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**Above offers are per stateroom, based on double occupancy, and subject to terms and conditions, see inside brochure for details.*



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Dear Alumni and Friends,

It's time to pack your bags, leave your worries behind, and embark on a new adventure.

Join us on an unforgettable voyage, exploring some of the world's most captivating destinations. Whether you're an avid history buff, a culinary connoisseur, or simply seeking relaxation amidst breathtaking scenery, we have the perfect itinerary for you.

Our collaboration with Go Next and their trusted cruise partners ensure you'll receive top-tier hospitality and a seamless travel experience. With a dedicated Go Next Program Manager on board, you can expect personalized guidance and expertise every step of the way.

Secure your spot today, and get ready to check off more inspiring destinations from your bucket list.

Sincerely,



Leanna Smith '09, '16
Assistant Director | MSU Alumni Association
alumni.msstate.edu/travel

P.S. Discover this trip and many more at
<https://www.gonext.com/groups/mississippi-state-university/>

TRAVEL PROTECTION

An application for trip cancellation, baggage, and medical insurance will be sent to you by the MSU Alumni Association's travel program once you are registered for the tour. Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Contact Leanna Smith at 662.325.7000 or lsmith@alumni.msstate.edu for further information.

RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY

1. Online at www.gonext.com/medmelange25
2. Call 800.842.9023



2-NIGHT BARCELONA POST-CRUISE PROGRAM

\$1,449 per person, double occupancy • \$1,949 single

NOVEMBER 8-10, 2025 FEATURING:

Where architectural legacy meets a culinary haven—the cosmopolitan city of Barcelona is known for unforgettable art, fine cuisine, and rich history. Discover Antoni Gaudí’s architectural masterpieces, including the Sagrada Família church. Experience the pulsating La Rambla boulevard—where musicians, street vendors, and cafes intermingle. Take a stroll down the charming squares of the old Gothic Quarter and tour the Palau de la Música Catalana concert hall. Soak in the architectural history of the Hospital de la Santa Creu and learn why it has been declared an Artistic Landmark of National Interest.

- 2 nights at 5-star NH Collection Barcelona Gran Hotel Calderón or similar accommodations with breakfast
- 2 Half-day sightseeing tours of Barcelona featuring:
 - Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau
 - Palau de la Música Catalana concert
 - Gaudí’s architectural creations
 - Gothic Quarter
 - Barcelona Cathedral (outside visit)
 - Sagrada Família Church (outside visit)
- Transfers between cruise ship, hotel and Barcelona (BCN) airport,* with related luggage handling

*TRANSFERS: Airport transfers are only applicable during program dates. Transfers are only provided to Barcelona (BCN) airport.

FOR GUESTS BOOKING THEIR OWN AIR ARRANGEMENTS: Flights should be booked from Barcelona (BCN) airport. You must provide your complete flight details to Go Next 30 days prior to departure to ensure airport transfers.

MOBILITY STATEMENT: Travelers should be confident in their ability to walk and stand for up to 3-4 hours with a total of up to 2 miles per day while keeping a steady pace with a group or tour guide. This tour can involve walking on mostly uneven ground and occasionally stairs, some with no handrails. Travelers should be able to board a coach or tour bus independently. This tour is not recommended for those with a walker or wheelchair. LOCAL CUSTOMS: Local customs require covering knees and shoulders when visiting religious sites.

The *Go Beyond* with Go Next Pre/Post-Cruise Program pricing, itineraries, order of sites, and accommodations are subject to change.



More time and peace of mind. Don't just wave at your arrival or departure city from the deck—spend more time with your feet on the ground and immerse yourself in local culture with engaging tours led by an expert local travel guide. Let us handle the logistics of your airport transportation, luggage handling, and so much more, so you can worry less and go all in on your vacation.

2-NIGHT ROME PRE-CRUISE PROGRAM

\$1,599 per person, double occupancy • \$1,999 single

OCTOBER 27*-29 2025, FEATURING:

- 2 nights at 4-star Hotel Metropole or similar accommodations with breakfast
- 2 Half-day sightseeing tours of Rome featuring:
 - Vatican City
 - Colosseum (outside visit)
 - Roman Forum (inside visit)
 - Papal Basilica of Saint Paul outside the walls
- **October 28 (Afternoon): Optional Tivoli and the gardens of Villa d'Este – a UNESCO World Heritage Site for \$179 per person**
- Transfers between Rome (FCO) airport,* hotel, and cruise ship with related luggage handling

*Rome hotel check-in date is October 27

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MOBILITY STATEMENT: Travelers should be confident in their ability to walk and stand for a minimum of 5 hours with a total of 2-4 miles per day while keeping a steady pace with a group or tour guide. This tour can involve walking on uneven ground for extended periods and occasionally stairs, some without handrails. Travelers should be able to board a coach or tour bus independently. This tour is not recommended for those with a walker or wheelchair. LOCAL CUSTOMS: Local customs require covering knees and shoulders when visiting religious sites.

