

Seabourn Offers Winning Combination Voyages In Europe

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SEATTLE, **February 23, 2016** - <u>Seabourn</u> is offering a wide selection of Combination Voyages in Europe this summer, featuring added savings and extensive opportunities for travelers to explore more of Europe, from the beautiful coastlines of the French, Spanish and Italian Rivieras to the picturesque Greek Isles to the stunning Norwegian fjords. Guests who combine two or more cruises will receive additional savings of up to 15 percent.

"Many of our Europe cruises are designed as seven-day cruises but are combinable for two to four weeks allowing guests to create itineraries that are very rich in port content," said John Delaney, Seabourn's senior vice president of global marketing and sales. "Our combination voyages are ideal for travelers seeking to visit many beautiful destinations throughout the Mediterranean and Northern Europe."

Examples of Seabourn's Combination Voyages in Europe 2016 include:

Seabourn Odyssey is offering 14-day European Combination Cruises in the eastern Mediterranean, with fares starting from \$4,999 per person with complimentary veranda upgrades. The <u>Aegean Odyssey</u> sails roundtrip from Athens (Piraeus), Greece to Barcelona, Spain on May 28, June 25, July 23, August 20, September 17 and October 15, 2016, calling at 13 ports and featuring Seabourn's exclusive *Evening at Ephesus* complimentary shore event. The 14-day <u>Adriatic & Aegean Isles</u> cruises depart Venice to Istanbul on June 18, July 16, August 13, September 10 and October 8, 2016, featuring 13 port visits, the line's *Evening at Ephesus* event, as well as a planned Marina Day at Primosten, Croatia on the Dalmatian Coast.

In the Western Mediterranean, *Seabourn Sojourn* is offering a 21-day <u>Mediterranean Nights</u> voyage roundtrip from Monte Carlo, with fares starting at \$8,999 per person. Departing August 11 and October 6, 2016, *Seabourn Sojourn* will visit 18 charming ports and towns along the Spanish and French Rivieras, the stunning Amalfi Coast in Italy, and idyllic islands such as Malta, Corsica and Sardinia. In addition, two Marina Days are planned at Amalfi and San Remo, Italy.

In Northern Europe, *Seabourn Quest* will offer 21-day Combination voyages between Stockholm and Copenhagen on May 21, May 28, June 18 and June 25, 2016, with rates starting from \$9,999 per person. These voyages will explore the majestic fjords of Norway, and the best of Scandinavia and the Baltic, offering scenic Fjord cruising and three days in St. Petersburg. These cruises will also feature the line's popular "Ventures by Seabourn" excursions, an innovative optional program of Zodiac and kayak excursions led by *Seabourn Quest's* expedition team of respected naturalists, science, wildlife and historical experts. Available at select ports, Ventures by Seabourn will lead guests through picturesque waterways and fjords, secluded inlets and to scenic islands via sturdy, stable Zodiac inflatable boats or paddling in double sea kayaks launched from the unique fold-out water sports marina.

In addition, Seabourn's 2016 Europe season will include stops at a number of ports that are home to <u>UNESCO World Heritage Sites</u>. These itineraries will offer optional World Heritage Tours to visit these historic sites, as well as special Discovery Tours, featuring exclusive enhanced content developed in cooperation with UNESCO World Heritage site managers and tour experts.

The Europe season will offer many of the line's signature and unique experiences. In various ports throughout the Mediterranean and Northern Europe, the three ships will feature the popular "Shopping with

the Chef" excursion, where a small group of guests accompany the executive chef to local markets to learn about local produce and see how the freshest ingredients are selected to create exquisite dishes onboard. Seabourn Sojourn and Seabourn Odyssey will offer the hallmark "Marina Day" experience, featuring complimentary watersports from the ships' fold-out watersports platform at some of the most scenic ports in the Mediterranean. In addition, many of Seabourn Odyssey's itineraries will include Kusadasi, Turkey, featuring Seabourn's signature complimentary Evening at Ephesus, a private classical concert in the ancient ruins under the stars.

The three ships garnered rave reviews and acclaim as "game changers" for the luxury cruise segment when they entered service beginning with *Seabourn Odyssey* in 2009, and followed by *Seabourn Sojourn* in 2010 and *Seabourn Quest* in 2011. The ships offer key elements that set the line apart: spacious, thoughtfully appointed suites, most with verandas; superb dining in a choice of venues; open bars throughout the ship; fine wines poured at lunch and dinner; award-winning personalized service and a relaxed, sociable atmosphere. At 32,000 tons and carrying just 458 guests each, the ships provide one of the highest ratios of space per guest in the industry and unmatched levels of personalized service from nearly one staff member per guest.

For additional information or reservations about Seabourn's 2016 Europe season, please contact a professional travel advisor, call Seabourn at 1-800-929-9391 or visit www.seabourn.com.

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