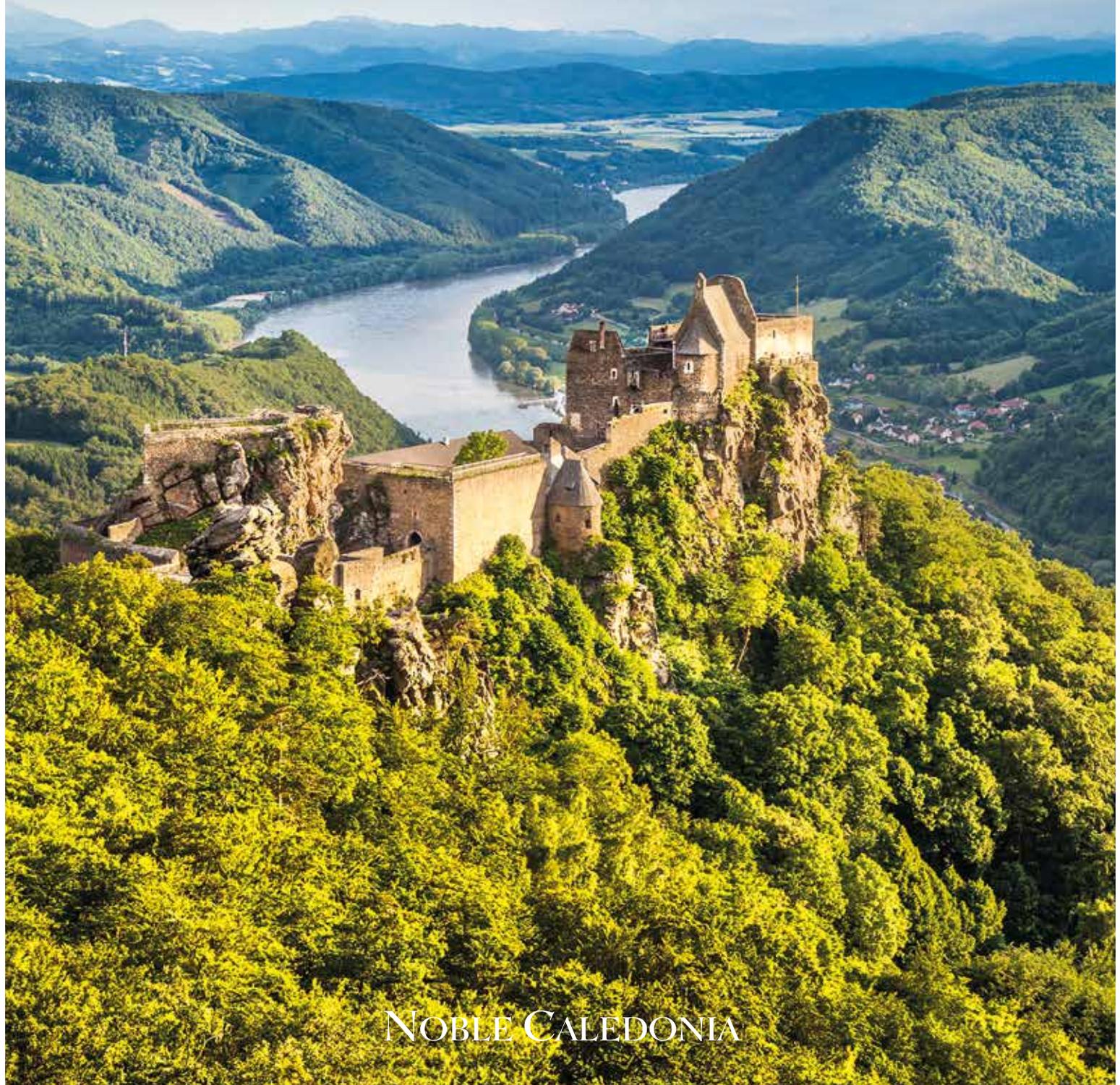


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# MS AMADEUS SYMPHONY

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# MS AMADEUS SYMPHONY

We are delighted to have chartered the 144 passenger MS Amadeus Symphony for some unique river journeys in 2017. Whilst on board you will be looked after by the crew and our team of experienced staff who will ensure your time is relaxing, enjoyable and informative. Let the world slip by as you relax on the Sun Deck or in the Lounge, delight in panoramic views of the passing scenery or indulge in the delicious cuisine that shall be freshly prepared for you each day. The added inclusion of drinks with lunch and dinner, as well as all gratuities, makes for all-round ease and enjoyment.



