an opulent hammam, steam room, ice fountains and fitness by Bodyism; Children can enjoy supervised activities in their own club.





Clockwise from above: Swimming Pool, Deluxe Room, Presidential Suite Terrace View, The Terrace Restaurant



### Göcek /

### D-Resort Göcek

103 rooms and suites 25 minutes from Dalaman Airport

Prices from

### £940pp in low season £1475pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Backed by mountains and just a short walk from a private beach, the resort lies in a quaint former fishing village that has become a smart yachting centre whilst retaining its traditional Turkish charm. Premier Suites, some with direct pool access, come complete with separate bedroom and living room; rooms are decked out in tranquil Mediterranean tones, with marble bathrooms and Molton Brown amenities. The eelectic menus of the

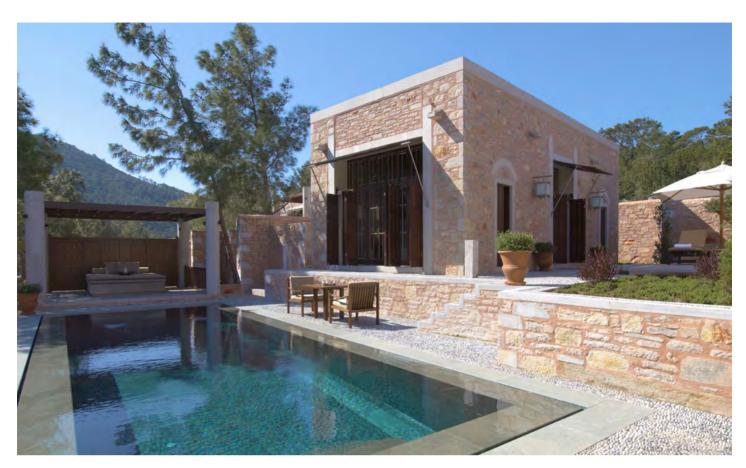
Q Lounge include Izakaya-style modern Japanese specialities to the accompaniment of relaxing DJ selections and exquisite cocktails, Günaydın serves steaks or enjoy classic light dishes on the terrace at the Olive Tree. For the freshest seafood head for The Breeze, aptly named for the cooling breezes which blow onto the seafront.

Get around on the hotel's complimentary bikes or golf buggies, rent the hotel's luxury speed boat, or simply unwind in the spa where therapies focus on stress relief and health optimisation. Top class facilities encompass a Turkish hammam, Zen garden and vitality pool.



Above: Lobby Below: The Breeze and D-Marin







*Top:* Pool Terrace Cottage *Above:* Beach Club Lounge Terrace

# Bodrum / Amanruya

36 Pool Terrace Cottages 30 minutes from Bodrum Airport

Prices from

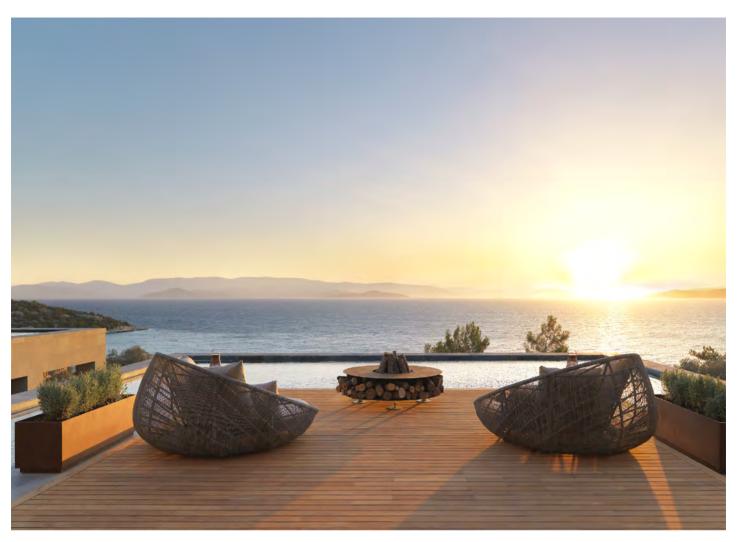
### £3230pp in low season £5360pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

'Peaceful dream' by name, Amanruya rests on a quiet hillside above Mandalya Bay on the northern coast of the Bodrum Peninsula. Set on different levels with a variety of courtyards and terraces, dream away the days as you unwind on the sheltered pebble beach. Spacious Pool Terrace Cottages built from local stone with dark acajou wood furniture and white Turkish marble flooring feature four-poster beds together with a charcoal fire and underfloor heating for the colder months; outside the garden houses a marble swimming pool and expansive pergola for in-suite dining. The kitchen delivers an ever-changing Turkish and Mediterranean-inspired menu in three dining pavilions, or enjoy casual lunch and

snacks at the Beach Club. Gourmet picnics can also be arranged.

The spa offers two treatment rooms for indulging therapies; take a dip in the fiftymetre marble swimming pool or swim out to sunbathe on the offshore pontoon. Further recreations include hire of watersports equipment and traditional gulet sailing trips. Those more interested in sightseeing can visit nearby Ephesus, Didyma, Miletus and Priene.



Above: Arrival Deck at Sunset Right: VIP Spa Suite

# Bodrum / Mandarin Oriental Bodrum

122 rooms, suites and apartments, 7 villas 45 minutes from Bodrum Airport

Prices from

### £1755pp in low season £4775pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Luxurious seclusion beckons in an idyllic location aptly named Cennet Koyu – Paradise Bay. Set against two private sandy beaches, the property comprises a mix of airy rooms and suites offering the perfect blend of style and comfort. With scintillating

views over the Aegean, Sea View Rooms are understandably popular; their neutral décor enhanced by wooden floors, floor-to-ceiling windows and deluxe touches such as Bang & Olufsen entertainment systems. Mandarin Junior Suites have their own plunge pool, while the generously sized Mediterranean Suites boast a large outdoor terrace with private pool and outdoor shower. A number of chic apartments come complete with small kitchenette, living area and balcony or terrace. Trattoria style Italian dishes are



served at Assagio, contemporary Japanese cuisine is served in Kurochan and Bodrum Balikçisi offers mouth-watering traditional Turkish fish and seafood.

Enjoy light snacks at the Blue Beach Club and Bar with its ultra-comfy loungers and cabanas or unwind in the spa with authentic hammams with private scrub rooms, fitness centre and indoor pool. Children have their own pool, playgrounds, kids' club as well as a special kids menu in selected restaurants.

