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aboard the all-suite

Six-Star SILVER SHADOW

May 31 to June 12, 2023



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Cruise past the Statue of Liberty

Highlights include:

- ◆ Once-in-a-lifetime cruise from North America across the North Atlantic Ocean to Europe, evocative of the early 20th-century Golden Age of Travel, when the passage itself was the embodiment of luxury.
- ◆ Unforgettable transatlantic crossing aboard a six-star vessel, sailing from New York, New York, to Dublin, Ireland.
- ◆ Port calls in Massachusetts, Maine, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, and Ireland.
- ◆ An excursion included in each port of call.

13 DAY ITINERARY

- 1 Depart home city/
New York, New York/
Embark SILVER SHADOW
- 2 New York City
- 3 Boston, Massachusetts
- 4 Bar Harbor, Maine
- 5 Shelburne, Nova Scotia, Canada
- 6 Cruise the Atlantic Ocean
- 7 St. John's, Newfoundland
- 8-11 Cruise the Atlantic Ocean
- 12 Cork (Ringaskiddy), Ireland
- 13 Dublin/Disembark ship/
Return to home city

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Relaxing luxury ship experience





Cobh in Cork, Ireland

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Dear Texas Ex:

Discover the romantic allure and classic traditions of the Golden Age of Travel on this extraordinary transatlantic cruise itinerary. Evoke the era of steamer trunks and great ocean liners when you board the six-star, all-suite SILVER SHADOW at the historic docks of lower Manhattan. Embark in New York City along the famed luxury liner row, where elegant ships carried jubilant travelers into the Hudson River and to the Atlantic a century ago—during a time when the voyage itself was as paramount to the holiday as the end point.

Experience the excitement and glamour of bygone days while majestically cruising past the Empire State Building, rounding the spectacle of Manhattan's skyline, and setting sail for a transatlantic crossing. Featuring 196 suites, all with an ocean view, the luxurious SILVER SHADOW experience includes gourmet meals, six-star facilities, and butler service in every suite.

Cruise from New York to Boston and up to Bar Harbor, Maine, and then on to the pristine Canadian Maritime Provinces of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland. Retrace the routes of North America's intrepid discoverers as we cross the Atlantic, relaxing on deck as the day gives way to night and the radiant glow of sunset fills the sky. Arriving on the "other side of the pond," call at Cork along Ireland's dramatic, rugged coast and emerald-green fields, before cruising to Dublin.

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



Evoke the Golden Age of Travel

Luxurious transatlantic cruises came into vogue in the Gilded Age of the late 19th-century, as America's elite boarded grand ocean liners to cross the ocean for what was often a "grand tour" of Europe. The ships of those days offered every luxury imaginable to a first-class clientele eager to see the world. It was a time where the journey itself was just as glamorous as the destination, when champagne flowed, and elegant rounds of badminton were played on deck. Our tour revisits that grand tradition aboard the six-star, all-suite SILVER SHADOW, one of the most luxurious ships in the world. Enjoy the finest food and amenities as you cross the Atlantic for a journey to remember.

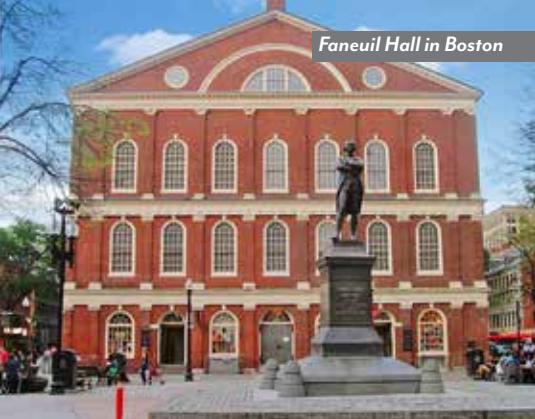


Beverages by the pool



Live entertainment on board

Faneuil Hall in Boston



DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

**Depart home city/
New York, New York/
Embark the ship**

Day 1 and Day 2

Begin your journey in the iconic New York City as you immerse yourself in the best it has to offer.

Enjoy included excursions such as a tour of the West Village or Lower Manhattan and the 9/11 Memorial.
Embark the SILVER SHADOW

**Boston, Massachusetts
Day 3**

Enjoy a day in the historic city of Boston, where you can opt for such excursions as walking the Freedom Trail, tours of historic Boston and Cambridge, or a panoramic Boston and Harbour Cruise.

Finish the day with the Captain's Welcome Reception on board the ship this evening.

**Bar Harbor, Maine
Day 4**

One of the first spots in the United States to see the first slivers of honey-colored light each morning, Bar Harbor was the escape of choice for 19th century elite who flocked here to indulge in cool, salty sea breezes, and sweeping coastal scenery.

Discover this elegant seashore town with a wander along Shore Path, taking the looping stroll out along the bay to spot

the Porcupine Islands, or visit Acadia National park including a lobster lunch.

Shelburne, Nova Scotia, Canada

Day 5

At the heart of the southwest coast of Nova Scotia lies the pretty little town of Shelburne. Founded in 1873 by Loyalists fleeing the American Civil War, it was briefly one of the largest locales in North America, bigger even than Halifax or Montreal. The story of Black Loyalists, who had been promised their freedom in return for aiding the British cause, is told in the Black Loyalist Heritage Centre, which you can opt to visit on this stop.

Looking away from the town at the picturesque bay, the Sandy Point Lighthouse has been standing guard since it was built in 1873 and is accessible on foot at low tide.

