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The over-the-top homes. The complicated relationships. The relentless quest for power. Ruling Austria—and later the Austro-Hungarian Empire—for nearly 650 years, the Habsburgs formed one of history's greatest, yet often overlooked, European dynasties. This fascinating tour of Central Europe traces the family's steps—and missteps—as you enjoy the imperial sights of Prague, Budapest, and Vienna with additional overnights in melodious Salzburg and lively Munich. Ornate castles and cathedrals, stunning palaces and parks, and gorgeous gardens and grounds provide a glimpse into the intriguing lives and lavish lifestyles of one of history's most powerful and

controversial families. In-depth sightseeing and a cruise along the legendary Danube offer varied vantage points to witness the magnificent marks this royal family left on Central Europe.

PLUS, your tour includes your choice of excursions in Budapest so you can plan your day your way.

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Special Features Included in this Tour:

- Orientation tour of Munich plus visit to the  Hofbräuhaus
- Guided sightseeing of Prague features the Astronomical Clock and Hradčany Castle grounds
- Orientation walk in Bratislava
- Guided sightseeing tours in Budapest
- Globus Choice excursions in Budapest – included in your tour with your choice of a visit to the Unicum factory and a taste of the traditional liqueur or a visit to a traditional thermal spa
- Guided sightseeing drive in Vienna includes a visit to St. Stephen's Cathedral
-  Scenic Danube River with complimentary coffee and cake
- Guided walking tour of Salzburg
- Dinner at St. Peter Stiftskeller restaurant in Salzburg

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Group Size Options

TOUR OVERVIEW

10

DAYS

4

COUNTRIES

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Germany
Czech
Republic
Hungary
Austria

MEALS

Breakfast 9
Dinner 5



You Dream. We Plan.



Globus takes you beyond the guidebooks with more ways to discover each destination.

Local Favorites

Every Globus tour includes our exclusive Local Favorites, specially included to share the authentic experiences that make each destination unique. Get to know the locals and local flavors you might just miss on your own!

Tour Highlights

Discover something unexpected and unforgettable in the special way only Globus can share—with sightseeing highlights to off-the-beaten-path surprises to out-of-this world moments you'll remember for a lifetime!

Enhanced Free Time

Explore or relax as you please, or choose exciting options available at MyGlobus. Get local maps and free time tips on your GlobusGO mobile app. Your Tour Director can suggest the perfect way to design your day!

DAY-BY-DAY

Itinerary



1 ARRIVE IN MUNICH, GERMANY

Welcome to Munich!

At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and travel companions for a welcome dinner at your hotel.

 Dinner

2 MUNICH-PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC

The Heart of a City

This morning, get acquainted with Munich during an orientation tour. See the Olympic Stadium, Maximilianstrasse and the Opera. Stop to take photos of the Nymphenburg Palace and enjoy some free time to stroll around Marienplatz. Depart Munich and enter the Czech Republic to reach Prague. Free time this evening.

255 mi / 410 km

 Breakfast  Dinner

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

CULTURE & TRADITION Experience the geographical and cultural heart of Munich at its Marienplatz, the town square since 1158. Stroll through the home of historic buildings, including the Old and New Town Halls in the picturesque heart and soul of the city.

Make the Most of Your Free Time

While we include select excursions and must-see sights on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your tour.

Illuminated Prague with Tavern Visit

Discover the magic of Prague on this guided walking tour featuring the city's illuminated icons, Czech beer and music at a local tavern, and a stroll across the world-famous Charles Bridge!

2h 0m

Price Range: \$



3 PRAGUE

The Golden City

Join your Local Guide for a sightseeing tour to discover this exquisite city. Visit the Hradčany Castle grounds and admire the views of the Castle's walls and the St. Vitus Cathedral. Continue to the Old Town to see the Jewish Ghetto and the famous Astronomical Clock. An afternoon and evening at leisure to explore more.

 Breakfast

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

CULTURAL GEM The capital city of the Czech Republic which spans the Vltava River is often called the "City of a Hundred Spires," or "The Golden City." See the beautiful Old Town Square, with vibrant Baroque buildings, Gothic churches, and the medieval Astronomical Clock, delighting passers-by each hour. Stroll around the exquisite grounds at Hradčany Castle, considered to be the world's largest ancient castle complex.

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Vltava River Lunch Cruise

Take a break from traditional sightseeing without sacrificing a moment of your time in the Golden City on this incredible 1.5-hour lunch cruise along the magnificent Vltava River.

2h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



4 PRAGUE-BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA-BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

Serenity in Slovakia

Today, cross the border into Slovakia and reach Bratislava, the elegant capital city, which practically borders Austria and Hungary. Enjoy an orientation walk and some free time for lunch; why not try some local specialties like Bryndzové halušky (potato dumplings and sheep cheese). Later, arrive in Budapest.

