

Scenic Scandinavia with Rovaniemi

14 Days | 5 Countries | 31 Sightseeing & Experiences

INCLUSIONS



Sightseeing



Hotels



Inter-City
Transfer



Meals



Experience
Manager

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Advantage



Thoughtfully Curated Itineraries, Highly Rated by our Customers.

Curated Indian Meals with a Taste of Local Cuisine



Most Experienced Tour Managers

Exclusive Experiences & Destinations that only We Offer.



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EUROPE TOUR ROUTE





TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

FINLAND

Rovaniemi

- Visit Reindeer farm
- Visit Husky farm
- Visit Santa village
- Arctic crossing certificate
- Experience the Midnight Sun (June to Aug)
OR Experience the Northern Lights Phenomenon (Sept to Oct)



Rovaniemi

- Orientation city tour
- Visit Puijo Tower
- Traditional Sauna
- Cruise at Kuopio

Helsinki

- Guided city tour
- Visit the Lutheran Temppeliaukio Church or 'Rock Church Helsinki'
- Visit Fazer Experience center



ESTONIA

Tallinn

- Guided city tour

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- Visit Stockholm City Hall
- Visit the Viking Museum
- Visit the Icebar

Karlstad

- Photo stop at Lake Vanern

NORWAY

Oslo

- Guided city tour
- Visit the Vigeland Sculpture Park
- Entrance to Holmenkollen Ski Museum
- 'Norway in a Nutshell' tour

Bergen

- Guided city tour
- Enjoy a scenic funicular train ride – Floibanen



DENMARK

Aarhus

- Orientation city tour
- Photo stop at Infinite bridge

Odense

- Visit H C Andersen Museum

Copenhagen

- Guided city tour
- Visit Carlsberg Brewery
- Photo stop at Oresund bridge



Inclusions



ACCOMMODATION

- 02 nights at Santa hotel / Scandic Rovaniemi City / Scandic Pohjanhovi or similar in Rovaniemi, **Finland**.
- 01 night at Hotel Original Sokos or similar in Kuopio, **Finland**.
- 02 nights at Hotel Clarion Helsinki / Radisson Seaside or similar in Helsinki, **Finland**.
- 01 night on board ferry (Inside cabin) from Helsinki to Stockholm
- 01 night at Quality Strawberry Arena / Scandic Infra City / Quality Globe or similar in Stockholm, **Sweden**.
- 01 night at Thon Oslo Fjord / Thon Arena or similar in Oslo, **Norway**.
- 01 night at Vestlia / Highland Lodge / Bardola or similar in Geilo, **Norway**.
- 01 night at Quality Edward Grieg / Comfort Hotel Bergen Airport / Thon Bergen Airport or similar in Bergen, **Norway**.
- 01 night on board ferry (inside cabin) from Bergen to Hirtshals.
- 02 nights at Hotel AC Bella Sky / Crowne Plaza / Scandic Sydhavnen or similar in Copenhagen, **Denmark**.



MEALS

- Daily Continental buffet breakfast. (Breakfast includes bread, butter, jam, cereals, fruit juice, milk, coffee, hot eggs and cut fruits)
- 08 Indian Jain / vegetarian / non-vegetarian lunches.
- 01 Local lunch.
- 10 Indian Jain / vegetarian / non-vegetarian dinners.
- 03 Local dinner.

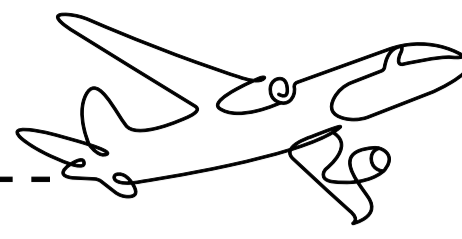
Note: Packed lunches, if applicable, will be Jain / vegetarian. In certain places, there is a possibility of providing cash out to the passengers instead of packed lunches.

WHAT'S MORE?



