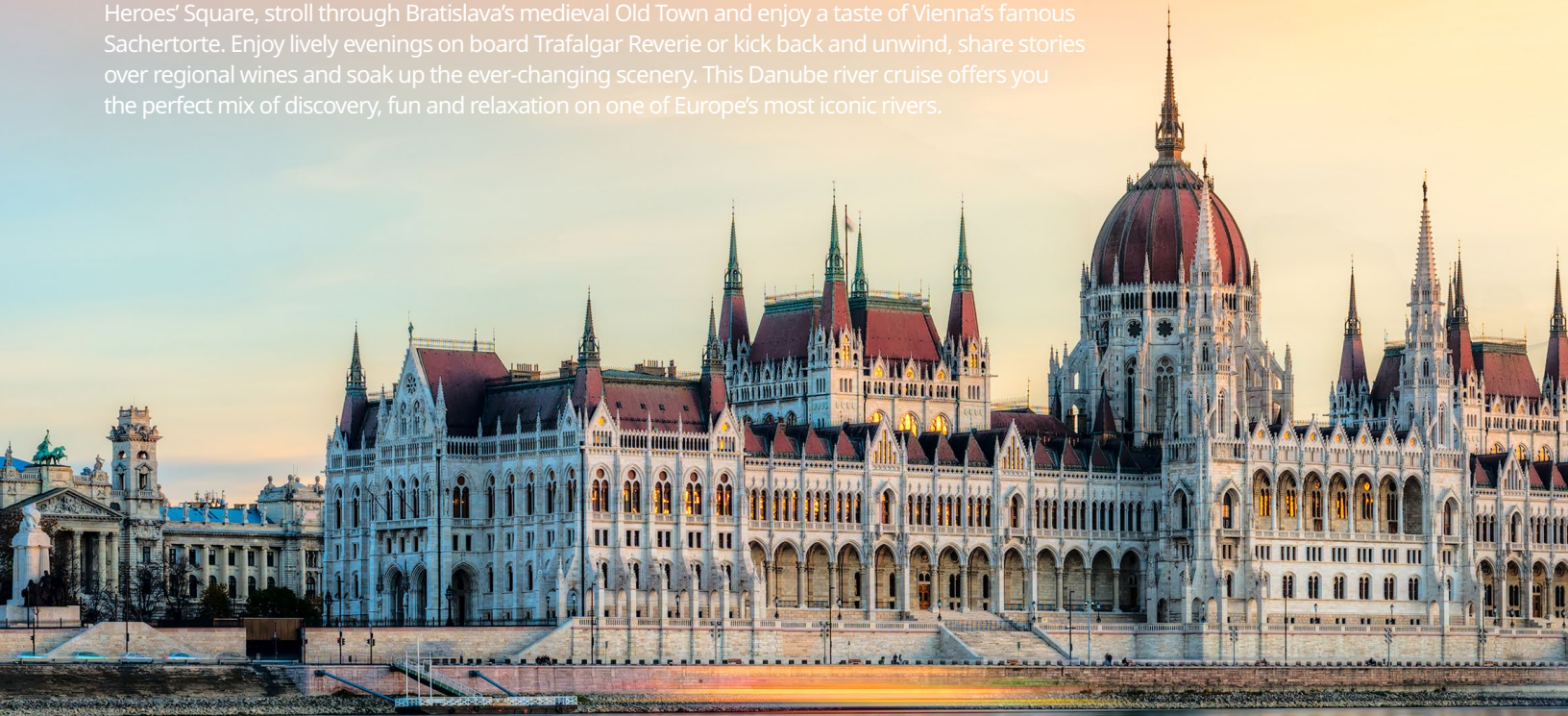


Best of the Danube

Budapest - Passau

8 Days (7-Night River Cruise on *Trafalgar Reverie*) | 4 Countries | 20 Meals

Cruise the Danube and uncover a mix of history, culture and local traditions. Visit Budapest's Heroes' Square, stroll through Bratislava's medieval Old Town and enjoy a taste of Vienna's famous Sachertorte. Enjoy lively evenings on board Trafalgar Reverie or kick back and unwind, share stories over regional wines and soak up the ever-changing scenery. This Danube river cruise offers you the perfect mix of discovery, fun and relaxation on one of Europe's most iconic rivers.



Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Budapest, Bratislava, Vienna, Spitz, Linz, Passau

Visit Must-see Landmark

Fisherman's Bastion and Heroes' Square in Budapest, Michael's Gate in Bratislava

View Must-see Landmark

Matthias Church in Budapest, St. Martin's Cathedral and the Old Town Hall in Bratislava, the State Opera House and the Austrian Parliament Building in Vienna

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See day 5 for your unique local encounter

Travel Responsibly

See day 3 for how you'll make a positive impact

For more information or to book, contact your Travel Advisor.