Mozart Deck Stateroom

## Your Cabin/Suite

The MS Amadeus Symphony has 72 cabins which range in size from 15 square metres for the Stateroom cabins to 22 square metres for the Suites. Cabins are fitted with all the mod-cons one would expect to ensure a relaxing and comfortable voyage throughout; en-suite facilities with a shower and hairdryer, individual climate control, flat screen television, generous closet space and choice of bed configuration. The Suites also feature a mini-bar, bathtubs and bathrobes. Cabins on the Mozart Deck include floor to ceiling glass doors leading on to a French Balcony and Staterooms on the Strauss and Haydn Decks have panoramic windows.

## Your Space

Spread over three decks, the ship's public spaces are comfortable and elegantly decorated. There is a delightful dining room which accommodates all guests in one sitting. The Amadeus Club and Panorama Bar are excellent spaces for relaxation and there is also gift shop, hair salon and fitness room on board. In favourable weather, the Sun Deck and Lido Bar are the perfect place to observe the banks of the majestic river and for those in need of a little pampering, you can arrange a visit to the ship's massage room for some further relaxation and respite.



Restaurant



Sun Deck



Friendly cabin staff



Bar



Amadeus Club

## DECK PLAN

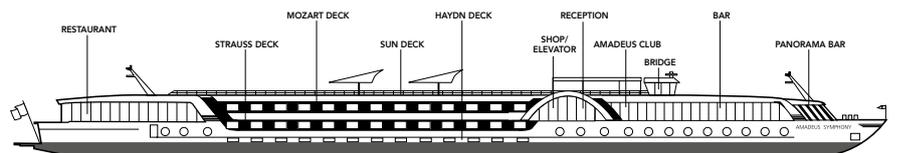
### Your Dining

Meals are taken in the MS Amadeus Symphony's single sitting restaurant located on the Mozart Deck. The restaurant seats all passengers in an open seat arrangement and the experienced chefs serve fresh, local ingredients, focusing on both international and local specialties.

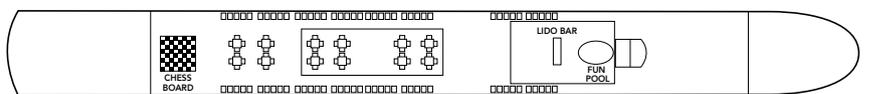
Mornings feature a full buffet breakfast whilst lunches are part served and part buffet. Dinners are served and will likely include a choice of fresh fish and meats. Vegetarian dishes are of course available and special dietary needs can be met with advance notice. Complimentary wine, beers and soft drinks are included at lunch and dinner.

### Life On Board

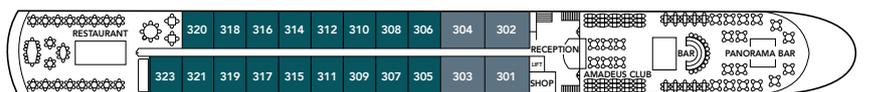
The ship is comfortable with a convivial and informal atmosphere on board. The friendly crew will do their utmost to ensure your stay is enjoyable, informative and agreeable throughout. A daily briefing by the Cruise Director will provide you with information on the next day's activities and expert English speaking guides will accompany you on the excursions. In addition, you will be accompanied by a Guest Speaker who will provide entertaining and informative talks.



