

# POLAR ADVENTURES

Schiffs- und Flug- Expeditionen  
in Arktis und Antarktis



## Antarktis Süd-Georgien „Shackleton-Crossing“ per Ski / zu Fuß

POLARADVENTURES Schiffs- und Flug-Expeditionen in Arktis und Antarktis  
Heinrich-Böll-Str. 40 \* D-21335 Lüneburg \* Deutschland  
Tel +49-4131- 223474 Fax +49-4131-54255 [infos@polaradventures.de](mailto:infos@polaradventures.de) [www.polaradventures.de](http://www.polaradventures.de)

**komplette  
Shackleton Crossing  
per Ski**

**in Verbindung mit  
Expeditionskreuzfahrt  
direkt nach Süd-Georgien  
an Bord der  
MV PLANCIUS**



## Ski-Trekking Südgeorgien

MACHEN SIE EINE AUFREGENDE SKIDURCHQUERUNG VON SÜDGEORGIEN UND FOLGEN SIE DABEI EINEM TEIL DER BERÜHMTEN ROUTE DES LEGENDÄREN ENTDECKERS ERNEST SHACKLETON AUS DEM JAHR 1916

Ski-Trekking Südgeorgien Reisen

Region: [Antarktis](#)

Reiseziele: [Südgeorgien](#)

## Folgen Sie der berühmten Shackleton Traverse - aber auf Skiern

Es gibt nur wenige Abenteuer, die sich damit vergleichen lassen, auch nur einen Teil der [historischen Route von Ernest Shackleton](#) über Südgeorgien zurückzuerfolgen - vor allem, wenn man Skier mit ins Spiel bringt. Bei dieser aufregenden geführten Überquerung können Sie eine atemberaubende subantarktische Insel auf die hautnaheste Art und Weise erleben.



### So funktioniert das Skitrekking auf Südgeorgien

Für diese Aktivität können wir mindestens sechs, maximal 12 Passagiere aufnehmen. Alle Skifahrer werden von zwei oder drei Bergführern begleitet, wobei mindestens ein Führer auf vier Skifahrer kommt. Ein medizinisch qualifizierter Expeditionsführer wird uns ebenfalls begleiten.

Wir werden unsere eigenen Pulka-Schlitten ziehen, die mit persönlicher und kombinierter Ausrüstung (z. B. Lebensmittel, Kocher, Brennstoff) gefüllt sind, während wir etwa 40 bis 50 km durch einige der schönsten Landschaften im äußersten Süden zurücklegen. Unterwegs haben Sie die Chance, eine Reihe exotischer Vogelarten zu beobachten.

Wir beginnen in der [König-Haakon-Bucht](#) und verbringen die Nacht in Küstennähe, um uns auf das Skitrekking vorzubereiten. Am nächsten Morgen machen wir uns auf den Weg, um in der Bucht [von Stromness](#) vom Schiff abgeholt zu werden, sofern die Bedingungen dies zulassen. Danach schließen wir uns für den Rest der Reise wieder den anderen Passagieren an.

Wenn Sie auf Ihrer Kreuzfahrt von Freunden oder Familienmitgliedern begleitet werden, die nicht an der Überfahrt teilnehmen möchten, ist das kein Problem. Ihre Mitreisenden werden im Rahmen unseres regulären Anlandungsprogramms reichlich Gelegenheit haben, angenehme Spaziergänge an der Küste zu unternehmen.



## Wie fit muss ich sein, um auf Südgeorgien Ski zu fahren?

Sie müssen in guter körperlicher Verfassung sein, um an dieser Aktivität teilnehmen zu können. Wir werden tagelang unterwegs sein und unsere Vorräte hinter uns herziehen. Unser Weg wird über unwegsames Gelände führen, einschließlich Hügeln und Tiefschnee, aber möglicherweise auch über spaltenreiche Gebiete und potenziell gefährliches alpines Gelände.

