

# EXPLORE THE AEGEAN & ADRIATIC SEAS

**VALUE PRICED**  
Premium Learning Adventure

*"I felt that I really received a valuable trip  
at a reasonable price."*

- AIA Aegean Odyssey traveler

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with AIA lecturer and archaeologist Nancy Wilkie

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September 18 to October 1, 2019 (14 days)

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ABOARD THE 216-CABIN **AEGEAN ODYSSEY**





*A small, elegant cruise ship with a variety of cabins, staterooms & suites*

Above: Aegean Odyssey anchored in the caldera of Santorini © R. Todd Nielsen

**T**ravel aboard a well-appointed, 216-cabin ship and enjoy generous comfort and great value. Splurge on a variety of suites and staterooms with balconies. Or, choose a low-cost outside or inside cabin.

All meals aboard ship are included and may be taken in either the full service Marco Polo Restaurant or the Terrace Café (a buffet with indoor and outdoor seating), serving fine cuisine and complimentary house wine, beer, and soft drinks at dinner. Public areas include the Ambassador Lounge/Theater, Charleston Lounge, Observation Lounge, Internet Center, Library, Beauty Salon, Health Spa, and spacious sun deck and pool. A musical trio performs daily.

*This program is co-sponsored with other organizations.*



*"The cruise ship was much nicer than I expected! It was immaculate, the staff very professional, and the food and service very good."*††



†† Quotations from previous AIA Aegean Odyssey travelers.



# VALUE-PRICED Premium Learning Adventures

## Prices start at less than \$260 per day for the "The Complete Air/Land/Cruise Package," including:

- **All accommodations** both aboard *Aegean Odyssey* and on land at 4-star hotels.
- An **extensive program of included shore excursions** plus several low-cost, optional excursions.
- **All meals aboard ship**, including house wine, beer, or soft drinks with dinner; as well as afternoon tea with pastries and late night snacks. Most meals are included during hotel stays.
- A **series of fascinating lectures aboard ship**.
- **All gratuities to the ship's staff**.
- **Economical roundtrip airfare in economy class from most major airports.** See chart with a sample of gateway cities inside. **Airport transfers** are included when you travel on the program arrival and departure dates and are ticketed by VTA.
- Your participation directly supports the AIA's Site Preservation and Educational Programs, and other valuable work of the AIA, **at no additional cost to you.**

"It was a fantastic learning opportunity  
and the sites were stunning."++

"The itinerary was excellent. The number  
of ancient sites visited was impressive."++

## Two voyage options or one Grand Adventure!

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## Grand Voyage

September 18 to October 7, 2019 (20 days) with Nancy Wilkie

Combine both cruises for this *Grand Voyage* and enjoy **FREE AIRFARE**.

Enjoy this classic *Grand Voyage* beginning in beautiful Venice, before cruising the Adriatic coast to the Dalmatian ports of Croatia and Butrint, Albania. In Greece, gaze in awe at the classical and medieval wonders of the ancient world.

*Learn firsthand about the development and achievements of civilizations along the Adriatic and Aegean Seas. Cruise with an engaging AIA lecturer and other experts. Enjoy illustrated lectures in the ship's theater as well as informal talks and conversations.*

## Archaeological Institute of America Lecturer



**Nancy Wilkie** is a distinguished archaeologist and professor who has lectured to acclaim on numerous educational tours and cruises throughout the Mediterranean. **From 1998-2002 she served**

**as President of the AIA**, and in 2009-10 she was the AIA's Charles Eliot Norton lecturer, one of the highest honors that the Institute bestows. **She is William H. Laird Professor of Classics, Anthropology, and the Liberal Arts, Emerita, at Carleton College** (Northfield, MN), where she was co-coordinator of the Archaeology Concentration. Carleton College is a co-sponsor of this program for whose travelers Nancy will also serve as representative. Nancy has worked on archaeological projects in Greece, Egypt, and Nepal, authored more than 30 articles, and co-edited three books on archaeology. In April 2003 the President appointed Nancy to the Cultural Property Advisory Committee of the U.S. State Department, on which she continues to serve. **In April 2013 she was elected President of the U.S. Committee of the Blue Shield**, an organization dedicated to the protection of cultural property in times of armed conflict.

*"Nancy Wilkie is the best! Lectures were well structured, informative and at just the right level."*

- Chris, California

# DALMATIA & ANCIENT GREECE

September 18 - October 1, 2019 (14 days)

with Nancy Wilkie  
(from September 18 – 29, 2019)

Take an unforgettable journey between two gems of art history: Venice and Athens. In Urbino, discover the great masterpieces of the Renaissance, then visit Diocletian's massive mausoleum in Split, Croatia, before cruising through the natural wonder of Kotor Bay to the classical ruins of Butrint in Albania. See ancient Olympia, birthplace of the Olympics, then spend a relaxing evening ashore in the historic port of Pylos. Tour Monemvasia, the "Gibraltar of the Aegean," a tiny municipality joined to the mainland by a single causeway. Stroll around the car-less idyll of Hydra, one of Greece's most charming and picturesque islands, then arrive in Athens for a two-night hotel stay, giving you plenty of time to see the capital's magnificent classical treasures including, of course, the Acropolis.