#### SUN DECK



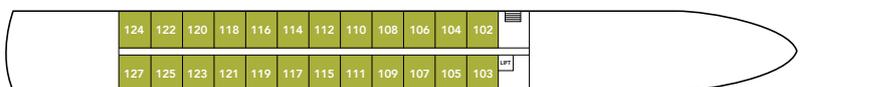
#### MOZART DECK



#### STRAUSS DECK



#### HAYDN DECK



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Bridge over the Neckar River in Heidelberg

# FROM AMSTERDAM TO THE BLACK SEA

A 23 night river cruise across Europe aboard the MS Amadeus Symphony  
10<sup>th</sup> June to 3<sup>rd</sup> July & 28<sup>th</sup> August to 20<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Join us aboard the MS Amadeus Symphony on this ultimate European journey, a truly fascinating voyage along the Rhine, Main and Danube Rivers all the way from Amsterdam to the Black Sea. Our elegant floating hotel carries you through historical and cultural delights as we traverse eight countries and travel more than 2200 miles over the course of 23 nights.

We have chartered the MS Amadeus Symphony for our voyages which will transport you in considerable comfort between great cities, towns and villages. This is the perfect trip for those who enjoy seeing something new every day as we sail past ever changing landscapes whilst the slow speed of the vessel allows you to absorb the views of town and country.

If you have never experienced a river journey it is difficult to explain the sheer pleasure that comes from travelling across Europe observing everyday life on the banks of the Rhine, Main and Danube rivers. You can let the world slip by as you relax on the Sun Deck or in the Lounge and delight in awe-inspiring panoramic views of the passing scenery. Guided excursions with excellent local guides and interesting talks by our Guest Speaker will create an enjoyable, informative and lively atmosphere on board as we sail along the European waterways.

Each port of call has its own unique character waiting to be discovered whilst on one of our guided excursions. From historic locations to iconic buildings, our itinerary is brimming with highlights including the grand cities of Vienna and Budapest, picturesque towns along the Rhine including Miltenberg and Rudesheim and the scenic beauty of the Rhine Gorge as we cruise through the spectacular Iron Gates.





Durnstein in the Wachau Valley



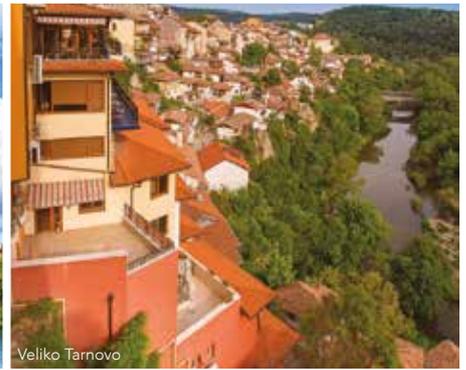
Great Black Cormorants, Danube Delta



Amsterdam



City Hall building in Bamberg



Veliko Tarnovo

## THE ITINERARY

**Day 1 London/Manchester/Birmingham/Bristol/Edinburgh to Amsterdam, Netherlands.** Fly by scheduled flight. On arrival transfer to the MS Amadeus Symphony. Moor overnight in Amsterdam.

**Day 2 Amsterdam.** Enjoy your first morning of this cruise in the delightful city of Amsterdam. There is a choice of two excursions today, either a visit to the famous Van Gogh Museum, which holds the world's largest collection of the master's work, or explore this wonderful city by canal cruise, whilst ensuring we visit one of Amsterdam's magical flower displays. Should you prefer, you are free to explore Amsterdam independently. Later today we will sail to Cologne. Enjoy Welcome Drinks and Dinner on board this evening.

**Day 3 Cologne, Germany.** After spending our morning cruising the Rhine we arrive into Cologne. Our tour of this famous town will include its renowned cathedral and the Wallraf-Richartz Museum, housing a gallery that includes a collection of fine art from the Medieval period to the early 20th century. Sail this evening.

**Day 4 Koblenz and Rudesheim.** Arrive in Koblenz for a walking tour of this historic commercial centre. After lunch continue

through the dramatic Rhine Gorge to Rudesheim, passing romantic castles, lush vineyards and the infamous Lorelei rock. In Rudesheim, enjoy a tour of Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum, housing 350 self-playing musical instruments.

