

Majestic Isles Travel Club presents ...

Old World Prague & the Blue Danube

PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC • AUSTRIA: MELK, DURNSTEIN, VIENNA • BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA • BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

aboard our privately owned Grand Circle Cruise Line river ship exclusively for American travelers

12 days – River Cruise Tour only – from **\$2845**

13 days – including international airfare from New York – from **\$3795**

Additional departure cities are available

Improve your value with these optional extensions

Berlin & Dresden, Germany: 5 nights pre-trip from **\$695**

OR Highlights of Poland: Warsaw & Krakow: 5 nights pre-trip from **\$945**

Budapest, Hungary: 3 nights post-trip from **\$495**

It's Included

Choose to purchase Grand Circle's airfare, and your airport transfers and government taxes, fees, and airline fuel surcharges are included. Or, make your own air arrangements

Accommodations: for 3 nights in Prague at the First-Class Dorint Hotel Don Giovanni or similar and 8 nights aboard a private Grand Circle river ship in an outside cabin.

28 meals: 11 breakfasts, 8 lunches, and 9 dinners (with complimentary wine at dinner onboard)

7 exclusive, included tours: Prague Old Town • Cesky Krumlov • Melk Abbey • Durnstein • Vienna • Bratislava • Budapest

Exclusive Discovery Series events: Home-Hosted Visit in Bratislava • Discussion with

Slovakian students • Discussions on local life, history, and cuisine • Kindergarten visit

Personal headset on all included and optional tours during the cruise portion of your trip

Program Director: We are the only cruise line to provide the exclusive services of a resident Program Director (assigned to no more than 45 travelers).

Captain's Welcome and Farewell Receptions and Dinners

5% Frequent Traveler Credit toward your next Grand Circle trip—an average of \$253

Baggage handling for 1 piece of luggage per person, including tips



Your Itinerary

November 3, 2014

PRE-TRIP OPTIONS: 5 NIGHTS IN BERLIN & DRESDEN, GERMANY OR 5 NIGHTS IN HIGHLIGHTS OF POLAND: WARSAW & KRAKOW

DAY	DESTINATION/HOTEL	ARRIVE	DEPART
1	Fly U.S. • Prague, Czech Republic		
Land Tour: Prague			
2-4	Prague Dorint Hotel Don Giovanni (First Class) or similar		
Cruise Schedule			
5	Prague Linz, Austria		
6	Linz		
7	Linz Melk Durnstein		2am 8:30am 4pm 1:30pm 8pm
8	Vienna	12:15am	
9	Vienna Bratislava, Slovakia		1pm 6pm
10	Bratislava		Midnight
11-12	Budapest		12pm
13	Budapest Disembark am Fly Budapest • U.S.		

POST-TRIP OPTION: 3 NIGHTS IN BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

Itinerary subject to change.

Learn more about hotel ratings on the web at www.gct.com/hotelratings

Please mention this code when booking:

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Your Itinerary

Day 1 Depart U.S.

Day 2 Arrive Prague, Czech Republic.

Landing in Prague, you'll be met at the airport by a Grand Circle representative who will assist you with the transfer to your hotel. Relax and settle in. Then get to know your Program Directors and fellow travelers while enjoying a Welcome Drink at your hotel, followed dinner on your own. If you began your discoveries earlier on our pre-trip extension to the *Highlights of Poland* or *Berlin & Dresden, Germany*, you will join your main group today.

Dorint Hotel Don Giovanni or similar

Day 3 Prague • Welcome Dinner. This morning, you'll enjoy a tour of Prague featuring the Gothic majesty of the city's Old Town, including the Jewish District, the historic town square, Charles Bridge, and the famed Astronomical Clock. After lunch on your own, you'll have free time to explore the lovely Czech capital.

Then savor a Welcome Dinner with your fellow travelers at a local restaurant.

B,D—Dorint Hotel Don Giovanni or similar

Day 4 Prague • Optional Prague Castle tour. Following breakfast, continue your exploration of Prague, the "City of 100 Spires," during time at leisure this morning. Perhaps you'll visit one of the city's

many museums, or further discover its famous Jewish quarter.

Or, join an optional tour featuring Prague Castle, the Castle District, and such iconic local sites as the 14th-century Gothic St. Vitus Cathedral, St. George Basilica, and more—plus an included lunch.

B—Dorint Hotel Don Giovanni or similar

Day 5 Prague • Cesky Krumlov • Linz. This morning, we head to Cesky Krumlov—a UNESCO World Heritage Site—for included walking tour, followed by lunch at a local restaurant. Then transfer to Linz, Austria, where you will embark your river ship.

Tonight, enjoy the Captain's Welcome Drink and Dinner.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship

Day 6 Linz, Austria • Optional Salzburg tour. Take the day to explore Linz, Austria on your own. Or join us for an optional excursion to Salzburg, the cultural center of Austria where Mozart was born. This picturesque Tyrolean town is also famous as the setting for the 1960s film classic about the Von Trapp family singers, *The Sound of Music*.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship

Day 7 Melk Abbey tour • Cruise the Wachau Valley • Durnstein. This morning, you're invited to set out on an

included tour of the 900-year-old Melk Abbey, overlooking the Danube from its dramatic cliffside perch, plus some free time in Melk.

