

# Tour Itinerary

## CROATIA & SLOVENIA

From Dubrovnik to Zagreb  
10 days/8 nights

### INCLUDED FEATURES:

**Meals:** Breakfast daily (B) and 5 dinners (D) including a special Welcome Dinner in Dubrovnik

**Special features:** Rector's Palace, Diocletian's Palace, Plitvice Lakes National Park, Postojna Caves, Bled Castle, Zagreb Cathedral

**Inside visits:** As shown in **bold** in the itinerary including admission charges where applicable

### Day 1, Saturday

#### ARRIVAL IN DUBROVNIK, CROATIA

Welcome to Dubrovnik, Croatia! After clearing customs you will be met by our local representative either in the customs hall, at the first exit outside the customs area, or at the luggage claim area.

Any claims for lost / stolen baggage should be made to the airline representative at the airport. Our representative will show you to your transportation. You will be transferred to your hotel. Balance of the day is at leisure. Tonight, enjoy a Welcome Dinner. **(O,D)**



### Day 2, Sunday

#### DUBROVNIK

There is a walking tour of "Old Dubrovnik" this morning. As you enter its gates, you feel as if you are stepping back in time – cross a wooden bridge past the gate towers wind your way through the inner gate and enter on to the Placa, the gleaming limestone street that runs straight to the entrance gates at the other end of the town. Your city tour includes the **Rector's Palace**, Bell Tower clock, Orlando's Column and the Sponza Palace. You will also see the Dominican Monastery and Franciscan Monastery with its **Pharmacy**, one of the oldest in the world. The rest of the day is at leisure. **(O, B)**

\* **PLEASE NOTE:** Because of the narrow and historic roads in Dubrovnik, walking is the primary way of getting around. Pack good walking shoes.



### Day 3, Monday

#### DUBROVNIK – SPLIT

Depart Dubrovnik and travel north along the spectacular Adriatic coast, past old fishing villages and new resorts, to Split. Enjoy a city tour featuring the historic inner city, built around Roman Emperor **Diocletian's Palace**, a UNESCO World Cultural Heritage site. See remnants of Split's Roman heritage, its Renaissance and Gothic structures, Jupiter's Temple, the Peristyle and the Cathedral. **(O,B, D)**

### Day 4, Tuesday

#### SPLIT – TROGIR – PLITVICE LAKES

Travel along the coast to Trogir, the center of artistic activities, where scholars from around the world gather to study and paint. Continue inland towards beautiful Plitvice Lakes National Park. **Plitvice Lakes National Park**, listed in UNESCO's World Heritage register, is a system of emerald green lakes connected by waterfalls and cascades. Upon arrival enjoy a walking tour around several of the lower lakes. **(O,B, D)**



### Day 5, Wednesday

#### PLITVICE LAKES – OPATIJA – POSTOJNA, SLOVENIA – BLED

Return to the coast to beautiful Kvarner Bay and its popular resort town, Opatija. Then head north to Postojna, home to one of the largest **caves** in Europe. Tour this fantastic subterranean world by miniature electric train. Afterwards, your journey continues to Bled, beautifully situated in the Julian Alps. **(O,B, D)**

### Day 6, Thursday

#### BLED

An Alpine lake surrounded by the high peaks, Bled was "discovered" by travelers in the middle of 19th century. Since then, a small town of beautiful hotels, villas and restaurants has developed around the lake, turning Bled into a lively, all-seasons resort. A morning sightseeing tour features the town of Bled with the lakeshore and includes a visit to **Bled Castle**, perched on a cliff high above the lake and surrounded by Julian Alps. The balance of the day is at leisure to shop, relax or join an optional activities such as visiting the small island in the middle of the lake. **(O,B)**



### Day 7, Friday

#### **BLED – LJUBLJANA – ZAGREB, CROATIA**

Start your day with a walking tour of Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia. Visit the most significant sights of the old city centre: the picturesque Central open-air Market and the Three Bridges, both designed by famous architect Jozse Plecnik, Baroque Town Hall and Robba's Fountain. Then, continue to Zagreb, the capital city of Croatia. **(O,B, D)**

### Day 8, Saturday

#### **IN ZAGREB**

In the morning your sightseeing tour takes you along the historic Upper Town, to see St. Mark's Church, St. Catherine's Church, the **Cathedral**, the Parliament and Government Palace. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore the winding streets of the old town or take an optional excursion to the countryside. **(O,B)**

### Day 9, Sunday

#### **DEPART ZAGREB**

After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your departure flight. **(B)**

### **DATES: APRIL - NOVEMBER 2010**

<b>Saturday Arrivals and Sunday Returns</b>		
Apr 24 – May 2	May 1 – May 9	May 8 – May 16
May 15 – May 23	May 22 – May 30	May 29 – Jun 6
Jun 5 – Jun 13	Jun 12 – Jun 20	Jun 19 – Jun 27
Jun 26 – Jul 4	Jul 3 – Jul 11	Jul 10 – Jul 18
Jul 17 – Jul 25	Aug 14 – Aug 22	Aug 28 – Sep 5
Sep 4 – Sep 12	Sep 11 – Sep 19	Sep 18 – Sep 26
Sep 25 – Oct 3	Oct 2 – Oct 10	Oct 9 – Oct 17
Oct 16 – Oct 24	Oct 23 – Oct 31	Oct 30 – Nov 7

### **LAND ONLY RATES – Please inquire about airfare for this tour**

#### **Price Per Person:**

Twin/Double Rate: \$1,853

Single Rate: \$647

\* Transfers included if arrival and departure are on tour dates listed above.

\* Tour has a local escort with minimum of 10 participants. With fewer than 10 participants, Local Guide and Driver/Escort provided.

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