**Day 5 Mannheim to Heidelberg.** From our mooring in Mannheim, we will make our way to Heidelberg. From here we will enjoy a half day tour of this charming town including a visit to its famous castle, whose ruins are arguably some of the most important Renaissance structures north of the Alps. Return to our vessel and continue sailing.

**Day 6 Miltenberg and Wertheim.** This morning on a walking tour, see the pretty Franconian town of Miltenberg, known for its half-timbered Medieval houses. Included in our tour will be a tasting of some local beer before returning to our vessel and sailing. Once in Wertheim, we will have an afternoon walking tour of this picturesque town. Return to the vessel for dinner.

**Day 7 Wurzburg.** Arrive this morning in historic Wurzburg. Our tour of this lovely town includes the magnificent Prince Bishop's Residenz Palace. Return to the vessel and set sail for Bamberg.

**Day 8 Bamberg.** This morning, enter the Main-Danube Canal at

Bamberg, one of Germany's most beautiful and historic towns. There will be ample time to tour and explore this Bavarian municipality, whose centre has been awarded UNESCO world heritage status.

**Day 9 Nuremberg.** The city of Nuremberg's long and sometimes troubled history has left its mark on the city and there will be plenty to discover during our tour. Visit the World War II sites, including the Reich Party Rally Grounds. Discover the city's spectacular Medieval architecture, including the 900 year-old ramparts that surround the city, the courts of justice and more. On returning to the vessel, continue cruising through the highest point of any commercial waterway in Europe, 1331 feet above sea level.

**Day 10 Regensburg.** Today we enter the Danube River and arrive at the historic town of Regensburg. During our guided tour we will see highlights such as the Old Town Hall, the World Heritage listed city centre and the Romanesque Porta Praetoria. We will then be entertained by the local Domspatzen Quartet with a concert in one of the local churches.

**Day 11 Passau.** Arrive this morning in Passau, where the Inn and Ilz rivers join the Danube. Our guided walking tour will include the old town of this Bavarian city and the breathtaking Cathedral of St Stephan which contains one of the

world's largest church pipe organs. Enjoy an organ recital before returning to the vessel for lunch. The afternoon is at leisure in Passau before we cruise to Austria this evening.

**Day 12 Melk and Wachau Valley to Vienna, Austria.** Today, we will enter the stunning Wachau Valley. Our vessel will moor in Melk under the shadow of the great Baroque Abbey, situated on a cliff high above the Danube. Enjoy a guided tour of the Abbey. We will then join our vessel once again and continue sailing through the Wachau to Durnstein, where King Richard the Lionheart was imprisoned. Here we will have a further guided tour, followed by time at leisure. This evening sail to Vienna.

**Day 13 Vienna.** A morning city tour of Austria's elegant capital will take us around the famous Ringstrasse and the Old Quarter including St Stephan's Cathedral. Return to the MS Amadeus Symphony for lunch and enjoy an afternoon at leisure. Optional evening performances ashore will be arranged at either the Vienna State Opera or Volksopera. *For those attending, an early supper will be arranged on board and a late evening snack offered on your return to the vessel.*

**Day 14 Vienna.** This morning depart for a visit to the wonderful Schonbrunn Palace and Gardens,



Schonbrunn Palace and Gardens



Constanta



Danube Delta

the favourite summer residence of Maria Theresa. This afternoon you will have time at leisure to explore this grand city independently or enjoy free time on board.

**Day 15 Bratislava, Slovakia.**

Arrive this morning in the Slovak capital of Bratislava. Join a guided walking tour of the city, previously known as Pressburg, a former capital of Hungary. See the Old Quarter, the ornate Baroque Palace and the ancient city gates. We will then cruise to Budapest, arriving late in the evening. Moor overnight.