Zu Ihrer Sicherheit bitten wir Sie, ein ärztliches Attest über Ihren Gesundheitszustand vorzulegen. Außerdem sollten Sie über gute Kenntnisse im nordischen Skilauf verfügen. Für steilere Abfahrten nehmen wir in der Regel die Skier ab und gehen zu Fuß. Wir bitten Sie außerdem, einen persönlichen Tourenbericht über die Aktivitäten, an denen Sie teilgenommen haben, einzureichen, damit wir ihn in unser Logbuch aufnehmen können.

Wenn Sie sich unsicher sind, empfehlen wir Ihnen, Ihr Können vorher in einem Skilanglaufkurs aufzufrischen. Und obwohl wir während dieser Reise keine echten Bergbesteigungen durchführen werden, können solche Fähigkeiten bei starkem Wind oder anderen extremen Wetterbedingungen sehr nützlich sein.

Wir können nicht genug betonen, dass die örtlichen Bedingungen unsere Fähigkeit, diese Aktivität durchzuführen, vollständig bestimmen. Sollte das Wetter wirklich schwierig werden, müssen wir möglicherweise mehrere Tage in unseren Zelten bleiben und die Skitour absagen.

## DATES & RATES

### 2025 Dates:

November 12-27, 2025

### 2025 Price:

\$6,800 USD plus your choice of cabin (see below):

Cabin/berth pricing:

Triple porthole: \$12,950 USD pp

Twin porthole: \$12,8950 USD pp

Twin window: \$13,600 USD pp

Twin deluxe: \$14,750 USD pp

Superior: \$26,860 USD (or \$31,600 USD for the complete cabin for 2 people, 1 double bed)

Participants receive a discount on our 6-day [Polar Shakedown Training](#).

### Inclusions:

Includes all group equipment, guide(s), permits, communication & safety gear, transfer to/from the our start and end point, most meals.

## ITINERARY

Pre-expedition: Arrive at our starting location (could be Ushuaia, Puerto Madryn or another city in coastal South America).

### DAY 1

In-town gear reviews and a welcome reception to meet the other team members and review the schedule.

### DAY 2

Board the ship for our voyage to South Georgia.

### DAY 2-3

Sea voyage to South Georgia.

### DAY 4:

Potential passing of Shag Rocks

### DAY 5:

Arrive at South Georgia. Our starting point for the crossing will be King Haakon Bay. Weather permitting we will be dropped here in the morning to begin our crossing.

## QUALIFICATIONS

This expedition is for people who are in good shape and are eager to push themselves physically and mentally. The days can be long and the skiing, though not technically difficult requires that you maintain an appropriate pace. You will need to have very good cardiovascular endurance and the ability to pull a sled (between 25-35 kilos) for several hours at a time. You need to have experience with glacial travel and a familiarity with crevasse rescue (if you don't we can recommend training options). Importantly you need to be able to regulate your body temperature and energy so that you do not get too cold, too hot, or "hit the wall" with fatigue. Towards the end of the day it is critical that you have the energy reserves to help with the group camp chores.

This expedition can encounter extreme conditions including high winds, limited visibility, snow, rain, and cold temperatures. Living in such conditions 24 hours a day can be very challenging. You do not have to be a world class athlete to participate in and enjoy this expedition, but every ounce of training and preparation will help to make the expedition more enjoyable and safer.

## EQUIPMENT

Upon registration, you will receive a comprehensive gear guide that explains the importance of each item as well as gear recommendations from our past participants. Please contact us for more information about your personal gear and group gear for this expedition.

Several items on our equipment checklist are available from our store.





