

# VIETNAM & CAMBODIA

ALONG THE MEKONG RIVER,  
INCLUDING ANGKOR & SAIGON

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2022 DEPARTURES

NEW TASTES &  
NEW TRANSPORTS

ADD HANOI, HALONG  
BAY/LAN HA BAY,  
HUE & HOI AN

DEAR TRAVELER,

When I travel with our guests on other Lindblad-National Geographic voyages, and they learn I'm an expedition leader on our Mekong River expedition, they invariably ask me if they'll "meet local people." I'm always surprised by the question, because unequivocally, our Mekong expedition is a *total and complete immersion* in the Vietnamese and Cambodian cultures of the Mekong River—and encounters with people.

The officers and crew of *The Jahan* are all Vietnamese and Cambodian, and take great pride in showing us their homelands. Our guides are from the areas we visit; they have personally scouted out and established relationships with the families, villages, and local markets—enabling the authentic experiences that set us apart from other travel companies on the Mekong. In addition to facilitating interaction and interpretation, our guides ensure that these relationships are beneficial to the locals, as well as engaging and memorable for us. Even our ship, the beautiful designed *The Jahan* is a cultural experience. And to add to the gracious hospitality, *your bar tab and crew tips are included* in the voyage price, with our compliments.

### *Our Captain's river navigation skill is a voyage hallmark*



I can't emphasize enough how rewarding it is for me personally to work with **Captain Quy**, and how vital he is to our guests' experience. Captain Quy completely understands the Mekong experience we seek to provide—to photographers and river-watchers alike. We consistently cruise the river during the golden hours of sunrise and sunset, when the lighting is magical and life along the riverbanks is most active. The Captain navigates toward one bank or the other, and always gives me sufficient notice of upcoming dramatic sights and turns, so I can ensure you'll never miss an exceptional moment.

### *And the interpretation aboard is superb*

The geopolitical history of Cambodia and Vietnam is fascinating, complex, and often quite misunderstood by Westerners. One cannot understand the Khmer Rouge tragedy, the Vietnam War, or even the influence of China today, without putting it in the context of French Indochina and the role of the West since the early 19th century. This is an underpinning theme of the entire expedition, reaching its climax with a keynote lecture and on-board Q & A by Royal University of Phnom Penh professor **Dr. Jean-Michel Filippi**. His unbounded knowledge and irrepressible enthusiasm for clarification and understanding make the morning with Dr. Filippi a highlight of every voyage.



If I had to encapsulate in one word what most sets the Lindblad-National Geographic experience apart from others on the Mekong, it's authenticity. The authenticity of the interactions and experiences, on board the ship, on the river, in the towns and villages and with our guides is the exhilarating discovery I promise you'll make.

Perhaps the most affecting aspect for me, and for many of our guests is the gratitude that every member of *The Jahan's* crew expresses for the *interest* of our guests. Many of the crew members come from towns and villages along the river, and places that we visit on our journey, and they are delighted by our interest in the way they live, their philosophies, and beliefs. It has made them incredibly proud of themselves, and they communicate that pride to their friends and families. It's very moving when they say, as they often do upon farewell, "Thank you for doing everything you do to support our homeland."

There are few cultural experiences along the Mekong that are this in-depth, meaningful, and rewarding. I sincerely hope you'll choose to join us.

On behalf of the entire *The Jahan* team, we look forward to sharing the Mekong with you.

Sincerely,



Tom O'Brien  
Expedition Leader



*Cover photo: Fishing on the Mekong River at sunrise.*

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*This page: Floating village on Tonle Sap River.*

© David Vargas.

*Ship's registry: Vietnam*



# A RIVER ROUTE THROUGH HISTORY & TWO CULTURES

Rivers are the heart and soul of countries and cultures, a pulsating lifeline. And no river teems with more life than the mighty Mekong, which winds its way through the lush lowlands of Cambodia and Vietnam. Our dual-natured, in-depth land and river exploration takes us from the heart of Cambodia's 9th-century Khmer empire, at Angkor, to Vietnam's most storied city, Saigon. We'll largely travel along the Mekong—with our riverboat, *The Jahan*, providing an all-five-senses-engaged front-row seat.

