

Highlights of Antarctica Departures: Nov 2023 - Mar 2024

Starting on the right foot

Your adventure begins with an overnight stay in Buenos Aires, the lovely capital of Argentina. Stroll past the well-preserved Italian and French architecture, order a delicious cut of beef in one of Buenos Aires's many great steakhouses, or maybe even practice your dance moves in this city famous for the tango.

We recommend arriving at least two days early to explore the city. So ask your travel agent to book a two-night pre-stay and see Buenos Aires your way?

Go ashore and on small boat cruises to discover charming wildlife and spectacular frozen landscapes - from snowy mountains to icebergs and glaciers. The expedition ships combine hybrid technology with a premium onboard experience, designed for your safety and comfort. Learn about Antarctica's fascinating history and science through lectures and hands-on projects and excursions that allow you to discovery of the white continent of Antarctica.

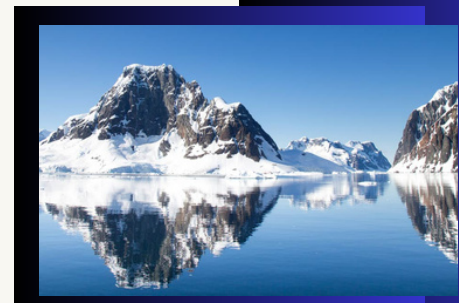
What's included

- Hotel. Overnight in Buenos Aires before the expedition cruise with breakfast
- Flights - economy class between Buenos Aires and Ushuaia
- Transfers - from the hotel in Buenos Aires to the airport, and the Ushuaia airport and the ship, including a brief tour of the town

Expedition Cruise

- Expedition cruise in a cabin of your choice
- Breakfast, lunch, and dinner, including beverages (house beer, wine, sodas, mineral water) in restaurants
- Fine-dining À la carte restaurant is included for suite guests
- Complimentary tea and coffee
- Complimentary Wi-Fi. Sailing in remote areas has limited connection. Streaming is not supported.
- Complimentary reusable water bottle to fill at onboard water refill stations
- English-speaking Expedition Team who organize and guide activities, both on board and ashore
- Range of included activities

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Onboard activities

- Experts from the Expedition Team present detailed lectures on a variety of topics
- Use the ship's Science Center, which features an extensive library and . . . microscopes
- The Citizen Science program allows guests to contribute to current scientific research projects
- The onboard professional photographer will give tips and tricks for taking the best photos
- The ship has hot tubs, a sauna, an outdoor and indoor gym, and an outdoor running track
- Participate in informal gatherings with the crew, such as daily recaps and the next day's preparations

Landing activities

- Escorted landings in a small boat (RIB) while in Antarctica
- Loan of boots, trekking poles, and all equipment needed for the activities
- Complimentary wind- and water-resistant expedition jacket
- Expedition photographers will help configure your camera settings before landings

Not Included (*TWS/Add-Ons)

- International flights info
- Transfers from Buenos Aires airport to hotel info
- Second night pre-stay
- Travel protection info
- Baggage handling
- Optional shore excursions info
- Optional small-group activities info
- Optional treatments in the onboard wellness and spa area info

Notes

- All planned activities are subject to weather and ice conditions
- Excursions and activities are subject to change
- Please ensure you can meet all entry and boarding requirements
- No gratuities are expected

Starting Price:

\$10,783.00 per person double occupancy

Dates:

November, 2023 - March, 2024

Special Offers:

Info will be provided when available

***TWS/Add-Ons:**

Clients will receive assistance once booked



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DAY 1: The beat of Buenos Aires. Feel the rhythm of bustling Buenos Aires. Start your Antarctic adventure with an overnight stay in Buenos Aires.. Home to a proud and diverse community of 'porteños', or 'people of the port,' this city is a sensuous fusion of faded European splendor and Latin American panache. There are plenty of places to explore, including many 'parrillas' serving authentic Argentine steak. This is the renowned hometown of the tango, so maybe you'd like to practice your dance moves.

DAY 2: Early start in Ushuaia. Setting off from the bottom of the world. Your adventure begins with an early morning flight to Ushuaia, where you'll meet our hybrid electric-powered expedition ship, specially designed for sustainable cruising in polar waters. This bustling port is the capital of Argentina's Tierra del Fuego Province. Set against the magnificent backdrop of the Martial Glacier, Ushuaia is a contender for the title of the world's southernmost city. After a briefing from your Expedition Team, you'll have time to locate your cabin and explore the comforts and amenities on board.

DAY 3-4: Get ready for Antarctica. Cross the Drake Passage. On the two-day crossing through the Drake Passage, the Expedition Team will equip you with everything you need to make the most of your polar expedition. Visit the onboard Science Center and find out what lies ahead. Listen as experts talk passionately about Antarctica's history, the science beneath the ice, and the impact of climate change and plastic pollution. Learn how to make your visit as safe and as low-impact as possible and discover the Citizen Science projects you can join. There's plenty of time to relax, so unwind in the spa and wellness area, enjoy delicious cuisine, and meet fellow travelers in the Explorer Lounge & Bar.

DAY 5-9: Antarctica, another world. Experience Antarctica in all its natural majesty. Nothing prepares you for your first sight of Antarctica's immense, frozen beauty. Antarctica will fill you with wonder, surrounded by looming glaciers and icebergs the size of floating cathedrals. Perhaps the most surprising part of Antarctica is the silence. The stillness that reigns is broken every so often by the locals – the wildlife. Whales begin to arrive in greater numbers by December and January. This is also when the first penguin chicks hatch. Seeing those clumsy clumps of feathers running around is always a charming sight. February and March are peak whale watching months, when huge amounts of krill lure whales to the area. Nature is king here and we are mere observers. Our experienced Captain will continually monitor conditions to create the best possible itinerary for your adventure. Rest assured that each day will offer something different and thrilling. Join the Expedition Team on landings and while ice cruising. You may even have the chance to kayak among the icebergs. Back on board, the Expedition Team will continue their lectures, helping expand your insight into the frozen continent. Over five magical days, experience this amazing world in a way that will stay with you for a lifetime.

DAY 10-11: Return to warmer waters. Heading back north across the Drake Passage. After five incredible days, you'll have experienced so much in Antarctica. Your head will likely still be a swirling kaleidoscope of special memories and impressions. Take the next few days to reflect on your adventure to the seventh continent. As you think back on the magical Antarctic scenery, take time to sift through your photos and videos to recapture a sense of its magnitude. We recommend taking the chance to unwind in the sauna or enjoy some relaxing spa treatments in the wellness area.

DAY 12: Ushuaia and Buenos Aires. From Ushuaia to Buenos Aires. Your expedition cruise ends in Ushuaia, the main city in Tierra del Fuego, Argentina's southernmost province. From here, you'll take a flight back to Buenos Aires, but it doesn't have to be the end of your adventure.