### Bodrum /

### Kempinski Hotel Barbaros Bay

173 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Bodrum Airport

Prices from

#### £910pp in low season £1915pp in high season

including flights, 7 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

With a spectacular cliff top setting overlooking the private beach and bay, this haven of luxury only lies a short drive from central Bodrum, known to travel connoisseurs as the Saint-Tropez of Turkey. The resort comprises a mix of rooms with walk-out balcony or terrace and impeccable suites, the One Bedroom and Presidential Suites include a daily choice of body treatments at the Sanitas Spa, where chic

treatment rooms are complemented by a Turkish bath, sauna and steam rooms. Savour inspired Aegean cuisine at Olives Restaurant, while La Luce serves gourmet pastas and Saigon brings an eclectic taste of the Far East. Bar Blue is perfect for aperitifs overlooking the bay.

Relax on the secluded Blue Flag private beach, with separate family and silent adultonly area, or by the shimmering infinity pool, biding your time until the sunset cruise around the romantic coves of the Bodrum peninsula. Kids from toddlers to teens are well catered for in the Kempinski Kids' Club.



Above: Grand Deluxe Room Below: Sundeck Restaurant.





# Croatia & Montenegro /

# STEP BACK INTO HISTORY-STEEPED CITIES AND SLEEPY VILLAGES WHERE LIFE CONTINUES MUCH AS IT DID A CENTURY AGO, THE GLITTERING ADRIATIC BECKONING ALONG THE DRAMATIC COAST.

Here life moves at an unhurried pace – the warm, dry Mediterranean summers beckoning visitors to over five thousand kilometres of coastline. In Dubrovnik orange-hued roofs are enlivened by the sun's rays, which contrast vibrantly against the azure waters of the Adriatic. Encircled in its medieval limestone walls which surge dramatically from the sea, labyrinthine alleys and piazzas are alive with the buzz of outdoor life. Cosmopolitan cafés spill out

onto the pavements of Placa Street, where glasses of the local plum brandy flow. Step into Diocletian's Palace the living heart of Split and experience Dalmatian life as it is really lived amidst the atmospheric old walls. Sail over to Korčula – reputed birthplace of Marco Polo – to discover secluded bays and wander medieval streets brimming with folkloric tradition. Further south, along the dramatically crafted coastline of rugged inlets and verdant

islands lapped by the purest waters, lies Montenegro. Pink sands envelop the islet of Sveti Stefan, once the favoured playground of the Hollywood glitterati and now revitalised once again as a luxurious retreat. In Istria discover a haven of visual and epicurean delight – medieval hilltop villages perch above expansive olive groves; the cuisine, with its prosciutto hams and white truffles, more than a little influenced by its Italian neighbours.



#### Best Experiences

- Enjoy a private dinner in the substructure of Diocletian's Palace in Split
- \* Take a leisurely walk around the spectacular city walls in Dubrovnik, or for a different perspective take the cable car up to Mount Srd for a bird's eye view of this ancient city
- \* With over a thousand islands, Croatia is the ideal destination to charter a private yacht and explore
- \* Discover the labyrinthine of alleyways in the medieval town of Kotor which is located on one of the most beautiful bays in Montenegro

#### When To Go

The coastal regions of both countries enjoy a typically Mediterranean climate with hot, dry summers and cold winters. The height of summer in July and August can be hot with moderate humidity. May, June and September are often the best times to visit when sunshine is plentiful and to avoid the crowds. Winters on the coast are mild with increased rainfall.

#### Our Pricing

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 $\emph{GMT}$  +1 hour in winter / +2 hours in summer

*Flying Time* London to: Dubrovnik 2 hours 45 minutes / Tivat 3 hours / Split & Pula 2 hours 30 minutes

### Sveti Stefan /

### Aman Sveti Stefan

8 suites at Villa Milocer

50 rooms, cottages and suites at Sveti Stefan 2 hours 20 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport 30 minutes from Tivat Airport

Prices from

### £2585pp in low season £3450pp in high season

including flights, 5 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

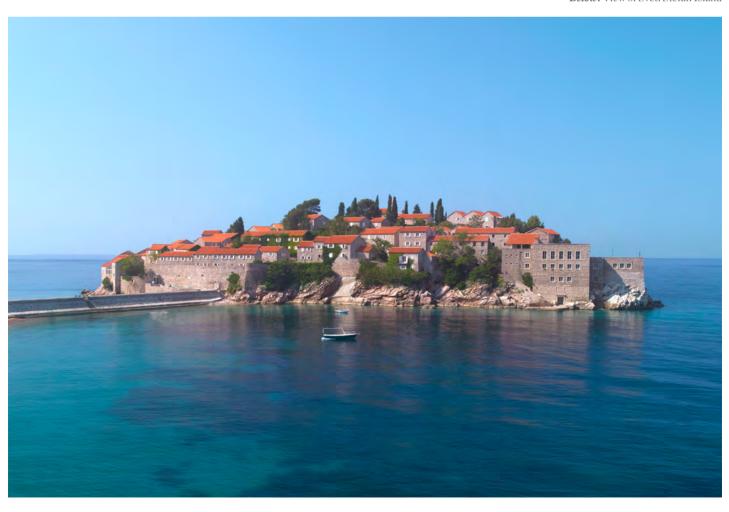
Sveti Stefan islet is a former fifteenth century fortified fishing village combining a collection of leisure, wellness and dining venues with a selection of suites melding historic and contemporary features. The Aman Signature Restaurant serves international cuisine with regional accents; drinks and snacks on the Upper Terraces are accompanied by

exhilarating views. A narrow isthmus links this seaside hideaway to the mainland where the eight-suite Villa Milocer – a former summer residence of royalty - welcomes guests with an intoxicating mix of old European grandeur and contemporary panache. In quintessential style, Aman have created lavish rooms featuring parquet floors, woven rugs and super comfortable leather furniture. From the Juliet balconies, views extend towards the pink sands of King's Beach or over the gardens.

Relax by the pool with its sun loungers, dining tables and Adriatic vistas, or be cosseted in the Aman Spa at Queen's Beach. For the energetic there is a brand new state-of-the-art gym, together with watersports including sailing, fishing and water-skiing.



Above: Swimming Pool Below: View of Sveti Stefan Island





# Bay of Kotor / Regent Porto Montenegro

87 rooms and suites 10 minutes from Tivat Airport 1 hour 15 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport

Prices from

### £870pp in low season £1495pp in high season

including flights, 5 nights accommodation room only and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

A magnet for super yachts, fashionable Porto Montenegro is a marina village in a UNESCO protected bay. Once a historical naval base, the marina now buzzes with designer cafes, restaurants and





Clockwise from top: Exterior, Deluxe Room, Outdoor Dining

upscale retailers. The bay's only five-star international property, interiors have been created by Tino Zerudachi of Milinaric, designer of bespoke rooms for Mick Jagger and Sir Evelyn de Rothschild among others. Sophisticated rooms feature spacious bathrooms with a deep-soak tub and walkin shower, the large balconies or terraces providing picture perfect vistas of the Adriatic, marina or surrounding mountains. Regent suites are also available offering up

to three bedrooms and with fully equipped kitchen, mini bar, dining room and living room.