348 mi / 560 km



Breakfast



Dinner

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

CITY SIGHTS Situated on the Danube River with the Little Carpathian Mountains as its backdrop, Bratislava is a real gem, a capital city with a local vibe. Whilst hearing about the historic area, look out for "Cumil" one the city's most photographed inhabitants- the bronze statue of a man climbing out of a manhole.

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Illuminated Budapest

Discover the magic of Budapest at night during this enchanting sightseeing tour featuring the city's illuminated icons.

1h 0m

Price Range: \$



5 BUDAPEST

Spend your day your way in Budapest

Follow your Local Guide for a sightseeing tour featuring a panoramic view of Fishermen's Bastion. Explore more of Budapest with your choice of included Globus Choice excursions.

Hungarian Sips

Discover the story behind one of Hungary's most celebrated tastes: Unicum liqueur. Experience a unique local tradition, that can't be done anywhere else in the world! Visit the one and only House of Unicum and taste the traditional Unicum liqueur straight from the barrel!

Hot Springs Eternal

Budapest has been famous for its thermal springs since Roman times. Take a break from sightseeing and experience the Budapest "spa culture" with a dip in its thermal baths amid architectural grandeur. Soak and sauna to relax, recharge, and rejuvenate in ancient style.

Free time this evening.

 Breakfast

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Danube Cruise

Discover the magic of Budapest on this enchanting Danube River cruise past the city's most famous landmarks!

2h 30m

Price Range: \$\$\$



The City of Music

Cross the border into Austria to reach Vienna, the capital city. After some free time for lunch, join your Local Guide for a sightseeing tour featuring a drive along the elegant Ringstrasse. Stop to take photos of the Hofburg Palace and Heldenplatz, and visit the incredible St. Stephen's Cathedral. Free time this evening to try some local specialties for dinner.

174 mi / 280 km

 Breakfast

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

ART & ARCHITECTURE Visit St. Stephen's Cathedral, the magnificent mother church of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Vienna. A sight to behold, the cathedral features the massive Romanesque "Giant's Door" – adorned with dragons, birds, lions, monks, and demons.

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Traditional Austrian Dinner

Travel to the outskirts of Vienna to a local restaurant or Viennese Heurigen (wine tavern) for a traditional dinner complete with music, entertainment, and wine from the latest harvest!

2h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



City of Dreams

Enjoy a day at leisure in Vienna, absorb more art and culture in one of the many museums, browse the stores, or experience the Viennese coffee-house culture with a delicious pastry at one of the city's elegant cafés.



Breakfast

TOUR HIGHLIGHT

CULTURE & TRADITION Fall in love with the Austrian city that has played a key role throughout history. It is easy to see how musical geniuses such as Mozart and Strauss were inspired by this captivating city.

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Schönbrunn Palace, Cultural Gem of Austria

Visit magnificent Schönbrunn Palace, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and former summer residence of the Habsburg imperial family.

3h 30m

Price Range: \$\$



Classical Concert

Enjoy a spellbinding evening of classical works by Mozart and Johann Strauss, performed brilliantly by professional Salon Orchestra Alt-Wien musicians in one of Europe's prettiest venues.

2h 30m

Price Range: \$\$



8 VIENNA–SALZBURG

Austrian Accents

A real treat this morning,  take a scenic Danube River cruise. Sit back and relax as you enjoy Kaffee und Kuchen (coffee and cake) and fabulous views. After disembarking, arrive in Salzburg and meet your Local Guide for a walking tour through the historic center to see the Mirabell Gardens, the Great Festival Hall, St. Peter's Monastery, Residenz Square and Mozart's birthplace. Then, enjoy dinner at St. Peter Stiftskeller restaurant.

205 mi / 330 km

 Breakfast  Dinner

LOCAL FAVORITE

EPIC RIDE Sit back and relax for a leisurely cruise along one of the most scenic sections of the Danube River. Whilst watching the world pass by, indulge in another Austrian tradition- a cup of Kaffee and a delicious piece of Kuchen. Wunderbar!

9 SALZBURG–MUNICH, GERMANY

Mozart's Birthplace & Mugs of Beer

Enjoy a relaxing morning in Salzburg, including free time for lunch, then travel to Munich. This evening, join your travel companions for a farewell dinner at a local restaurant before visiting the  Hofbräuhaus.

109 mi / 175 km

 Breakfast  Dinner

LOCAL FAVORITE

LOCAL TASTES If steins and suds are on your mind, then Munich is the place to sip and socialize at the legendary Hofbräuhaus. Raise a glass to your fantastic European vacation and the new and wonderful friends you've made along the way. Prost!

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Spectacular Berchtesgaden with Hitler's Eagle's Nest*

Travel through fresh mountain air and unbelievable scenery to Berchtesgaden for a visit of Adolph Hitler's infamous Eagle's Nest command post. (*Hitler's Eagle's Nest available from mid May to...

4h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



10 MUNICH

Safe travels until we meet again!

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

 Breakfast

Tour Director

HAND-PICKED

Hotels



We've vetted and hand-selected the best hotels around the world with location, comfort, and style in mind. Enjoy first-class hotels in each destination, and check in with the confidence that we've already checked everything out for your comfort and convenience.

