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— FLYING LONGHORNS —

Cruising Through the Pillars of Hercules

Lisbon to Barcelona

aboard the exclusively chartered, four-masted

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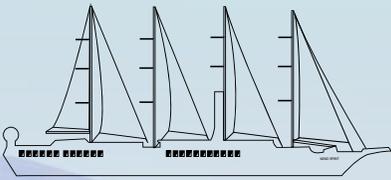
- ◆ Visit 10 great cities—Lisbon; Portimão; Seville; Gibraltar; Tangier; Malaga; Granada; Valencia; Tarragona; and Barcelona—paired with the legendary Iberian Peninsula—all shore excursions included.
- ◆ Cross the Strait of Gibraltar to Tangier, Morocco.
- ◆ Full-day, scenic excursion to Granada and the majestic Alhambra Palace from Malaga, Spain.

10 DAY ITINERARY

- 1 Depart home city
- 2 Lisbon, Portugal/
Embark WIND STAR
- 3 Portimão, the Algarve,
for Lagos
- 4 Cádiz, Spain, for Seville
- 5 Gibraltar, British Overseas
Territory/Tangier, Morocco
- 6 Malaga for
Granada, Spain/Alhambra
- 7 Cruise the
Mediterranean Sea
- 8 Valencia
- 9 Tarragona
- 10 Barcelona/Disembark ship/
Return to home city

COMBINE & SAVE

\$1,000 per person when you continue aboard the WIND STAR



Rivieras of Spain, France, and Italy

Save **\$1,000 per person** when you book this additional program from **Barcelona to Rome** and continue your Mediterranean cruise for eight nights to the iconic sun-drenched landscapes of the French, Italian, and Spanish Rivieras and islands.

View the itinerary at gohagantravel.com



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Dear Texas Ex:

Cruise the ancient trade routes of Phoenician and Roman mariners and discover the cultural legacy of the most sophisticated civilization of the Middle Ages. This 10-day land and sea journey features the unique coastal jewels found only along the Iberian Peninsula, spanning two continents and visiting towns and cities at the crossroads of faith and enlightenment during the Age of Discovery.

The five-star WIND STAR embodies the classic yacht experience under its billowing white sails—complete with elegant accommodations, an exclusive itinerary specially created with a carefully arranged excursion in each port, and the ability to dock in smaller ports inaccessible to larger vessels. This state-of-the-art small ship features only 74 ocean-view staterooms.

Admire three of the world's most treasured UNESCO World Heritage Sites—experience Portugal's picturesque Algarve region, and make the trip from the port city of Cadiz into the heart of Seville to visit the astounding Alcázar. Tour Granada's magnificent Alhambra Palace, and stand on "Top of the Rock" to see the Pillars of Hercules spanning the scenic Strait of Gibraltar. Explore Moroccan Tangier, the gate of Africa, and call at the historical hillside port of Tarragona, Spain.

This outstanding itinerary is brought to you by the Texas Exes Flying Longhorns travel program, which supports the association's mission of promoting and protecting The University of Texas at Austin and uniting its alumni around the world. While you do not have to be an alumnus of UT to travel with us, we do ask that all Flying Longhorns travelers have an active membership in the Texas Exes. Memberships start at just \$50.

The association is a huge proponent of continuing education and there is no better classroom than our world. Experience rich history and culture in the company of your fellow Longhorns! Are you ready for the adventure of a lifetime? We're standing by to answer all of your questions and/or take your reservation. Capacity is limited on this popular program and it may sell out quickly. Contact the Flying Longhorns office to secure your spot: 1-800-594-3900 or travel@texasexes.org. You may fax the included reservation form to 512-672-6134.

Additional information about all Texas Exes Flying Longhorns trips can be found at TexasExes.org/Travel.

Best regards,

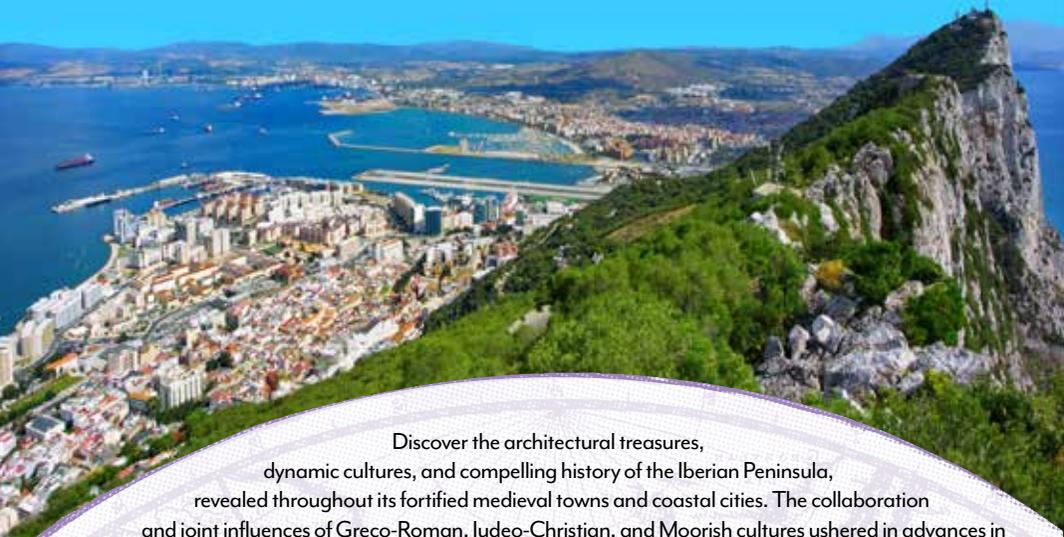
Your Flying Longhorns Team: Shelley, Janice and Leslie