- Get the Arctic crossing certificate
- Chance to experience Traditional Sauna at Kuopio
- Chocolate tasting at Fazer Experience
- Enjoy drink at the ice bar.
- Enjoy the most scenic “Norway in a Nutshell” tour
- Beer tasting at the Carlsberg Brewery

YOUR ITINERARY



Day 1



Welcome to Rovaniemi!

On arrival, our Tour Manager / Station Manager will meet and welcome you outside the airport. Later we proceed to the hotel and check-in.

Overnight in Rovaniemi, Finland. (D)

Note: Joining direct passenger / NRI can check-in on your own at the hotel. The standard check-in time is 1500 hrs. We may have to proceed directly for dinner or packed dinner will be provided in case of late arrivals of flight or long queue at the immigration.

Day 2



Visit Reindeer farm – Visit husky Farm – Visit Santa village - Midnight Sun tour (Jun – Aug) OR Northern Lights Tour (Sep – Oct)

Today, we visit the reindeer and husky farms. Meet the authentic reindeer herder and take photos of the reindeer. Next, we visit the Santa Claus Village and the numerous souvenir shops, Santa's Post Office and surely, we get to meet the man himself in his office. Santa Claus Village in Lapland is a popular place to cross the Arctic Circle: here you will get a certificate confirming the feat. Tonight, we either experience Midnight Sun tour (Jun-Aug) OR we experience the Northern Lights (Sep-Oct) phenomenon depending upon the departure date. Ride around the surroundings of Lapland to observe the Midnight sun OR the auroras. Our driving guide will take you to several different spots to give you the best chance to see the Midnight sun OR to chase the northern lights.

(Although we will do our best to ensure that you view the Midnight sun/Northern Lights, it is a natural phenomenon and is not guaranteed. The days of the Midnight sun/Northern Lights tour could also change based on the probability of viewing the midnight sun or the lights).

Overnight in Rovaniemi, *Finland.*
(B, D)

Day 3

Orientation tour of Kuopio – Visit Puijo Tower – Cruise at Kuopio

Today, we drive to Kuopio. On arrival, we proceed for an Orientation tour of the city: See Museum and the markets. Here you have a chance to experience traditional Sauna. Next, we visit the Puijo tower: an observation tower at the top of Puijo hill in Kuopio. Later we proceed for the boat cruise.

Overnight in Kuopio, **Finland.**
(B, D)



Day 4

Onto Helsinki

Today, we check out and we drive towards Helsinki. Later we proceed to the hotel and check in.

Overnight in Helsinki
(B, D)

Note: Today the group will be joining the Scenic Scandinavia guests.



Day 5

Day trip to Tallinn – Guided City Tour of Tallinn

Today, we drive to the pier to take a ferry to Tallinn, Estonia's capital on the Baltic Sea.

On arrival, we proceed for a Guided City Tour of Tallinn: See the Toompea Hill, Parliament building, Dome Church, St. Nicholas Church, Town Hall Square. Next, we visit the Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Later, we drive to the pier to take the ferry back to Helsinki.

**Overnight in Helsinki
(B, L, D)**



Day 6

Visit Fazer experience - Guided city tour of Helsinki - Board Cruise to Stockholm.

Today, visit Fazer experience centre and learn the art of chocolate making including chocolate tasting. Next, we proceed on a guided city tour of Helsinki: See the Senate Square, visit Lutheran Tempelliauki Church, Sibelius Park and many more interesting sights. Later, we board the cruise across the Baltic Sea to Stockholm.

Overnight on board Silja / Viking
(B, L, LD)

Day 7

Guided city tour of Stockholm – Visit Stockholm City Hall – Visit Viking Museum – Visit the Icebar

Today, we proceed on a guided city tour of Stockholm: See the Opera House, Alfred Nobel's House and the Royal Palace. Also, we visit the Stockholm City Hall - the seat of Stockholm Municipality. Next, we visit Viking Museum - Museum displaying wooden, 9th-century Viking ships, plus artifacts recovered from burial tombs. Later, we visit the Icebar where you see the interior, bars & glasses carved from ice. In the evening, we spend some free time in Gamla Stan – the old Town.

