



SUMMER 2025 Selection of Cruises

NORTHERN EUROPE & THE ATLANTIC • THE MEDITERRANEAN



Time unfolded

The days stretch luxuriously; time seems to slow. Bathed in the golden rays of the setting sun, you savour a stroll along the ship's deck. Your gaze glides across the horizon, captivated by a glimmer that unveils the shore's singular allure. The evening breeze brings a thrilling sense of freedom. This summer of 2025, PONANT invites you on a sensory adventure where discovery, contemplation, wonder, and the refined pleasure of time rediscovered - time for oneself - come together.

From the hidden coves and ancient ruins of the

Peloponnese islands to the woody scents of the Dalmatian coast; from the black-sand beaches of the Canaries to the captivating cities of the Baltic Sea... Set sail on a spring or summer journey through both iconic and hidden ports, as each day flows to the soothing rhythm of the waves. Here, the magic of the sea works its wonders: you finally become the master of your time once more.

Embrace indulgence with a culinary voyage through the flavours of French terroirs, artfully curated by Amaury Bouhours, Executive Chef of Le Meurice. Dance performances and lectures, orchestrated by the Ballet de l'Opéra national de Paris, will add a touch of magic to your evenings at sea. At PONANT, our passion for exploration - whether across lands, over seas, or through the arts - fuels journeys that awaken the spirit.

We look forward to welcoming you aboard.

Hervé Gastinel President of PONANT



TEN REASONS to travel with PONANT

UNMATCHED EXPERTISE

For 35 years, our experts have explored the world in search of **natural and cultural gems**. Each itinerary is meticulously crafted to provide unique opportunities to observe abundant wildlife, extraordinary landscapes, and local cultures. You'll be guided by our team of **experts**, including dedicated expedition leaders, partners, and guest speakers.

THE ART OF TRAVEL

Each season, we design meaningful journeys around four core themes: **Planet, Culture, Art of Living, and Geopolitics**. With the support of our renowned partners, including **celebrated artists**, historians, researchers, and journalists onboard, we deliver experiences that immerse you in fresh perspectives and rare insights.

EXCELLENCE ON A HUMAN SCALE

Onboard, enjoy the **comfort and refined design** of shared spaces, including spa services in partnership with distinguished brands like Clarins, Biologique Recherche, Sothys, and Algotherm. Our theatres host film screenings, lectures, and live performances, ensuring a warm, **welcoming atmosphere.**

EXQUISITE CUISINE

Allow yourself to be surprised by refined cuisine, developed in collaboration with **Ducasse Conseil**. Relish in bountiful breakfasts, à la carte dishes, diverse buffets, house-made pastries, freshly baked bread, indulgent afternoon tea, and tastings of fine delicacies. Onboard *Le Commandant Charcot*, our culinary offerings are elevated with *Nuna*, the only Alain Ducasse gastronomic restaurant at sea, with a menu crafted by the Michelin-starred chef himself.

A MODERN FLEET

As one of the few cruise lines sailing under the **French flag** - one of the safest in the world - we strictly adhere to protocols for crew training and health and safety. **Our human-scale ships**, each with just 16 to 165 cabins, are equipped with cutting-edge technology, providing both comfort and respect for the environment.



SUSTAINABLE TOURISM

Through our Foundation and initiatives like PONANT Blue Horizon and PONANT Science, we are dedicated to reducing our environmental footprint. With hybrid propulsion, recycling, waste and water treatment, and the elimination of single-use plastics, our commitment to the planet is steadfast. We also contribute to scientific research, providing onboard laboratories for research teams on Le Commandant Charcot.

CONSCIOUS VOYAGES







Discover all our initiatives - scan with vour phone camera and explore!

TAILORED EXPERIENCES

With our **'à la carte' service**, customise your journey by reserving private excursions, hotel nights, or flights through your dedicated advisor or travel agency. For remote destinations, we offer private flights and transfers to ensure you reach your embarkation point with ease. **The PONANT app** is also available to guide your travel preparations, and it enhances your onboard experience.