## THE MAGIC OF ANGKOR

An undeniable highlight of the itinerary is the vast complex of Angkor. With our expert guides we'll explore Angkor Wat, the world's largest religious monument, and Angkor Thom, where the Bayon temple's towers reveal hundreds of stone faces, gazing at us across the centuries. We'll also see Ta Prohm, where the jungle is slowly reclaiming the temple and the exquisite carvings at the temple of Banteay Srei.



*Main image: Guest photographing Angkor Wat during sunrise.*

*Inset: The enigmatic smiling faces of the 12th-century Bayon temple at Angkor Wat.*



## WHERE THE MEKONG & ANGKOR MEET

The seasonal cycles of the mighty Mekong’s lower reaches sustain a life along the riverbanks that’s astonishingly unchanged from the great Angkor empires of a millennium ago. Indeed, so much of the fascinating and photogenic fishing and cooking techniques, rice cultivation, stilt houses, and floating villages, even the beasts of burden that we encounter on our voyages today, are depicted exactly in the sandstone reliefs of the incomparable 800-year-old Angkor Temples.



*Boats transporting rice, Mekong Delta, Vietnam.*

▶ YOU WON'T WANT TO LEAVE, SO DON'T—EXTEND YOUR STAY & EXPLORE HANOI, HALONG BAY, LAN HA BAY, HOI AN, AND HUE. **SEE PAGES 12-13.**

# LIVE LIKE A LOCAL

## EXCITING WAYS TO GET AROUND



*Cyclo*. Longboat. Oxcart. And, of course, *tuk-tuk*. These are all indigenous forms of transportation that you can enjoy during unforgettable daytrips from *The Jahan*. Travel through rice paddies and lotus lily farms using a traditional two-wheeled oxcart, a bouncy but exhilarating ride. You might then jump into a *tuk-tuk*—a three-wheeled, motorized rickshaw—and zip through the countryside to visit a local temple or a school

supported by Lindblad-National Geographic guests, where the friendly students will greet you. Wend your way through Phnom Penh's traffic relaxing on a *cyclo*, a bicycle that pulls a two-seater car behind it, as you view the French Colonial Post Office, the U.S. Embassy and the art deco Central Market, before ending with a tour of the Royal Palace. And to explore waterways too small for *The Jahan* to navigate, you can board a longboat to immerse yourself in the local culture. Visit floating villages and take in the homes, shops, produce markets, and fish farms—all with an up-close view of this fascinating way of life on the water.



▶ SEE OUR VIDEO AT [EXPEDITIIONS.COM/MEKONGINMOTION](https://www.expeditiions.com/mekonginmotion)





## A REAL TASTE OF VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA



Although the two countries are neighbors and their foods share many elements, the cooking in each country is distinctive. Whether it's aboard *The Jahan*, at fine city restaurants or our private dinners, eating local food on this journey is always a rewarding part of your experience. You'll always have a choice of continental foods, as well. The result: You'll look forward to mealtimes and the extraordinary culinary opportunities this region has to offer—and perhaps return home with new recipes and skills gleaned from our visits to local markets and on-board cooking class.

▶ SEE A VIDEO OF OUR CULINARY JOURNEY AT [EXPEDITIONS.COM/CULINARYMEKONG](https://www.expeditions.com/culinarymekong)



*Opposite clockwise: Guest on cyclo; sightseeing on a tuk-tuk in Phnom Penh; traveling to a local village by oxcart. Above clockwise: Pho soup; The Jahan's head chef gathering at a local market along the river; spring rolls; on-board cooking class; fresh dragon fruit.*

# EXCLUSIVELY YOURS, WITH MEANING & MAGIC

## A PRIVATE DINNER AT A STUNNING ANGKOR TEMPLE

It's an experience so evocative that many guests have told us it was the highlight of their voyage. The incomparable setting uses gentle illumination to conjure the temple's mystery and magic, as costumed dancers, looking like the celestial dancers adorning the walls of Angkor's temples, perform classic music and dance for us as they have for dynasties of Khmer kings and queens.