Cruise the Atlantic Ocean

Day 6

Enjoy a day at leisure aboard the ship, where you may enjoy six-star amenities.

St. John's, Newfoundland

Day 7

Colorful, white-trimmed buildings splash a haze of beauty across the spectacular Newfoundland coastline.

The province's capital, St. John's, is one of North America's oldest and most historically engaging places. It also boasts incredible history as the launch point for grand, transatlantic voyages of the past.

Cruise the Atlantic Ocean

Day 8-11

Enjoy time at leisure aboard the ship as you cruise across the North Atlantic Ocean to Europe.

Bar Harbor, Maine



Blarney Castle, Blarney near Cork



Colorful street in Kinsale

Cork (Ringaskiddy), Ireland

Day 11

The colorful, quirky “Rebel City” of Cork, Ireland, is a bright and breezy blend of easily-walkable charm and trademark stunning Irish scenery. Cork, the second largest city in the Republic

of Ireland, is the ultimate starting point for exploring some of Ireland’s most dramatic western scenery. Venture down to postcard perfect Cobh or head to Blarney Castle & Gardens to kiss the famous Blarney Stone. Glorious coastal vistas of emerald-green fields await

along Ireland’s scenic, windswept coast.

Dublin/Disembark ship/ Return to home city

Day 13

After breakfast, disembark the ship and continue on the Dublin Post-Program Option or transfer to the airport for your return flight home.

Coastal scenery St. John's, Newfoundland



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- ♦ 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.
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SILVER SHADOW

Refined Luxury Ships

The six-star SILVER SHADOW is among the premier SILVERSEA fleet, consistently voted one of *Travel + Leisure* magazine's "World's Best Small Ship Cruise Lines." The ship features the finest personalized service with a nearly one-to-one crew to guest ratio. In-suite complimentary beverages replenished upon request. Onboard shipboard credit of \$150 per couple.

All Six-Star, Ocean-View Suites

Complimentary champagne and fruit in your suite awaits upon embarkation. Veranda suites feature an expansive floor-to-ceiling glass door and a private teak balcony, and Vista suites provide a large picture window. All suites have two twin beds that convert into one queen bed, deluxe hotel bedding, a sitting area, marble bathroom with shower, writing desk, and vanity table.



Category	LAND/CRUISE RATES <small>excluding taxes</small>	Early Booking Savings through Nov. 1, 2022	Rate after Nov. 1, 2022
Vista Suite	Large picture window providing panoramic ocean view, sitting area, full size bath with separate shower, complimentary unlimited standard Wi-fi. <i>Deck 4, forward.</i>	\$4,995	\$5,745
Classic Veranda	Veranda with floor to ceiling glass doors, sitting area, full size bath with separate shower, complimentary unlimited standard Wi-fi. <i>Deck 5, forward.</i>	\$6,195	\$7,125
Superior Veranda	Veranda with floor to ceiling glass doors, sitting area, full size bath with separate shower, complimentary unlimited standard Wi-fi. <i>Deck 6, midship and Deck 8, forward.</i>	\$6,495	\$7,475
Deluxe Veranda	Veranda with floor to ceiling glass doors, sitting area, full size bath with separate shower, complimentary unlimited standard Wi-fi. <i>Decks 6, 8 and 9 midship.</i>	\$6,695	\$7,695

Single supplements apply across all categories at 175% of the per person double price.

Taxes are an additional \$315 per person. Plus air add-ons to New York and return from Dublin

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



POST-PROGRAM OPTION

Dublin June 12 to 15, 2023

Our three-night tour extension in historic Dublin includes visits to Dublin Castle and St. Patrick's Cathedral. Walk across the legendary, cobblestone square of Trinity College to see the famed, 8th-century *Book of Kells*. Travel to Wicklow to visit the Powerscourt Estate and its grand, 47-acre gardens. The breathtaking gardens include pebble mosaics, walled gardens, Japanese gardens, lakes, ponds, and "The Perron"—an ornate Italianate stairway. Also visit the iconic Guinness Storehouse and enjoy ideally located accommodations at CONRAD DUBLIN HOTEL, a five-star hotel.

For pricing, call for details

Further details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.



RESERVATION FORM

2023 TRANSATLANTIC CRUISE



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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.

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Please make my/our reservation(s):

- Category: **1st Choice** _____ **2nd Choice** _____
- Double (two twin beds).
- Double (one queen bed).
- Single accommodations (available from \$7,992 per person).
- Single but prefer to share and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

Dublin Post-Program Option

June 12 to 15, 2023

- Double call for details.
- Single call for details.
- 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.

Title _____ Full Name (exactly as it appears on your passport) _____ Date of Birth _____

Title _____ Full Name (exactly as it appears on your passport) _____ Date of Birth _____

Street Mailing Address (no P.O. Box number please)

City _____ State _____ ZIP Code _____

Home Telephone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____ Business Telephone _____

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

- Enclosed is my/our check(s) for \$_____.
Make check(s) payable to **Gohagan & Company**.
- I/We authorize you to charge a deposit of \$_____ to:
 American Express Discover MasterCard Visa
- I/We request that you contact me/us via telephone or email for payment by ACH.

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature as it appears on credit card

Please note: Terms & Conditions are available at gohagantravel.com/terms/

First participant's signature _____ Date _____

Second participant's signature _____ Date _____

FINAL PAYMENT due February 25, 2023; make by check, ACH, or credit card. Reservations made after February 25, 2023, require payment in full at time of booking. No cancellation fees until 95 days prior to May 31, 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.

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