ALL-INCLUSIVE OFFERINGS

Our cruises include everything: meals, drinks (excluding premium selections), room service, Wi-Fi, entertainment, fitness centre access, hammam or sauna, and non-motorised water sports (except scuba diving). One excursion per guest per port is also included on all cruises (excluding Paul Gauquin). During expedition cruises, nature guides accompany all shore excursions and zodiac outings. For polar expeditions, we provide a complimentary parka and/or boot rental on most departures.





Reserve now to receive a 10% discount ⁽¹⁾ on your cruise fare (valid on selected cruises in this brochure).

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS OFFER

For solo travellers, families, friends, and PONANT Yacht Club members. find all your exclusive benefits at www.ponant.com/advantages.





Mediterranean horizons

Discover journeys that immerse you in the enchanting cultures and landscapes of the Mediterranean. From historic cities to sun-drenched coastlines and timeless traditions, each destination unveils a unique richness.





SUBDAMANNI'

VENICE • DUBROVNIK 8 days/7 nights onboard L'Austral Departure: 8th August 2025 From €3,970⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾

"Dalmatia... I envision picturesque villages and wild landscapes. This enchanting natural scenery, coupled with the local folklore, will fuel the children's imagination during our workshops. We will also sail alongside Italy, the birthplace of the 'commedia dell'arte': Harlequin, Columbine, Pulcinella, and the mischievous Zanni... these vibrant characters are central to our work as performers. Setting off from Venice, the city of masks, will feel like a pilgrimage."







- EXCLUSIVE theatre workshop*: Give your children the opportunity to delve into the world of theatre, guided by the actresses of La Famille du 5ème, Jeanne Rousselle and Marguerite Pinatel.
- Family cruise with Club Kid Explorers in partnership with the Maud Fontenoy Foundation, offering children aged 4-13 ocean-themed activities to promote marine awareness.
- UNESCO sites: Venice and its lagoon, Diocletian's Palace in Split, old towns of Kotor and Dubrovnik.
- In Montenegro, cruise through the spectacular Bay of Kotor.
- Included excursions**: A truffle hunt and tasting in Rovinj, and a performance of Moreška, a Croatian traditional sword dance, at the open-air theatre in Korcula.

*Pre-registration required, subject to availability. **Reservations required before departure.



la famille DU 5ème



Club Kid Explorers in partnership with the Maud Fontenoy Foundation: children aged 4 to 13 can enjoy activities designed to deepen their understanding of the oceans and raise awareness of their protection, guided by a dedicated team of facilitators.

Cities and splendours of the Adriatic



Bask in a summer evening filled with the scents of pine trees on the island of Hvar, a true jewel of the Adriatic. Wander through the vibrant streets of Dubrovnik, where each corner tells a story. Between natural treasures and cultural riches, let yourself be charmed by the glistening Adriatic Sea and its unique landscapes.





KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- 15th August departure: Family cruise with Club Kid Explorers, in partnership with the Maud Fontenoy Foundation.
- UNESCO sites: The old town of Dubrovnik, Stari Grad Plain, Venice and its lagoon.
- Options for hiking and kayaking to enjoy the Mediterranean scenery.
- Visit to Brijuni National Park, known for its exceptional biodiversity.
- Included excursions*: Cooking lesson at a family farm in Dubrovnik and a tour of Hvar in a classic Volkswagen Beetle.

From the City of the Gods to the Dalmatian coast

ATHENS • DUBROVNIK 9 days/8 nights onboard *Le Dumont d'Urville* Departure: 10th August 2025 From €4,195⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



Sail through the warm summer waters of the Aegean, Ionian, and Adriatic seas for an unforgettable journey from Greece to Croatia. Discover Mediterranean landscapes and ancient relics that tell captivating stories.