The safety and well-being of our travelers remains our highest priority. Cruise lines and some other providers of services (as well as, potentially, some countries) require all passengers traveling on our programs to present confirmation of a full COVID-19 vaccination, and, as well, passengers may have to produce evidence of a recent negative COVID test. All our staff are committed to adhering to all health and safety protocols from the start of your trip to the end as directed by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, overseas health officials as well as those protocols mandated by your cruise company (if applicable) and other suppliers of services. Detailed protocol information tailored to your travel program will be mailed to you along with additional pre-departure information.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



Trade Routes To Discovery



Discover the architectural treasures, dynamic cultures, and compelling history of the Iberian Peninsula, revealed throughout its fortified medieval towns and coastal cities. The collaboration and joint influences of Greco-Roman, Judeo-Christian, and Moorish cultures ushered in advances in mathematics, science, medicine, horticulture, and philosophy—creating the catalyst for the Golden Age of Discovery and global trade of the 15th through 18th centuries. Ships sailing from Iberian shores to the New World brought back riches to the peninsula, generating great wealth among this unique mélange of cultures and sparking a veritable renaissance in art and architecture. From the coastal cities of Portugal and Spain to the bustling port of Tangier, Morocco, on the continent of Africa, experience the Mediterranean tradition of these seaside cities, towns, and villages as you embark on your voyage in the wake of mariners from centuries past.





Plaza de España in Seville, Spain

DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

Depart Home City/ Lisbon, Portugal/ Embark Ship

Day 1 and Day 2

Depart your home city for Lisbon, Portugal. Arrive and embark the WIND STAR. Enjoy the Captain's Welcome Reception that evening.

Portimão, the Algarve, for Lagos

Day 3

En route to Lagos, admire Ponta de Piedade, a group of coastal limestone rock formations along the Algarve coast. Continue on to the port town of Lagos, once the center of trade between Moorish Portugal and Africa. Visit the statue of the Infante and the Church of St. Anthony, with its intricate carved wood interior. Built in 1707 and re-built after an earthquake in 1755, the church is a fine example of Baroque architecture.

Cádiz, Spain, for Seville

Day 4

Visit Seville's Gothic cathedral, Europe's second largest Christian house of worship after St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. Inside, see the world's largest altarpiece, a masterfully gilded woodcarving created over the course of 44 years by Flemish craftsman Pierre Dancart, along with masterpieces by Francisco Goya, Francisco Zurbarán, and Bartolomé Murillo.

Later, see the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Alcázar, the 14th-century residence of Seville's Moroccan and

Spanish rulers. Enjoy a traditional flamenco performance on the ship.

Gibraltar, British Overseas Territory/ Tangier, Morocco

Day 5

Visit the Rock of Gibraltar, considered by the ancient Greeks and Romans to be one of the two Pillars of Hercules that marked the boundary of the known world.

On the "Top of the Rock," the nearly 1,400-foot-high limestone promontory, enjoy

Malaga for Granada, Spain/ Alhambra

Day 6

In Granada explore the Alhambra Palace and brilliant gardens of the Palace of Generalife, collectively a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Originally designed as a military area, the Alhambra became the residence of royalty and of the court of Granada in the middle of the 13th century, and later



Old Town Tarragona, Spain

the view from Europa Point across the strait separating Europe and Africa. Observe the Barbary macaques, the only wild monkeys in Europe, and see the geological wonders in St. Michael's Cave.

In Tangier, experience the bridging of Spanish and Moorish cultures in the colorful medina. Visit the Kasbah museum; the Grand Socco market; and the American Legation, the center of diplomatic relations between the U.S. and Morocco.

a citadel with high ramparts and defensive towers.

Stroll through the gardens of the Generalife, the former rural residence of the emirs who ruled this part of Spain in the 13th and 14th centuries.

Cruise the Mediterranean Sea

Day 7

Enjoy a day at leisure and take part in five-star amenities offered on board as the ship cruises through the vibrant



St. Mary's Cathedral in Valencia, Spain



Barbary Macaques

blue waters along the coast of Spain.

Valencia

Day 8

On the *Costa del Azahar* (Orange Blossom Coast) of Spain, the sun-kissed city of Valencia was founded as a Roman colony in 138 B.C. amidst a fertile plain of orange groves. Discover life along the historic cobblestone streets of colorful Plaza de la Reina, with views of

St. Mary's Cathedral. Marvel at the grand, UNESCO World Heritage-inscribed La Lonja de la Seda de Valencia, originally dedicated to the Iberian silk trade and considered a masterpiece of late Gothic architecture.