## ITINERARY IN BRIEF (B)=Breakfast, (L)=Lunch, (D)=Dinner

Wed., Sept. 18, 2019	Depart home: <b>Fly to Venice</b> International Airport Marco Polo (VCE)
Thurs., Sept. 19	<b>Arrive Venice, ITALY   Embark the Aegean Odyssey for ten nights</b> (L,D)
Fri., Sept. 20	AM <b>Venice walking tour</b> or <b>Lagoon excursion</b>   PM at leisure in Venice (B,L,D)
Sat., Sept. 21	<b>Urbino: AM walking tour</b>   PM at leisure (B,D)
Sun., Sept. 22	AM <b>Split, CROATIA: Diocletian's Palace</b>   PM at leisure or <b>optional Salona &amp; Trogir excursion</b> (B,L,D)
Mon., Sept. 23	AM <b>Korcula walking tour</b>   <b>Cruise past Hvar &amp; Brac</b>   PM at leisure in Dubrovnik (B,L,D)
Tues., Sept. 24	AM <b>Dubrovnik walking tour</b>   PM <b>cruising Kotor Bay</b> (B,L,D)
Wed., Sept. 25	<b>Sarande, ALBANIA   Butrint</b> (B,L,D)
Thurs., Sept. 26	<b>Katakolon, GREECE   AM ancient Olympia and site museum</b>   Cruise to <b>Pylos</b>   Evening at leisure in Pylos (B,L,D)
Fri., Sept. 27	AM <b>Ancient Messene &amp; Mavromati</b> OR <b>Neo Kastro &amp; Methoni</b>   PM at leisure in Pylos (B,L,D)
Sat., Sept. 28	AM <b>Monemvasia walking tour</b>   Cruise to <b>Hydra</b>   Evening at leisure on <b>Hydra</b> (B,L,D)
Sun., Sept. 29	Disembarkation in Piraeus   AM <b>Athens: Acropolis &amp; Acropolis Museum</b>   PM at leisure   Overnight at the <i>King George Hotel</i> for two nights. (B)
Mon., Sept. 30	<b>Athens: Day at leisure</b> OR <b>optional AM National Archaeological Museum visit</b> (B)
Tues., Oct. 1	<b>Fly home</b> from Athens International Airport (ATH) (B)

Itinerary is subject to change.



From top: Venice, Italy; Dubrovnik, Croatia; Monemvasia, Greece; Athens, Greece.

For questions, detailed itineraries, and reservations: 800-748-6262 | aia@studytours.org | www.aiatours.org



# CLASSICAL GREECE & ISLANDS OF THE AEGEAN

September 24 - October 7, 2019 (14 days)

with Nancy Wilkie  
(from September 29 – October 7, 2019)

Discover ancient sites, medieval towns, and quaint villages on this four-night land tour and eight-night cruise. Begin with a two-night hotel stay in Athens and explore the world-famous Acropolis and the Acropolis Museum, or Byzantine Athens. Visit the Byzantine monastery of Hosios Loukas, followed by Delphi, on the slopes of Mount Parnassus, home of the ancient Oracle of Apollo. Then discover Agamemnon's fortress/palace of Mycenae and the acoustically-perfect theater of Epidaurus. Cruise to breathtaking Santorini and explore the Minoan site of Akrotiri, well-preserved beneath volcanic ash. On Crete visit the Minoan Palace of Knossos, home of the legendary Minotaur's Labyrinth. On Rhodes, choose to see the medieval Old Town or the ancient Acropolis of Lindos. Explore the white-washed Greek islands of Mykonos, Karpachos, and Nisyros, as well as the extensive ruins on the sacred island of Delos.



\*Those traveling on the *Grand Voyage* will not visit these sites.