Afternoon tea with Grand Cru Champagnes in the Library Bar is unmissable, as is the six-course degustation menu in the Dining Room. An indoor spa vitality pool has an air jet Jacuzzi, while outdoors is an infinity pool. Guests also have priority access to the award-winning Porto Montenegro Yacht Club outdoor pool.

### Dubrovnik /

### Sun Gardens Dubrovnik

201 rooms and suites, 207 residences 35 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport

Prices from

#### £545pp in low season £835pp in high season

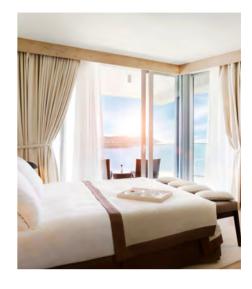
including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast.

Room upgrades available.

The epitome of Mediterranean cool, Sun Gardens Dubrovnik commands a panoramic seafront location on the Dalmatian coast, just a short distance from Dubrovnik Old Town. There's accommodation for every desire, be it an upper floor Club room with guest access to a range of exclusive Club Lounge privileges or a Romantic Club Suite complete with chocolates and sparkling wine on arrival. Taking

luxury to the next level, the resort's private Residences offer one to three-bedroom living featuring an open plan sitting/dining area and kitchenette, with terraces and balconies affording emotive Adriatic vistas. Delight in a choice of fine dining, spanning the traditional Croatian dishes with a modern twist of Cilantro and catch-of-the-day specialities of The Market to succulent meat selections at The Butcher.

After a revitalising ritual in the Spa by OCCO, meet for cocktails in the hip Maraska Lounge or adults-only Marina Bar. Younger kids can let loose in the Marco Polo Club; teens will enjoy the activities on offer at The Hideaway.



Above: Executive Suite Below: Exterior and Pool



# Dubrovnik / Hotel Bellevue

91 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport

Prices from

### £450pp in low season £755pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Designed around a chic art concept, the hotel is dramatically perched on a cliff above Miramare Bay close to Dubrovnik's Old Town. The sleek, sea view rooms and suites feature a nautical theme with paintings and photography by leading Croatian artists, balconies having a clear glass balustrade to accentuate the picturesque views. À la

carte gourmet choices include Vapor and the succulent Dalmatian fish specialities at Restaurant Nevera, where meals are served on the sun-drenched terrace or inside an atmospheric cave. Enchanting sunset vistas draw a sophisticated evening clientele to the Spice Lounge for pre or post-prandial drinks. Recreations include an indoor swimming pool with picture window overlooking the Adriatic Sea, a fitness centre and Energy Clinic Spa renowned for its body rituals and scrubs. The pebble beach is equipped with sunloungers.







Left: Exterior
Below left: Deluxe Room

# Dubrovnik / Pucic Palace

19 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport



### £505pp in low season £880pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Dubrovnik's first luxury boutique hotel stands directly across from lively Gundulic Square in the old town. Housed in an elegant seventeenth century Baroque building, guest rooms and suites with spacious bathrooms blend contemporary touches with antique furnishings, parquet floors and hand-woven rugs.

Defne, the atmospheric restaurant, serves Mediterranean cuisine alfresco to the accompanying scent of jasmine and citrus flowers, whilst the heraldic Café Royal spills out onto the piazza to form a focal point for socialites. At Wine Bar Razonoda, mix with the locals on the outdoor terrace to sample an extensive array of traditional delicacies, modern tapas selections and an extensive collection of award-winning Croatian wines. Hire a private yacht to explore the nearby islands or enjoy complimentary entry to Banje Beach, from where the views towards old Dubrovnik town are simply mesmerising.



### Dubrovnik /

### Villa Dubrovnik

54 rooms and suites and 2 villas 30 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport

Prices from

### £660pp in low season £1230pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation room only. Room upgrades available.

Set on a rocky outcrop above the Adriatic, this famous villa proffers sublime views of the nearby old city of Dubrovnik. Relax into your luxury residence – some with Jacuzzi – to enjoy magical views over Lokrum and the Old City walls from your private terrace. In the lush gardens, Villa Kolin boasts two penthouse suites with their own entrances. Croatia's rich culinary heritage can be savoured at the Restaurant Pjerin above the sea or relax with a coffee or light

lunch at the Al Fresco Bar Giardino. For prosciutto washed down with fine wines and cocktails, head up to the rooftop retreat. Swim in the indoor/outdoor pool, lie back on sunbeds with waiter service or on the hotel's own secluded pebble stone beach, or indulge in a range of innovative treatments at the Villa Spa. The Old Town is a pleasant fifteen minute walk; alternatively there are complimentary transfers aboard a traditional Venetian vaporetto, also available for seasonal hire should you wish to explore the local beaches and islands.



Above: Standard Suite Below: Hotel Exterior







*Top:* Victoria Restaurant Terrace *Above:* Hotel Exterior

# Dubrovnik / Villa Orsula

13 rooms suites 30 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport

Prices from

### £730pp in low season £1370pp in high season

including flights and  $3\,\rm nights$  accommodation with breakfast. Room upgrades available.

Built in attractive Mediterranean style in the 1930s and lavishly restored in recent years, the white stone Villa Orsula flanks the Adriatic close to the island of Lokrum. Rooms and suites, some with a sea-view balcony, are decorated with understated flair, their rich colours and sumptuous textures complemented by high end Bulgari amenities. Throughout the property original artworks by Roberto Matta and Victor Vasarely grace the walls, paired with a hand-picked collection of objets d'art, and there's a well-stocked library for your holiday reading requirements. On the grapevine-draped terrace of the Victoria Restaurant, Peruvian specialities with Adriatic fusion lead the menu; in the Lounge Bar sip signature

cocktails such as the Blue Adriatic and Dubrovnik Autumn to the sounds of smooth jazz.

The villa lies just steps from Dubrovnik's famous city walls and the sights of the old town, yet offers a peaceful retreat. Linger a while in the pretty gardens which cascade down to the sea with private access to the beach serviced by beach boys who will organise sunbeds and towels.



Left: Prora Beach Restaurant
Below left: Superior Sea View Room

# Dubrovnik / Hotel Excelsior

158 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport



### £480pp in low season £765pp in high season

including flights and 3 nights accommodation with breakfast, Room upgrades available.