Overnight in Stockholm, Sweden.

(B, L, D)



Day 8

Onto Oslo – Photo stop at Lake Vanern

Today, we drive to Oslo. Enroute, we visit the town of Karlstad, for a photo stop at Lake Vanern – the largest lake of Sweden.

Overnight in Oslo, Norway.

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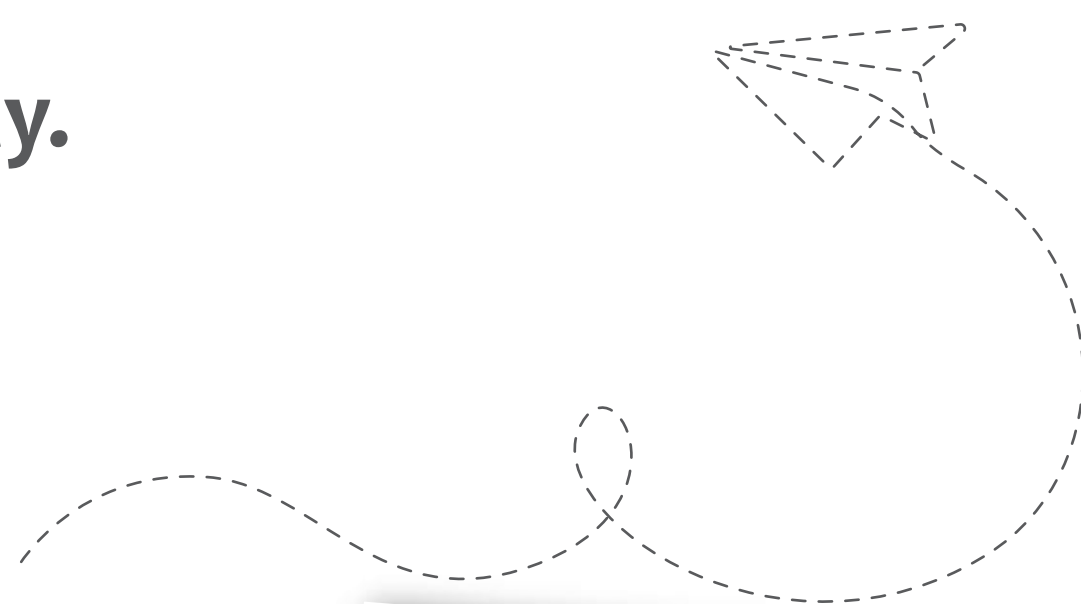
Day 9



Guided Tour of Oslo – Entrance to Vigeland Sculpture Park – Entrance to Holmenkollen Ski Jump Area & Museum

Today, we proceed for a guided city tour of Oslo: See the Parliament Square, National Galleries, Karl Johan shopping street, the Royal Palace and Akhershus Fortress. Next, we visit Vigeland Sculpture Park. Later we visit the Holmenkollen Ski Museum: the world's oldest ski museum. Later we drive to Geilo.

**Overnight in Geilo, Norway.
(B, L, LD)**



Day 10



Travel on one of Norway's most popular trips 'Norway in a nutshell'

Today, we board our train from Geilo to Myrdal, change to the Flam railway line, for a scenic travel to Flam. We wander around the idyllic countryside, before embarking on a boat ride through the Aurlandsfjord into the Naeroyfjord, one of the narrowest fjords in Europe, surrounded by mountains of up to 1800 meters. On arrival at scenic Gudvangen, we board the coach and travel through the impressive Norwegian landscape to Bergen.

**Overnight in Bergen, Norway.
(B, LL, D)**

NOTE: Due to weather conditions, at times the cruise or the trains might not operate. In such situations, we shall try to re-route the journey and shall try to cover maximum of the landscapes.