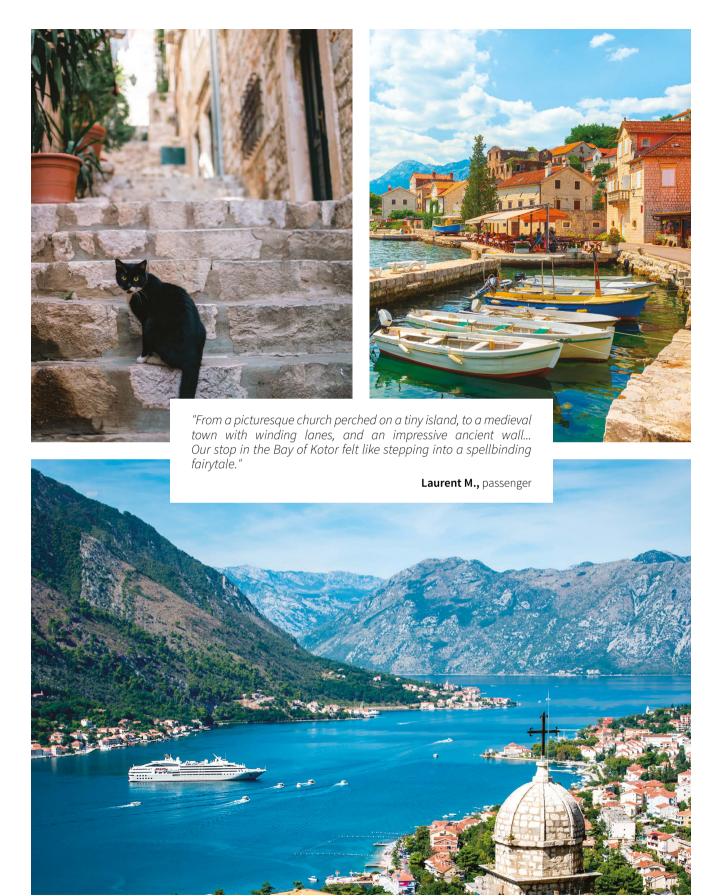
KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Family cruise with Club Kid Explorers, in partnership with the Maud Fontenoy Foundation.
- UNESCO sites: The Acropolis of Athens, the ruins of Mycenae, and the theatre of Epidaurus from Nafplio, the Stari Grad Plain on Hvar island.
- A rare stop at Zakynthos, with its paradise beaches, towering cliffs, and picturesque villages.
- The island of Kythira, an inspiration to artists like Charles Baudelaire, Victor Hugo, Paul Verlaine, and Antoine Watteau.
- Included excursions*: Ancient city of Corinth and its mythical canal from Nafplio, and a wine-tasting tour in Stari Grad.

*Reservations required before departure.



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From Malta to the Adriatic shores

LA VALLETTA • VENICE

8 days/7 nights onboard L'Austral Departure: 1st August 2025 From €3,770⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



Explore the cultural treasures of the Ionian and Adriatic seas. This voyage begins in Malta, where history meets breathtaking landscapes, and continues to Montenegro, Croatia, and Italy, where each destination reveals architectural jewels and a rich heritage.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Family cruise with Club Kid Explorers, in partnership with the Maud Fontenoy Foundation.
- UNESCO sites: Historic centre of Valletta, Taormina and its Greek theatre, old towns of Dubrovnik and Kotor, the Stari Grad Plain on Hvar, Venice Lagoon.
- Sicily, with a stop in Taormina.
- From Otranto, a visit to Lecce, known as the Florence of southern Italy.
- Included excursions*: A hike in Ston with an oyster tasting, and a tour of medieval Dubrovnik.

