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THE GEOGRAPHIC NORTH POLE EXPEDITION - AN UNFORGETTABLE ADVENTURE

Heading for 90 degrees North! Set off from Spitsbergen to sail to the edges of the Earth and reach the North Pole, the Holy Grail of adventurers in search of "the end of the world". Aboard Le Commandant Charcot, a technological cocoon designed for exploration, you will encounter a wild and silent world that evolves according to the ice and the plays of light of the Northern Lights. During your crossing, you will probably be lucky enough to observe spectacular fauna - polar bears, seals or whales - before, perhaps, walking on the ground of this territory frozen by the cold, the northernmost point of our planet.



ITINERARY

Day 1 Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen

Longyearbyen is the capital of the Norwegian Svalbard archipelago, located on Svalbard's main island, and is the northernmost territorial capital on the planet. With winter temperatures dropping to below 40°C , the landscapes of this mining town are simply breathtaking. The glaciers, the mountains stretching as far as the eye can see and the untouched nature, make you feel like you're in completely unexplored territory.

Day 2 At sea along Spitsbergen

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The largest island in the Svalbard archipelago, its name meaning "pointed mountains" in German, Spitsbergen is the last piece of land before the Arctic ice floe. Aboard your ship, you will sail along the extremely spectacular coastline of this icy land. Between millennial glaciers and rugged mountains, you will discover a jagged coastline, hollowed-out by fjords. A unique setting, the refuge of a particularly rich avifauna, offering you the possibility of taking fabulous photographs from the deck of your ship.

Days 3 - 5 Navigating through the sea ice

Enjoy the absolutely unique experience of sailing to the heart of the ice floe, this vast expanse of virgin, immaculate ice. The landscapes are constantly changing, shifting from a smooth, flat wilderness to a chaos of ice, then to channels of open water. Your ship will sail along these naturally open channels and through the areas where the frozen layer is thinnest, offering you the chance to experience magic maritime moments in the midst of drifting sea ice. It will also often be an opportunity to see a particular kind of fauna, totally dependent on the ice floe.

Days 6 - 7 Geographic North Pole

Defined by a 90° North latitude, the Geographic North Pole lies on the Earth's rotational axis, at the intersection of all meridians. Plunged into darkness for six months of the year, then lit by the sun for the following six months, this mythical site, permanently covered in ice and remote from any land, has fascinated generations of explorers. So far, only a very few people have ever reached it: an exploit which is now accessible to you aboard Le Commandant Charcot.

Days 8 - 10 Navigating through the sea ice

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Day 11 Ny-Alesund, Spitsbergen

During your cruise, discover Ny-Ålesund, a former mining town that has been transformed into a scientific base. Founded in 1916, this small town was the departure point for many Arctic expeditions, including those of the famous explorer Roald Amundsen. Don't miss a visit to the museum and its famous post office, considered to be the most northerly in the world!

Day 12 North-West region of Spitsbergen

A kingdom of contrasts and natural marvels dotted with islands and peninsulas, northwest Spitsbergen fascinates with its preserved beauty. On these pristine lands, infinity unveils itself, treating the eyes to beauty sculpted by nature and enhanced by the changing light. The fjords bathed by icy waters, the jagged mountains and the imposing glaciers stand majestically before you, like monumental sculptures. In these lands, where souls are filled with deep serenity, only the murmur of broken ice, bearing mysteries and legends, disturbs the calmness. Aboard our Zodiacs and in the company of naturalist-guides, get as close as possible to this unique fauna and discover this centre for scientific expedition departures. In the distance, majestic whales glide silently through the glacial waters, whereas seals, walrus and Arctic foxes add a playful touch of life. As Svalbard

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reindeer wander the vast expanses, Arctic terns liven up the polar sky with their gracious flight and polar bears, which you may be lucky enough to see, patrol magnificently along the icy shores.

Day 13 Longyearbyen, Spitsbergen

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YOUR SHIP: LE COMMANDANT-CHARCOT

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VESSEL TYPE:

LENGTH:

PASSENGER CAPACITY:

BUILT/REFURBISHED:

With its hybrid propulsion combining liquefied natural gas (LNG) and electric generators, Le Commandant-Charcot has been designed to minimise the environmental impact of travel to the furthest latitudes. The decoration of the ship, designed by two internationally renowned design and architecture firms - the studio of Jean-Philippe Nuel and Wilmotte & Associes - is designed to be in harmony with the environment. The approach is contemporary with the desire to create a warm and elegant setting; stone, wood and leather recall the natural environment in which the ship is sailing. Equipped with just 135 staterooms including 31 suites with balconies and outside views, Le Commandant-Charcot welcomes you in an intimate and refined atmosphere. Outstanding gastronomy in the two restaurants, relaxation in the indoor pool surrounded by its winter garden, relaxation in the well-being area with sauna and Snow Room... Like on a private yacht, each of our guests is unique. PUBLIC AREAS Le Commandant-Charcot has many common areas that are designed and equipped to meet all of your needs while preserving the intimacy of each passenger. A 177 m² reception area includes: A reception/concierge desk, An expeditions desk, The ship's administrative services, The sales office, manned by