## ITINERARY IN BRIEF (B)=Breakfast, (L)=Lunch, (D)=Dinner

Tues., Sept. 24, 2019	Depart home: <b>Fly to Athens</b> International Airport (ATH).
Wed., Sept. 25	<b>Arrive Athens, GREECE</b>   Overnight at the <i>King George Hotel</i> for two nights   The balance of the day is at leisure
Thurs., Sept. 26	Athens: <b>AM Acropolis &amp; Acropolis Museum</b>   PM at leisure (B)
Fri., Sept. 27	<b>Monastery of Hosios Loukas</b>   <b>Delphi</b>   Overnight at the <i>Amalia Hotel Delphi</i> (B,L,D)
Sat., Sept. 28	<b>Mycenae</b>   <b>Nauplio</b>   Overnight at the <i>Amalia Hotel Nauplio</i> (B,L,D)
Sun., Sept. 29	<b>Epidaurus</b>   <b>Piraeus</b>   <b>Embark the Aegean Odyssey for eight nights</b> (B,L,D)
Mon., Sept. 30	<b>Santorini: Oia, Minoan ruins at Akrotiri &amp; Pyrgos OR Oia &amp; Argyros Winery</b> (B,L,D)
Tues., Oct. 1	<b>Heraklion, Crete: AM Palace of Knossos &amp; Heraklion Archaeological Museum</b>   PM at leisure OR <b>optional excursion to Archanes</b> (B,L,D)
Wed., Oct. 2	<b>Crete: Explore sites around Agios Nikolaos</b> (B,L,D)
Thurs., Oct. 3	<b>Karpachos: AM island villages tour</b> & PM at leisure OR <b>optional full-day island excursion</b> (B,L,D)
Fri., Oct. 4	<b>Rhodes: AM Rhodes Old Town OR ancient Acropolis at Lindos</b>   PM at leisure (B,L,D)
Sat., Oct. 5	<b>Nisyros: AM island tour volcanic craters, village of Nikia, and natural spa</b>   PM at leisure (B,L,D)
Sun., Oct. 6	<b>Ancient Delos walking tour</b>   PM at leisure on <b>Mykonos</b> (B,L,D)
Mon., Oct. 7	<b>Disembarkation</b>   <b>Fly home</b> from Athens International Airport (ATH) (B)

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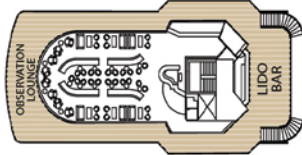


From top: Delphi, Knossos, Rhodes, and Mykonos.

# DECK PLAN Aegean Odyssey

## KEY

- Single Cabins
- ▲ Third Pullman berth in these cabins
- Third/Fourth Pullman berth in these cabins
- # Cabin for guests with disabilities
- ⊠ Elevator



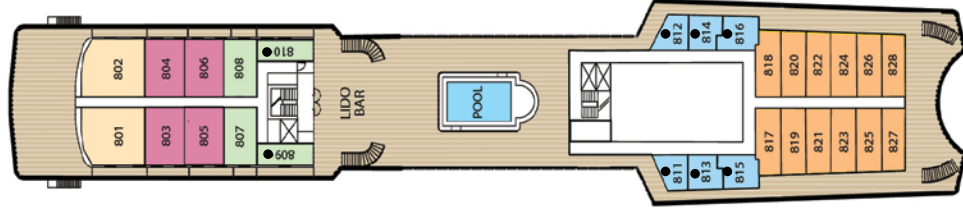
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### Ship's Specifications

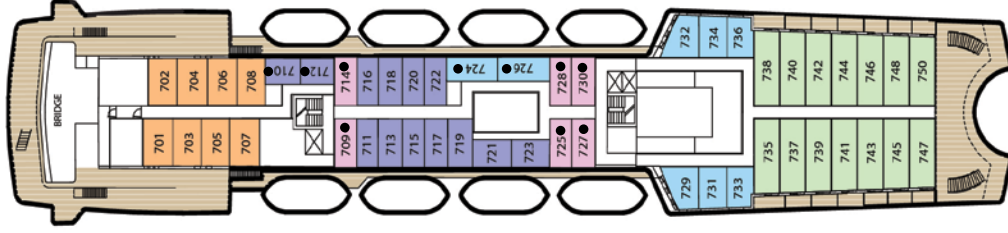
- Ship's Tonnage 11,563
- Length 461 feet
- Beam 67 feet
- Draft 20.5 feet
- Cruising Speed 15 knots
- Passenger Decks 7
- Elevators 2
- Stabilizers 2
- Guest Cabins 216
- Guests - lower beds 386
- Classification: Lloyd's Register
- Society London
- Ship's Registry Panama

### Ship's Amenities

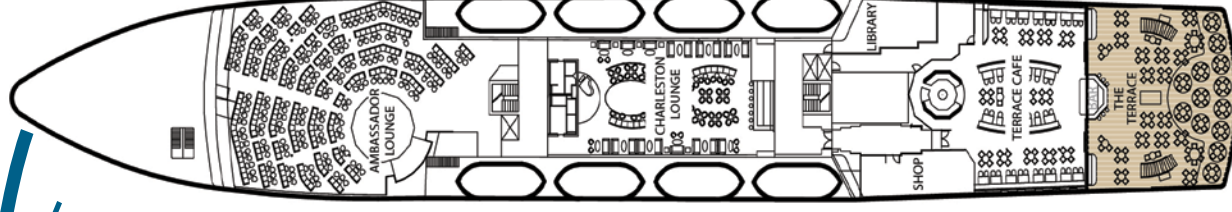
- 2 Restaurants plus outdoor terrace dining
- 3 Lounges and 4 Bars
- Lecture Theater
- Pool and Athena Health Spa
- & Gym
- Library
- Shop
- Internet Center
- Beauty Salon
- Medical Center
- Phone, fax, internet via satellite, wifi in designated areas
- Satellite TV, hair dryer & safe in all staterooms/cabins



