

# Vietnam Itinerary 6 Nights / 7 Days

# Da Nang – Hoi An – Hue – Ho Chi Minh

#### Day 01 Hong Kong – Da Nang – Hoi An



**Museum of Cham Sculpture** 

Depart Hong Kong (HKG) KA220 0800hrs, arrive Da Nang (DAD) 0855hrs (approx. flying time 01hr 55mins), meet and greet prior to private transfer to **Museum of Cham Sculpture**. Explore this elegant colonial building with the finest collection of Cham sculptures and artefacts in the world. Founded over a hundred years ago, displaying hundreds of pieces including altars, *lingas* (representing Shiva), *garudas* (griffin-like sky beings), *apsaras* (heavenly nymphs) and more dating back to the 5<sup>th</sup> century.

Drive to Hoi An (approx. 45 mins), hotel transfer, check-in and relax. The rest of your day has been allocated as free time.

Overnight Anantara Hoi An Resort.

Day 02 & 03 Hoi An Free day (no arrangement).

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#### Day 04 Hoi An - Hue

Enjoy breakfast in the comfort of your hotel, you will be driven to Hue (approx. 50mins) via the gorgeous and famed Vietnam coastline, see panoramic views as **Hai Van Pass**. On the way, stop at the top for a quick look around before heading down the other side where you will reach Lang Co, riding through little village and along the beach to photo stops. Follow the coastline to Hue. Hotel transfer, check-in and relax at Hotel Ana Mandara.



Hai Van Pass

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In the late afternoon you will be transferred to the **Royal Dinner Restaurant**, a traditional restaurant where you will be given colourful imperial costumes so you can dress up as Emperors and Queens. You will be entertained by traditional Hue Imperial Court music and served a multiple course meal in the royal tradition of the Imperial Court. Each dish is exquisitely prepared to symbolize the dragon, phoenix and peacock. A truly unique experience.

#### **Optional Evening Foodie & Cyclo Tour**



**Cyclo Tour** 

Explore Hue's slow living through a slow ride by cyclo! Join the team on an easy night out, tasting some typical Hue delicacies, experiencing local eating habits and learning some easy Vietnamese expressions that will accompany you through time. When the streets are poetically lit up, you are welcomed with a hang-out at a charming bar. Enjoy a tasty drink, light finger food. Your guide will give some basic

introduction about local cuisine before moving to a vegetarian restaurant, where you can see Buddhist traditions imprinted in Hue's food art.

Farther and farther away from the tourist quarter, in a laid-back cyclo, the night tranquillity will show you the inner soul of a former Imperial city. Suddenly, then street food stalls come into sight with their exciting sounds and appealing smells to tease your appetite, and a crispy Hue styled pancake or lemongrass skewers will be worth a try. Sweet soups may not be your favourite dessert, but the varieties of colours and flavours, especially the roasted pork dumpling in syrup, will be a promise of a sweet ending for a sweet night!

Hotel transfer, overnight Ana Mandara.

### Day 05 Hue – Ho Chi Minh

Hotel breakfast, you will be picked-up at 8:30 AM and escorted to your Boat Cruise along the romantic **Perfume River** to visit **Thien Mu Pagoda**, one of the most ancient architectural structures in Hue. Visit the splendid Imperial City where the Nguyen Dynasty ruled from 1802 to 1945. Visit the elaborate mausoleums of emperors Tu Duc and Khai Dinh

followed by a conical hat and incense stick-making workshop.



**Perfume River** 



Airport transfer, depart Hue (HUI) VN1375 1745hrs, arrive Ho Chi Minh (SGN) 1915hrs (approx. flying time 01hr 30mins). Meet and greet, hotel transfer, overnight Ho Chi Minh.

## Day 06 Ho Chi Minh



Cu Chi Tunnels

Breakfast at hotel, drive 70km southwest, passing through picturesque rice fields, gardens and rubber plantations to **Cu Chi Tunnels**. Upon arrival you will view a brief introduction to the tunnel network of over 200km, you will have a chance to crawl into a short section to feel the oppressive narrowness and heat inside. Documentaries and displays of traps will give you a vivid idea of the life and struggle in the tunnels. You will be driven back to the city afterwards.

Enjoy your City Tour of Ho Chi Minh, commonly known as Saigon, the largest city in Vietnam. Under the name Saigon, it was the capital French colony of Cochin-china from 1955 to 1975, renamed Ho Chi Minh City in 1975 when it became an independent state of South Vietnam. Today, the city's core is still adorned with wide elegant boulevards and historic French colonial buildings. Start with visiting the **Jade Emperor Pagoda**, **Norte Dame Cathedral** (*exterior only due to renovation*), **Central Post Office** and the **Opera House**.



Jade Emperor Pagoda

Hotel transfer, overnight Ho Chi Minh.

<u>Day 07 Ho Chi Minh – Hong Kong</u> Morning free, check-out of your hotel at noon.

Airport transfer around 3:30 PM, depart Ho Chi Minh (SGN) CX764 1905hrs, arrive Hong Kong 2240hrs (approx. flying time 02hrs 35mins).



# **Package Cost**

Destination	Hotels
Ho Chi Minh 02 Nights	Caravelle Saigon Deluxe Room Hotel Website
Hue 01 Night	<b>Ana Mandara</b> 01 King & 01 Triple Deluxe Room <mark>Hotel Website</mark>
Hoi An 03 Nights	Anantara Hoi An Resort 01 King & 01 Triple Deluxe Balcony Room <u>Hotel Website</u>
<b>Twin Sharing (HKD)</b> per person basis	Let us your know
<b>Triple Sharing (HKD)</b> per person basis	dates of travel
Economy Class Air Ticket (HKD) per person basis HKG – SGN – HKG Cathay Pacific Airways & Cathay Dragon	to find out the best rate.

### Important

Rates valid for 05 passengers minimum, must travel together on the entire journey Accommodation check-in after 1400hrs, check-out by 1200hrs Quote is compiled on Advance Purchase Basis for Air Ricket from Ho Chi Minh (SGN) to Hue (HUI) package level may revise subject to the availability at the time of reservation

#### **Package Includes**

06 nights' accommodations on Twin / Triple sharing basis at hotels mentioned or similarly alternatively available hotel for option Economy Class one way air ticket from Ho Chi Minh to Hue Daily breakfasts at hotel coffee shop or restaurant Royal Dinner at Hue with hotel and restaurant transfers or Evening Foodie & Cyclo Tour All transportation in an air conditioned vehicle per programme given All meet and greets with transfers to & from Airport & Hotel Entrance & Permit fees as per tour program Tour excursions as per program by English speaking local guide Mineral water during road journey

#### Package does not include

Airport porter, Airport Tax, Travel Insurance, Extra Excursions not mentioned

Visa Fees, any meals other than breakfast provided in hotel

Spending of a personal nature (e.g.: Extra meals, phone bills, laundry, etc.)

Anything else not mentioned under Package Includes