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ITINERARY

	Arrive	Depart	
October 29: Rome (Civitavecchia), Italy <i>Embark - 1 PM</i>		7 PM	
October 30: Naples/Pompeii, Italy	7 AM	7 PM	
October 31: Palermo, Sicily, Italy	8 AM	5 PM	
November 1: Olbia/Porto Cervo, Sardinia, Italy	9 AM	6 PM	
November 2: Ajaccio, Corsica, France	8 AM	6 PM	
November 3: Monte Carlo, Monaco	8 AM	7 PM	
November 4: Marseille, Provence, France	7 AM	5 PM	
November 5: Mahon, Menorca, Spain	8 AM	5 PM	
November 6: Alicante, Spain	10 AM	7 PM	
November 7: Valencia, Spain	8 AM	5 PM	
November 8: Barcelona, Spain <i>Disembark - 8 AM</i>			

 *Anchor Port* : Notes an anchor off shore rather than alongside the dock or quay. In this case, a tender will be used to take you ashore.

 *Go Beyond Pre/Post-Cruise Location* Port locations and times may be subject to change.

ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

- Behold breathtaking views of the Gulf of Naples from Sorrento
- Ride through Sardinia's northeastern countryside
- Marvel at the illustrious Casino de Monte Carlo
- Savor terrific local wines and cheeses in Provence
- Watch an expressive flamenco performance in Valencia



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CATEGORY

OS	Owner's Suite	Decks 6, 7, 8	\$12,699
VS	Vista Suite	Decks 6, 7	\$10,899
PH1	Penthouse Suite	Deck 8	\$7,799
PH2	Penthouse Suite	Deck 8	\$7,599
PH3	Penthouse Suite	Deck 8	\$7,399
A1	Concierge Veranda	Decks 7, 8	\$6,399
A2	Concierge Veranda	Decks 6, 7	\$6,249
A3	Concierge Veranda	Deck 7	\$6,099
B1	Veranda Stateroom	Deck 6	\$5,949
B2	Veranda Stateroom	Deck 6	\$5,799
C1	Deluxe Ocean View	Decks 4, 6, 7	\$4,599
C2	Deluxe Ocean View	Deck 4	\$4,499
D	Ocean View	Deck 3	\$4,299
S	Solo Ocean View Stateroom	Deck 6	\$6,199
F	Inside Stateroom	Decks 7, 8	\$4,099
G	Inside Stateroom	Decks 4, 6, 7	\$3,799

FREE ROUNTRIP AIRFARE FROM OVER 90 CITIES

Includes Oceania standard cities and 70+ additional cities exclusively for Go Next guests.

For full list of departure cities visit gonext.com/flightcities

Cruise-only fares are available. Call for more information. The Go Next fares above are per person based on double occupancy. Advertised fares include roundtrip airfare and transfers from select cities; accommodations, meals, and entertainment aboard the ship; services of an onboard Go Next Program Manager(s); a private welcome reception; air-related surcharges, fees, and government taxes; and cruise-related government fees and taxes. Shipboard gratuities included.

Additional airfare cities may be available for an additional fee of \$199. All airfare is in coach class. Airline-imposed baggage fees may apply. For more details, see the Operator/Participant Agreement at gonext.com/terms. Due to limited flight schedules, an overnight stay may be required at the traveler's expense.

*Promotional savings valid as of printing date, based on double occupancy, and subject to change.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT [GONEXT.COM/TERMS](https://gonext.com/terms).

DEPOSITS: A DEPOSIT OF \$500 PER PERSON IS DUE WITH YOUR RESERVATION APPLICATION. CRUISE FARE DEPOSITS AND THE FINAL PAYMENT MUST BE MADE BY CREDIT CARD. CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS WILL BE PROCESSED DIRECTLY WITH OCEANIA CRUISES. GO BEYOND WITH GO NEXT PROGRAM PAYMENTS MUST BE PAID BY CHECK. PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO GO NEXT. FULL PAYMENT IS REQUIRED BY MAY 12, 2025.

MAKING A DEPOSIT OR ACCEPTANCE OR USE OF ANY VOUCHERS, TICKETS, GOODS, OR SERVICES SHALL BE DEEMED CONSENT TO AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS STATED IN THE APPLICABLE OPERATOR/PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT, INCLUDING LIMITATIONS ON RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY.



ACCOMMODATIONS

	OS	VS	PH	A	B	C	D	S	F	G
SQUARE FOOTAGE	1,000	786	322	216	216	165	165	143	160	160
COMPLIMENTARY IN-SUITE BAR WITH PREMIUM SELECTION	•	•								
24-HOUR BUTLER SERVICE	•	•	•							
COORDINATION OF SHORE-SIDE RESERVATIONS (ONCE ON BOARD)	•	•	•							
UNLIMITED ACCESS TO AQUAMAR SPA TERRACE	•	•	•	•						
FREE LAUNDRY SERVICE†	•	•	•	•						
PRIORITY SHIP EMBARKATION	•	•	•	•						
PRIVATE TEAK VERANDA	•	•	•	•	•					
FLOOR TO CEILING PANORAMIC WINDOWS	•	•	•	•	•					
OCEAN VIEW	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
WIRELESS INTERNET ACCESS AND CELLULAR SERVICE	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
24-HOUR ROOM SERVICE	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
REFRIGERATED MINI BAR	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
PLUSH COTTON ROBES	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
TRANQUILITY BED	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