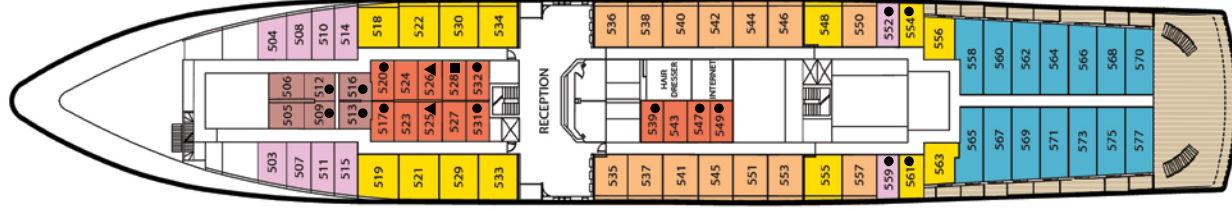
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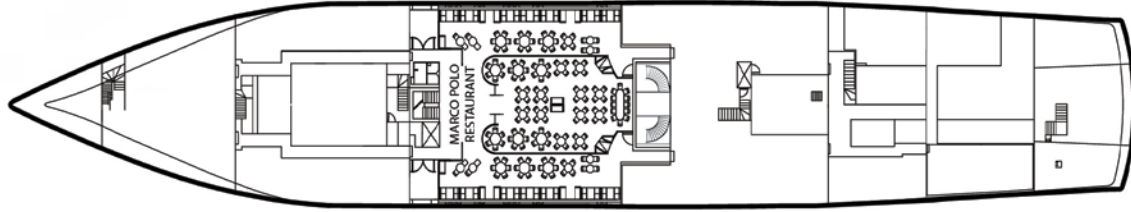
PROMENADE DECK



BELVEDERE DECK



COLUMBUS DECK



MARCO POLO DECK

Some cabins have third/fourth upper berths and are noted above on the deck plan.

\*GG, II, I and some HH cabins have partially-obstructed views.



		Dalmatia & Ancient Greece Sept. 18 - Oct. 1, 2019 (14 days)		Classical Greece & the Islands of the Aegean Sept. 24 - Oct. 7, 2019 (14 days)		FLY FREE! GRAND VOYAGE: ** Adriatic & Aegean Seas Sept. 18 - Oct. 7, 2019 (20 days)	
Cabin Type Double Occupancy	Category	Full Fare (\$)	Saver Fare† (\$)	Full Fare (\$)	Saver Fare† (\$)	Full Fare (\$)	Saver Fare† (\$)
Owner's Suite, Balcony	A	8750	8150	7850	7450	13750	12750
Junior Suite, Balcony	B	7995	7395	7295	6895	12495	11550
Deluxe Stateroom, Balcony	C	7295	6795	6695	6345	11250	10395
Deluxe Stateroom, Balcony	D	6995	6495	6450	6100	10750	9895
Deluxe Stateroom, Outside	E	6450	5995	5995	5695	9795	8995
Deluxe Stateroom, Outside	F	6195	5750	5795	5495	9295	8595
Premium Outside	G	5895	5495	5550	5300	8850	8195
Premium Outside	H	5595	5195	5295	5045	8295	7650
Premium Outside	I	5295	4895	5095	4845	7795	7195
Standard Outside	J	4995	4645	4850	4600	7250	6650
Premium Inside	K	4750	4400	4595	4395	6850	6250
Premium Inside	L	4495	4195	4395	4195	6395	5795
Standard Inside	M	4250	3950	4195	3995	5995	5450
Single Occupancy Cabins	Category	Full Fare	Saver Fare†	Full Fare	Saver Fare†	Full Fare	Saver Fare†
Deluxe Stateroom, Balcony	CC	8995	8495	8595	8245	13850	12995
Deluxe Stateroom, Outside	EE	7950	7495	7750	7450	12150	11450
Premium Outside	GG*	7195	6795	7150	6895	10895	10250
Premium Outside	HH*	6850	6450	6875	6625	10295	9650
Premium Outside	II*	6395	5995	6595	6345	9595	8995
Standard Outside	JJ	6095	5745	6245	5995	8995	8395
Premium Inside	KK	5745	5395	5995	5795	8395	7795
Premium Inside	LL	5450	5150	5750	5550	7895	7295
Standard Inside	MM	5150	4850	5550	5350	7395	6850

Prices are quoted in US dollars, per person.

Port charges and other fees (which are included in prices above and are subject to change) are \$495-550; or \$1,045 for the *Grand Voyage*.

**Optional Excursions:** While most shore excursions are included in the cost of your program, when an excursion is called "optional" it is offered at a small additional cost (average \$35-\$55 pp).

\*\*The 20-day *Grand Voyage* is a combination of the September 18<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> cruise programs and does not include their overland portions. Request a *Grand Voyage* itinerary for more information.