Reopening for summer 2017 with a fresh new look, this stylish sanctuary replete with cliffside views towards Lokrum island and the Old Town, has been a landmark in Dubrovnik since 1913. Patronised by movie stars and royalty, the property features newly renovated rooms and suites with up-to-the-minute technology and spacious

modern bathrooms, while the balconied Deluxe Rooms and the impressive Deluxe Suite and Presidential Suite make the most of the scintillating vistas. The seafront Prora Beach Restaurant specialises in seafood; savour an innovative Asian-Mediterranean fusion at the Thai Table. The terrace of the Abakus piano bar is the perfect spot to spend a convivial evening. After sightseeing, recharge in the Energy Clinic Spa with its freshwater indoor pool, Jacuzzi whirlpools, Roman Bath and Finnish Sauna, or simply relax on the sunbathing terrace carved into the rocky coastline.



Right: Conlemani Restaurant Below right: Infinity Pool

# Split / *Le Méridien Lav*

381 rooms and suites 30 minutes from Split Airport

Prices from

### £570pp in low season £695pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Nestling on a private beach close to the historic town of Split, the hotel boasts panoramic Adriatic views from its contemporary rooms and suites. Life revolves around relaxation and restoration, the spa offering signature Diocletian four-handed massages, together with the

chance to unwind in the Finnish sauna or one of three Roman baths with heated loungers. Spalatum offers buffet dining accompanied by entrancing vistas from the terrace; Pivnica is the place for Dalmatian specialities in more traditional surroundings. Enjoy light snacks and freshly grilled meat or fish at 7 Palms restaurant on the seafront, or meet up later in the chic Champagne Bar. Recreations include tennis and a multitude of watersports. Family Suites with two bedrooms are available and children will delight in the activities on offer in the Le Méridien Family Kids Club.







Left: China Residence Balcony View Below left: India Residence Bedroom

# Korčula / *Lešić Dimitri Palace*

5 residences 2 hours 30 minutes from Dubrovnik Airport



### £1455pp in low season £1685pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Hidden within the walls of the charming medieval town of Korčula, with its winding alleyways and tiny churches, this carefully restored hotel lies on the site of an eighteenth century bishop's palace and hamlet. Next door to the former abode of Marco Polo, its five residences promise an

intimate and highly personalised stay, each featuring exquisite furnishings inspired by the Silk Road travels of the great traveller. Epicures will appreciate the LD Terrace Restaurant where seasonal local produce is enhanced by the chance to taste the region's wines. Your fully serviced residence allows dining or in-room indulgence in an inspiring array of treatments in the privacy of your residence; or retreat to the charming spa treatment rooms within the palace. There are many sights of historical interest within easy reach.



Right: Junior Suite Below right: Mulini Beach Bar

# Rovinj / Hotel Monte Mulini

113 rooms and suites 40 minutes from Pula Airport

Prices from

### £885pp in low season £1560pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Nestling in a picturesque cove just outside Rovinj town, the hotel's location combines relaxation with exploration. Chic rooms and suites, all with terrace or balcony, feature bespoke furniture and spacious bathrooms. Savour local flavours in the bay view Mediterraneo; a contemporary fusion of French and Mediterranean cuisine is accompanied by a selection of over five hundred vintages at Restaurant Wine Vault; or enjoy a private candlelit dinner at Amatis, a romantic two seater terrace overlooking Lone Bay. There are four swimming pools in the gardens, one with underwater massage and geysers or relax at the Mulini Beach Bar on the pebble beach. The fitness centre of the Lone Hotel Wellness & Spa is connected to the Monte Mulini Art Wellness Centre which offers treatments, sauna and an indoor swimming pool. Complimentary bike hire is available.







## Morocco /

# IMMERSE YOURSELF IN THE CULTURE OF THIS BEGUILING COUNTRY, FROM THE CLAMOUR OF MARRAKECH AND ITS BUSTLING SOUKS TO THE BEAUTY OF THE REMOTE ATLAS MOUNTAINS.

The exoticism of Arabia melds with the vibrancy of Africa in Morocco, ancient land of the Berbers. As dusk falls in Marrakech, dancers in traditional costumes and halqa acrobats stir up the still night air. Storytellers recall ancient tales and snake charmers mesmerise onlookers under the glow of kerosene lamps. In the ochre-hued medina, jostle alongside carts and laden mules in a labyrinth of winding derbs. Hawkers trade vast piles of spices in the souks

in a vibrantly aromatic scene of red paprika, beige cumin, yellow turmeric and green aniseed. Mint tea is proffered and poured during negotiations, the constant accompaniment to life and daily business. Evocative and exotic, Jemaa el Fna square is a mystical place, transformed each evening into an alfresco kitchen, the ambience aromatised by the scents of tagines of chicken, lamb and couscous sweetened by apricots. Each morning, the sound of 'muezzin' calling the faithful to

prayer echoes across the city. Throughout Morocco a sense of mysticism pervades, its contrasting landscapes embracing the snow-capped peaks of the Atlas Mountains, the unmapped sands of the Sahara Desert and vibrant cities where deeply traditional cultures assure an unforgettable experience. Trek through tiny Berber villages or travel north to the coastal nirvana of Oualidia, cooled by the Atlantic breeze and haven for migratory birds.



#### Best Experiences

- \* Enjoy a tour of the medina with a local architect who gives a fascinating insight into this remarkable city
- \* Test your haggling skills in the souks
- \* Wander around Jemaa el Fna, filled with snake charmers, musicians and acrobats, at night the square is transformed into one of the world's largest open air eateries
- \* Enjoy a Moroccan cooking class
- Trek, horse ride or mountain bike in the Atlas Mountains

#### When To Go

Morocco has a warm, dry continental climate, making it a year-round destination. Whilst hot in July and August, winters are mild. The best times to visit are October through to May.

### Our Pricing

Our pricing aims to give an indication of the prices in low and high season. Low season for Morocco is generally between the months of June to August, high season runs from September to March. Prices are based on 2 sharing (unless otherwise indicated) and include return economy flights from London. Regional departures, child prices and single supplements are available on request.

**GMT** GMT all year

*Flying Time* London to: Marrakech 3 hours 30 minutes



### Atlas Mountains /

### Kasbah Tamadot

18 rooms and suites, 10 luxury tented suites Children over 11 years of age are welcome 45 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

### £995pp in low season £1140pp in high seasonn

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

With a name that means 'soft breeze' in Berber, this ravishing retreat in the Atlas foothills transcends the merely luxurious. A forty five minute drive from Marrakech, Sir Richard Branson's hotel lies in extensive grounds brimming with a lush variety of fruit trees, cacti and rambling roses – hidden staircases and courtyards appearing at almost every turn. Inside, eighteen antique-adorned rooms and suites marry traditional Moroccan colours and textures with more modern architectural notes. For added indulgence, nine spectacular Berber Tented Suites are perched on the hillside, five with private Jacuzzi. In the Kanoun restaurant local produce and spices blend to create exquisite Moroccan and international dishes, whilst cooking lessons can be enjoyed on the rooftop terrace accompanied by

dramatic views. A deep blue reflecting pool and restful library enhance the tranquil ambience.