Ultimate Luxury OS: Owner's Suite VS: Vista Suite **Luxury** PH: Penthouse (PH1, PH2, PH3) **Best Value** A : Concierge Veranda, (A1, A2, A3) B: Veranda (B1, B2) C: Deluxe Ocean View (C1, C2) D: Ocean View (D) S: Solo Ocean View Stateroom (S) F&G: Inside Stateroom (F, G). Differentiation in pricing within the category type is due to location on the deck. †Up to three bags and up to 20 garments in each bag. All stateroom and suite locations and prices are subject to availability. Categories OS, VS, and OC have very limited availability. Deposit and cancellation policies for Categories OS, VS, and OC differ from those listed in this brochure and website. Please call for details.

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- **FREE Roundtrip Airfare**
- **FREE Airport Transfers**

- **FREE Gourmet Specialty Dining**
- **FREE Wi-Fi**
- **FREE Shipboard Gratuities**

*Offer applies to the first two guests in a stateroom. Roundtrip airfare is available from over 90 cities with Go Next, see gonext.com/flightcities. Airport transfers are only applicable on program dates. Wi-Fi offer includes two devices per stateroom.



OCEANIA CRUISES

GO SAFELY

- Commitment to health and safety through enhanced protocols
- Always up-to-date with safety standards. Read more at www.gonext.com/resources

GO COMFORTABLY

- Small ship cruising—just 670 guests
- Staff to guest ratio of 1 to 1.7
- Resort casual attire—no formal nights

GO GOURMET

- A variety of exceptional dining options, from casual to gourmet restaurants.
- Unlimited complimentary soft drinks, filtered water, espresso, coffee, tea, and juice.
- Champagne, wine, beer, and non-alcoholic drinks are available by the glass with lunch and dinner.

ABOARD NAUTICA

Oceania Cruises' *Nautica* has been transformed to ensure the highest quality experience onboard from sun up to sun down. Sink into your Ultra Tranquility Bed in your designer-decorated stateroom for a good night's rest so you can take advantage of all the ship has to offer. Unwind at the Aquamar Spa + Vitality Center, grab a latte from Barista's coffee bar, or enjoy afternoon tea as a classical string quartet serenades you. Savor exquisite flavors at one of the four unique open-seating restaurants, attend a lecture by a guest historian, and elevate your evening with a live musical performance.



THE FINEST CUISINE AT SEA®

Enjoy unique recipes and menus curated by Master Chef Jacques Pépin. As you sail from one captivating destination to the next, Oceania Cruises' commitment to culinary excellence shines from beginning to end. Garnering countless accolades, our gourmet culinary program begins with sourcing premium artisanal ingredients from around the world.



GO next BENEFITS

When you book with Go Next you get more - from the time you book a trip to your welcome home.

GO CAREFREE

- Go Next provides after-hour assistance for any pre-travel airline delays or cancellations
- Joining every trip, a Go Next Program Manager is your traveling attendant on board and off

GO TOGETHER

- Every time you travel with Go Next, you're giving back to your alumni association
- Sail with a team of experts that are adaptable, responsive, and have delivered guest satisfaction over the last 50 years

GO WITH MORE

- Enjoy competitive pricing that guarantees the best value for your cruise experience
- Free roundtrip airfare from 70+ additional cities exclusively for Go Next travelers

GO EXCLUSIVELY

- Dedicated cruise cabins are reserved on each ship solely for Go Next travelers
- *Go Beyond*—add a unique Go Next Pre-Cruise or Post-Cruise tour offered exclusively to Go Next guests on select trips. Includes transfers, hotel stay, local guides, and more!

MEDITERRANEAN MELANGE

Take in art, architecture, history, and romance on this 10-night cruise aboard Oceania Cruises' *Nautica*. Begin in timeless Rome and set sail along the sunny Mediterranean. Escape to Naples to see Pompeii, the ruins of a preserved ancient Roman city once buried under the ashes of nearby Mt. Vesuvius. As you reach Palermo, indulge in a gastronomic adventure, savoring the flavors of Sicilian cuisine. Visit the Basilica of San Simplicio in Olbia or enjoy shopping in high-end boutiques in Porto Cervo. Explore the ancestral home of Napoleon Bonaparte in Ajaccio and try your hand at the famed Casino de Monte-Carlo in Monte Carlo. Immerse yourself in the captivating landscapes of Provence as the aroma of lavender fields and breathtaking views of the coastlines and mountainous areas sweep you away. Take in Mahon's natural harbor and explore Spain's quaint and charming villages. If you enjoy hiking, consider climbing Mount Benacantil in Alicante to reach Santa Barbara Castle. Before journey's end in beautiful Barcelona, stop in Valencia and sample paella or visit the astonishing City of Arts and Sciences.