† Saver Fares, which are early booking discounts, are subject to change, capacity controlled, and may be withdrawn at any time subject to market demand. Once withdrawn, Full Fares will apply.

**AIRFARE:** Roundtrip airfare ticketed by Voyages to Antiquity's (VTA's) air department is economy class and includes transfers. See "The Complete Air/Land/Cruise Package" column on the next page for airfare "add-on" options. **Participants booking flights and transfers on their own will receive a \$1,000 credit, per person, to be applied on the final invoice.** All government and airline fees and taxes are included. A confirmed flight itinerary can be provided within 60 days of deposit for most departures. Some non-standard gateways may incur additional charges. Airline-imposed personal charges such as baggage fees may apply. For details visit [exploreflightfees.com](http://exploreflightfees.com). The air itinerary is subject to change and is not considered final until VTA has issued the airline ticket. You may not be able to change your confirmed flight arrangements without an additional fee. Contact us for information regarding all available gateway cities.

**PAYMENTS:** A deposit of 10% of fare per person is required to reserve your space on the tour and is payable by Visa, MasterCard, American Express, or check made payable to "EOS-Passenger Account-AIA VTA9/19." Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure and must be by personal check only; credit cards are not accepted for final payment. By submitting your deposit you are bound by the terms and conditions delineated throughout this brochure or elsewhere published.

**Note:** Rates are based on tariffs and exchange rates in effect at the time of printing and are subject to change prior to departure. Substantial changes in tariffs, exchange rates, and the price of fuel, services, and labor may increase the cost of arrangements significantly, and we reserve the right to alter our prices.

Prices, itineraries, and leader are subject to change. Prices quoted are based on group participation and no refunds will be made for any part of the program in which you choose not to participate. It is understood that refunds cannot be made to passengers who do not complete the tour for whatever reason.



## Suite, Stateroom & Cabin Descriptions

All suites, staterooms, and cabins have a bath and/or shower, flatscreen TV, safe, hair dryer, and are fully air-conditioned. Balcony Class staterooms (categories A to D) have additional amenities as detailed on the next page. The sizes, layouts, and bed configurations will vary within a category.

The areas indicated are averages and include the balcony. Beds may be fixed double (queen size), fixed separate twin beds, or twin beds that can be converted into double beds. All outside staterooms/cabins have windows except Category J, most of which have portholes. Single cabin features include European full size beds – cabin sizes are smaller than sizes noted for double occupancy cabins.

**Category A: Owner's Suites:** 550 sq ft staterooms located on Lido Deck. Marble bathrooms, dressing area, separate sitting area, and private balcony. Convertible twin beds.

**Category B: Junior Balcony Suites:** 310 sq ft staterooms located on Lido Deck. Marble bathrooms, walk-in closet, sitting area, and private balcony. Convertible twin beds.

**Category C/D: Deluxe Balcony Staterooms:** 250-275 sq ft staterooms located on Lido, Bridge, and Belvedere Decks. Bath/shower or walk-in shower, sitting area, and private balcony. Fixed double bed, separate twins, or convertible twins depending on cabin selected. Cabins 807 and 808 on Lido Deck are smaller and do not have a sitting area.

**Category E: Deluxe Staterooms:** 215 sq ft staterooms located on Belvedere Deck. Private bath/shower or walk-in shower. Convertible twin beds. Cabins 556 and 563 are smaller but have a fixed double bed and a balcony.

**Category F: Deluxe Staterooms:** 170-200 sq ft staterooms located on Lido, Bridge, and Belvedere Decks. Bath/shower or walk-in shower. Convertible twin or fixed double beds.

**Category G: Premium Outside Cabins:** 130-150 sq ft staterooms located on Bridge and Lido Decks. Private shower, fixed twin beds, convertible twin beds, or fixed double bed. Views in some cabins are partially obstructed by lifeboats.

**Category H: Premium Outside Cabins:** 130 sq ft cabins located on Belvedere and Columbus Decks. Fixed twin beds with private shower.

**Category I: Premium Outside Cabins:** 130 sq ft cabins on Bridge Deck have two windows with views partially obstructed by lifeboats and some cabins feature a fixed double bed.

**Category J: Standard Outside Cabins:** 130 sq ft cabins located on Columbus Deck. Fixed twin beds with private shower. These cabins are similar in size and layout to Category I, but most have portholes in place of windows.

**Category K/L: Premium Inside Cabins:** 130 sq ft cabins located on Belvedere and Columbus Decks. Fixed twin beds with private shower.

**Category M: Standard Inside Cabins:** 130 sq ft cabins located on Belvedere and Columbus Decks. Fixed twin beds with private shower.