**Day 16 Budapest, Hungary.**

Today will be devoted to Hungary's elegant capital. Spend the morning on a guided excursion that will include the Old Quarter, the Matthias Church and the Fisherman's Bastion. This afternoon will be at leisure before we depart from our mooring this evening and sail along Budapest's riverfront viewing the city in all its illuminated glory.

**Day 17 Kalocsa.**

Arrive this morning in charming Kalocsa, renowned for its paprika production. A tour of the Puszt district will include the town, followed by a spectacular display of Hungarian horsemanship at the Bakodpuszta Equestrian Centre. Cruise to Mohacs this afternoon and moor overnight.

**Day 18 Pecs.**

Depart on a morning's excursion to Pecs. Lying between the Danube and Drava Rivers in southern Hungary,

the historic city of Pecs enjoys a fine position on the slopes of the Mecsek Hills. Our excursion will feature the sites associated with the city's Roman Ottoman Hapsburg past. Return to the ship in Mohacs and enjoy an afternoon cruising.

**Day 19 Belgrade, Serbia.**

A half day tour highlights the city's main attractions, including the Kalemegdan fortress as it looms over the confluence of the Sava and Danube rivers, Saint Sava Cathedral, being the largest Orthodox Church in the world and finally, Tito's memorial. This evening, enjoy a Folklore performance.

**Day 20 Cruising through the Iron Gates.**

Today the scenery becomes truly spectacular as we cruise through the Iron Gates, a narrow Danube gorge between the Carpathian and Balkan Mountains.

**Day 21 Veliko Tarnovo, Bulgaria.**

From Svistov, drive to Veliko Tarnovo, the capital of the second Bulgarian Kingdom from 1187 to 1393. The city formed a natural fortress, located on three hills surrounding the Yantra River. A palace, fortifications and churches were built into the terrain. Across the river, ancient stone houses seemingly perched on top of each other rise up the steep riverbank. After lunch in a local restaurant, rejoin the ship in Rousse and sail in the late evening.

**Day 22 Constanta, Romania.**

Our vessel will arrive into Cernavoda at the entrance to the Black Sea

Canal. Drive to nearby Constanta, a popular resort city. Its colourful history dates back to ancient Greek and Roman times and, on a guided tour, we will see the city's Museum of National History and Archaeology and its famous Roman mosaic. Return to the vessel and set sail along the snaking Danube as we make our way to the Black Sea.

**Day 23 The Black Sea & Tulcea.**

Awake early today to experience sunrise over the Black Sea. Weather conditions permitting, we hope to

make a short cruise into the Black Sea proper, with a good chance of spotting birdlife. Later we cruise to Tulcea, situated at the entrance to the Danube Delta and enjoy an afternoon boat trip into the delta wetlands. Tonight join your fellow travellers for the Gala Farewell Dinner.

**Day 24 Bucharest to London/ Manchester/Birmingham/Bristol/ Edinburgh.**

Disembark after breakfast and transfer to the airport (approximately 3 hours drive) for your return scheduled flight to the UK.

**BUCHAREST POST-CRUISE EXTENSION**

If you would like to extend your time in Bucharest we are offering a three night extension staying at the centrally located, four-star Park Inn by Radisson Hotel. Further details on request or can be viewed online at [www.noble-caledonia.co.uk](http://www.noble-caledonia.co.uk)

**PRICES PER PERSON**

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Category A	£6395	£5995
Amadeus Suite	£6995	£6595
Category C – for sole use	£5595	£5195
Category B – for sole use	£5895	£5495

**Price Includes:** Economy class scheduled air travel, 23 nights aboard the MS Amadeus Symphony on full board basis, house wine, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, shore excursions as described, gratuities, Guest Speaker, Cruise Director, Tour Manager, transfers, port taxes, airport taxes.  
**Not Included:** Travel insurance, optional evening performance in Vienna.