Best of the Danube

Day 1 | Embark in Budapest

Step aboard the Trafalgar Reverie, your floating home for your Danube cruise, and settle in for the night. This evening, get to know your fellow travellers over dinner hosted by your Experience Director. **(D)**

Day 2 | Cruise the Danube Bend

Today, explore both sides of the city—historic Buda and lively Pest with your Local Specialist. Visit Heroes' Square before heading up Castle Hill past Matthias Church to step inside Fisherman's Bastion for views over the Danube and Parliament. Or, opt to take a foodie tour, diving into Budapest's vibrant culinary scene and tasting local favourites. This afternoon, choose an Optional Experience to explore the Jewish district, including a visit to the Dohány Street Synagogue. In the early evening you'll set sail, cruising through the Danube bend past the town of Szentendre and the former Royal centre of Visegrad. **(B,L,D)**

Day 3 | Through Transdanubia to Bratislava

Cruise along the Danube and cross the border from Hungary to Slovakia. Step ashore in Bratislava and explore its old town on a walking tour with your Local Specialist. Alternatively, step back in time on a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience, uncovering stories of life under Communism and the Velvet Revolution. Looking to stretch your legs? Join an Optional Experience hike up to Bratislava Castle for sweeping Danube views. As you cruise through the evening, you'll pass by the southern foothills of the Little Carpathian Mountains and cross the border to enjoy views of the plains of Lower Austria. **(B,L,D)**

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EXPERIENCE



Delve into Bratislava's Cold War history as you explore key Communist-era sites with a Local Specialist, hearing stories of life under Soviet rule. You'll meet a representative of Post Bellum, a non-profit preserving first-hand accounts of life under totalitarian regimes, ensuring these stories continue to inspire conversations about democracy and freedom today.

Your visit directly supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

Day 4 | Culture and Architecture in Vienna

Get to know buzzing Vienna with a drive along the Ringstraße and a guided walk through the old town, where grand architecture and imperial history come to life. Then, explore further with a choice between two experiences. Indulge in a slice of Sachertorte, experiencing Vienna's famous cafe culture, or step into the world of Mozart, discovering the places that shaped his life and music. This afternoon, choose between two Optional Experiences. Visit

Schönbrunn Palace, the opulent summer home of the Habsburgs, or take a foodie walking tour, tasting strudels, schnitzels and other Viennese favourites. After a day of discovery, why not end the evening with an optional classical concert featuring the music of Mozart and Strauss? **(B,L,D)**

Day 5 | Cruise the Wachau Valley

Cruise through the Wachau Valley, a UNESCO-listed gem known for its vineyards and medieval castles. In Spitz, join your Local Specialist for a walking tour, exploring the charm of this historic riverside town, famous for their apricots. For lunch, join the Saahs family for a Be My Guest experience at Weingut Nikolaihof. Continue your cruise through the Wachau Valley, passing by the historic Melk Abbey into Upper Austria. **(B,BMG,D)**

Be My Guest

Join the Saahs family at Weingut Nikolaihof, Austria's oldest winery. Enjoy a homemade lunch featuring fresh organic produce from their gardens, while soaking up the warm hospitality and history of this family-run estate.

Day 6 | See Historic Linz

Explore Linz with your Local Specialist, strolling through its historic centre and discovering the city's rich past. Alternatively, join an optional tour to Salzburg, Mozart's birthplace and the setting for The Sound of Music. Or, if you love medieval charm, opt for an optional visit to Český Krumlov, a fairytale town with winding streets and a stunning castle. Overnight you'll cruise through the hills of Upper Austria. **(B,L,D)**

Day 7 | Cross the Upper Austrian Hills into Passau

Cross into Bavaria and arrive in Passau, the 'City of Three Rivers', where the Inn, Danube and Ilz meet. Join your Local Specialist for a morning walking tour or choose a hike along the scenic Ilz River. In the afternoon, why not join an optional Bavarian beer, pretzel and music experience? **(B,L,D)**

Day 8 | Farewell Passau

Disembark and bid farewell to the captain and crew, taking with you unforgettable memories of your journey along the Danube. **(B)**

Included meals

(B) Breakfast **(L)** Lunch **(D)** Dinner **(BMG)** Be My Guest



Choose your start location or extend your river cruise

Choose to start your river cruise in either Passau or Budapest, and consider a two-night stay in Prague.

Departure Date:

Pricing:

Cabin Category Double Occupancy

Rate Classic (per person):

Deluxe C (per person):

Deluxe B (per person):

Deluxe A (per person):

French Balcony B (per person):

French Balcony A (per person):

Suite (per person):

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Your Ship

Trafalgar Reverie

From the minute you step aboard the Trafalgar Reverie, you're greeted by a foyer that sets the tone with its elegant, inviting and fabulous design.

Stay entertained with a host of live regional performances and activities. Relax, curl up with a book, catch up with new friends or unwind with your go-to cocktail in the lounge or bar.

While taking in the sights of the Danube, keep body and mind in balance with massage therapy and a rotation of wellness activities. Stay active at the gym, join yoga sessions, Nordic walks or complimentary bicycles for onshore exploration.