Junior Balcony Suite



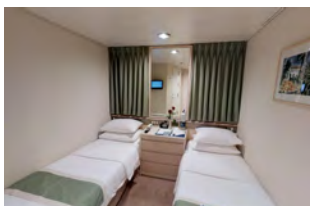
Deluxe Balcony Stateroom



Deluxe Stateroom



Premium Outside Cabin



Premium Inside Cabin

## The Complete Air/Land/Cruise Package

Enjoy the peace of mind that comes with a complete vacation package and book your air through VTA. Below are airfare add-ons available from a variety of North American gateway cities. For a complete list of gateway options, contact us at 800-748-6262 or [aia@studytours.org](mailto:aia@studytours.org).

Add-on roundtrip airfare is in economy class with leading airlines on convenient routings from most major airports. Transfers are included for guests purchasing VTA air arrangements in conjunction with program arrival and departure dates.

If you prefer to book your own flights and transfers, then we will deduct \$1,000 from your program fare.

**Full airfare and transfers are included in the program price for participants booking the *Grand Voyage*.**

Gateway City	Airport Code	Price (\$)
Atlanta	ATL	595
Boston	BOS	595
Charlotte	CLT	695
Chicago	ORD	595
Dallas	DFW	595
Denver	DEN	695
Detroit	DTW	595
Houston	IAH	595
Los Angeles	LAX	795
Miami	MIA	595
Minneapolis	MSP	795
New York/JFK	JFK	595
Philadelphia	PHL	595
Portland, OR	PDX	795
San Antonio	SAT	695
San Francisco	SFO	795
Seattle	SEA	795
St. Louis	STL	695
Tampa	TPA	695
Washington, D.C.	IAD	595





## Prices Include

- **All meals aboard ship**, plus afternoon tea and late night snacks. Water is served with all meals, and complimentary wine, beer, or soft drinks are included with dinners. The **Terrace Café** has indoor and outdoor seating to enjoy breakfast, lunch, and dinner. The **Marco Polo Restaurant** is an elegant restaurant offering dinner each evening plus lunch on days at sea
- Nearly all **excursions**
- Surface transportation by **motor coach**, with bottled water
- **Gratuities** for cabin stewards and restaurant staff onboard *Aegean Odyssey*
- **Group transfers and portage of luggage** when traveling on program arrival and departure days for flights ticketed by VTA
- **Accommodations in 4-star hotels** on the overland portion of the tours, most meals, taxes, service charges, and hospitality desk
- Balcony Class (Categories A-D) passengers also receive a welcome bottle of champagne, refrigerated mini-bar stocked with soft drinks and bottled water, bathrobe, slippers, and boutique bathroom amenities aboard ship
- *Grand Voyage* travelers receive free round-trip airfare and transfers!

**RATES DO NOT INCLUDE:** Full airfare from/to home unless air add-on purchased; individual transfers; optional shore excursions or deviations from scheduled tour; beverages other than listed, and other items of a personal nature; passport and visa fees; air taxes and fuel surcharges, government fees, other surcharges and local taxes; cost of trip cancellation, baggage, and personal insurance; gratuities to onshore guides and drivers; meals not specified in the itinerary; Internet charges and telephone calls; visas and airport taxes where they are payable locally; and other items not listed as included.

### **CANCELLATION PENALTIES:**

120 days or more prior to departure:	Full refund
Between 90 and 119 days prior to departure:	10% of fare
Between 61 and 89 days prior to departure:	25% of fare
Between 31 and 60 days prior to departure:	50% of fare
Between 16 and 30 days prior to departure:	75% of fare
15 days or less before departure:	100% of fare

**All cancellations must be received in writing by AIA Tours. Information on trip cancellation insurance will be sent upon receipt of your deposit.**

**Due to space limitations, this is abbreviated information. Complete terms and conditions are available upon request and can be viewed online at [www.aiatours.org](http://www.aiatours.org).**

## What to Expect

**Choose a single land/voyage program (14 days each) OR combine them for a grand, 20-day voyage!** Cruise aboard the 216-cabin *Aegean Odyssey*, and stay in 4-star hotels on the land portions of the individual programs. Daily excursions feature extensive sightseeing and require a certain level of fitness and mobility. A minimum expected level of fitness would be the ability to walk one to two miles within a period of two to three hours; ascend and/or descend multiple flights of stairs without assistance; and walk easily and comfortably along uneven, slightly hilly, and/or unstable surfaces. Also, some ports on the cruise itineraries may require transport to/from land via the ship's or local tenders, so you must be able to step down 1' or 2' into or out of boats, or onto floating platforms or piers. All participants are expected to be physically active and not be an impediment to others on excursions, to enjoy traveling as part of a group, and to be ready to experience cultural differences. Anyone who is not able to walk unassisted for extended periods is kindly advised not to join. If you have any questions about your ability to participate, we suggest that you visit your personal physician with this brochure in hand, and discuss whether or not the program is appropriate for you. In this region, at this time of year, average daily temperatures tend to range from the low 50s to the low 80s (F). Aboard the *Aegean Odyssey* there is internet service on Belvedere Deck and Wifi is available in designated areas; charges may apply. *Complete pre-departure details, such as what to pack and more of what to expect, will be sent to participants.*

## About the Archaeological Institute of America & AIA Tours

The Archaeological Institute of America (AIA) is the oldest and largest archaeological organization in North America. The AIA seeks to educate people of all ages about the significance of archaeological discovery. For more than a century the AIA has been dedicated to the encouragement and support of archaeological research and publication, and to the protection of the world's archaeological resources and cultural heritage. By traveling on an AIA Tour you directly support the AIA while personally gaining the benefit of the AIA's network of scholars and worldwide contacts.