Day 11



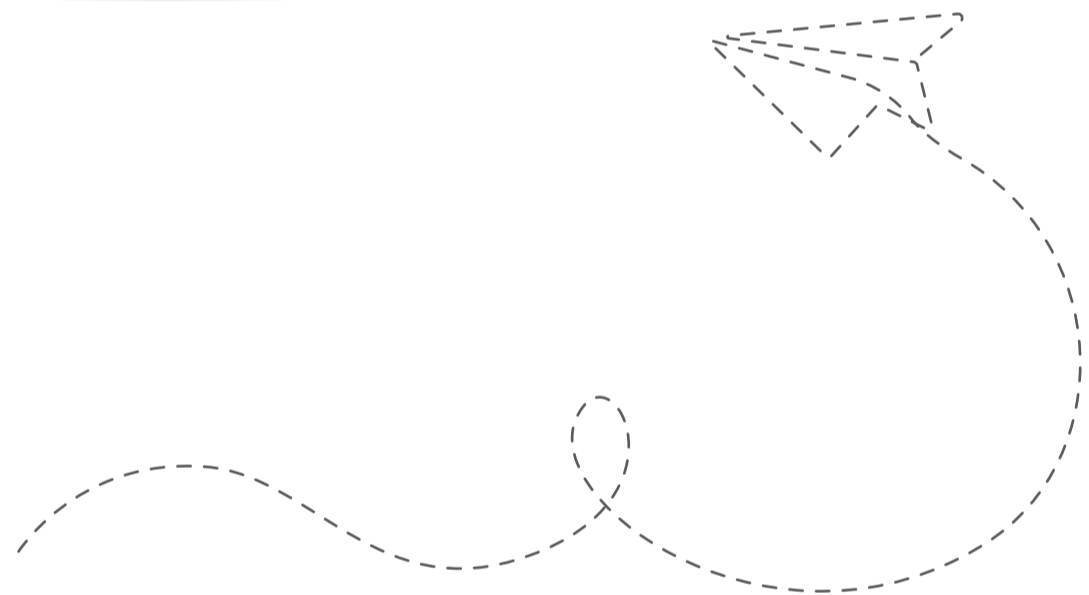
Guided city tour of Bergen – Ride on the Funicular train – Board Cruise to Hirtshals

Today, we proceed for a guided city tour of Bergen: Visit the Hanseatic wharf Bryggen with its pastel – coloured wooden houses, winding cobblestone streets and old Bergen. Next, we take a ride on the Funicular train, to the top of the Mount Floyen for an aerial view of Bergen. Later, we board the cruise to Hirtshals.

Overnight on board in Fjord line.

(B, L, LD)

Day 12



Orientation city tour of Aarhus – Photo stop at Infinite Bridge - Visit H C Andersen Museum

On arrival at Hirtshals, we proceed to the old town of Aarhus for an Orientation city tour: See the Aarhus cathedral and the old town. Next, we take a photo stop at the Scenic Infinite bridge. Later we proceed to Odense. On arrival, we visit H C Andersen Museum dedicated to the famous author Hans Christian Andersen. Later we depart for Copenhagen.

Overnight on Copenhagen, Denmark. (B, L, D)



Day 13



Guided city tour of Copenhagen – Photo stop at Oresund bridge – Visit Carlsberg Brewery

Today, we proceed for a guided city tour of Copenhagen: See the Parliament building, Amalienborg Palace, Gefion fountain, Little Mermaid statue and many other interesting sights. Next, we take a photo stop at the Oresund bridge: a combined railway and motorway cable-stayed bridge across the Øresund strait between Denmark and Sweden. Later we visit the famous Carlsberg Brewery with beer tasting.

Overnight in Copenhagen, Denmark.

(B, L, D)

Day 14



Fly back home with pleasant memories!

Today, we proceed to the airport for your flight back home. Kindly spare a few minutes to share your feedback with your Tour Manager. Your valued suggestions will be most appreciated. Arrive home with pleasant memories of your Europe tour, which we are sure you will treasure for a lifetime.