Budapest

# FROM THE BLACK SEA TO BUDAPEST

A journey along the majestic Danube aboard the MS Amadeus Symphony  
3<sup>rd</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> July & 20<sup>th</sup> September to 4<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Join us on what promises to be a splendid journey from the Danube Delta to Budapest. A river cruise of many hundreds of miles as the mighty river travels through Romania, Bulgaria, Serbia, Croatia and Hungary. From the delta lands of the Danube to the plains of Hungary, we will visit the great cities of Bucharest, Belgrade and Budapest as well as riverside villages and towns along the Danube, as the great river makes its way from the Black Sea. This is one of the world's great journeys, following as it does one of the most important trade routes since the earliest of times, linking the east with the west.

For those who enjoy seeing something different every day, our floating hotel, the Amadeus Symphony, will transport you in considerable comfort between great cities, towns and villages. Past ever changing landscapes where the slow speed of the vessel allows us to absorb the magnificent views of town and country. If you have never experienced a journey on a modern river cruiser it is difficult to explain the sheer pleasure that comes from travelling through the heart of Europe observing everyday life on the Danube's banks.

In addition, there is the opportunity to join a five night pre-cruise extension to discover the beautiful region of Transylvania in Romania. Travel through some of the last untouched areas of Europe and experience the cultural highlights from the stunning fortified castles to enchanting Medieval towns.



## THE ITINERARY

**Day 1 London to Bucharest, Romania.** Fly by scheduled flight and transfer to the Amadeus Symphony in Cernavoda (approx. three hours). Sail this evening.

**Day 2 Tulcea & the Danube Delta.** Today we arrive in Tulcea, situated at the entrance to the Danube Delta. Enjoy a boat trip into the delta wetlands, famous for its birdlife. Sail in the early afternoon and meet your fellow travelers this evening at the Welcome Drinks and Dinner.

**Day 3 Bucharest.** Arrive this morning in the port of Oltenita from where we drive to Bucharest. We will explore the main sights of the city and see the boulevards with their decidedly French style. After lunch at a local restaurant there will be a choice of afternoon visits. You may choose to visit the Parliament Palace, the second largest administrative building in the world at 3.77 million square feet. This gargantuan construction is Ceausescu's most

infamous creation and makes for a fascinating tour. Alternatively, you may prefer to visit the unique Village Museum, an open-air ethnographic museum located in the Herastrau Park, showcasing traditional Romanian village life. The museum contains 272 authentic peasant farms and houses from all over Romania. We rejoin the vessel in Giurgiu and sail on to Rouse.

**Day 4 Rouse, Bulgaria.** After breakfast join a city tour of Rouse, birthplace of Nobel Prize winner for literature, Elias Canetti. After a brief walking tour of the city centre, drive a short distance to visit the Monastery of St Demetrius Basarbovski, a fascinating rock monastery dating back to the 12th century. Return to Rouse for a wine tasting session of some splendid Bulgarian wines. This afternoon is at leisure for individual exploration and, with its stunning architecture, charming restaurants and shops, there is much to see here. Moor overnight.

**Day 5 Veliko Tarnovo.** Disembark and enjoy a tour to the city of Veliko



Kalocsa Puszta Horse Show



Parliament Palace, Bucharest



Pelicans, Danube Delta



Veliko Tarnovo

Tarnovo, the capital of the second Bulgarian Kingdom from 1187 to 1393. The city formed a natural fortress, located on three hills surrounding the Yantra River. A palace, fortifications and churches were built into the terrain. Across the river, ancient stone houses seemingly perched on top of each other rise up the steep riverbank. After lunch at a local restaurant we visit the museum town of Arbanassi. Rejoin the ship at Svistov and sail.

**Day 6 Belogradchik & Vidin.** Arrive today in the Bulgarian port of Vidin and drive to Belogradchik which is located close to the Serbian border. The Belogradchik Rocks are a famous Bulgarian beauty spot. The sandstone has been weathered into all manner of bizarre shapes, and housed amongst the rocks is an Ottoman fort, built on the remains of a Roman structure. The excursion will end with a visit to Vidin for a performance of classical music by a string quartet from the Vidin Philharmonic.

**Day 7 Cruising through the Iron Gates.** Today the scenery becomes truly spectacular as you cruise through the Iron Gates, a narrow Danube gorge between the Carpathian and Balkan Mountains.