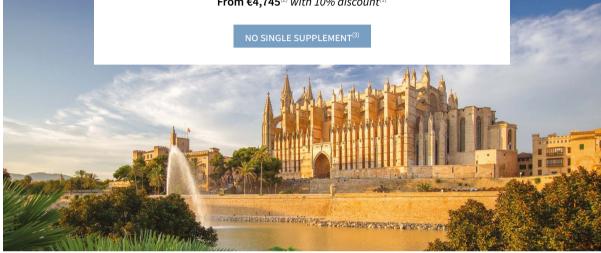
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MALAGA • ATHENS 11 days/10 nights onboard *Le Dumont d'Urville* Departure: 29th March 2025 From €4.745⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



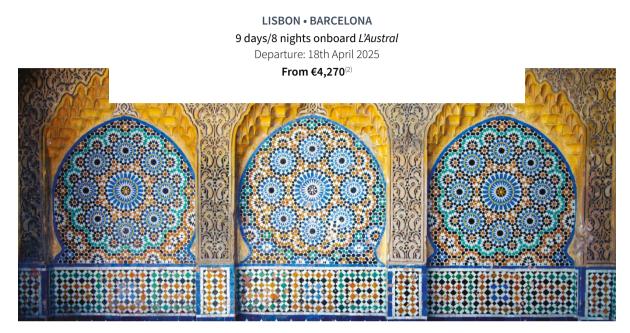
Cruise along the Mediterranean's historic coasts on an exceptional voyage. From Spain's eastern shores to the enchanting islands of the Balearics, Sardinia, Sicily, Italy, and Greece, every stop will amaze you.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Olympia from Katakolon, Mycenae and Epidaurus from Nafplio, the Acropolis of Athens.
- Corinth Canal crossing.
- Sicily's treasures, including a stop in Palermo to explore its most beautiful sites and experience its unique lifestyle.
- Discover the Balearic archipelago, with Palma de Mallorca as the capital.
- Included excursions*: National Archaeological Museum of the Grande-Grèce in Reggio Calabria, Mycenae and Epidaurus from Nafplio.







Allow yourself to be enchanted by the striking landscapes of the Iberian Peninsula. Journey between Portugal and Spain, with a unique stop in Morocco. This exclusive experience invites you to explore each city's vibrant culture and remarkable architecture.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Jerónimos Monastery and the Tower of Belém in Lisbon, Silk Exchange in Valencia, works of Antoni Gaudí in Barcelona.
- Stopover in Lagos, in the Algarve region, renowned for its geological wonders and rich history.
- Crossing of the legendary Strait of Gibraltar.
- Discover the Balearic archipelago, with Palma de Mallorca as the capital.
- Included excursions*: Sagres Fortress near Lagos, the Miró Foundation in Palma de Mallorca, and a traditional horseback ride on a finca (estate) in Cartagena.



Atlantic shores

Be awed by the wild coasts and captivating cultures along the Atlantic. From the dramatic cliffs of Ireland to Portugal's golden shores, every destination reveals a delicate balance of preserved nature, authentic traditions, and cities brimming with refined charm.





Gastronomic delights with le Meurice restaurant and Château Latour

LISBON • BORDEAUX 10 days/9 nights onboard *Le Lyrial* Departure: 29th April 2025 From €4,435⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT⁽³⁾

"Our guests will experience exceptional culinary moments: with le Meurice restaurant and Château Latour, they will discover the refined flavours of a palace's French gastronomy. They'll sample cheeses curated by Bernard Antony, who has, for example, served the table of King Charles III at Versailles in 2023. Finally, guests can delve into the art of wine tasting with a selection of Bordeaux varieties, even creating their own blend to discover their ideal aromatic profile."







KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Gala dinners and demonstrations throughout the cruise, showcasing palace-level French culinary excellence with Le Meurice restaurant and Ducasse Conseil.
- UNESCO sites: Historic centre of Porto from Leixões, old town of Santiago de Compostela from Vigo, and the Port of the Moon in Bordeaux.
- Opportunity to visit the renowned Guggenheim Museum in Bilbao.
- Wine tastings and discovery of exceptional wines during stops at Pauillac and Bordeaux.
- Included excursions*: 'Médoc Châteaux Route', visits to Saint-Jean-de-Luz and Biarritz, or a pilgrimage walk on the Santiago de Compostela path.