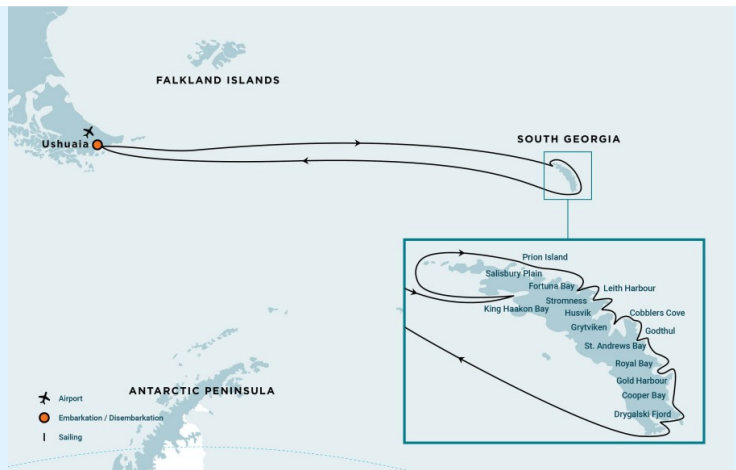
PLA22-25 • 13 November 2025 - 27 November 2025

## South Georgia Explorer

Nur wenige Orte sind mit Südgeorgien vergleichbar, was die exotische Tierwelt und die atemberaubenden Landschaften angeht. Auf dieser Entdeckungsreise können Sie Albatros-Kolonien bewundern und einige der größten Brutplätze für Königspinguine und Seeelefanten auf der Erde sehen - und das Tag für Tag in einer atemberaubenden Polarlandschaft.







## MS Plancius

Länge : 89 Meter (293 Fuß)

Breite : 14,5 Meter (47 Fuß)

Tiefgang : 5 Meter (16 Fuß)

Eisklasse : 1D, Die Plancius ist als 100A1-Passagierschiff klassifiziert (Lloyd's)

Verdrängung : 3211 Tonnen

Schiffsantrieb : 3x Diesel-Elektro

Geschwindigkeit : 10,5 Knoten Durchschnitt

Passagiere : 108 Passagiere in 50 Kabinen

Personal : Crew 40 | Guides 8 | Arzt 1



## KONTAKTINFORMATIONEN

Heinrich-Boell-str. 40

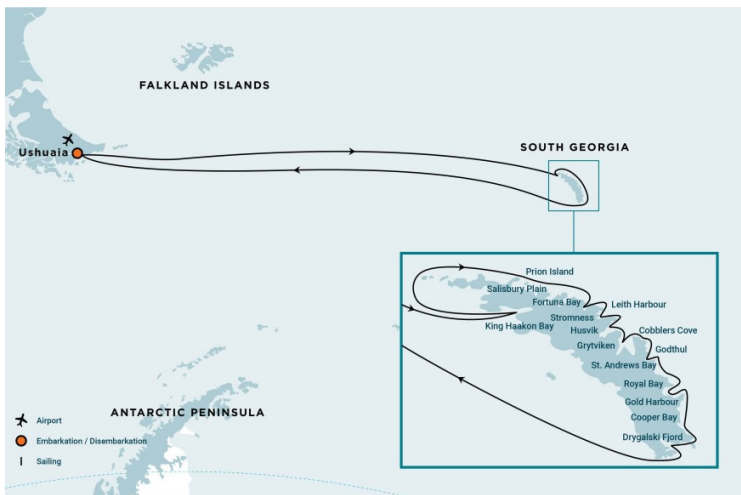
21335 Lueneburg, Deutschland

Telefon : +49 4131 223474

E-Mail : [infos@polaradventures.de](mailto:infos@polaradventures.de)



LASS UNS AUF ENTDECKUNGSREISE GEHEN!



## South Georgia Explorer

*Erleben Sie das Beste von Südgeorgien*

Daten:  
13 Nov - 27 Nov, 2025

Reisecode:  
PLA22-25

Dauer:  
14 Nächte

Schiff:  
MS Plancius

Einschiffung:  
Ushuaia

Ausschiffung:  
Ushuaia

Sprache:  
Englisch sprechende Reiseleitung

# Reiseroute

## ZUR BEACHTUNG:

Diese Reiseroute dient nur zur Orientierung. Das Programm kann je nach Eis-, Wetter- und Wildtierbeobachtung variieren. Anlandungen sind abhängig von der Verfügbarkeit von Plätzen, Genehmigungen und Umweltbelangen gemäß IAATO-Vorschriften. Offizielle Fahrpläne und Anlandeplätze werden vor Beginn der Saison mit IAATO festgelegt, aber der Expeditionsleiter bestimmt den endgültigen Fahrplan. Flexibilität ist bei Expeditionskreuzfahrten äußerster Wichtigkeit. Die Durchschnittsgeschwindigkeit unser Schiff ist 10,5 Knoten.