**Day 8 Belgrade, Serbia.** Spend the afternoon in this interesting city. A half day tour highlights the city's main attractions, including the Kalemegdan fortress as it looms over the confluence of the Sava and Danube rivers, Saint Sava Cathedral, one of the largest Orthodox

churches in the world, and Tito's Memorial. Our tour will end with a spectacular Folklore performance. Sail this afternoon towards Croatia.

**Day 9 Novi Sad.** Today we will arrive in Novi Sad. Following the destruction of the three main bridges by the NATO bombing campaign in 1999, the city of Novi Sad, in the Serbian northern province of Vojvodina, has returned to normal after much rebuilding. The city is rich in historic buildings including the fortress, Bishop's House, Clock Tower and numerous churches, some of which will be seen on our morning tour. Sail in the evening towards Mohacs.

**Day 10 Osijek, Croatia.** Arrive this afternoon in Osijek, located in the Slavonian region of Croatia and picturesquely positioned on the Drava River. On arrival join a walking tour of this historic and lively city; see Tvrda, the oldest part of the town and the neo-gothic Church of St Peter & Paul with its 90 metre high bell tower, 40 stained glass windows and stonework from the Viennese sculptor Eduard Hauser. Enjoy some free time here to explore at leisure, perhaps visit the impressive Church of St Anthony, erected on the remains of a Turkish minaret. Later we return to the ship and sail on towards Hungary.

**Day 11 Pecs and Villany, Hungary.** From the port of Mohacs, depart after breakfast for a full day scenic tour of Pecs and Villany. The city of Pecs enjoys a fine position on

the slopes of the Mecsek Hills. The visit will feature the sites associated with the city's Roman Ottoman Hapsburg past, as well as a short organ recital in the splendid Pecs Cathedral. Continue on to the town of Villany for lunch and a wine tasting. Villany is one of Hungary's top wine regions, known for its reds and rosés. Thanks to the area's sub-Mediterranean climate, wines from Villany are full-bodied and spicy and of the highest quality. Sail in the early evening towards Kalocsa.

**Day 12 Kalocsa.** Arrive this morning in charming Kalocsa, renowned for paprika production. Your tour of the Puszta district will include the town and a spectacular display of horsemanship. Depart in the afternoon for a relaxing cruise along the glorious Danube towards Budapest.

**Day 13 Budapest.** We have the day to explore Hungary's elegant capital city. Spend the morning on an excursion that will include the old quarter, visiting the Matthias Church and the Fisherman's Bastion, and spend the afternoon relaxing or exploring independently. After dinner be on deck to experience a "Budapest by Night" cruise, a chance to see this beautiful city's lights in the evening. Moor overnight.

**Day 14 Budapest.** Enjoy a day at leisure to relax on board or explore the delights of this historic city further. Tonight enjoy your Farewell Gala Dinner on board. Moor overnight.

**Day 15 Budapest to London.** Disembark after breakfast and return to London by scheduled flight.

## PRICES PER PERSON

Based on double occupancy

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Category C	£3145	£2945	£3395	£3195
Category B	£3445	£3245	£3695	£3495
Category A	£3945	£3745	£4195	£3995
Amadeus Suite	£4545	£4345	£4795	£4595
Category C – for sole use	£3145	£2945	£3395	£3195
Category B – for sole use	£3445	£3245	£3695	£3495

**Price Includes:** Economy class scheduled air travel, 14 nights aboard the MS Amadeus Symphony on full board basis, house wine, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, shore excursions, Cruise Director, Tour Manager, Guest Speaker, gratuities, transfers, port taxes, airport taxes.

