







EXPLORE LITHUANIA, ESTONIA, LATVIA, AND DENMARK



DAY ONE HONG KONG- HELSINKI - TALLIN

- → **TALLIN UPPER TOWN** be transported back in time to one of the best preserved medieval old towns in Europe, with fine towers and bygone architecture. See the magnificent view from **Toompea Hill** and visit the Dome Church where you can climb the bell tower for a panoramic vista of the city.
- → KADRIORG PALACE an 18th century Baroque palace, built by Peter the Great of Russia. The stunning palace houses **the Kadriorg Art Museum**, which contains older Western European and Russian art.
- → PIRITA PROMENADE leading past Kadriorg and the Song Festival Grounds and running to Pirita Marina and Pirita beach, this sea views can be enjoyed on foot, roller skaters, and by bike. The silhouette of the city, considered one of the symbols of Tallinn, can be admired here in its full beauty along with. several cafes. Visit the ruins of Pirita Convent, a captivating historical site with its crumbling walls.
- → Overnight Tallin



DAY TWO TALLIN

- → **TALLIN TV TOWER** Estonia's tallest building at 314 meters. The body was constructed from reinforced concrete rings 50cm thick. The observation deck on the 21st floor was originally designed to have a rotating section.
- → OLD TOWN Return to Old Town for a walking tour that includes the Lower Town, Gothic Town Hall, St. Nicholas Church, Museum of Medieval Art, and the Pharmacy, which has been open since the early 15th century.
- → Overnight Tallinn.





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DAY THREE TALLIN - RIGA

- → **PARNU** After morning check-out, drive to Riga, the capital of Latvia (approx. 4 hr drive). On the way, visit **Parnu**, a medieval city with an easy-going and romantic flair, home to a variety of spas from large water parks to more intimate and historical bath houses.
- → **TURAIDA** Stop at Turaida on your way to Riga. **Turaida Castle** is a must see, considered an important cultural element of Latvia's national wealth, full of peaceful walks and with beautiful views visible from all around castle.
- → **NEW CASTLE OF SIGUIDA** Drive further north and stop at this New-Gothic construction situated in a luxurious park. Enjoy leisurely walks along the picturesque ponds and ancient oaks.
- → Arrives Riga check in & Overnight



DAY FOUR RIGA

- → OLD RIGA a walking tour of Old Riga, visiting the Dome Cathedral, St Jacobs and St Peters Churches, Riga castle, and Riga Central Market where you will taste authentic Latvian food.
- → **ART NOVEAU DISTRICT** In the afternoon you will be escorted to the Art Nouveau District famous for its early 20th century architectural style. See Riga's **Art Nouveau Museum** to learn about the inhabitants of Riga and their heritage.
- → RIVER DAUGAVA / RIGA CANAL (one hour cruise) on the River Daugava and Riga Canal on a traditional canal boat. They encircle Riga's UNESCO listed Old Town, passing many memorable landmarks. A leisurely way to take in the sights. Like the Freedom Monument, the Latvian National Opera, and Latvian National Theatre. Enjoy views of Kronvalda Park and Riga Castle,
- → Overnight Riga.

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DAY FIVE RIGA - KAUNAS - VILNIUS

- → **RUNDALE PALACE** Stop by the palace not far from Riga (aprox 1 hr 10m), on the way to Vilnius. Known as Versailles of Latvia, it is the largest and most famous of its kind in Latvia.
- → THE HILL OF CROSSES Continue driving north to the famous Catholic pilgrimage site (aprox 1hr 15m) with over 200,000 crosses placed by religious Lithuanians adorning the sacred grounds.
- → KAUNAS Continue your drive to Kaunas (aprox 2hr 15m), the second-largest city in Lithuania after Vilnius and an important centre of Lithuanian economic, academic, and cultural life. Tour the Old Town, with its old authentic buildings, as well as the Cathedral, Town Hall and Liberty Avenue. Head onwards to Vilnius. (aprox 1.5 hr drive)
- → Overnight Vilnius.



DAY SIX VILNIUS - TRAKAI - VILNIUS

- → **VILNIUS** on a walking tour, visit the most interesting architectural and historic monuments such as the majestic Vilnius Cathedral, the monument to the Grand Duke of Lithuania, the Palace of the Grand Dukes of Lithuania, Gediminas Hill, St. Anne's, Vilnius University and the Dawn Gate.
- → **TRAKAI** Afterwards explore Trakai, approx. 28km from Vilnius, famous for their 15th century Gothic Castle amidst the lake, now housing a History Museum.
- → Overnight Vilnius.



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DAY SEVEN VILNIUS - COPENHAGAN

- → Drive to airport for flight SK 745 at 1110 am, arriving 1140 am. Transfer to hotel.
- → COPHENHAGAN take a private 4 hour tour covering the main attractions of Copenhagen including City Hall, Tivoli Gardens (outside), Amalienborg Royal Castle, the Opera House, High Bridge Square, Old Jails of Copenhagen, 1619 Stock Exchange, the Waterfront, Inner Bridge, Nyhavn, Langelinie Pier, The Little Mermaid Statue, Gefion Fountain, The Citadel, Churchill Park, Christiansborg Castle, Parliament, Rosenborg Castle (outside), Old Square / New Square, Old Beach Area, The Church of Our Lady, The Latin Quarter and Kings New Square.



→ Overnight Copenhagen.

DAY EIGHT COPENHAGAN - HELSINKI

- → **ROYALS AND CASTLE TOUR** Embark on your Royals & Castle Tour (approx. 6hrs) where you will be escorted around three difference castles. Listen about the history surrounding Hamlet, Christian the 7th, Queen Sophie and more.
- → **HELSINGOR** See the city of Helsingor, part of the beautiful Danish coastline, where you can see small villages from different periods. At Hamlet Castle see the old cannons and have a guided tour inside where actors will bring the place to life!



- → FREDENSBORG Visit the city of Fredensborg, summer residence of royalty, for a short photo op. Continue your drive through the Danish countryside; arrive in the city of Hilleroed. Your guide will take you inside this amazing Royal Castle where kings and queens have been born, crowned, ruled, married, and put to rest.
- → Late afternoon, transfer to airport for flight AY 960 at 1915 hrs, arrives 2150 hrs.

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DAY NINE HELSINKI – HONG KONG

→ Depart AY 99 at 0035 am. arrives Hong Kong 1745 hrs.