Relaxation choices are many. Retreat to the Asounfou Spa with hamman and indoor pool for indulgent cosseting, whilst outside lies an infinity-edge pool and Jacuzzi with views to valley and mountain. Meander the pretty garden paths to the tennis courts or explore the breathtaking surroundings on foot or by mule. Take an excursion to the Tin Mal Mosque followed by mint tea with a Berber family in the village of Ouirgane.





Clockwise from above: Reflecting Pool, Superior Suite, Berber Tent, Infinty Pool



### Marrakech /

### Four Seasons Resort Marrakech

141 rooms and suites 15 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

### £810pp in low season £1065pp in high seasonn

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Rose-hued walls surround this resort and spa set in Moorish gardens. Shady arcaded walks lead to fountain courtyards amidst olive and palm trees. A calming contemporary haven with a light Moroccan touch; bedrooms feature earthen shades and intricate handcrafted woodwork, all with spacious outdoor terrace, some with views of the historic Menara Gardens or Atlas Mountains. Feast like a sultan at Inara

on flavours of Morocco; Solano serves a diverse Italian menu and Azzera Pool Grill offers grilled meats and seafood. Romantic evening vistas abound from the Zest rooftop bar. The Maarifa Cultural Centre and Boutique offers complimentary workshops including argan oil extraction, introduction to Arabic, and traditional tea ceremonies. The Kids for All Seasons entertainment programme will occupy younger guests.

The tranquil spa is equipped with traditional hammams and whirlpool – the exclusive private Neroli Spa Pavilion is ideal for couples with Watsu pool and Ghassoul – or cool off by two beautifully landscaped outdoor pools, one reserved for adults only.



Above: Deluxe Suite Below: Adult-Only Swimming Pool





# Marrakech / Mandarin Oriental Marrakech

9 suites and 54 villas 15 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

### £1210pp in low season £1495pp in high seasonn

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Just a pleasant ten minute stroll from the bustling medina, the hotel stands in an oasis of calm, surrounded by landscaped gardens and olive groves. Within the grounds, sleek one and two bedroom villas incorporate





Clockwise from top:
Pool Villa Exterior, Pool Villa Interior,
Mes'Lalla Restaurant

Berber and Andalucian touches, each replete with a heated pool, hot tub and open-air shower set within a private walled garden. Seven expansive suites each have a rooftop plunge pool with unsurpassed views and adjacent to the spa are two Infinity Pool Suites. Dine alfresco at the Pool Garden with its fresh-from-the-grill seafood and healthy light bites, savour delightful Moroccan cuisine at Mes'Lalla or Cantonese sharing dishes at Ling Ling

complemented by innovative cocktails and eclectic music; or meet at Le Salon Berbère which transforms from tea lounge to Champagne bar after dark.

Admire the Atlas Mountains from the outdoor swimming pool and enjoy indulgent pampering in the spa where holistic therapies and treatment programmes are inspired by Moroccan traditions. Children's programmes are available during school holidays.



Above: Exterior Right: Junior Suite



Marrakech /

### Royal Palm Beachcomber Luxury Marrakech

134 suites & villas 15 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

### £810pp in low season £1020pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation only and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Set in an age-old olive grove just a short drive from the myriad attractions of the vibrant 'Red City', the sweeping arches, Zouac wood paintings and tadelakt walls of this shimmering resort are inspired by traditional Moorish architecture. Light-filled accommodation features large windows and an outdoor space that is half lounge, half terrace; ten Prince Villas feature two en suite bedrooms set either side of a large living room which opens onto a garden with swimming pool and private hammam. Three restaurants encompass à la carte international cuisine at Le Caravane with its central wine cellar, authentic

Moroccan cuisine at Al Ain Restaurant and lighter fare at L'Olivier, overlooking the pool with views to the Atlas Mountains. Recreations include a 2000m2 heated swimming pool, Spa by Clarins, tennis, squash, gym, and a kids' club with tree houses and its own swimming pool. The exclusive Royal Palm Golf Course roams over 75 hectares of rolling greens, fairways, water obstacles and challenging bunkers.

### Marrakech /

### Royal Mansour Marrakech

53 riads 15 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

### £1420pp in low season £2105pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

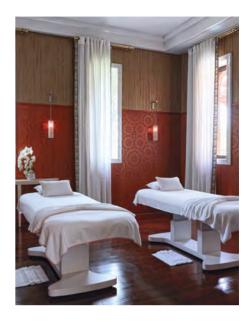
Room upgrades available.

A massive 4-tonne bronze entry gate glides open to reveal an oasis of opulence within the medina walls. Defining a new concept of accommodation in Morocco, this enclave of luxury comprises fifty three individual one to four bedroom riads, all with private courtyards, fountains and plunge pools. Distinctively decorated in sumptuous silks and brocades and richly

adorned with antiques and handcrafted furniture, each spacious riad has a living room, bar and patio – the larger riads also benefiting from alfresco dining areas.

From the roof terrace, views of the city or Atlas Mountains abound. Dine in-riad, at one of two gourmet restaurants overseen by renowned chef Yannick Alléno or at La Table offering delectable meals throughout the day. An underground network of tunnels for staff ensures that service is discretion itself.

A new medina garden features a large swimming pool, seven private pavilions and an outdoor bar and restaurant by Chef Yannick Alléno. Unwind in The Spa whilst younger guests enjoy the children's club.



Above: Spa Suite Below: Patio Bleu





Above: Swimming Pool Right: Large Suite with Terrace



# Marrakech / La Villa des Orangers

27 rooms and suites Children over 11 years of age are welcome 15 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

#### £775pp

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Adjacent to Djemaa el Fna square in the heart of Marrakech lies this stylish Relais & Châteaux retreat, renowned for the quality of its service. Contemporary Moroccan in style, its décor blends soft creams with deep desert reds to create a relaxing and atmospheric ambience. Rooms and suites are positioned around three open air patios, some featuring a private roof terrace equipped with loungers. Promising superlative views over the old town and the Koutoubia Mosque, the roof is also the setting for the first swimming pool, whilst the second nestles amidst a magnificent garden. Two suites can be hired in exclusivity as a private riad along with the

third swimming pool. Two elegant restaurants serve à la carte Mediterranean cuisine.