You'll then cruise the magnificent Wachau Valley as one of your Program Directors provides insightful commentary. You'll want your cameras for the scenery here—a unique landscape of rolling vineyards, walled villages, and ancient ruins collectively designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Later this afternoon, you'll arrive in the charming Austrian town of Durnstein, where you'll take a brief guided walk followed by time to explore on your own.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship

Day 8 Vienna • Optional Musical Vienna tour. Arrive Vienna early this morning, and set out on an included tour. Your explorations begin on the *Ringstrasse*, the elegant boulevard that surrounds the city's historic center, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. After a coffee break in one of the city's famous coffeehouses, you'll walk past the famous Hofburg Palace and the renowned Spanish Riding School. Return to the ship for lunch and then set your own agenda. This evening, perhaps you'll experience our *Musical Vienna* tour—a special optional performance of classical Austrian music. Or make your own discoveries in Vienna.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship



Day 9 Vienna • Optional Schoenbrunn

Palace tour. This morning, discover more of Vienna on your own, or join an optional tour to the opulent Schoenbrunn Palace.

Exclusive Discovery Series Event

As we sail this afternoon, learn the secrets of *Apfelstrudel* during a shipboard baking demonstration—and sample the delicious pastry hot from the oven.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship

Day 10 Bratislava, Slovakia.

After breakfast, enjoy an informative walking tour of Slovakia's capital, featuring Michael's Gate watchtower, a university established in 1467, and City Hall.

Exclusive Discovery Series Event

Following your tour, visit a local kindergarten, supported in part by Grand Circle Foundation.

Exclusive Discovery Series Event

Then gain unique insight into local life when join an area family in their home for coffee and cake.

Exclusive Discovery Series Event

Late this afternoon, learn about modern Slovakian culture firsthand during a roundtable discussion with students about student life in today's Slovakia.

Dinner tonight is onboard.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship

Day 11 Danube Bend • Budapest,

Hungary. Begin your day with scenic sailing past the historic town of Esztergom.

Then arrive in Budapest. After lunch onboard, set off to tour this city—the “Queen of the Danube.” In *Buda*—the city's western right bank—view the castle atop Castle Hill, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and the palace, lovingly restored since its destruction during World War II. Then cross the Danube and explore *Pest*, where you'll see Koztarsasag Square and Heroes' Square.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship

Day 12 Budapest • Optional Hospital in the Rock tour • Optional Hungarian Jewish Heritage tour.

Enjoy the day at leisure to continue exploring Budapest, or choose between two optional tours: One featuring the Hospital in the Rock, the other highlighting Budapest's rich Jewish heritage. Gather tonight for a special Captain's Farewell Dinner.

B,L,D—Private Grand Circle river ship



Day 13 Budapest • Return to U.S.

Following breakfast, you will be assisted to the airport for your flight home. Or extend your stay in *Budapest* on our post-trip extension.

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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- *This Danube River Cruise Tour features a fair amount of walking over uneven surfaces. For full enjoyment of this trip, you should be in relatively good health and able to walk unassisted for one to three miles a day. If you have difficulty walking or are wheelchair-bound, please consult our Travel Counselors for guidance. The majority of the city tours on this trip include walking tours of historic districts where bus traffic is off-limits.*
- *We reserve the right for our Program Directors to modify participation, or in some circumstances send travelers home if their limitations are impacting the group's experience.*
- *Throughout the River Cruise season, weather conditions affect European river depths, and water levels may require adjustments to your itinerary.*

- *If you travel in spring or fall, you can expect cooler temperatures or inclement weather.*

Expand your discoveries with our exclusive optional tours

Prague Castle

(Day 4, \$90 per person)

Salzburg

(Day 6, \$105 per person)

Musical Vienna

(Day 8, \$90 per person)

Schoenbrunn Palace

(Day 9, \$75 per person)

Hospital in the Rock

(Day 12, \$45 per person)

Hungarian Jewish Heritage

(Day 12, \$45 per person)

Optional tour prices listed are U.S. dollar estimates determined at the time of publication and are subject to change. Optional tours may vary.

Old World Prague & the Blue Danube

Prices are per person for 12 days River Cruise Tour only (13 days with airfare), based on double occupancy, and included meals and tours as specified in the It's Included section.

