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Professor David Eisenhower

Grandson of General and President Dwight D. Eisenhower, Professor David Eisenhower is a noted historian of World War II and the Cold War. His 1986 bestseller, *Eisenhower: At War 1943–1945*, was a finalist for the Pulitzer Prize

in History. Eisenhower received a B.A. in history cum laude from Amherst College. Following graduation, he served in the United States Naval Reserve for three years as an officer on the USS Albany; shortly afterward, he earned his J.D. cum laude from The George Washington University Law School. Today, Eisenhower is Senior Fellow of the Foreign Policy Research Institute and a Public Policy Fellow at the Annenberg School of Communication and the School of Arts and Sciences at the University of Pennsylvania, where he teaches “Communication and the Presidency.”



President Dwight D. Eisenhower with Winston Churchill



Gaillard Castle



9 DAY ITINERARY

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My fellow Hoyas,

Travel with alumni and friends from October 10 to 18, and explore the picturesque landscapes and villages that inspired the Impressionist masters along France's Seine River. See the iconic masterpieces of Versailles, stroll through the gardens featured in Claude Monet's "Water Lilies" series in Giverny, and honor those who lost their lives on D-Day with a tour of Omaha Beach. Accompanying us to the historic Normandy beach sites is special guest speaker David Eisenhower II, grandson of General and President Dwight D. Eisenhower—Supreme Commander of the Allied Forces during World War II.

From the glittering lights of Paris to the seaside ambiance of the Normandy coast, a rich canvas of history, culture, and art unfold as you cruise for seven nights aboard the Amadeus Diamond, featuring only 74 suites and staterooms, most with a private balcony. Enjoy luxurious accommodations, enriching lectures, and attentive, personal service.

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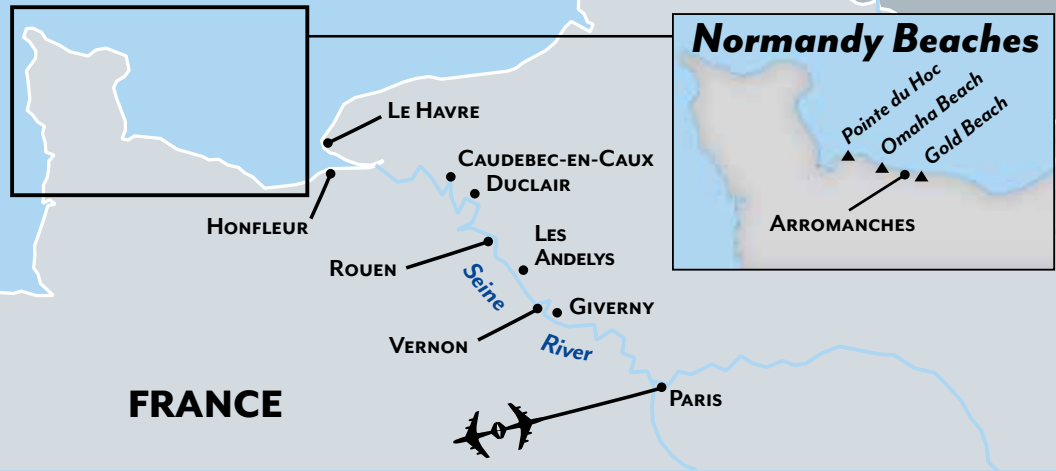
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VALUE

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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



Explore D-Day History



In the company of Professor Eisenhower, walk where Allied forces landed on D-Day. At Pointe du Hoc, envision the heroic U.S. Army Second Ranger Battalion scaling this cliff promontory, and view the craters that remain from D-Day bombardments. Survey the serene English Channel and reflect on the commemorative crosses and Stars of David in the American Military Cemetery at Colleville-sur-Mer.

His lectures will feature:

Operation Overlord

The concept, planning, and personalities behind the D-Day invasion

Triumph and Tragedy

Big-picture consequences of the Allied forces' Normandy landings





DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

Home City/ Paris, France

Days 1 and 2

Depart your home city and arrive the next day in Paris, France, the aptly named “City of Light.”

Embark the *AMADEUS DIAMOND*, then board a Parisian excursion boat and enjoy a scenic Seine River Illumination Cruise.