Relax in one of the exquisite salons with fireplace or alfresco in the orange scented courtyards. A relaxing Spa Nuxe offers a traditional Moroccan hamman, massage rooms and fitness area, whilst the evocative sights of Marrakech are within easy walking distance.

Right: Swimming Pool Below right: Exclusive Suite

### Marrakech /

### La Sultana Marrakech

28 rooms and suites 10 minutes from Marrakech Airport

Prices from

### £940pp in low season £1170pp in high season

including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers. Room upgrades available.

Within the medina, close to the Royal Palace and Jemaa el Fna square, lies a timeless sanctuary and worthy member of The Small Luxury Hotels of the World. Scattered throughout five riads are the beautiful rooms and suites, which are imbued with a sense of sophisticated elegance. Incorporating local materials such as wood, copper and tadelakt,

each is individually furnished with original objets d'art, marble, Zellige bathrooms and every modern amenity including complimentary soft minibar. Relax in the library or take cocktails on the panoramic terrace. The restaurant serves a fusion of refined Mediterranean and Oriental cuisine, created using the freshest market ingredients. The Sultana Spa features indoor spa pool, treatment rooms and three hammams; there is also a fitness centre and outdoor swimming pool with jet stream.







*Left:* Spa Pool *Below left:* Bar

### Oualidia /

### La Sultana Oualidia

12 rooms and suites 2 hours 30 minutes from Marrakech Airport 2 hours from Casablanca Airport



£1090pp in low season

Prices from

£1285pp in high season including flights, 3 nights accommodation with breakfast and private transfers.

Room upgrades available.

Within this picturesque Moorish fortress, twelve deluxe suites, including the Tree House, overlook the serene Oualidia lagoon, famed for its ballet of pink flamingos. Sheltered by cliffs and bordered by green pastures the property is an idyllic hideaway

cocooning its guests in attentive luxury. Unwind in the outdoor seawater Jacuzzi on your private flowered terrace, and relax in the cool interior of your opulent living space, equipped with home cinema, traditional 'tadelakt' bathroom and complimentary soft drinks minibar. Dine on oyster, lobster and crab in the restaurant, which has its own aquarium, or choose succulent meats from the grill. Stretch out on the private beach or by the swimming pool, or retreat to the cathedral-like spa with hammam and outdoor massage rooms. Enchanting local sights include Boulaouane Castle with its mosaics and vines.

## **Booking Conditions**

The holidays featured in this brochure are operated by Carrier Ltd of No 1 Lakeside, Cheadle, Cheshire, SK8 3GW, Company no. 02671002 ("Carrier", "we", "us" and "our"). All bookings are subject to our full booking conditions and Essential Holiday Information which appear on our website www.carrier.co.uk. A copy of these can also be e-mailed or posted to you on request. By asking us to make your booking, you confirm you have had access to and agree to the full booking conditions which you should read. In these conditions, "you" and "your" means all persons named on the booking or any of them, as the context requires and "lead name" means the person who makes the booking.

### MAKING A BOOKING AND PAYING FOR YOUR HOLIDAY

To confirm a holiday booking you must pay a deposit of £250 per person or 10% of the total holiday cost, whichever is the greater, or any applicable higher deposit. If you book 70 days or less prior to departure, full payment is due at the time of booking. After your booking is taken, a confirmation invoice will be sent to you. A contract between us will come into existence when this invoice is issued. Full payment must be received not less than 70 days before departure. We accept various methods of payment, however please note that if you choose to pay by credit card, there will be a charge levied. If you do not pay in full by the due date, cancellation charges as shown in our full booking conditions will be payable. Any money paid by you to one of our authorised travel agents for holiday arrangements which do not include flights arranged by us is held by the agent on our behalf. For flight inclusive bookings, all monies paid to an authorised travel agent for your holiday with us will be held on behalf of and for the benefit of the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust subject to the travel agent's obligation to pay such monies to us in accordance with our trading terms unless we fail. In the unlikely event of our financial failure, all monies then held by or subsequently paid to the travel agent for your holiday will be held by the agent on behalf of and for the benefit of the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust without any obligation on the agent to pay such monies to us.

### FINANCIAL PROTECTION AND ABTA

We hold an Air Travel Organiser's Licence (ATOL number 2968). When you buy an ATOL protected flight or flight inclusive holiday from us, you will receive an ATOL Certificate. This lists what is financially protected, where you can get information on what this means for you and who to contact if things go wrong. We, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL Certificate, will provide you with the services listed on the ATOL Certificate (or a suitable alternative). In some cases, where neither we nor the supplier are able to do so for reasons of insolvency, an alternative ATOL holder may provide you with the services you have bought or a suitable alternative (at no extra cost to you). You agree to accept that in those circumstances the alternative ATOL holder will perform those obligations and you agree to pay any money outstanding to be paid by you under your contract to that alternative ATOL holder. However, you also agree that in some cases it will not be possible to appoint an alternative ATOL holder, in which case you will be entitled to make a claim under the ATOL scheme (or your credit card issuer where applicable). If we, or the suppliers identified on your ATOL certificate, are unable to provide the services listed (or a suitable alternative, through an alternative ATOL holder or otherwise) for reasons of insolvency, the Trustees of the Air Travel Trust may make a payment to (or confer a benefit on) you under the ATOL scheme. You agree that in return for such a payment or benefit you assign absolutely to those Trustees any claims which you have or may have arising out of or relating to the nonprovision of the services, including any claim against us, the travel agent (or your credit card issuer where

applicable). You also agree that any such claims may be re-assigned to another body, if that other body has paid sums you have claimed under the ATOL scheme. For further information, visit the ATOL website at www.atol.org.uk.

We are a member of ABTA (ABTA number V0391). If you book a combination of services (for example, accommodation and car hire) for your holiday with us at the same time as part of the same booking which does not include flights, ABTA will financially protect your holiday in the same way except that, if already abroad, you will be returned to the point where your contracted arrangements with us commenced. Please go to www. abta.com for a copy of the guide to ABTA's scheme of Financial Protection.

