

# Prague, Vienna and Budapest

10 Days | 4 Countries | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity

Imperial capitals and their captivating history are the highlights on this exciting Prague, Vienna and Budapest trip. You'll also join a local Hungarian family in their winery for a hearty meal and be spellbound by the stunning views of Charles Bridge and Prague's Old Town.



## Key

- Start
- End
- 1 Overnight
- Sightseeing

**Day 1 Welcome to Prague** The gleaming spires of Prague shine brightly on this sojourn through the imperial capitals of Prague, Vienna and Budapest. Admire the Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque façades, before joining your Travel Director and travel companions for an unforgettable Welcome Dinner to kick off your holiday. **(D)**  
**Hotel: Vienna House by Wyndham Andel's Prague**

**Day 2 Discover Historic Prague** Delve into centuries of history, joining your **Local Specialist** for a guided walk past the city's iconic sights. Visit the final resting place of Bohemian kings, St. Vitus Cathedral, set within the precincts of Prague Castle. Then, admire the Astronomical Clock in the Old Town Square, with its hourly Walk of the Apostles. Spend the afternoon admiring the spectacular cityscape on your own. Consider joining a relaxing cruise on the beautiful River Vltava and we'll tell you about the legends, myths, culture and hidden secrets of this enchanting city. During the cruise you'll enjoy a lunch of local specialties. **(B)**

**Day 3 Prague Your Way** Today is yours to explore the legends, castles and palaces of Prague. Follow the 'Royal Route', discover historic treasures and admire picturesque views of the city from Petřín Hill. Spend your evening at leisure, enjoying some of the local beer for which the country is famous. **(B)**



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**Day 4 Journey to Slovak Bratislava and on to Vienna** Travel south from Prague through lush Moravian landscapes to Bratislava, passing its quaint Old Town, before continuing your journey to Vienna - our home for the next three nights. Admire the city's musical talents and

Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

consider attending a Viennese concert as an Optional Experience. You'll begin with dinner in an atmospheric Viennese restaurant, with drinks and traditional musical entertainment included. An unique experience in one of Europe's most elegant cities. **(B)**  
**Hotel: Austria Trend Parkhotel Schönbrunn**

**Day 5 Explore Vibrant Vienna** The heritage of one of Europe's most influential royal families is explored this morning as we **Dive Into Culture** during a Small Group Sightseeing guided visit to the spectacular Kunstkammer. Later, we join an included sightseeing tour with a **Local Specialist** to view the Hofburg Palace, the official residence of the President of Austria and former home of the Habsburg Dynasty. We'll see such sights as the Parliament Building, the magnificent Opera House and St. Stephen's Cathedral with its geometrically tiled roof. **(B)**

**Day 6 Vienna Your Way** Today is yours to explore the 'City of Music' on your terms. Tread in the footsteps of the great sons of Vienna - Mozart, Haydn and Strauss - as you delve into the city's rich musical heritage nurtured by aristocrats throughout the centuries. Consider a visit to the beautiful Baroque Schönbrunn Palace to see the former imperial summer residence. **(B)**

**Day 7 Onwards to Budapest** Journey along the Danube Bend, a narrow twisting valley in the pretty Carpathian Basin, stopping in Esztergom to view its Castle Hill, domed Cathedral, and St. Thomas Hill. We follow the scenic landscape to the romantic city of Budapest where we will spend the next three nights. Enjoy a free evening sipping Hungarian wines or consider cruising along the Danube. **(B)**  
**Hotel: Crowne Plaza**

**Day 8 See the Sights of Budapest** Join a **Local Specialist** this morning for a walking tour. We pay tribute to the seven chieftains of the Magyars in Heroes' Square before enjoying time at the Castle Hill District. Tonight's **Be My Guest** experience will see us **Connect With Locals** over dinner with the Schieszl family and hear the story of their winery. **(B, D)**

**Day 9 Budapest Your Way** Venture up Gellert Hill for spectacular views of the Budapest skyline, relax in the Szechenyi Baths or consider an Optional Experience to Szentendre, a riverside village popular with artists and craftworkers. On our last evening together, we toast to a magnificent journey to the imperial capitals of Europe and enjoy a Farewell Dinner in a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

**Day 10 Farewell Budapest** We say a fond farewell to our companions and Travel Director today after an unforgettable trip. Find out more about your free airport transfer at [trafalgar.com/freetransfers](http://trafalgar.com/freetransfers). **(B)**

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Year-round

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## Included highlights and must-sees

**VIP Admission** to the Kunsthistorisches Museum in Vienna

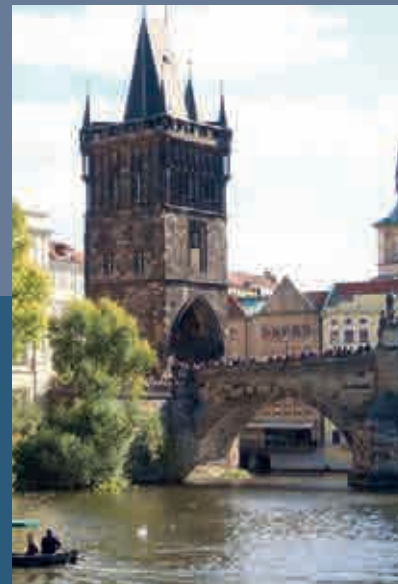
**Explore** Prague, Vienna and Budapest with a Local Specialist

**Visit** St. Vitus Cathedral and the Old Town Square of Prague, and the old Hungarian capital of Esztergom

**View** the Castle and Old Town of Bratislava, the Hofburg Palace and Imperial Boulevards of Vienna and the Parliament Building in Budapest

**See** St. Stephen's Cathedral and the Opera House in Vienna

**Be My Guest** Enjoy a hearty Hungarian Be My Guest dinner with the Schieszl Family



*"We were delightfully surprised by Prague. The landmarks, people, and charm were second to none."*

- Kurtis Fischer

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