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## RESERVATION FORM

### The Aegean & Adriatic Seas

Dalmatia & Ancient Greece: Venice to Athens  
Classical Greece & Islands of the Aegean: Athens back to Athens  
OR The Grand Voyage

To hold your reservation for seven days while this form and your deposit are in the mail, please contact us at 800-748-6262 or [aia@studytours.org](mailto:aia@studytours.org).

Name 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy): \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it appears on passport)  
Name 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy): \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it appears on passport)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Email(s) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ I/We have read the 'What to Expect' section and am/are physically able to participate fully on the program.

Are you traveling with any other parties on this program? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_

Choose your voyage:

- ☐ Dalmatia & Ancient Greece: Venice to Athens - September 18 to October 1, 2019 (14 days)  
☐ Classical Greece & Islands of the Aegean: Athens back to Athens - September 24 to October 7, 2019 (14 days)  
☐ The Grand Voyage - September 18 to October 7, 2019 (20 days)

Airport Preference: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ I/We choose to purchase my/our own airfare.  
Airport Code Gateway City

#### ACCOMMODATIONS:

(Accommodation preferences are not guaranteed.)

Select your preferred cabin category: First Choice \_\_\_\_\_ Second Choice \_\_\_\_\_ Third Choice \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Double (one bed) ☐ Twin (two beds) ☐ Single ☐ Sharing: roommate name: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Share-please assign a roommate (not guaranteed; you will be booked as a single until a roommate is assigned)

☐ Please share my contact information with potential roommate(s).

I am a ☐ Non-smoker ☐ Smoker

#### RESERVATIONS & PAYMENT:

A deposit of 10% of the program fare, per person, is required to confirm a reservation. Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. You will receive an invoice for final payment. **Please note that credit cards are not accepted for final payment.** All prices and payments are in US dollars.

#### DEPOSIT TYPE (PLEASE CHECK ONE):

☐ Check payable to: EOS Passenger Account-AIA-VTA9/19 ☐ Visa ☐ Master Card ☐ American Express  
CC# \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ 3- or 4-Digit Code \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this reservation form, sign the release statement below, enclose your deposit, and "submit" by email, mail, or fax to:

**AIA Tours - P.O. Box 938, Walpole, NH 03608-0938**

**Fax: 603-756-2922 • Email: [aia@studytours.org](mailto:aia@studytours.org)**

By signing this form, you are acknowledging that you have read and agree to all Terms & Conditions delineated throughout.

If submitting this form electronically, please check the following box:

☐ I understand that checking this box constitutes a legal signature confirming that I acknowledge and agree to the Terms & Conditions.

Signature (participant #1) \_\_\_\_\_ Time and Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (participant #2) \_\_\_\_\_ Time and Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Submit**

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND BINDING ARBITRATION AGREEMENT**

