



The Curated Lake Como & Milan 4 day Journey 2027

Immerse yourself in Milan and Lake Como's exquisite craftsmanship, style, and vibrant culture- creating unforgettable moments along the way.

Afternoon: Arrival and check-in at your hotel.

Evening: Settle in with a **welcome aperitif** at the hotel, hosted by your journey host, Cara Martin. Afterwards, enjoy dinner at your leisure at a **chic restaurant** in the piazza, just a short walk away.





Morning & Afternoon:

Embark on the quintessential Lake Como experience with a private boat tour. Enjoy **lunch at a beloved local restaurant**, savouring exquisite cuisine with the lake within reach. Soak in the beautiful scenery and **view the private villas** otherwise not seen.



Evening:

Immerse yourself in an **exclusive cooking masterclass** at the renowned Trattoria del Glicine, where you will learn the secrets of **authentic Italian dishes** from their passionate culinary team.



Morning:

Private behind-the-scenes visit to **Amato Daniele, heritage bag-maker**. Witness the craftsmanship and order a bespoke creation.

Midday:

Lunch at a **Tuscan trattoria** favored by Milanese celebrities.

Afternoon:

Shop like a local at Calzature Gallon for inexpensive espadrilles and **must-have Friulane slippers** - you will want one in every colour. Continue to the charming **Brera** district, home to **Officine Buly** for beautiful **French beauty products** and little treasures for gifts. Then wander the **Quadrilatero della moda**, drop in to **Roger Vivier** for a beautiful pair of Shoes then then past the Duomo and Galleria Vittorio Emanuele.

Early Evening:

Immerse yourself in the bustling energy of **Camparino, Milan's oldest bar**. Stand with a Spritz among the crowd, soak up the historic atmosphere, and toast to the city - no reservations, just pure Milanese spirit.

Evening: Return lakeside and enjoy a delicious Pizza in Como's coolest restaurant / pizzeria.





Morning: Begin at **Mantero Maison**, where exquisite textiles have adorned luxury houses for generations. Enjoy a private **scarf styling masterclass** and acquire timeless **silk pieces** that reflect centuries of Italian artistry.

Mid-Morning: Visit the historic family headquarters, where silk **transforms into skincare**. Discover their secret: Sericina Integra, a **rejuvenating silk protein** that bridges textile artistry and beauty innovation.



Midday: Light **lunch at COVA**, inside Casabianca – a **1930s villa transformed into a private contemporary art collection**, open to visitors as a lived-in home, complete with a COVA pastry shop. After lunch, **explore the museum** at your own pace.

Afternoon: A leisurely wander through **Lake Como's historic centre**, with time to venture into the designer boutiques.



Evening: Fabulous, elegant **dinner overlooking stunning panoramic lake views** - a fitting finale to a day of style and beauty.





*A relaxed morning at leisure -
enjoy the hotel's beautiful grounds, take a
final dip in the pool, or
wander through the charming local village.
Stop for a coffee like a local before departing
at your convenience.*



MEET CARA MARTIN

I am a personal style curator and luxury fashion consultant with a lifetime of international experience dedicated to timeless elegance.

Originally from Australia, my journey began in Monte Carlo, Monaco, working with South Sea Australian Pearls. For the past twenty years, I have been based on Lake Como, where I built my career in fashion. I specialized in footwear and leather goods, shaping collections for renowned houses such as Prada, Thom Browne, Cesare Paciotti, and Hugo Boss, collaborating directly with Europe's finest artisans. This long immersion in craftsmanship and material defines my approach today.

From my home on the lake, I guide a select roster of private clients toward deeply considered investments in style. I specialize in wearable sophistication - curating complete looks, from the perfect shoe to the finished ensemble, ensuring every choice reflects enduring elegance.

"True luxury marries impeccable craftsmanship with effortless wearability - from the perfect shoe to the complete ensemble."



MEET KEVIN GARWOOD

Luxury Travel Architect & Experience Designer and owner of Classic Traveller.

We specialise in designing bespoke, high-end travel experiences that inspire and delight, guided by the belief that true luxury is found not only in the destination, but in the journey itself.

With deep expertise and a passion for exceptional service, we curate personalised itineraries tailored to your individual tastes and preferences. Every journey is seamless, immersive, and unforgettable.