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Note:

- *In major European cities, there are parking restrictions for coaches, and it is not possible to stop at all the places during the city tour. Your Tour Manager will try his/her best to stop coach wherever possible for a photo stop.*

DEPARTURE DATES	
March'26	15
April'26	12
June'26	7, 14, 21, 28
July'26	26
September'26	13

14 Days - Scenic Scandinavia with Rovaniemi (Tour Price per person)			
Twin/ Triple	Child with Bed	Child No Bed	Infant
USD 4,525	USD 3,315	USD 2,885	0

Single room supplement USD 1,195 per person. *As a 3rd in a triple, a roll away cot may be provided. **As a 3rd in a double, no bed or cot will be provided to the child. Person below 12 years will be considered as a Child. • Maximum 3 persons are allowed per room.

Surcharge- High Season (Per person)				
Departure Dates	Single	Twin/Triple	CWB	CNB
18-June to 04-Aug	USD 50	USD 50	USD 50	USD 50
18-June to 04-Aug	USD 45	USD 45	USD 45	USD 45

What Your Tour Price Includes

- Sightseeing and accommodation as per the above-mentioned itinerary.
- All transfers and extensive excursions with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) by a deluxe air-conditioned coach.
- Services of a professional, friendly and multilingual Tour Manager or a local Representative. (Subject to minimum 15 customers).

What Your Tour Price Does Not Include

- Air tickets required to participate in this tour.
- Visa charges, Insurance, Airport & Port taxes.
- Tipping is expected from anyone providing your service e.g., Coach Driver, Local Guides, Hotel & Restaurant staff etc. It is mandatory to tip a nominal amount of EUR 3 per person/per day. For the entire duration of this tour, which is 14 Days, the total Tips amount is EUR 42 per person to be paid to the Tour Manager on Day 01 of the tour.
- No portage included.
- Any expenses of a personal nature such as portage, laundry expenses, wines, mineral water, food and drink not in the

regular menu provided by us, minibar, telephone calls, etc.

- Meals other than that are mentioned in your itinerary.
- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides availed of by the passengers, other than that mentioned in your itinerary.
- Airport transfers, Cost of Suggested / Optional Excursions.

Visa Requirements

- You must be in possession of a Multiple Entry Schengen visa. The cost of visa is not included in your package tour price. It would be best to check with nearest consulates or embassy or your travel agent for visa information. Please ensure that your travel documents are ready in time before your tour date..

Ticketing Requirements

- For this tour you would require confirmed air tickets to arrive into Rovaniemi and depart from Copenhagen. It would be advisable to check with your sales officer or local travel agent for ticketing.

IMPORTANT NOTES

Joining Direct Clients

- Main Sector air tickets to reach the first overnight city and last departure city is not included in the Joining Direct package price.
- Arrival and Departure Transfers are not included in the package price.
- The Tour Manager shall meet the clients directly at the hotel.

Hotels

- All hotels will be either around the airport area or on the outskirts.
- The hotel room size in Europe would be up to 16 – 18 sq. mts.
- Most hotels in Europe have only Twin beds. The double bed will be Queen size and not King size.
- As a 3rd person in a triple room, most hotels use rollaway beds and room size may be the same as the double room.
- For Child with bed: At times hotel don't have enough roll away beds, in that case they might give a double and a separate single room.
- A person 11.99 years and below is considered a child and 12 years and above, an adult.
- Hotel rooms may not be air conditioned / air cooled nor will fans be provided. Air conditioning / cooling in hotels are set as per European weather conditions.
- Functioning of Air cooling / Air conditioning in hotels is subject to official declaration of summer by the local authority.
- During heat wave in Europe air conditioning of the hotels and coaches may cease to function as they are not built for such high temperatures.
- Most hotels in Europe do not provide tea kettles in the rooms.
- Due to international events and trade fairs all throughout Europe such as the Air Show, music festivals, ice skating championships etc., you may have to stay in hotels further away from the city.
- In Switzerland the stay may be split in two hotels.
- Any damage caused to the hotel rooms / Coach during your stay shall be payable by the passengers.
- We also reserve the right to substitute a hotel of similar class if it is deemed advisable or necessary.
- In certain cities hotels have not started the buffet breakfasts yet and if the same does not change by the time the tours begin, we will either provide breakfast or the groups will be taken to an Indian / local restaurant for breakfast.