Nur wenige Orte sind mit Südgeorgien vergleichbar, was die exotische Tierwelt und die atemberaubenden Landschaften angeht. Auf dieser Entdeckungsreise können Sie Albatros-Kolonien bewundern und einige der größten Brutplätze für Königspinguine und Seeelefanten auf der Erde sehen - und das Tag für Tag in einer atemberaubenden Polarlandschaft.

## Ski-Trekking Südgeorgien: -

Eine Gruppe von Abenteurern wird auf dieser Reise einen Teil von Shackletons historischer Route durch Südgeorgien zurücklegen. Sie beginnen ihr Abenteuer in der King Haakon Bay und werden ein paar Tage später in der Stromness Bay abgeholt.

Haben Sie Lust auf ein ganz besonderes Abenteuer? Dann sollten Sie unsere aufregende Skitour in Betracht ziehen, die einem Teil von Ernest Shackletons berühmter Route von 1916 durch Südgeorgien folgt. Sehen Sie sich die Details [hier](#) an und kontaktieren Sie uns für weitere Informationen.

## Tag 1: Das Ende der Welt, der Beginn einer Reise

Ihre Reise beginnt dort, wo die Welt zu Ende geht. Ushuaia, Argentinien, die angeblich südlichste Stadt der Welt, liegt an der äußersten Südspitze Südamerikas. Am Nachmittag schiffen Sie sich in diesem kleinen Ferienort auf Feuerland ein, das den Spitznamen "Das Ende der Welt" trägt, und segeln den Rest des Abends durch den von Bergen gesäumten Beagle-Kanal.

## Tag 2 - 3: Meeresleben, Seevögel

Auf dem Weg nach Südgeorgien überqueren Sie die antarktische Konvergenz. Die Temperatur kühlt innerhalb weniger Stunden erheblich ab, und nährstoffreiches Wasser steigt durch das Aufeinandertreffen von Wassersäulen an die Wasseroberfläche. Dieses Phänomen lockt eine Vielzahl von Seevögeln in die Nähe des Schiffes, darunter mehrere Albatrosarten, Sturmtaucher, Sturmvögel, Prionen und Skuas.

## Tag 4: Shag Rocks

Je nach Wetterlage können wir an den Shag Rocks vorbeisegeln. Diese kleine Gruppe von 6 Inseln auf dem Südgeorgien-Rücken liegt in flacheren Gewässern. Das nährstoffreiche Wasser in diesem Gebiet bietet Vögeln und Walen eine Menge Nahrung. Die Inseln sind nach den südgeorgischen Shags benannt, die für ihre leuchtend blauen Augen und den gelben Fleck auf ihrem Schnabel bekannt sind.

## Tag 5 - 10: Fahrt nach Südgeorgien

Heute erreichen Sie den ersten Aktivitätort auf Südgeorgien. Bitte denken Sie daran, dass die Wetterbedingungen in diesem Gebiet schwierig sein können und das Programm weitgehend bestimmen. Sie können unter anderem folgende Orte besuchen:

**Salisbury Plain, St. Andrews Bay, Gold Harbour** - Diese Orte beherbergen nicht nur die drei größten Königspinguinkolonien Südgeorgiens, sondern sind auch drei der weltweit größten Brutstrände für Südliche See-Elefanten. Nur zu dieser Jahreszeit erreichen sie ihren Höhepunkt im Brutzyklus. Beobachten Sie die vier Tonnen schweren Bullen, die ständig über Gebiete wachen (und gelegentlich kämpfen), in denen Dutzende von Weibchen gerade entbunden haben oder kurz vor der Geburt stehen. Hier können Sie auch eine beträchtliche Anzahl antarktischer Pelzrobben sehen.