ABTA and ABTA members help holidaymakers to get the most from their travel and assist them when things do not go according to plan. We are obliged to maintain a high standard of service to you by ABTA's Code of Conduct. For further information about ABTA, the Code of Conduct and the arbitration scheme available to you if you have a complaint contact ABTA at 30 Park Street, London, SE19EQ or see www.abta.com

#### PRICES AND YOUR INVOICE

Before confirmation, we reserve the right to change our prices or any brochure information. Pricing errors sometimes occur. If we become aware of any error, we will endeavour to notify you at the time of booking (if we are then aware of the mistake) or within 7 days of the time of booking, or as soon as reasonably possible. We must reserve the right to cancel the booking if you do not wish to accept the price which is actually applicable to the holiday in which case, you will be given the choice to amend your booking to an alternative holiday, at the correct price. It is important to check your invoice as soon as you receive it. In the event of any discrepancy please contact us or your travel agent immediately. We regret we cannot accept any liability if we are not notified of any inaccuracies (for which we are responsible) in any document within 10 days of our sending it out (5 days for tickets). We will do our best to rectify any mistake notified to us outside these time limits but you must meet any costs involved in doing so.

### OUT OF DATE-RANGE FLIGHTS

Please see our full booking conditions for terms applicable to holidays including flights which are out of date range and therefore not available to book when the booking is made. A contract between us will then come into existence on the basis that the price payable will be that applicable when the airline releases the seats and the timings and other flight details will be those confirmed at that time which may be different to those advised at the time of booking.

### OUR PRICE GUARANTEE

All prices quoted in this brochure are calculated on the basis of known costs on 20 October 2016 and exchange rates as published in the Financial Times of 20 October 2016. Once you have accepted the price advised at the time of booking and we have issued a confirmation invoice, that price is fully guaranteed and will not be subject to any surcharges.

### HOLIDAY INSURANCE

It is a requirement of booking that you hold adequate travel insurance which is suitable for your particular needs.

TRAVEL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS Approximately 7 days before departure you will receive your flight/ e-ticket together with an itinerary. Please ensure that you check the flight timings on your tickets carefully. The correct timings, using the 24-hour clock system, may have been adjusted since we published the brochure or you received your invoice.

#### CHANGES TO YOUR HOLIDAY

Requests for changes must be made in writing by the lead name and, where these can be made, will be subject to the charges shown in our full booking conditions.

#### TRANSFERRING BOOKINGS

If you are prevented from travelling, you may transfer the place on the booking to someone else, subject to the conditions and charges set out in the full booking conditions.

#### CANCELLING YOUR HOLIDAY

Cancellations must be notified by the lead name. Any notification by telephone must also be confirmed in writing or by e-mail within 24 hours by the lead name. Cancellation will take effect from the working day we receive your notification provided that written confirmation of any telephone cancellation is received by us within 24 hours of the original notification. Cancellation charges will then be payable as shown in our full booking conditions.

DELAY AND DENIED BOARDING REGULATIONS In the event of any flight delay or cancellation at your UK or overseas point of departure, the airline is responsible for providing such assistance as is legally required by the Denied Boarding Regulations (see below). The ferry, tunnel or rail operator is similarly responsible in relation to any delayed or cancelled sea crossing or international rail departure. Except where otherwise stated in our brochure or on our website, we regret we cannot provide any assistance in such circumstances other than information and advice to the extent we are in a position to do so.

#### FLIGHT CHANGES

The flight timings shown in our brochure, on our website and/or detailed on your confirmation invoice are for guidance only and are subject to alteration and confirmation. Flight timings are outside our control. They are set by airlines and are subject to various factors. We will advise you of any significant change as soon as we are informed by the airline. Minor timing changes will be shown on the flight tickets. Should the changes involve a material reduction of your holiday duration, we will offer you a refund of any applicable costs. Any change in the identity of the airline, flight timings and/or aircraft type (if advised) will not entitle you to cancel or change to other arrangements without paying our normal charges except where specified in these conditions.

IF WE CHANGE OR CANCEL YOUR HOLIDAY We reserve the right to make changes to and cancel confirmed holidays. Most changes are minor but may occasionally be significant. Examples of significant changes are shown in our full booking conditions. Some of our holidays require a minimum number of participants to enable us to operate them; if the minimum number is not reached, we are entitled to cancel. We will notify you or your travel agent of cancellation for this reason no later than 70 days prior to departure.

If we have to make a significant change or cancel, we will tell you as soon as possible. If there is time to do so before departure, we will offer you the choice of (a) accepting the changed arrangements; or (b) purchasing an alternative holiday from us (paying or receiving a refund in respect of any price difference); or (c) cancelling or accepting the cancellation in which case you will receive a full and quick refund of all monies you have paid to us.

If we have to make a significant change or cancel we will, where compensation is appropriate, pay you the compensation payments shown in our full booking conditions depending on the circumstances and when the significant change or cancellation is notified to you subject to the following exceptions. Compensation will

not be payable and no liability beyond offering the above mentioned choices can be accepted where (1) we are forced to make a change or cancel as a result of unusual and unforeseeable circumstances beyond our control, the consequences of which we could not have avoided even with all due care or (2) we have to cancel because the minimum number of bookings necessary for us to operate your holiday has not been reached (see above). Other exceptions apply as referred to in our full booking conditions

#### FORCE MAJEURE

Except where otherwise expressly stated in these booking conditions, we regret we cannot accept liability or pay any compensation where the performance or prompt performance of our obligations under our contract with you is prevented or affected by or you otherwise suffer any damage, loss or expense of any nature as a result of "force majeure". In these booking conditions, "force majeure" means any event which we or the supplier of the service(s) in question could not, even with all due care, foresee or avoid. Such events are likely to include (whether actual or threatened) war, riot. civil strife, terrorist activity, industrial dispute, natural or nuclear disaster, adverse weather conditions, fire, closure, restriction or congestion of airspace, airports and ports and all other events outside our control. Force majeure also includes the UK Foreign Office advising against all travel or all but essential travel to any country, region or destination.

### OUR COMMITMENT TO YOU FOR YOUR HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS

- (a) We promise to make sure that the holiday arrangements we have agreed to make, perform or provide as applicable as part of our contract with you are made, performed or provided with reasonable skill and care. This means that, subject to these booking conditions, we will accept responsibility if, for example, you suffer death or personal injury or your contracted holiday arrangements are not provided as promised or prove deficient as a result of the failure of ourselves, our employees, agents or suppliers to use reasonable skill and care in making, performing or providing, as applicable, your contracted holiday arrangements. It is your responsibility to show that reasonable skill and care has not been used if you wish to make a claim against us. We will only be responsible for what our employees. agents and suppliers do or do not do if they were at the time acting within the course of their employment (for employees) or carrying out work we had asked them to do (for agents and suppliers).
- (b) We will not be responsible for any injury, illness, death, loss (including without limitation, loss of enjoyment or possessions), damage, expense, cost or other sum or claim of any description whatsoever which results from any of the following: the act(s) and/or omission(s) of the person(s) affected or any member(s) of their party or the act(s) and/or omission(s) of a third party not connected with the provision of your holiday and which were unforeseeable or unavoidable or 'force majeure' as defined above.
- (c) For claims which do not involve personal injury, illness or death, the most we will have to pay if we are liable to you is twice the price the person affected paid for their holiday (not including insurance premiums and amendment charges). We will only have to pay this maximum amount if everything has gone wrong and you have received no benefit from your holiday. Where enjoyment of only some days has been affected, we will refund reasonable related expenses and pay a daily sum of compensation up to £50 per day per person affected.
- (d) Subject to (b) above, if you are killed, injured or become ill during or as a result of, carriage (including the process of getting on and/or off the transport concerned) by aircraft, ship or train forming part of the holiday arrangements booked before departure from the UK and to which any international convention or EU regulation applies, our liability (including the maximum amount of compensation we will have to pay you, the types of