*Reservations required before departure.

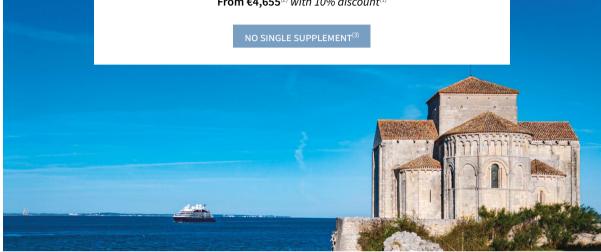




Special Programme: In partnership with **Le Meurice** restaurant and **Château Latour**, from 3 to 5 May, with the presence of Amaury Bouhours, Executive Chef at Le Meurice (two Michelin stars) and Ducasse Conseil teams. Featuring 'best of' Alain Ducasse demonstrations, patisserie sessions, tea time, wine tastings, and unforgettable dinners.

The Iberian Peninsula and Atlantic fortified cities

LISBON • HONFLEUR 12 days/11 nights onboard *Le Boréal* Departure: 3rd May 2025 From €4,655⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



Sail from Lisbon to Honfleur and explore the rich cultural heritage along the Atlantic coasts of Portugal, Spain, and France. Each port unveils architectural marvels, unique traditions, and landscapes ranging from rugged coastlines to peaceful countryside.



KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Port of the Moon in Bordeaux, old town of Santiago de Compostela from Vigo, historic centre of Porto from Leixões, Tower of Belém and Jerónimos Monastery in Lisbon.
- Rare stops in Brittany at the Quiberon Peninsula and Douarnenez.
- Variety of dramatic Atlantic landscapes along the coastline.
- Included excursions*: Carteret Lighthouse built in 1839, Santiago de Compostela, or a visit to Bilbao's Guggenheim Museum.

From the English Channel to the Irish Sea

HONFLEUR • GLASGOW 9 days/8 nights onboard *Le Boréal* Departure: 14th May 2025 From €3,635⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



Starting in the charming port town of Honfleur, journey to the British shores, through the legendary Cornish coast and the verdant landscapes of Ireland. This tranquil escape will immerse you in lush scenery, authentic ports, and historic towns.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO site: The Giant's Causeway and its coastal landscape from Portrush.
- Opportunities for hiking and kayaking excursions.
- Stop at Portland Island, featuring coastal cliffs and verdant plains.
- Kinsale, considered Ireland's most beautiful village.
- Curated onboard activities, including **included excursions*** led by expert local guides and naturalist-accompanied experiences.





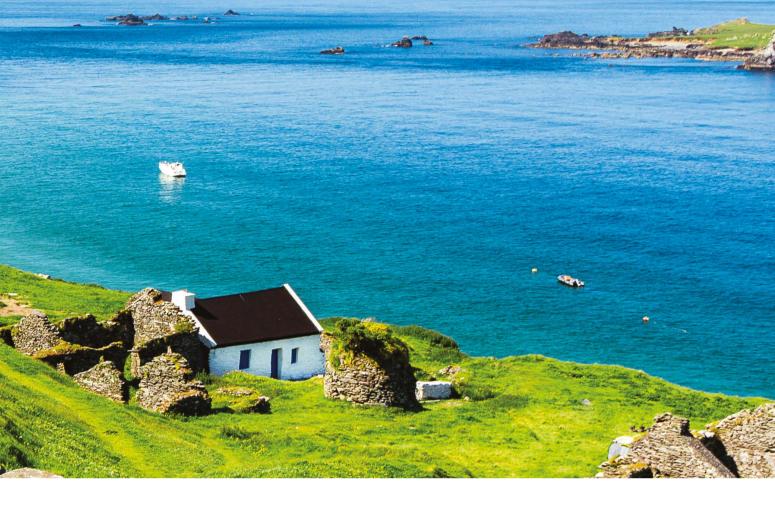
DUBLIN • DUBLIN 9 days/8 nights onboard *Le Bellot* Departure: 19th and 27th August 2025 From €4,400⁽²⁾

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT⁽³

"The wild beauty of Ballycotton, with its wind-swept cliffs, and the serenity of Skomer Island, surrounded by seabirds and seals, left a deep impression on me. I never imagined feeling so profoundly connected to nature and the ocean."