River Cruise Tour Only

Deck: **NOVEMBER 3, 2014**

A	Serenade Deck (Top Deck w/balcony)	\$3445
B		\$3345
C	Sonata Deck (Middle Deck w/picture window)	\$3245
D		\$3145
E	Cantata Deck (Middle Deck w/picture window)	\$3045
F		\$2995
G	Prelude Deck (Lower Deck w/small window)	\$2895
H		\$2845

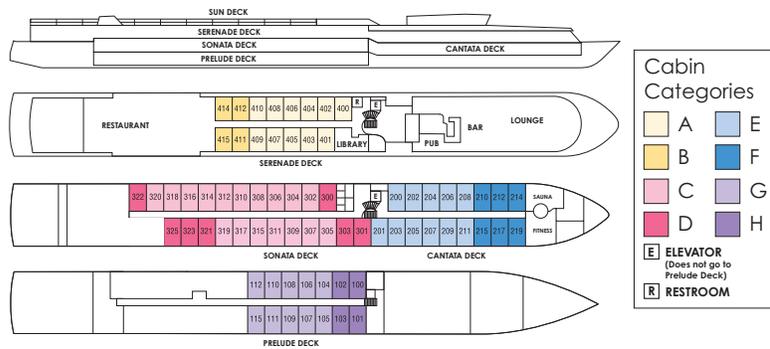
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Air Add-On

New York (JFK)	\$950
West Palm Beach	\$1250

Additional departure cities are available. Call for details.

M/S River Rhapsody



Deposit: \$500 per person.

Additional port charges and handling fees: \$125 per person (subject to change) listed separately on your invoice.

Single Supplement: \$595. Single accommodations are limited. To avoid the single supplement, ask about our Roommate Matching Service

Guaranteed Travel Protection Plan: Please visit www.gct.com/tpp for details on this optional program. Standard Terms & Conditions apply when purchasing this program. Visit our website at www.gct.com/tc for details. Every effort has been made to produce this information accurately. We reserve the right to correct errors.

After you reserve your trip, toll-free customer service is available Monday–Friday 9 am to 8 pm ET, Saturday & Sunday 9 am to 7 pm ET, and (Air Department only) Monday–Saturday 9 am to 5 pm ET at 1-800-321-2835.

SAVE up to 10% and lock in your price!

PAY IN FULL prior to your departure date	YOUR SAVINGS off your total trip price*
12 months or more prior to departure	10% off
11 months prior to departure	7% off
10 months prior to departure	6% off
9 months prior to departure	5% off
8 months prior to departure	4% off
7 months prior to departure	3% off
6 months prior to departure	2% off
5 months prior to departure	1.5% off
Make your final payment by check within the last 120 days	\$50 off

EXAMPLE: Based on a \$5000 trip price
Paid in full by check **12 months** prior to your departure date, you **save \$500** (10% of your trip price)
Paid in full by check **8 months** prior to your departure date, you **save \$200** (4% of your trip price)
Paid in full by check **6 months** prior to your departure date, you **save \$100** (2% of your trip price)
* You will save a minimum of \$50 when you pay in full by check.

MORE value, MORE choices with Grand Circle Cruise Line's Lowest Price Guarantee

- **Reserve early to receive our LOWEST PRICE** on any 2013 or 2014 departure of a Grand Circle Cruise Line vacation—guaranteed.
- **We'll AUTOMATICALLY REFUND** you the difference of the cruise-only price if we reduce your main trip price more than 60 days from departure.
- **Act fast for BEST SELECTION.** The earlier you reserve, the better your chances are that your first choice of cabins and pre- and post-trip extensions will be available.

Please note: Grand Circle Cruise Line's Lowest Price Guarantee applies to the cruise-only price based on the lowest cabin category; and does not include pre- or post-trip extensions, cabin categories, optional extensions, and airfare.

GOVERNMENT TAXES AND FEES The following government taxes and fees are now included in your airfare price. **Government and other authority taxes and fees:** **September 11th Security Fee** of up to \$2.50 USD applies per passenger, per flight segment (maximum charge per trip—\$5.00 USD one-way, \$10.00 USD round trip). A flight segment is defined as one takeoff and one landing. **Passenger Facility Charge (PFC)** of up to \$18 per passenger. **Federal Domestic Flight Segment Fee** of up to \$3.70 USD applies per passenger, per flight segment (defined as a takeoff and a landing). **U.S. or International Departure and Arrival Charges** of up to \$200 USD may apply depending on itinerary. On select itineraries that include the purchase of a pre- and/or post-trip extension, U.S. or international departure and arrival charges of up to \$300 USD may apply. Call for details. Standard Terms & Conditions can be found on the web at www.gct.com/tc.

Frequent Traveler Credits

Every time you travel with Grand Circle and OAT, you'll receive a **Frequent Traveler Credit worth 5%** of the advertised cost of your trip (less any discounts), applicable toward your next Grand Circle or OAT trip you take within one year. After one year, your credit value is adjusted to 3% of your advertised trip cost and remains valid for one more year. (Frequent Traveler Credits expire after two years.) If you are currently booked on a Grand Circle or OAT trip, you can now apply the Travel Credits you've earned towards subsequent departures—even if you have not yet departed on your trip. Some restrictions apply.

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Please be ready to give the reservations agent the following information

Trip name/code: Old World Prague & the Blue Danube/EDR
Departure date: November 3, 2014

Please mention this code when booking:

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