our Hospitality & Travel Manager officer, Our boutique which sells clothing, jewellery, beauty products, postcards and various accessories, The image & photo desk. The different lounges include a 302 m² main lounge including a 28 m² cigar lounge, a tea corner and a bar, with live music on selected evenings, A 400 m² panoramic bar and lounge, An open-air Bar. The recreation spaces Fitness & Beauty Corner: Fitness room: Elliptic, running machines, bicycles... Beauty Corner: Hairdresser, Massage rooms, Sauna, Snow Room, Nail Shop. Pool area: Indoor Pool and winter garden - Outdoor Pool Theatre: Capacity: 270-276 - Main show room for conferences and live entertainment on selected evenings - State-of-the-art audio and video technology. Leisure area: Public areas - Library - Medical centre. 16



Zodiacs on board.



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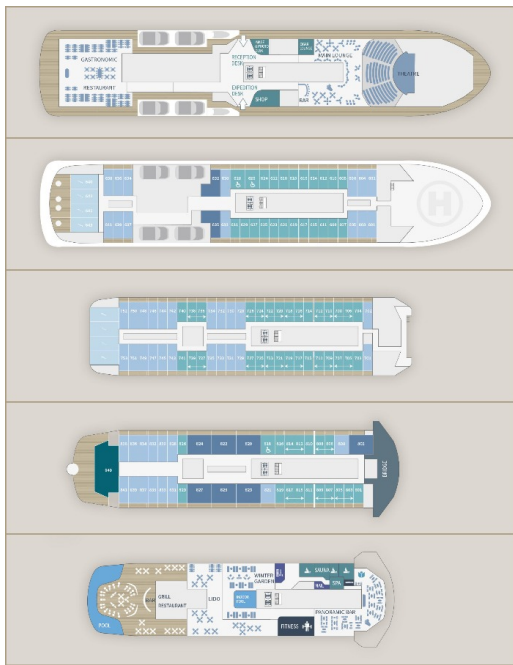
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INSIDE YOUR SHIP



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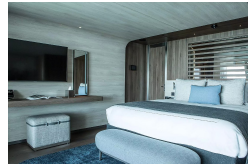
Deluxe Suite Deck 7



Deluxe Suite Deck 8



Duplex Suite



Grand Prestige Suite

Owner's Suite

Prestige Stateroom Deck 6

Prestige Stateroom Deck 7

Prestige Stateroom Deck 8

Prestige Suite Deck 7

Prestige Suite Deck 8

Privilege Suite Deck 8

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12-Jul-2026 to 27-Jul-2026

Deluxe Suite Deck 6	£37969 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 8	£36965 GBP pp
Suite Duplex	£80719 GBP pp
Grand Prestige Suite	£55669 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£36299 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£53999 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£59015 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£40979 GBP pp
Owner's Suite	£106085 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£52329 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£35629 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£39645 GBP pp

27-Jul-2026 to 11-Aug-2026

Grand Prestige Suite	£55669 GBP pp
Suite Duplex	£80719 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 6	£37969 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 8	£36965 GBP pp
Owner's Suite	£106085 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£35629 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£40979 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£52329 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£39645 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£36299 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£53999 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£59015 GBP pp

11-Aug-2026 to 26-Aug-2026

Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£34379 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£33275 GBP pp
Grand Prestige Suite	£46535 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£29959 GBP pp
Suite Duplex	£67259 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£49299 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£30509 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£45155 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 6	£31895 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£43775 GBP pp
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Suite Duplex	£76389 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£34439 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£51155 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£33805 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£37595 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£38855 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£55889 GBP pp
Owner's Suite	£106085 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 6	£36015 GBP pp

08-Aug-2027 to 20-Aug-2027

Deluxe Suite Deck 6	£28865 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£31135 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£39695 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£30135 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£27105 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 8	£28115 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£27605 GBP pp
Duplex Suite	£61095 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£44725 GBP pp
Grand Prestige Suite	£42215 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£40955 GBP pp

27-Jul-2027 to 08-Aug-2027

Grand Prestige Suite	£44705 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£31865 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 6	£30525 GBP pp
Duplex Suite	£64765 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£29185 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 8	£29725 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£28655 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£32935 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£47375 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£43365 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£42025 GBP pp



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Deluxe Suite Deck 7	£30135 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£44725 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£39695 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£31135 GBP pp

01-Sep-2027 to 13-Sep-2027

Grand Prestige Suite	£44705 GBP pp
Duplex Suite	£64765 GBP pp
Privilege Suite Deck 8	£47375 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 8	£43365 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 8	£29725 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 7	£29185 GBP pp
Prestige Suite Deck 7	£42025 GBP pp
Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£28655 GBP pp
Deluxe Suite Deck 8	£32935 GBP pp
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