**Fortuna Bay** - Eine wunderschöne Abschwemmungsebene des Fortuna-Gletschers beherbergt eine große Anzahl von Königspinguinen und Robben. Vielleicht haben Sie die Möglichkeit, dem letzten Abschnitt von Shackletons Route zum verlassenen

Walfängerdorf Stromness zu folgen. Dieser Weg führt über den Gebirgspass jenseits von Shackletons Wasserfall, und da das Gelände teilweise sumpfig ist, sollten Sie darauf vorbereitet sein, einige kleine Bäche zu überqueren.

**Leith Harbour, Stromness, Husvik** - Diese Orte erinnern uns an das Ausmaß der Walfangindustrie im frühen 20. Jahrhundert. Seeelefanten und Pelzrobben brüten und mausern sich hier. Auch Eselspinguine halten sich an den Anlandestellen auf. Antarktische Prionen und Südgeorgien-Sturmvögel können beobachtet werden, vor allem in der Gegend von Husvik.

**Grytviken** - In dieser verlassenen Walfangstation spazieren Königspinguine durch die Straßen, und Seeelefanten liegen herum, als ob ihnen der Ort gehören würde. Vielleicht können Sie hier das Südgeorgien-Museum und Shackletons Grab besichtigen.

**Cobblers Cove, Godthul** - In Cobblers Cove streben wir nach Rookery Point, um Makkaroni-Pinguine zu sehen. Entlang der Küste nisten Rußalbatrosse und auch Riesensturmvögel können beobachtet werden. Godthul (norwegisch für "gute Bucht") wurde von norwegischen Walfängern und Robbenjägern benannt und Überreste wie Knochen können immer noch entlang der Küstenlinie gefunden werden. Die Strände sind die Heimat von Eselspinguinen und Robben.

**Royal Bay (Moltke Harbour, Will Point & Brisbane Point)** - Der Moltke-Hafen in der Royal Bay wurde von der deutschen Internationalen Polarjahr-Expedition im Jahr 1882 benannt, und einige Überreste ihrer Behausungen sind noch zu sehen. Die Landschaft der Royal Bay ist wunderschön, dunkle Sandstrände, gefolgt von den grünen Tussock-Farben und schließlich dominiert vom schnee- und eisbedeckten Ross-Gletscher. Royal Bay ist eine der windigsten Buchten der Insel, und die Fahrt mit dem Zodiac ist spektakulär. Hier leben ca. 30.000 Königspinguinpaare.

**Cooper Bay** - Bietet die größte Zügelpinguinpopulation und auch Eselspinguine und Makkaroni-Pinguine sind hier zu finden. Antarktische Seeschwalben, Weißkinn-Sturmvögel, Blauaugen-Shags und hellmantelige Rußalbatrosse können ebenfalls gesichtet werden.

**Drygalski Fjord** - bietet spektakuläre Landschaften, während das Schiff durch den engen Fjord fährt, mit ca. 2 Kilometer hohen Berggipfeln in unmittelbarer Nähe.

**King Haakon Bay** - der britische Entdecker Ernest Shackleton erreichte die King Haakon Bay während seiner 800 Seemeilen langen Reise mit dem offenen Boot "James Caird" von Elephant Island aus. Von hier aus fuhr er nach Stromness, um Hilfe für die Rettung seiner Gruppe auf Elephant Island zu erbitten, nachdem sie das Weddellmeer verlassen hatten, wo ihr Schiff vom Eis zerdrückt worden war. An den Stränden sind vor allem Seeelefanten anzutreffen. Vogelbeobachter halten Ausschau nach Südgeorgienpiepern, antarktischen Prionen sowie Tauch- und Blausturmvögeln.