*Traditional dancers at a private dinner  
at an illuminated Angkor temple.*



# ENJOY AN ENCHANTING PERFORMANCE



Vietnamese water puppetry is the traditional folk art of making wooden, lacquered puppets dance on water. The tradition stretches back 4,000 years, when farmers, waist-deep in flooded rice paddies, manipulated the dolls to entertain themselves and villagers, depicting stories of fishing, harvesting, and village folklore. Today, you can see these ancient stories come alive on pools framed by ornate stages and carefully designed sets—complete with a Vietnamese orchestra of flutes, bells, cymbals, and single-stringed guitar, with deft puppeteers hidden behind bamboo curtains. Mesmerizing and sophisticated, the art of water puppetry is sure to delight you and prove a memorable cultural experience.

## AN INSPIRING INTERACTION— THE KAMPONG TRALACH LOCAL SCHOOL PROJECT



What could be better than connecting with enthusiastic children who are bettering their own lives—and the lives of their families? For years Lindblad-National Geographic guests have supported extracurricular education in the village of Kampong Tralach, funding local schools

that provide English language instruction and a place for local children to share their growth through storytelling. A journey from *The Jahan* via oxcarts takes you through the rice paddies to a school where you will be welcomed by the students, who will be starting their day with the Khmer flag-raising ceremony. You can even follow the students into their classrooms to personally experience education in rural Cambodia. Our guests feel most warmly welcomed into this vibrant community.



## ENHANCING YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH INSIGHT & EXPERTISE

When you travel with us, you're surrounded by people with in-depth knowledge of and enthusiasm for the incredible regions we visit. From renowned photographers to local specialists and onboard experts drawn from a wide range of relevant backgrounds, our carefully crafted team is vital to the quality of your experience, and their presence often proves transformative.



▶ LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR IMPACT IN THE REGION AT [EXPEDITIONS.COM/GS\\_MEKONG](https://www.expeditions.com/gs_mekong)

# SUPERB ACCOMMODATIONS ON LAND & ON THE RIVER

The 48-guest *The Jahan* is an artistic masterpiece, hand-crafted with hand-painted walls and ceilings, inlaid and hand-carved woodwork, and a decorative treasure of irreplaceable antiques collected from East India and Sri Lanka. The ship's deluxe accommodations include 24 spacious cabins, two of which are suites. All are configured with queen or twin-sized beds, and glass door private balconies for enjoying the timeless views of life along the Mekong.

▶ PLEASE FIND CABIN AND SHIP DETAILS ON PAGE 14.

## WITH OUR COMPLIMENTS:

To add a further gracious note to your stay aboard *The Jahan* your bar tab and crew gratuities are on us.



*Each hotel we'll stay in has been specially chosen for its unique ambience, the attentiveness of the service, and for how it enhances your stay. Over the years we've been staying at these hotels, we've developed special relationships with the staff, who share Lindblad-National Geographic Expeditions' commitment to delivering an exceptional experience.*



## LA RÉSIDENCE D'ANGKOR

*This elegant Siem Reap hotel, a member of the Belmond group, is built in traditional Khmer style and finished in teak and bamboo. The indoors and outdoors are beautifully integrated, with balconies and large windows letting in ample light and allowing for great views of the lush gardens (which make for fine strolling).*



*Opposite page: The lovely riverboat The Jahan. Above (from top to bottom): Attentive, expert hotel staff create a uniquely gracious shipboard atmosphere; the ship offers myriad spaces to socialize or seek silence—always with a river view. Below (left and right): the pool at La Résidence d'Angkor; the perfectly sited, luxury Park Hyatt hotel in Saigon.*