Paris

Day 3

Discover all that Paris has to offer during a panoramic tour of its most famous landmarks. This afternoon, visit the gilded Palace of Versailles, a former royal residence known for its Hall of Mirrors and spectacular gardens.

Attend the Captain’s Welcome Reception and Dinner this evening. whh

Vernon for Giverny

Day 4

Famed Impressionist Claude Monet called the tranquil village of Giverny home from 1826 until his death in 1926. Visit the *Musée des Impressionnismes* to learn about the artistic movement’s different forms and the historic connections between French and American artists. Tour Monet’s house, workshop, and gardens—all of which have been authentically restored. Become completely immersed in Monet’s world as you stroll through the beautiful gardens, stopping to admire the iconic lily pond and the Japanese-style

footbridge made famous in his work.

Rouen/Duclair

Day 5

Arrive in the sheltered valley of Rouen and visit the Gothic Notre Dame Cathedral—built and rebuilt over a period of more than 800 years—before continuing through the narrow cobblestone streets to see St. Maclou Church. Conclude your walking tour in the historic market square where Joan of Arc was burned at the

UNESCO World Heritage Site for its unique post-WW II reconstruction and architecture. Take a panoramic tour of the city’s modern industrial spaces, and enjoy lunch in Deauville.

A short distance away lies the medieval city of Honfleur, a center of the early Impressionist movement. Enjoy a walking tour of the picturesque harbor and see Sainte Catherine Church, the largest wooden church in France.

Attend a lecture on board this evening from historian and



Rouen’s historic Market Square

stake in 1431, and then visit the Church of St. Joan of Arc.

In Duclair, visit the ruins of the Jumièges Abbey, founded in A.D. 654 by Saint Philibert. It was destroyed by the Vikings in 841 and again in the Hundred Years’ War before its final downfall during the French Revolution.

Le Havre/Honfleur

Day 6

In 2005, the central city of Le Havre was inscribed as a

author David D. Eisenhower II about World War II and the Battle of Normandy.

Caudebec-en-Caux for Normandy Beaches

Day 7

Dock in Caudebec-en-Caux and embark on a full-day excursion along the solemn Normandy Beaches, site of the largest seaborne invasion in history. Visit Pointe du Hoc, the rocky promontory where German



battalions were stationed overlooking the English Channel, and Omaha Beach—the sandy shore where Allied forces landed on June 6, 1944.

Join Professor Eisenhower and observe the commemorative crosses and Stars of David in the American military cemetery at Colleville-sur-Mer with views of Omaha Beach below.

Les Andelys

Day 8

This morning, visit the ruins of medieval Gaillard Castle, perched high above the Seine River. Construction began in 1196 under the direction of Richard the Lionheart, during his simultaneous reign as both King of England and Duke of Normandy. The castle boasts a complex design and advanced

fortifications for its time.

Spend the rest of the day at leisure on the return cruise to Paris, and attend the Captain's Farewell Reception and Dinner this evening.

Paris/Disembark vessel/ Return to Home City

Day 9

Disembark and transfer to the airport for your return flight home.



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C4	Stateroom with small panoramic window. <i>Haydn Deck, midship.</i> (limited availability)	\$3,695	\$4,250
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PRE-PROGRAM OPTION

Paris

October 8 to 11, 2023

Start your journey in the glittering center of France with a three-day tour of Paris and its storied culture and history. Discover the hidden treasures of the famed Louvre, home to the iconic *Winged Victory of Samothrace* statue at the top of the Daru staircase, marble masterpiece *Venus De Milo*, and Leonardo da Vinci's *Mona Lisa*. Visit the HÔTEL DE LA MARINE, located at the Place de la Concorde in the heart of Paris and beautifully restored to display the 18th-century apartments of Marc-Antoine Thierry de Ville-d'Avray and the French Navy's impressive salons and chambers. Enjoy a walking tour of the Marais district, a captivating enclave of narrow streets and picturesque squares layered with rich history, a vibrant nightlife, and eclectic architecture that spans centuries. Accommodations are in a five-star hotel.

Price per person, based on double occupancy: \$1,145

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