As a proud Virtuoso-affiliated travel design house, Classic Traveller holds preferred partnerships with the world's most prestigious hotels and resorts, elite cruise lines, and premier tour and on-site operators, offering our clients exclusive access and elevated experiences worldwide.

“True luxury is found in the seamless harmony of journey and destination - where every detail is a deliberate part of your story.”

RESTAURANTS IN COMO



HARRY'S BAR

An iconic and refined institution in Cernobbio, established in 1973, now part of the Villa d'Este group. Elegant, retro atmosphere and traditional Italian cuisine. A favorite among locals and visitors alike.



LA TIRLANDANA

A beloved, intimate family-run restaurant in Sala Comacina, on Lake Como. Chef Patricia's creative cuisine uses fresh, locally sourced ingredients & produce from the garden.



TRATTORIA DEL GLICINE

An extraordinary cooking masterclass. This immersive experience guides you through Italy's most iconic dishes and traditional techniques, offering a true journey through authentic flavors and culinary passion.



ONDA

A vibrant, casual dining venue on Cernobbio's lakeshore. With open-air spaces, scenic views and modern Italian cuisine. A perfect spot for both relaxed lunches and lively social gatherings, emphasizing community and good taste.



COVA at CASABIANCA

An elegant café and pastry shop inside Casabianca, a 1930s villa turned art collection on Lake Como. With indoor and outdoor seating, it offers scenic views, exceptional pastries, and light lunches – perfect for a sophisticated pause in a stunning setting.



UNA FINESTRA SUL LAGO

A hidden gem, offering stunning panoramic views and an elegant atmosphere. With a focus on high-quality ingredients, glamour, and warm hospitality. A favored destination for lovers of fine food and breathtaking scenery, including many celebrity visitors.

RESTAURANTS IN MILAN



TRATTORIA TORRE DI PISA

A beloved Tuscan trattoria favored by Milanese celebrities, offering authentic regional flavors in a warm, timeless atmosphere - perfect for savoring genuine Tuscan cuisine in style.



CAMPARINO

At Camparino, the brilliance of the signature Campari Spritz is matched only by its legendary location - Milan's oldest bar, in the heart of the Galleria. Open to all, bustling with energy, and welcoming new stories every day, this is Milanese history tasted standing up.

ACCOMMODATIONS | VILLA D'ESTE, LAKE COMO

Your Timeless Haven: Villa d'Este

Where centuries of legacy meet unparalleled luxury on the shores of Lake Como.

Your journey is centered at the **iconic Villa d'Este**, a **legendary 16th-century estate** that **has defined the art of hospitality for generations**. A world of quiet prestige and a fitting showcase for Chanel's exclusive Cruise 2026 runway, it is a sanctuary where heritage is felt in every detail and returning is a cherished tradition.

You will reside amidst ten hectares of **stately gardens**, grand architecture, and tranquil **lakeside** vistas. Here, an atmosphere of unhurried elegance prevails, and the most discerning guests find a private and permanent address on the lake.

Within this extraordinary haven, you will discover the perfect foundation for this exclusive experience, a world of effortless beauty that endures.



WHAT AWAITS YOU

Italian elegance daily

Discover & enjoy Lake Como and Milan - an exclusive opportunity to explore these iconic destinations with an insider, uncovering their hidden gems and authentic charm.

Luxury stays

Beautiful 5-star, iconic hotel, alongside authentic local dining experiences for lunch and dinner.