## PARK HYATT SAIGON

*A remarkable combination of colonial and modern elegance, the Park Hyatt is situated in the heart of Saigon, steps from the city's grand squares, shopping streets, and the Saigon River. Its rooms are spacious and beautifully appointed, and its grand public spaces provide a welcoming atmosphere.*

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15 DAYS/12 NIGHTS—FEATURING 7 NIGHTS ABOARD *THE JAHAN*

PRICING FROM \$12,220

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Linked by the mighty Mekong River, Vietnam and Cambodia abound with magnificent carved temples, lush landscapes, and cities where rich imperial and colonial legacies mingle. Encounter the incomparable treasures of Angkor, and take a river voyage aboard the elegant *The Jahan* between the Tonle Sap River and Vietnam's Mekong Delta. Explore traditional villages, and gain insight into the daily lives of farmers, monks, and craftspeople.

## EXPEDITION HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Watch the sunrise at Angkor Wat, and spend two full days immersed in the splendor of Angkor's temples and palaces.
- ▶ Take in the magic of a private candlelit dinner at a temple of Angkor, and enjoy a performance of water puppetry—a distinctive Vietnamese folk art, practiced here for over 300 years.
- ▶ Explore the vibrant cities of Phnom Penh and Saigon, and experience rural life on visits to floating homes, farms, and traditional villages.
- ▶ You're traveling far; see more on an eight-day pre- or post-voyage extension. Discover Hanoi, Halong Bay, Lan Ha Bay, Hoi An, and Hue. See pages 12-13 or visit [expeditions.com/vietnamext](https://expeditions.com/vietnamext) for details.

## EXPERIENCE & EXPERTISE



This journey has been made possible by the launch of the outstanding river ship *The Jahan*, which offers a level of accommodation that has not previously been available on the Mekong. Our expedition staff aboard ship consists of an expedition leader, experts on Southeast Asian cultures, a naturalist/Lindblad-National Geographic certified photo instructor, and an American doctor, along with top local guides in each region.

Visit our website to read staff bios for this expedition.

*Fisherman tossing a net on Mekong River.*



### DAYS 1–3: U.S./SIEM REAP, CAMBODIA

Depart in the evening, “lose” a day crossing the international date line, and arrive in Siem Reap on Day 3. Settle into our outstanding Khmer style hotel, La Résidence d’Angkor, on the banks of the Siem Reap River. This evening, join us for informal welcome drinks at the hotel’s Martini Bar and meet your expedition staff.

### DAYS 4 & 5: ANGKOR

Rise early to watch the sunrise over Angkor Wat. This 12th-century Khmer temple, one of the world’s largest religious monuments, is adorned with elaborate bas-reliefs and sculptures. Ride a *tuk-tuk*, or motorized rickshaw, to the walled city of Angkor Thom. Discover the shrines of Ta Prohm and the temple of Banteay Srei. Visit a workshop where local youth are trained in age-old Khmer arts. Enjoy traditional Cambodian music and dance at a beautifully lit private dinner at one of Angkor’s temples. (Day 4: B,L,D; Day 5: B,D)

### DAY 6: KAMPONG CHAM/EMBARK

Drive to the bustling city of Kampong Cham and embark *The Jahan*, our home for the next seven nights. (B,L,D)



Kids in a local school, Kampong Chhnang.

### DAY 7: WAT HANCHEY OR KOH DACH/ ANGKOR BAN

At Wat Hanchey, see a variety of temples, including an 8th-century temple from the pre-Angkor Chenla period, or on the reverse itinerary see the silk-weaving village of Koh Dach. Continue to the village of Angkor Ban, with its traditional houses and friendly residents. (B,L,D)

### DAY 8: KAMPONG TRALACH/ KAMPONG CHHNANG

In the morning, take an oxcart ride through rice paddies to a local school in Kampong Tralach.

Later, visit a village where artisans make traditional pottery, and board local boats to see the clustered houses and shops that float in midstream. (B,L,D)

### DAY 9: PHNOM PENH

Explore the Cambodian capital by *cyclo* (bicycle taxi), and visit the Royal Palace and the National Museum of Cambodia. Learn about the reign of the Khmer Rouge on a visit to the Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum. This evening, enjoy an apsara dance performance. (B,L,D)



Banteay Srei temple abounds with fine carvings.