claim and the circumstances in which compensation will be payable) will be limited as if we were the carrier in question. The most we will have to pay you for that claim or that part of a claim if we are found liable to you on any basis is the most the carrier concerned would have to pay under the international convention or EU regulation which applies to the travel arrangements in question (for example, the Warsaw Convention as amended or unamended and the Montreal Convention for international travel by air and/or for airlines with an operating licence granted by an EU country, the EC Regulation on Air Carrier Liability No 889/2002 for national and international travel by air, the Athens Convention (as amended by the 2002 protocol where applicable) and EC Regulation 392/2009 for travel by sea and COTIF, the Convention on International Travel by Rail). Where a carrier would not be obliged to make any payment to you under the applicable international convention or EU regulation in respect of a claim or part of a claim, we similarly are not obliged to make a payment to you for that claim or part of the claim. When making any payment, we are entitled to deduct any money which you have received or are entitled to receive from the carrier for the claim in question. Copies of the applicable international conventions and EU regulations are available from us on request.

- e) Please note, we cannot accept responsibility for any services which do not form part of our contract. This includes, for example, any additional services or facilities which your hotel or any other supplier agrees to provide for you where the services or facilities are not advertised by us as forming part of your holiday and we have not agreed to arrange them as part of our contract and any excursion you purchase in resort. In addition, regardless of any wording used by us on our website, in any advertising material or elsewhere, we only promise to use reasonable skill and care as set out above and we do not have any greater or different liability to you.
- (f) Our suppliers (such as airlines, accommodation or transport providers) have their own booking conditions or conditions of carriage, and these conditions are binding between you and the supplier. Some of these conditions may limit or remove the relevant transport provider's or other supplier's liability to you. You can get copies of such conditions from our offices, or the offices of the relevant supplier.
- (g) Operational decisions may be taken by air carriers and airports resulting in delays, diversions or rescheduling. Carrier has no control over such decisions, and is therefore unable to accept responsibility for them. Where, as a result of force majeure we are obliged to change or end your holiday after departure, but before the end of your holiday (which we must reserve the right to do), we will not pay compensation or refunds (unless and to the extent that any refunds are obtained from suppliers) or reimburse you for expenses incurred. You should have adequate travel insurance for your holiday and claim via your insurance company for any loss or damage to luggage and/or personal possessions or for any expenses incurred. In the event that any claim is made directly with us, our liability to pay compensation and/or the amount of compensation will be limited in accordance with the conventions referred to in (d) where applicable.

### EXPERIENCES FORMING PART OF YOUR HOLIDAY

Please see our full booking conditions for applicable terms.

### LOCALLY BOOKED EXCURSIONS/ACTIVITIES AND EXPERIENCES NOT FORMING PART OF YOUR HOLIDAY

Whilst on holiday, you may be offered the opportunity to buy optional excursions and activities. Your contract for these will be with the local provider and will be subject to the provider's terms and conditions, some of which may exclude or limit its liability to you, and will be governed by local law and jurisdiction. We accept no liability for any breach of contract or negligent act or omission of

any provider. Some excursions/activities may contain an element of risk or require a good level of physical fitness. If in doubt, you should make direct inquiries with the local provider before deciding to buy, and check that you are covered by your travel insurance policy.

#### IF YOU HAVE A COMPLAINT

If you have cause for complaint whilst on holiday, you must bring it to the attention of our local representative and/or the supplier (eg hotel manager) immediately, or call the emergency contact number provided in your travel documents. They will do their best to rectify the situation

If you do not raise concerns immediately, this may affect our ability to investigate and take remedial action and it may impact on the way your complaint is dealt with. If you remain dissatisfied, you should send us a complaint in writing within 28 days of the completion of the holiday. Please remember to quote your holiday booking number and daytime telephone number.

If your complaint cannot be resolved, you may use the ABTA arbitration scheme which is summarised in our full booking conditions. Full details are available on request or from www.abta.com

#### LAW AND JURISDICTION

We both agree that English law (and no other) will apply to your contract and to any dispute, claim or other matter of any description which arises between us ("claim") (except as set out below). We both also agree that any claim (and whether or not involving any personal injury) must be dealt with under the ABTA arbitration scheme (if the scheme is available for the claim in question and you wish to use it - see above) or by the Courts of England and Wales only unless, in the case of Court proceedings, you live in Scotland or Northern Ireland. In this case, proceedings must either be brought in the Courts of your home country or those of England and Wales. If proceedings are brought in Scotland or Northern Ireland, you may choose to have your contract and claim governed by the law of Scotland/Northern Ireland as applicable (but if you do not so choose, English law will apply).

### DATA PROTECTION POLICY

For the purposes of the Data Protection Act 1998, we are a data controller. Our full Data Protection Policy appears on our website and the following is a summary only. Appropriate personal data will be passed on to the relevant suppliers and any other third party who need to know it so that your holiday can be provided. The information may also be provided to government / public authorities such as customs, immigration and the security services or as required by law. We may disclose personal data to companies in the Kuoni Group. Other than in relation to government / public authorities, we will take appropriate steps which are intended to ensure that anyone to whom we pass your personal data for any reason agrees to keep it secure and only uses it for the purposes of providing their services. If we cannot pass on personal data, we will be unable to fulfil your booking. In making your booking, you consent to personal data being passed on to the relevant suppliers and other third parties. We take appropriate technical and organisational measures which are intended to prevent unauthorised or unlawful processing of personal data and accidental loss or destruction of or damage to personal data. Your personal data may be stored, used and otherwise processed within the UK and/or any other country(ies) of the European Economic Area (EEA). We may also store, use or otherwise process personal data outside the EEA. Data protection laws may not be as strong outside the EEA as they are in the EEA. We would also like to store and use your personal data for future marketing purposes unless you have told us that you do not wish us to do so. If you do not wish to receive future marketing material, please write to us or e-mail aspects@carrier.co.uk.

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