Tarragona

Day 9

Visit the historical hillside port of Tarragona on the *Cost Daurada* (Golden Coast), once one of the wealthiest

seaports in the Roman Empire. Highlights of the city's walled Old Town include the Tarragona Cathedral, the Plaza de La Font, and what remains of the Roman Circus—an ancient 30,000-spectator hippodrome. Enjoy the Captain's Farewell Reception this evening.

**Barcelona/
Disembark ship/
Return to Home City
Day 10**



Tangier, Morocco

ALWAYS INCLUDED WITH GOHAGAN & COMPANY

- ◆ Transfers and luggage handling abroad if your arrival(s)/ departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).
- ◆ Experienced, English-speaking local guides for included excursions.
- ◆ Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
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WIND STAR

Exclusively Chartered Five-Star, Four-Masted Sailing Ship

The intimate, four-masted WIND STAR offers an unforgettable five-star sailing experience. This small ship is designed to sail from deep seas into lagoons inaccessible to larger vessels. The WIND STAR's gourmet dining and wide teak deck with unobscured views provide the ultimate sailing experience to each guest. Complimentary alcoholic/nonalcoholic beverages and internet access are available throughout the cruise. All meals aboard ship are included.

Elegant Staterooms and Owner's Suite, 100% with Ocean Views

Each of the 74 ocean-view staterooms feature one queen bed or two twin beds (Owner's Suite has a queen bed), private bathroom with shower, luxury hotel amenities, individual climate control, flat-screen television with DVD player, safe, minibar, vanity table, hair dryer, plush robes, and slippers.



Category	LAND/CRUISE RATES <small>excluding taxes</small>	Early Booking Rate through September 15, 2022	Rate after September 15, 2022
B	Stateroom with two portholes. Deck 1, aft and forward.	\$5,395	\$6,195
BX Deluxe	Stateroom with two portholes. Deck 1, midship.	\$5,995	\$6,895
A	Stateroom with two portholes. Deck 2, aft and forward.	\$6,595	\$7,585
AX Deluxe	Stateroom with two portholes. Deck 2, midship.	\$6,995	\$8,045
Owners Suite	Suite with four portholes, queen bed and sitting/dining area. Deck 1, aft.	\$7,995	\$9,195

Single supplements apply across all categories at 160% of the per person double price.

Taxes are an additional \$285 per person.

The WIND STAR has been specially contracted for this program and the deck plan is available online or upon request from Gohagan & Company.



PRE-PROGRAM OPTION

Lisbon

April 10 to 13, 2023

Start your journey with two nights in Lisbon. See the unique Manueline-style architecture in the regal 16th-century Jerónimos Monastery and the Tower of Belém, both UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Visit the charming village of Sintra, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and explore the coastal town of Cascais. Accommodations are in the deluxe DOM PEDRO LISBOA HOTEL.

Price per person, based on double occupancy: \$745

Price per person, based on single occupancy: \$995



POST-PROGRAM OPTION

Barcelona

April 21 to 23, 2023

Conclude your tour with two nights immersed in the heart of Barcelona, the lively capital city of Catalonia and once an ancient Roman trading port. See the *Barri Gòtic* (Gothic Quarter), the city's Old-World center, with its Roman walls and labyrinthine streets. Discover the UNESCO-inscribed *modernista* marvels of Antoni Gaudí, including the revered *Basílica de la Sagrada Família* and an excursion to Gaudí's Crypt of Colonia Güell. Accommodations are in the five-star MAJESTIC HOTEL & SPA

Price per person, based on double occupancy: \$995

Price per person, based on single occupancy: \$1,695

Further details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.

RESERVATION FORM



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Make your reservations by calling the Flying Longhorns at (800) 594-3900 or faxing this completed form to (512) 672-6134. You may direct questions to travel@texasexes.org.

Please make my/our reservation(s):

Category: **1st Choice** _____ **2nd Choice** _____

- Double (two twin beds).
- Double (one queen bed).
- Single accommodations (available from \$8,632 per person)
- Single but prefer to share and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

Lisbon Pre-Program Option

April 10 to 13, 2023

- Double \$745 per person.
- Single \$995 per person.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations.

Barcelona Post-Program Option

April 21 to 23, 2023

- Double \$995 per person.
- Single \$1,695 per person.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations.
- I/We want you to book my/our air from:

_____ (fill in departure city)

- I/We will make my/our own air arrangements.

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Program reservations require a deposit of \$800 per person.

- Enclosed is my/our check(s) for \$_____.
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Second participant's signature Date

FINAL PAYMENT due January 7, 2023; pay by check, ACH, or credit card. Reservations made after January 7, 2023, require payment in full at time of booking. No cancellation fees until 95 days prior to April 12, 2023!

Membership in Texas Exes is a requirement for all participants in the Flying Longhorns travel program. Alumni, friends of the University, UT faculty and staff, and parents of current UT students are welcome to join. Our dues are 80% tax-deductible and memberships start at just \$50.

Ponta de Piedade in the Algarve region



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