### DAY 10: CRUISING THE MEKONG

Take in views of everyday life along the river, attend talks by our experts, and join our chefs to learn how to cook regional dishes. Cross the border into Vietnam. (B,L,D)

### DAY 11: CHAU DOC OR TAN CHAU, VIETNAM

Chau Doc has one of Vietnam’s most interesting markets, with an astonishing variety of tropical fruits, vegetables, and other goods. We continue to a floating market on the river and a fish farm, where we see fish being fed through trap doors in the floating platforms. In the afternoon, we continue sailing the Mekong. (B,L,D)

### DAY 12: SA DEC/CAI BE

Take a local boat to experience rural life in the Mekong Delta. See the floating market of Cai Be, step into a rice “factory” to watch rice-based candies being made, and cruise among floating markets and fish farms. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner aboard *The Jahan*. (B,L,D)

### DAY 13: MY THO/DISEMBARK/SAIGON

Disembark in My Tho and visit the Vinh Trang Pagoda. Then journey to Saigon (Ho Chi Minh City) and embark on a tour of Saigon’s landmarks, including the Reunification Palace, headquarters of the South Vietnamese government during the Vietnam War. After



lunch, check into the Park Hyatt Saigon for two nights. Meet with a local expert on Vietnam’s modern development, followed by dinner at a local restaurant. (B,L,D)

### DAYS 14 & 15: SAIGON/U.S.

In the morning, visit the Cu Chi tunnels, part of a huge network of tunnels used by the Viet Cong during the Vietnam War. The afternoon and lunch are at leisure. In the evening, we’ll take in a performance of water puppetry—a distinctive Vietnamese folk art, practiced here for over 300 years. Dinner is at leisure. Depart Saigon on Day 15, arriving home the same day. (B)

## EXPEDITION DETAILS

**DATES:** 2022 Jan. 31; Feb. 14, 22\*

\*This departure travels from Saigon to Siem Reap.

### SPECIAL OFFER:

Your bar tab and tips to the crew are complimentary aboard all departures on *The Jahan*.

### OPTIONAL EXTENSION

Head north to explore more of Vietnam’s historic and beautiful locales on our eight-day extension in [Hanoi](#), [Halong Bay](#), [Lan Ha Bay](#), [Hoi An](#), and [Hue](#). See pages 12-13 or visit [expeditions.com/vietnamext](https://www.expeditions.com/vietnamext) for details.



Hoi An, Vietnam.

SEE & DO MORE:

## EXTEND YOUR JOURNEY TO HANOI, HALONG BAY, LAN HA BAY, HOI AN, AND HUE\*

**8 DAYS | 2022 PRICES:** \$5,990 per person double occupancy, \$7,310 per person single occupancy.

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\*This extension is offered in reverse beginning in Hanoi ending in Saigon for voyages beginning in Saigon and ending in Siem Reap.

Vietnam has a wealth of historic and beautiful locales, and on our eight-day extension we will have the chance to explore a number of them, including the World Heritage sites of Hoi An, Hue, and Halong Bay/Lan Ha Bay.

The city of Hanoi has a lively old quarter, vibrant present-day culture, and interesting monuments to Ho Chi Minh. On an overnight voyage aboard the newly-refurbished *Ginger* we'll explore tranquil Lan Ha Bay, featuring the same spectacular limestone pinnacles of neighboring Halong Bay's 2,000 islands (an UNESCO World Heritage Site). Hoi An, a vital trading center with China and Japan between the 16th and 18th centuries, retains its international flavor. And the great Citadel and Forbidden City of Hue, Vietnam's former imperial capital, evoke the grandeur of Vietnamese culture in remarkable fashion.



*Woman at Hoi An market.*

You'll travel in the company of Lindblad staff and well-informed local guides, and you'll learn a great deal about the many things you see.