**Not included:** Travel insurance.

Bran Castle, Brasov



Sibiu



Biertan

# DISCOVER TRANSYLVANIA

28<sup>th</sup> June to 3<sup>rd</sup> July & 15<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Transylvania is located in central Romania, a region of exquisite countryside surrounded by the arc of the dramatic Carpathian mountain chain. This region is home to some of Europe's best-preserved Medieval towns, most notably Brasov, featuring Old Saxon architecture and citadel ruins. We begin our five night tour in Sibiu, with its cobblestone streets and pastel-coloured houses. We also encounter stunning castles such as Bran, near Brasov – a Gothic fairy-tale structure associated with 15th century Walachian Prince Vlad Tepes, the inspiration for Bram Stoker's Dracula. We also visit the notable town of Biertan and its 14th century UNESCO Church-Fortress, the fairytale Peles Castle, built by King Carol I in the 19th century, and the dramatic citadel at Rasnov, built to protect the region's villages from Tartarian invasion.

## THE ITINERARY

**Day 1 London to Sibiu, Romania.** Fly by scheduled indirect flight from London to Sibiu. Arrive this afternoon and transfer to your four-star hotel for a two night stay. Dinner this evening will be at your hotel.

**Day 2 Sibiu.** After breakfast join a walking tour of colourful Sibiu, followed by some free time before lunch in the old city. Later, drive to Sibiel, a pretty village situated 20 kilometres from Sibiu. Here we visit a unique and superb museum of glass painted icons, located in the old village church. This evening, enjoy a traditional dinner during which we will be able to talk to

our local hosts about Romanian daily life in a Transylvanian village.

**Day 3 Biertan-Sighisoara-Brasov.** After breakfast depart for picturesque Biertan. Your first glimpse of the town's Medieval church is unforgettable; it towers over the square below, surrounded by vividly painted houses and backed by vineyards. On arrival we visit the UNESCO 14th century fortified church, once the home to the Lutheran Bishop of Transylvania. Continue on to Sighisoara and on arrival explore the Old Town with its cobbled streets, burgher houses and ornate churches. Also visit the Clock Tower known as the Council Tower, built in the second half of the 14th century and expanded in the 16th century. Enjoy lunch in "Dracula's House" restaurant followed by some free time. Continue on to Brasov where will be staying for three nights. Dinner this evening will be at a local restaurant.

**Day 4 Azuga-Sinaia-Rasnov.** After breakfast depart for a city tour of Brasov, including the City Hall Square, St Nicholas Church and the Old City. Afterwards we continue to Azuga in Prahova Valley, home of the Royal Cellar which is the wine supplier for the Royal family. We will stop at a local vineyard for lunch and enjoy some wine tasting. Continue on to see the fairy-tale Peles Castle, built by King Carol I in the 19th century. Afterwards we head back towards Brasov with a stop enroute at the Rasnov Citadel, a historic monument and landmark in Romania. This outstanding citadel was first

mentioned in documents in the 1335, built as a defence against invading Tartarian armies. Please note that the entrance to the citadel is a 15 minute uphill walk for those who wish to visit inside. Dinner this evening will be at a local restaurant.

**Day 5 Brasov.** After breakfast, visit the Black Church, followed by some free time in the Old City. We will have lunch at a local restaurant and the afternoon is at leisure to relax or explore independently. This evening enjoy dinner in the nearby resort town of Poiana Brasov.

**Day 6 Brasov to Cernavoda.** After breakfast depart for a visit to Bran to see the world famous 'Dracula's Castle', built as a fortress in 1212 by the Knights of the Teutonic Order. Vlad Tepes, better known as Vlad the Impaler, used the castle as headquarters for his incursions into Transylvania. We then depart for Ploiesti and enjoy lunch on arrival before continuing on our journey to Cernavoda, where we will embark the Amadeus Symphony. Sail in the evening.

## PRICES PER PERSON

Based on double occupancy

Twin: **£695** Single: **£865**

**Price includes:** Five nights accommodation at four-star hotels in Sibiu and Brasov, full board throughout, wine and soft drinks with lunch and dinner, all sightseeing as described, water during excursions, gratuities.

**Not Included:** Travel insurance.





Chain Bridge, Budapest

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Cover image: Aggstein Castle ruin and Danube river at sunset in Wachau valley near Vienna.