MUNICH

Hilton Munich City

Rosenheimer Strasse 15 Muenchen Germany

 SuperiorFirst-Class Hotel as shown or similar

 WiFi

Conveniently located in Munich's entertainment district, this 480-room upscale property provides a relaxing atmosphere alongside an exciting array of culinary delights and ambience in its lobby and signature bar. Free Wi-Fi is available throughout, there is a 24-hour fitness room and its direct access to a metro station ensures fast easy connections to the city center and all major sites.

Hotel Amenities

- Business Center
- Elevator
- Concierge Desk
- Free WiFi
- Luggage Storage
- Bar/Lounge
- Fitness Room
- Laundry Available
- Restaurant On-Site
- Currency Exchange
- Ice Machine
- Parking/Valet

Room Features

- Complimentary Newspaper
- Non-Smoking Rooms
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Room Service
- Window Opens
- Internet Access
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Air Conditioning
- Coffee Maker
- Desk
- Television
- Mini-Bar
- In-Room Safe
- Wake-Up Calls
- Alarm Clock
- Cable/Satellite
- Climate Control
- Disabled Access / Rooms

PRAGUE

Grandium Prague

Politických Vězňů 12/913 Prague Czech Republic

 Superior First-Class Hotel as shown or similar

 WiFi

A contemporary nature themed hotel housed in an elegant neoclassical building with 198 guestrooms, a small fitness room and Free Wi-Fi internet access throughout the property. The unique Noodle restaurant & Café Bar offers a great choice of noodle orientated cuisine from all over the world along with local specialties, desserts, drinks and cocktails.

Hotel Amenities

- Fitness Room
- Laundry Available
- Restaurant On-Site
- Luggage Storage
- Parking/Valet
- Elevator
- Concierge Desk
- Free WiFi
- Bar/Lounge

Room Features

- Desk
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- Smoking Rooms
- Room Service
- Window Opens
- Cable/Satellite
- Climate Control
- Air Conditioning
- Voicemail
- Television
- Mini-Bar
- In-Room Safe
- Wake-Up Calls
- Internet Access
- Pay Movies
- Complimentary Toiletries

BUDAPEST

Hotel M Gallery Nemzeti

Jozsef Krt 4 Budapest Hungary



SuperiorFirst-Class Hotel as shown or similar



WiFi

This historic upscale hotel housed in an ornate 19th-century building has ties to the first Hungarian National Theater, echoing the artistic spirit of Budapest. Set in the heart of the city, on the Pest side of Budapest at Blaha Lujza square, a convenient location well serviced by public transportation with many dining options in the vicinity. Popular shopping areas, cultural attractions and landmarks such as the New York Cafe, Madach Musical Theater and National Museum can be easily reached. All of the 80 stylish, contemporary designed air-conditioned rooms are equipped with flat-screen TV, multimedia box, coffee/tea making facilities and luxury bathroom amenities. Free high-speed 5G Wi-Fi is available throughout the property. There is a lobby bar that serves coffee, drinks and light bites as well as a cafe that serves traditional Hungarian fare for lunch and dinner.

Hotel Amenities

- Business Center
- Laundry Available
- Restaurant On-Site
- Luggage Storage
- Elevator
- Concierge Desk
- Free WiFi
- Bar/Lounge

Room Features

- Coffee Maker
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Room Service
- Cable/Satellite
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Desk
- Television
- Mini-Bar
- In-Room Safe
- Internet Access
- Climate Control
- Air Conditioning

VIENNA

Maxx By Steigenberger

Margaretengurtel 142 Vienna Austria



First-Class Hotel as shown or similar



WiFi

MAXX Hotel Vienna is conveniently and centrally located between Westbahnhof Train Station and the city center. All rooms feature a modern design with contemporary amenities.

Hotel Amenities

- Spa Services
- Fitness Room
- Concierge Desk
- Luggage Storage
- Business Center
- Elevator
- Free WiFi
- Bar/Lounge

Room Features

- Coffee Maker
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- Internet Access
- Climate Control
- Air Conditioning
- Desk
- Television
- In-Room Safe
- Cable/Satellite
- Complimentary Toiletries

SALZBURG

Hotel NH Salzburg City

Franz-Josef-Strasse 26 Salzburg Austria



First-Class Hotel as shown or similar



WiFi

Located in the heart of the city, near the Mirabell Gardens, this 140-room contemporary property has Free Wi-Fi internet access throughout, a restaurant serving a mix of Austrian and International dishes, a cocktail bar and a lovely outdoor terrace where drinks and snacks can be enjoyed in the summer.

Hotel Amenities

- Fitness Room
- Laundry Available
- Free WiFi
- Bar/Lounge
- Elevator
- Restaurant On-Site
- Luggage Storage
- Parking/Valet

Room Features

- Non-Smoking Rooms
- Phone
- Hair Dryer
- In-Room Safe
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