*Famous karst landscape of Lan Ha Bay.*

**DAY 15: SAIGON/DA NANG/HOI AN**

Fly to Da Nang in the morning, then drive to Hoi An. Hoi An has preserved its legacy very well, and its historic core imparts the flavor of how life must have been centuries ago. On a walking tour, visit old merchants' houses with Chinese, Japanese, and Vietnamese influences; the Japanese Covered Bridge; the Assembly Hall of the Chaozhou Chinese Congregation, with outstanding wood carvings; and the colorful market. Check in to the fine MGallery Royal Hoi An Resort. The afternoon is free to explore on your own or just enjoy the hotel. Dinner is included at the hotel. (B,L,D)

**DAY 16: HOI AN**

This morning, visit market stalls and help buy produce. Then take a boat to a cooking school for a hands-on cooking class, later dining on the dishes you've prepared. There is time this afternoon for further exploration on your own, and you may wish to have dinner at a local restaurant. (B,L)

**DAY 17: HOI AN/HUE**

After breakfast drive northward, with a view of the central coastline. Continue to Hue, the imperial capital between 1802 and 1945, for a home-hosted lunch at a restored



Woman wearing Ao Dai dress with bicycle in Hoi An.

royal home. Check into the Art Deco-style La Residence, by the Perfume River. In the afternoon, visit the Citadel, including the great gates, palaces, and residences of the Imperial City and Forbidden City. Dinner is at our hotel. (B,L,D)

**DAY 18: HUE**

Visit the fine mausoleum of the emperor Minh Mang, whose structures were built along a network of lakes. Then drive to the elaborate Khai Dinh Mausoleum. We continue to Thien Mu Pagoda, Hue's best-preserved religious monument, with a seven-story tower situated along the river. This evening, we have dinner at our hotel. (B,L,D)

**DAY 19: HUE/HANOI**

Take a morning flight to Hanoi, and check in to the outstanding Sofitel Metropole Hotel. Tour Hanoi's old quarter by *cyclo* to see its colorful streets, shops, and markets, many selling the same wares they've sold for hundreds of years. Later, enjoy dinner in a local restaurant. (B,L,D)

**DAY 20: HANOI**

Hanoi is full of interest. Start with the imposing Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, where Ho Chi Minh's preserved body resides. A short walk away is the tiny One Pillar Pagoda, which rests on a single stone pillar emerging from the water. After lunch,

continue to the Temple of Literature, the first university for sons of Mandarins, for a look at Hanoi history. (B,L)

**DAY 21: HANOI/HALONG BAY/  
LAN HA BAY**

After breakfast we drive to the Vietnamese coast for our overnight cruise on Lan Ha Bay, on the southern border of Halong Bay aboard the recently launched, state-of-the-art 24-passenger *Ginger*. Depart from Haiphong, weave through the mesmerizing dimensions of limestone monoliths with expansive views from all decks, cabin balconies, and interior areas. We make an afternoon landing for a walk or bike ride to explore an island hamlet. Spend the night aboard ship. (B,L,D)

**DAY 22: LAN HA BAY/HANOI**

Wake up early to catch sunrise on Lan Ha Bay, with more time to take in the extraordinary landscapes before exploring via kayak or swimming. Have brunch onboard, then disembark and drive back to Hanoi, returning to Sofitel Metropole. Pay a visit to the Vietnamese Museum of Ethology this afternoon where you'll have ample time to learn about the wide variety of cultures found throughout Vietnam and explore examples of some of their tribal homes. (B)

**DAY 23: DEPART HANOI/ARRIVE U.S.**  
Depart and arrive home the same day. (B)



# ABOARD *THE JAHAN*

**CAPACITY:** 48 guests in 24 outside cabins.

**REGISTRY:** Vietnam. **OVERALL LENGTH:** 230 feet.

**PUBLIC AREAS:** The ship is fully air-conditioned. Outdoor areas include the Terrace Deck, with both covered and open-air spaces, a small swimming pool, and a full service bar. The lounge, located on the Upper Deck, has a library and facilities for films, slide shows, and presentations. Take advantage of free Wi-Fi in public areas. Guests are welcome on the “open bridge” to meet the captain and officers, and learn about navigation.