Coaches

- Most of your journey in Europe is by coach and hence you are requested to keep the coach clean.
- Due to hygienic reasons, it is not permitted to use toilets on the coach. However, the tour manager will make comfort stops during long drives.
- Eating & drinking is not permitted on the coach.
- One check-in bag and one handbag per person only, due to limited boot space on the coach.
- In major European cities, there are parking restrictions for coaches, and it may not be possible to stop at all the places during the city tour. Tour Manager will try his/her best to stop coach wherever possible for a photo stop.
- Coaches are non-wheelchair compliant. There are steps to board / alight from the coach.
- Due to private coaches being forbidden inside most of the European cities, as per EU norms to preserve them and to avoid getting them polluted and overcrowded, most of your sightseeing will be done by local buses and on foot.

Meals

- Meals are pre-set and a-la carte is not possible.
- On certain days, a packed lunch will be provided.

Sightseeing

- On certain departures, we may sometimes amend / reverse the itinerary. However, all the services / inclusions will remain the same.
- Generally, you will have to walk to sightseeing places, amusement parks and the airports sometimes for a long distance; however, the same will be timely instructed by the Tour Manager. It is advisable to carry a good pair of comfortable sports shoes. The tour manager and the driver will do their best to get you as close to the monuments as possible.
- The Eiffel Tower on certain Days due to strong wind conditions or being overcrowded or for security reasons may be closed.
- The lifts at the Eiffel tower are currently closed due to safety. Hence the visit to the tower is only allowed by climbing the staircase. In case there is no change in the same on tour customers will be refunded the amount for the same if they chose not to climb the stairs.
- Due to stringent security checks at the Eiffel tower, it may take up to 4-5 hours in the queue.
- No refund will be provided in case the group is unable to visit Eiffel Tower 3rd Level due to weather conditions / operational closures.

General

- On some occasions you may have to join another group in case the group does not have adequate members.
- A local representative or a driver may only be there to assist you during your initial part of the tour.
- Arrival and Departure flights should be booked according to the group flight timings. In case there is any sightseeing involved on the first or last day of the itinerary to avoid missing any of the services. Please check with your sales officer for the group flight timings.
- Security alerts and random closures might affect the itinerary.
- Please take extra care of your personal belongings while on the tour, every country you travel to is prone to thefts and bag snatching. TCIL will not be liable for any loss of belongings / baggage.
- Disabled clients should carry their own wheelchair and should be accompanied by a qualified companion who is able to provide assistance to the disabled client.
- TCIL shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss, baggage loss, theft, injury, accident, death, breakdown or irregularity, which may occur in carrying out the tour arrangement, weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantine and any other cause whatsoever and all such loss or expense must be borne by the passengers. Insurance policies must be carried while on tour.
- The management reserves the right to claim any additional expenses incurred due to delays or changes in schedules of train, airplane, bus, ship or other services.
- The Tour Manager and the company reserves the right to amend the itinerary, alter, vary or withdraw any particular departure, excursion advertised. For the convenience of our passengers, we will sometimes amend the itinerary. However, all the services will remain the same.
- There are no refunds for any services i.e., meals, sightseeing etc. not utilized on your tour.
- All optional activities will have to be booked and paid to the Tour Manager on Day 01 of the tour. Payments to be made by cash in EURO only. (Credit or Debit cards not accepted).
- Optional tours are booked & paid on 100% non-refundable & non cancellation policy.
- The images used in this brochure are for representation purposes only.
- Please refer to the Booking Form for detailed "Terms and Conditions".