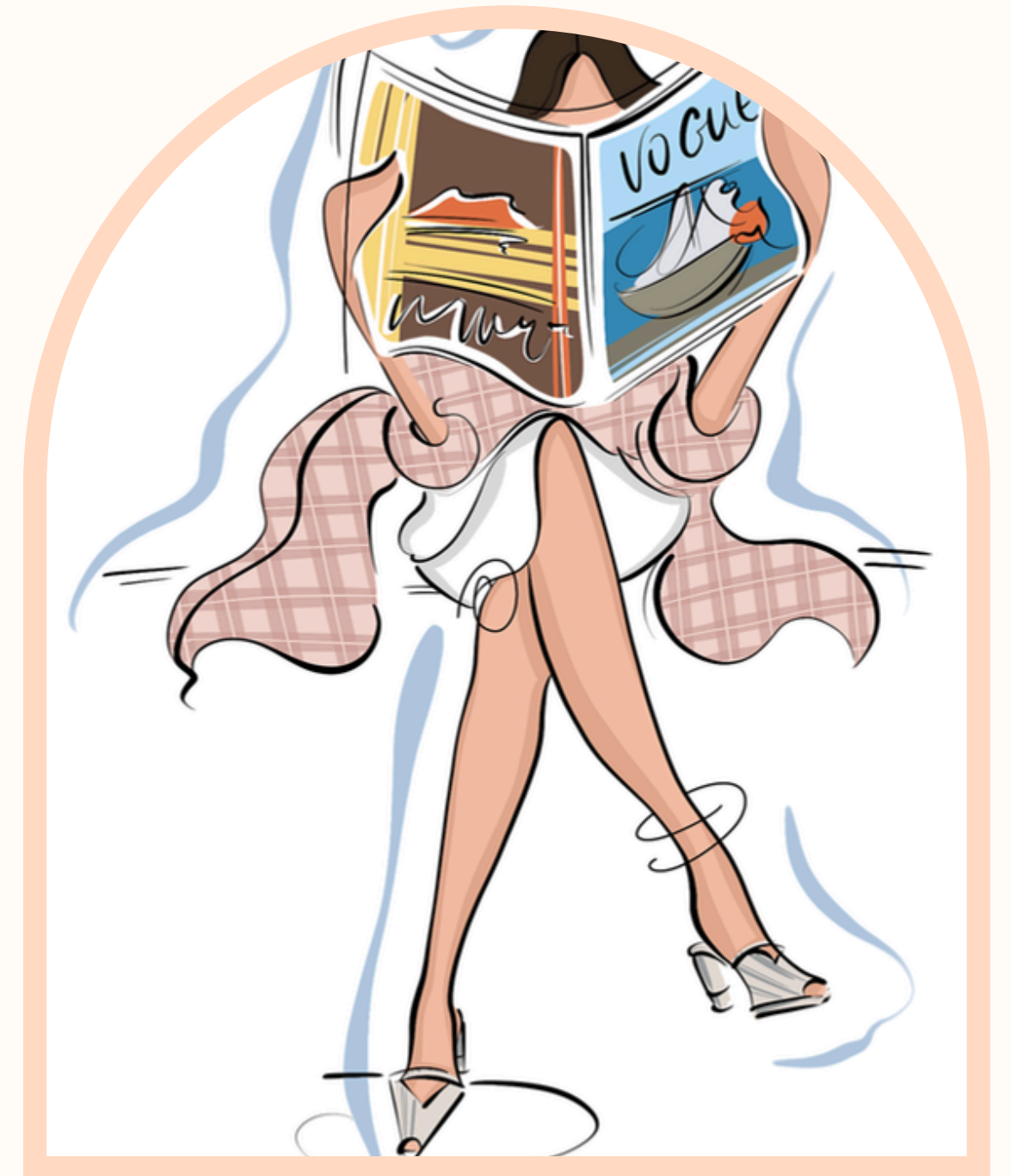
Dream shopping

Behind-the-scenes, bespoke shopping with Italian artisans: silk, leather goods, footwear, and beauty.

Iconic Lake Como experience -

A private boat tour and lakeside lunch, offering the ultimate insider's view of this enchanting landscape.

Italian cooking class at the renowned Glicine restaurant.



INVESTMENT IN YOURSELF, 4 DAYS

INCLUSIONS

- Luxurious accommodation as per itinerary - 4 nights
- Daily breakfast at the hotel
- Full-day personal hosting by Cara Martin, ensuring a seamless experience across all activities
- Transfers to all activities and excursions (evening dinners excluded)
- Welcome aperitif – one cocktail of choice at Villa D'Este
- Private Lake Como boat trip in a luxurious Venetian Water Taxi (4 hours, including a stop for lunch at a renowned lakeside restaurant, with the bill settled directly)
- Silk beauty experience
- Cooking class and dinner at Trattoria del Glicine (beverages excluded)
- Visit to Casabianca Museum

EXCLUSIONS

- International and domestic airfares
- Arrival and departure transfers (Lake Como arrival / Milan departure)
- Meals and beverages not specified above
- Visa and travel documentation
- Travel insurance
- Personal purchases and shopping

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From €15,500 per person, twin share
depending on group size and season.

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journey.*