Jeanne H., passenger





KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Exclusive to PONANT: Three Irish stops Youghal, Ballycotton, and Baltimore.
- Skomer Island, a haven for seabirds and marine mammals.
- Scenic landscapes: rocky islets, sheltered coves, steep cliffs, mountains, forests, parks.
- Diverse wildlife: seals, dolphins, peregrine falcons, Skomer voles, puffins, guillemots, gannets, fulmars, harbour porpoises, Atlantic grey dolphins, sunfish.
- Curated onboard activities, including **included excursions*** led by expert local guides and naturalist-accompanied experiences.

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EXCLUSIVE

Volcanic islands and historic cities of the North Atlantic

LAS PALMAS • LISBON 11 days/10 nights onboard L'Austral or Le Boréal Departure: 8th and 23rd april 2025 From €4,480⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



This adventure takes you through volcanic archipelagos from the Canary Islands and Madeira to Portugal's southern coast. Experience wild beauty and unique landscapes, from majestic volcanoes to lush valleys, hidden coves, and verdant cliffs.



KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Garajonay National Park on La Gomera, Teide National Park in Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Jerónimos Monastery and Belém Tower in Lisbon.
- Scenic landscapes: volcanoes, calderas, mountain peaks, lush hillsides, cliffs, forests, beaches, and coves.
- Santa Cruz de la Palma, with its grand palaces and charming historic centre showcasing colonial architecture.
- The remarkable village of Camacha on Madeira.
- Included excursions*: Oldest banana plantation in Santa Cruz de Tenerife, a walk along hand-carved mountain waterways (levadas) dating back to the 19th century.

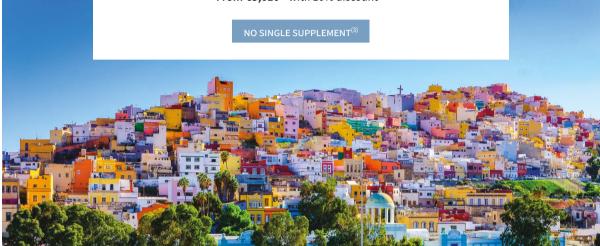
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Special Departure: 23rd April – Island-hopping with 'fado' and classical concerts, a musical voyage in partnership with **Radio Classique** featuring Alain Duault and a lineup of exceptional musicians.

The contrasts of the Canary Islands

LAS PALMAS • LAS PALMAS 8 days/7 nights onboard L'Austral or Le Boréal Departure: 1st and 16th April 2025 From €3,610⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



In the Canary Islands archipelago, volcanic islands rise from the Atlantic like mirages. These lands, rich in contrasts, combine lunar landscapes in crimson and ashen tones, lush valleys, rugged cliffs, and sand dunes in a harmonious interplay.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO site: Garajonay National Park on La Gomera.
- Exploring the seven Canary Islands: Gran Canaria, Lanzarote, Tenerife, Fuerteventura, La Palma, El Hierro, and La Gomera.
- Scenic landscapes: volcanoes, calderas, mountain peaks, green hills, cliffs, forests, beaches, and coves.
- Santa Cruz de La Palma, with its grand palaces and colonial architecture.
- The lunar landscapes of Lanzarote.
- Included excursions*: Volcanic landscapes of Santa Cruz de La Palma or the Cueva del Viento (Wind Cave), one of the longest volcanic tunnels in the world.

*Reservations required before departure.