**CABINS:** Every cabin is exceptionally spacious and comfortable. All face outside, and all have glass doors and private balconies for enjoying the scenery along the Mekong River and its tributaries. There is a mix of twin-bedded and queen-size bedded cabins. Each has private facilities and hair dryer, individual climate control, music entertainment system, and a mini bar. A choice of pillows is provided on request.

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** There is a spa, offering a choice of massage treatments, and fitness room with steam bath and treadmill, stationary bicycle, and elliptical trainer. The boutique has a fine selection of local artwork and textiles. Morning Tai Chi classes are offered on the Terrace Deck. DVD and iPod players are available on request.

**CATEGORY 1:** Main Deck #103-112. Each of these large cabins has a private balcony with floor-to-ceiling glass doors that let in abundant light. Cabins #103-104 have twin beds (which can be pushed together on request), and #105-112 have queen-size beds.

**CATEGORY 2:** Upper Deck #201-208. Each of these large cabins has a private balcony with floor-to-ceiling glass doors that let in abundant light. Cabins #201-202 have twin beds (which can be pushed together on request), and #203-208 have queen-size beds.

**CATEGORY 3:** Main Deck #113-114 and Upper Deck #209-210. Each exceptionally large cabin has a queen-size bed and a private balcony with floor-to-ceiling glass doors that let in abundant light. There is a television and private DVD player. Each balcony has two sun beds and a table.

**SUITES:** Upper Deck #211-212. These are the largest and finest accommodations on board. Each has a queen-size bed, a private balcony with floor-to-ceiling glass doors that let in abundant light, a television, a DVD player, and a private Jacuzzi.

▶ TO SEE A VIRTUAL TOUR, WITH 360-DEGREE PHOTOS OF *THE JAHAN*'S EXQUISITE CABINS AND PUBLIC SPACES AT [EXPEDITIONS.COM/JAHANTOUR](http://EXPEDITIONS.COM/JAHANTOUR)