**RESPONSIBILITY:** Eos Study Tours, Archaeological Institute of America, and its and their employees, shareholders, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors or trustees, successors and assigns (collectively "Sponsor"), do not own or operate any entity which is to or does provide goods or services for your trip including, for example, lodging facilities; airline, vessel, or other transportation companies; guides or guide services; local ground operators; providers or organizers of optional excursions; food service or entertainment providers; etc. All such persons and entities are independent contractors. As a result, Sponsor is not liable for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any such person or of any other third party. In addition and without limitation, Sponsor is not responsible for any injury, loss, death, inconvenience, delay, or damage to person or property in connection with the provision of any goods or services whether resulting from, but not limited to, acts of force majeure; acts of God; acts of government; acts of war or civil unrest, insurrection or revolt; bites from or attacks by animals, insects, or pests; strikes or other labor activities; criminal or terrorist activities of any kind or the threat thereof; sickness, illness, epidemics or the threat thereof; the lack of availability of or access to medical attention or the quality thereof; overbooking or downgrading of accommodations; mechanical or other failure of airplanes, vessels, or other means of transportation; or for any failure of any transportation mechanism to arrive or depart timely or safely. In addition, Sponsor is not liable for its own negligence, and participant assumes all risk thereof. **CHANGES IN ITINERARY OR FEATURES:** Sponsor reserves the right to change the itinerary or trip features at any time and for any reason, with or without notice, and Sponsor shall not be liable for any loss of any kind as a result of any such changes. Sponsor may cancel a trip (or an option) for any reason whatsoever; if so, its sole responsibility is to refund monies paid by the participant. Sponsor is not required to cancel any trip for any reason including, without limitation, United States Department of State, World Health Organization, or other Warnings or Advisories of any kind. Sponsor is not responsible for penalties assessed by air carriers resulting from operational and/or itinerary changes, even if Sponsor makes the flight arrangements or cancels the trip. Sponsor reserves the right to substitute hotels or attractions of a similar category for those listed in this brochure. **LUGGAGE:** Luggage allowance policies are set by the airlines and may change without prior notice. **PHYSICAL ACCESSIBILITY:** All programs require physical independence and mobility. Any physical or mental condition that may require special medical attention or physical assistance (for example, the need of a wheelchair) must be reported in writing when you make your reservation. Participants requiring assistance must travel with a companion who will assist them throughout and will be responsible for handling equipment. Participants must be able to embark or disembark motor coaches alone or with minimal assistance from their traveling companion, and climb stairs and step over raised thresholds without assistance. **REFUNDS:** Prices quoted are based on group participation. No refunds will be made for any part of the program in which participants choose not to participate. Refunds cannot be made to participants who do not complete the tour for any reason, nor to participants whose entry into any country on the itinerary is delayed or denied. **TRIP INSURANCE:** Sponsor strongly recommends that participants purchase trip cancellation insurance. In the event that you must cancel your participation, trip cancellation insurance may be the only source of reimbursement. Trip cancellation insurance is available through Sponsor and others and covers certain expenses in conjunction with cancellation due to illness or accident and damaged or lost luggage. Sponsor will send participants an application upon receipt of their reservation. **RATES:** Prices quoted are based on fares in effect at the time of printing and are subject to changes at any time. On all programs, even after full payment, Sponsor reserves the right to increase the tour price in the event of cost increases due to changes in supplier costs, tax increases, currency fluctuations or fuel and energy surcharges, and all such increases are to be paid to Sponsor upon notice to the participant of such increases. **FORUM AND METHODOLOGY FOR DISPUTE RESOLUTION:** Any dispute or claim which refers or relates to this contract, any literature related to the trip, or the trip itself shall be litigated solely and exclusively in and for courts in Keene, New Hampshire, subject to substantive and procedural New Hampshire law, and for this limited purpose, the parties agree to exclusive venue and personal jurisdiction therein. At the participant's option, however, in lieu of litigation, Sponsor will agree to binding arbitration in Keene, New Hampshire, subject to substantive, but not procedural, New Hampshire law, pursuant to the then existing commercial rules of the American Arbitration Association. In any such arbitration, the arbitrator, and not any federal, state, or local court or agency, shall have exclusive authority to resolve any dispute relating to the interpretation, applicability, enforceability, conscionability, or formation of this contract, including but not limited to any claim that all or any part of this contract is void or voidable. **CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS:** Sponsor reserves the right to cancel this tour prior to departure, in which case payment will be refunded without further obligation on our part. However, if trip cancellation, itinerary changes, and/or delays are mandated by causes beyond our control, the participant shall have the option of accepting in lieu of the original tour such rescheduled tour or other substituted tour(s) as may be offered by Sponsor, or else, receiving a refund of as much of such advance tour expenditures as Sponsor is able to recover on the participant's behalf from carriers, third-party tour vendors, etc. Sponsor, however, shall not have any obligation or liability to the participant beyond the foregoing. **U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT & CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL:** Both the U.S. State Department and the Centers for Disease Control publish and update important country-specific information for travelers. We strongly recommend that you review them. They can presently be found at: <https://travel.state.gov/content/passports/en/alertswarnings.html> and <https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/notices>. **MISCELLANEOUS:** Participants should not purchase airline tickets prior to receiving your final payment invoice so as to avoid airline cancellation penalties if a tour is canceled or otherwise modified subsequent to the participant's purchase of those tickets. Baggage and personal effects are at all times the sole responsibility of the participant. If, due to weather, flight schedules or other uncontrollable factors, you are required to spend an additional night(s), you will be responsible for your own hotel, transfers, and meal costs. Baggage is entirely at owner's risk. Sponsor reserves the right to decline to accept or retain any participant at any time. The right is reserved to decline to accept as a participant, or remove from a trip, without refund, any person it judges to be incapable of meeting the rigors and requirements of participating in the activities, or who is abusive to other trip participants, leaders, or third parties, or who is determined to detract from the enjoyment of the trip by others. Specific room assignments are within the sole discretion of the hotel. **APPEARING IN PHOTOS:** Photos from AIA Tours' trips may be posted on photo-sharing web sites or on social networking sites. Your likeness may appear in some photos or videos, posted either by other travelers or tour lecturers/guides, and the circulation of the materials could be worldwide. Trip photos may also be selected to appear in future AIA Tours promotions; no compensation is available for appearing in a trip photo used for promotional purposes.

**ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRACT:** By forwarding of deposit, the participant certifies that he/she agrees with these terms and conditions, and accepts the terms contained in these Terms and Conditions, Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Binding Arbitration Agreement.