CULTURE

Special Departure: 1st April – Featuring Franck Ferrand, writer, broadcaster, and editorial director at Historia, who will present exclusive talks on Canary Islands history.

Baltic Sea explorations

Succumb to the charm of the Baltic Sea's shores. From imperial cities to peaceful havens, each stop offers a deep dive into a rich cultural heritage, where history meets majestic architecture and fascinating landscapes.





The Baltic Sea with the Paris Opera Ballet

FREDRIKSTAD • COPENHAGEN 11 days/10 nights onboard *Le Lapérouse* Departure: 24th July 2025 From €7,965^[2] with 10% discount⁽¹⁾

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT⁽³

"Like dance, travel is a subtle art where each movement paves the way to the unknown. With PONANT, each cruise becomes an emotional choreography, where the waves carry us toward infinite horizons and discoveries that elevate the soul."

Dorothée Gilbert, Principal Dancer at the Paris Opera Ballet





KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Hanseatic town of Visby, Karlskrona's naval port, and Copenhagen, named UNESCO World Capital of Architecture in 2023.
- Northern Europe's industrial heritage, Scandinavian communities, and kingdoms.
- Three unique stops in Helsingborg, Fredrikstad, and Kalmar.
- Included excursions*: Viking relics, the Sofiero Castle (former country estate of the Swedish royal family), or a tour through the villages on Bornholm island from Gudhjem.

*Reservations required before departure.





Special Programme: A cruise in partnership with the **Paris Opera Ballet**, with the presence of Dorothée Gilbert, Principal Dancer, along with fellow dancers from the company. Exclusive performances, inspiring discussions, dance conferences, beginner classes, and screenings.







Embark on a journey of discovery through the historic cities along the Baltic Sea, rich in heritage and culture. Explore the treasures of the Hanseatic League, where each port reveals architectural marvels and a fascinating legacy, providing a unique immersion into the history of this iconic region.



KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Karlskrona's naval port, Riga's historic centre, Suomenlinna Sea Fortress from Helsinki, and the old town of Tallinn.
- Key Hanseatic cities to explore.
- An exclusive stop on Saaremaa, Estonia's largest island with diverse cultural influences.
- Five European capitals to discover: Copenhagen, Riga, Helsinki, Tallinn, Stockholm.
- Included excursions*: A visit to Gdansk, a Chopin concert, an Estonian cuisine tasting, or exploring the winding pathways of Suomenlinna Fortress.

Scandinavian and Scottish cultural treasures

STOCKHOLM • ROSYTH, EDINBURGH 12 days/11 nights onboard *Le Champlain* Departure: 24th April 2025 From €7,190⁽²⁾ with 10% discount⁽¹⁾



Venture into the captivating landscapes and rich cultural heritage of Scandinavia and Scotland. Discover towns steeped in history, marvel at majestic fjords, and explore awe-inspiring natural sites.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- UNESCO sites: Hanseatic town of Visby, Karlskrona's naval port, and Copenhagen, named UNESCO World Capital of Architecture in 2023.
- History of Celtic and Viking communities and Scandinavian kingdoms.
- Towns at the heart of preserved nature and exceptional island landscapes, including the Scottish Orkney Islands and Gotland island off Sweden.
- Included excursions*: Fram and Kon-Tiki museums in Oslo, a coastal hike at Hove, or a guided tour of Egersund followed by a local beer tasting at a distillery.