*An attentive, expert hotel staff create a comfortable shipboard life.*



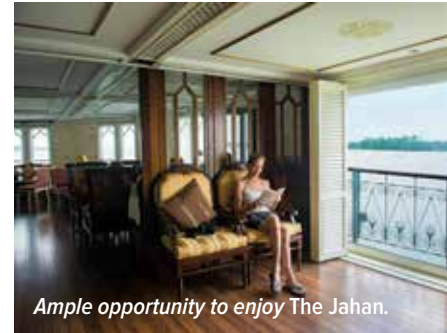
*Category 3 cabin.*



*Category 2 cabin.*

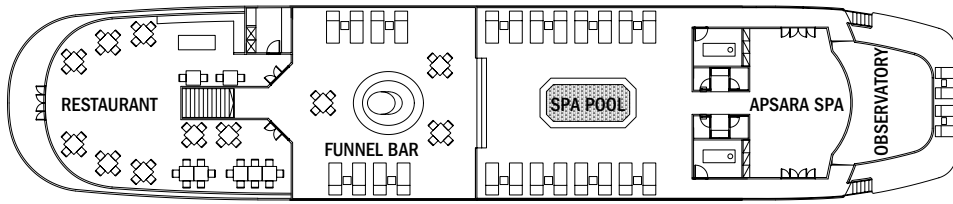


*Each suite has a private Jacuzzi.*

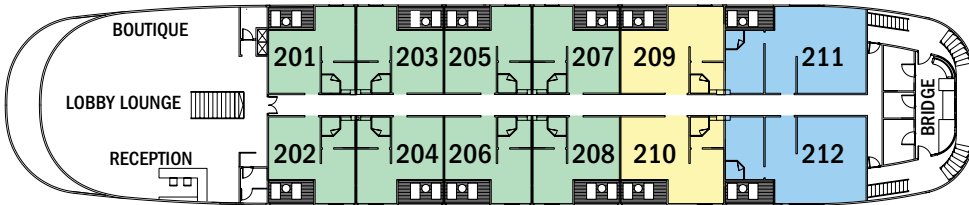


*Ample opportunity to enjoy The Jahan.*

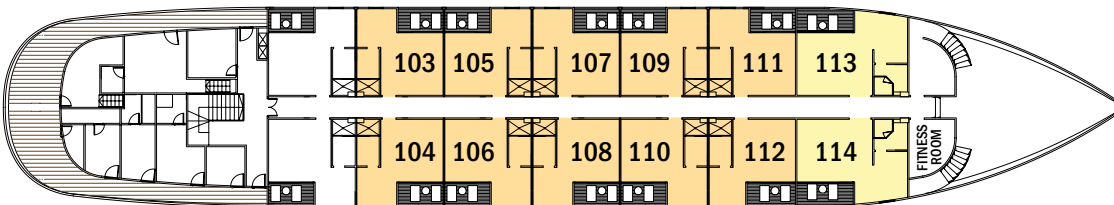
Aboard The Jahan, experience a level of luxury not previously found on the Mekong River. This 48-guest ship provides access to places that would otherwise be difficult to reach, with a standard of accommodation and service that ensures a more than comfortable base for resting and dining after days of exploring. The Jahan's cabins are extremely spacious, and each has a private balcony ideal for taking in river views.



**TERRACE DECK**



**UPPER DECK**



**MAIN DECK**

# TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR SPECIAL OFFERS

**FREE BAR TAB & TIPS:** We will cover your bar tab and tips to the ship's crew on all departures.

**BACK-TO-BACK SAVINGS:** Save 10% on any consecutive journeys taken on board one of our expedition ships. This savings is applicable on voyage fares only, and is not valid on extensions or airfare.

**TRAVELING AS A GROUP:** Save 5% when traveling as a group of 8 or more people. Take advantage of these great savings, while enjoying traveling with your friends and family. This savings

is applicable to voyage fares only, and is not valid on extensions or airfare. Deposit, final payments, and cancellation policies for group travel vary from our regular policies. Bring kids or grandkids at \$500 off per child under the age of 18.

**COMBINING OFFERS:** Certain offers may be combinable, up to two savings opportunities except where noted otherwise. For example, travel with a group of 8 or more on back-to-back expeditions, and take advantage of both savings!

## WHAT'S INCLUDED

We include just about everything you have the opportunity to do as a part of your expedition aboard *The Jahan* and ashore. The only things not included are those of a personal nature—laundry, wellness treatments, and other special arrangements.

### ABOARD SHIP

- ✓ All meals and non-alcoholic beverages
- ✓ Alcoholic beverages aboard ship (except certain super-premium brands of alcohol)
- ✓ Bar tab & tips to ship's crew
- ✓ Cappuccinos and lattes
- ✓ Hors d'oeuvres & snacks during Lounge Recap
- ✓ Steam bath and Fitness Center
- ✓ Spa pool on the Terrace Deck
- ✓ Fully stocked library
- ✓ Complimentary wireless Internet access in the lounge (not available in all locales)
- ✓ The guidance and company of our expedition staff
- ✓ Services of a qualified physician

### ASHORE

- ✓ Meals on land, as indicated in itinerary
- ✓ Sightseeing & entrance fees
- ✓ Special access permits, port taxes
- ✓ Arrival and departure transfers are included anytime
- ✓ The expertise of our expedition staff
- ✓ The best local guides

### ACTIVITIES

- ✓ All excursions
- ✓ Lectures & presentations in the lounge
- ✓ Morning stretch classes with wellness specialist



## ENJOY FREE BAR TAB & CREW TIPS

Travel aboard the elegant *The Jahan* on any voyage, and we'll cover your bar tab and all tips for the crew.



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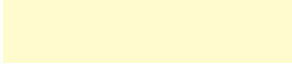
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