Brilliant guests, brilliant moments

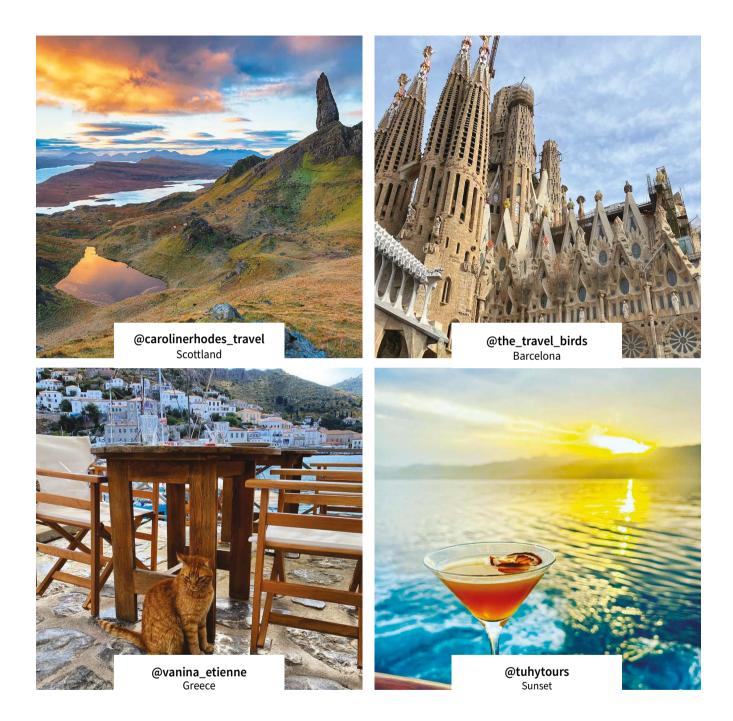
Each day, our guests share their most beautiful photos on social media. Here's a selection of their shots taken at some of the world's most exceptional locations.







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Share your PONANT moments on Instagram too, and tag us **@ponant** to join the adventure!

OUR FLEET

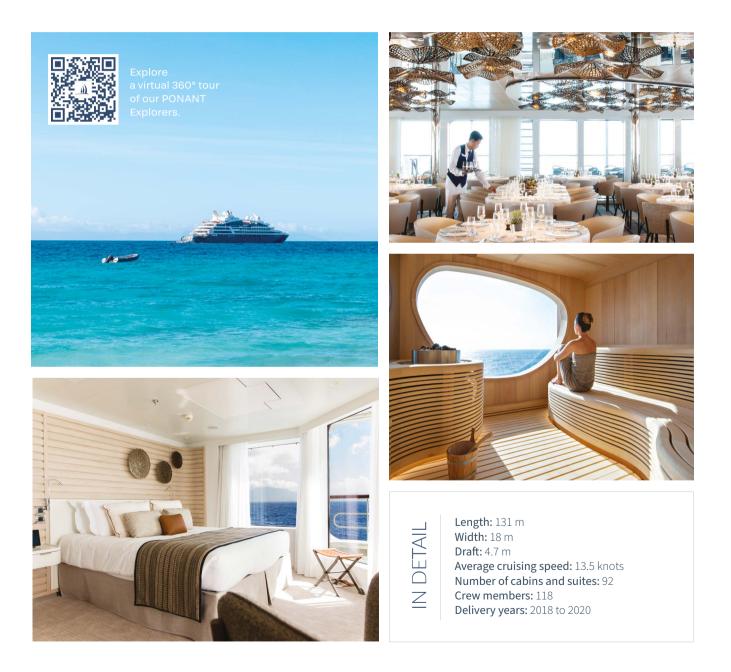
The Sisterships

With their sleek silhouettes and refined decor, the Sisterships symbolise PONANT's mission to share the French art of living across the globe. Human-scale yachts, *Le Boréal, L'Austral, Le Soléal,* and *Le Lyrial* can access secluded locations or ports reserved for smaller vessels.



The PONANT Explorers

With a refined blend of exploration in the world's most remote regions and the comfort of intimate vessels, the PONANT Explorers series is crafted to offer a redefined expedition experience.
Each of these six exceptional yachts -Le Lapérouse, Le Champlain, Le Bougainville, Le Dumont d'Urville, Le Bellot, and Le Jacques Cartier- is equipped with state-of-the-art technology designed to minimise environmental impact, including the exclusive Blue Eye underwater lounge.



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