## Tag 11 - 14: Weiterfahrt nach Westen

Auf dieser Route könnte es Meereis geben, und Südpolar-Skuas und Schneesturmvögel könnten sich zu den anderen Seevögeln wie Albatrossen und Sturmvögeln gesellen, die das Schiff verfolgen. Schließlich erreichen wir die Drake-Passage und werden erneut von einer Vielzahl von Seevögeln begrüßt, die uns von der Passage nach Süden in Erinnerung geblieben sind.

## Tag 15: Die südlichste Stadt der Erde

Sie kommen in Ushuaia an und gehen von Bord, das gemeinhin als die südlichste Stadt der Welt gilt. Sie liegt auf der Inselgruppe Feuerland, die den Spitznamen "Ende der Welt" trägt. Aber trotz dieses Zwischenstopps werden die vielen Erinnerungen, die Sie auf Ihrer Antarktis-Expedition gesammelt haben, mit Ihnen reisen, wo auch immer Ihr nächstes Abenteuer liegt.

### In dieser Reise enthalten

- Schiffsreise und Übernachtungen an Bord des gebuchten Schiffes gemäß der publizierten Reiseroute.
- Alle Mahlzeiten einschließlich Snacks, Kaffee und Tee während der gesamten Reise an Bord des Schiffes.
- Alle Landausflüge und Aktivitäten während der gesamten Reise inkl. Zodiac-Exkursionen.
- Fachkundige Vorträge und Führung eines internationalen Expeditionsteams an Bord und an Land.
- Kostenlose Nutzung von Gummistiefel und Schneeschuhen.
- Gepäcktransfer zum Schiff am Tag der Abreise in Ushuaia.
- Sammeltransfer am Tag der Ausschiffung vom Hafen bis Flughafen Ushuaia (direkt nach der Ausschiffung).

- *Alle sonstigen Steuern und Hafengebühren rundum das Schiffsprogramm.*
- *Umfangreiche Reiseunterlagen ( Boarding Pass, Reiseinformationen).*

### **Von dieser Reise ausgeschlossen**

- *Flüge, egal ob Linien- oder Charterflüge.*
- *Landarrangements vor und nach der Schiffsreise ( z.B. Hotelübernachtungen an Land).*
- *Pass- und Visakosten.*
- *Ein- und Abreisesteuern.*
- *Mahlzeiten an Land.*
- *Reisegepäck, Annullierung und persönliche Versicherung (wird dringend empfohlen).*
- *Übergepäckgebühren und alle Serviceleistungen an Bord wie Wäscherei, Bar, Getränkekosten und Telekommunikationskosten.*
- *Trinkgeld am Ende der Reisen für das Service-Personal an Bord (Richtlinien auf Anfrage).*

## Kabinen



### Vierpersonen mit Bullauge

- Kabinengröße 12 m<sup>2</sup>
- 1 Bullauge
- 2 obere & untere Liegeplätze
- Private Dusche & Toilette
- Tisch & Stuhl
- Flachbild-TV
- Telefon und WiFi (extra)
- Haartrockner
- Schließfach
- Stauraum
- Diese Kabine eignet sich für Familien mit Kindern oder Passagiere, die keine Doppel- oder Luxus-Kabine benötigen



### Dreipersonen mit Bullauge

- 1 Bullauge
- 1 oberen Liegeplatz & 2 untere Liegeplätze
- Private Dusche & Toilette
- Tisch & Stuhl
- Flachbild-TV
- Telefon und WiFi (extra)
- Haartrockner
- Schließfach
- Reichlich Stauraum
- Diese Kabine eignet sich für Familien mit Kindern oder Passagiere, die keine Doppel- oder Luxus-Kabine benötigen



### Doppel mit Bullauge

- Kabinengröße 12 m<sup>2</sup>
- 1 Bullauge
- 2 untere Liegeplätze
- Private Dusche & Toilette
- Tisch & Stuhl
- Flachbild-TV
- Telefon und WiFi (extra)
- Haartrockner
- Schließfach
- Reichlich Stauraum



### Doppel mit Fenster

- Kabinengröße zwischen 12,5 m<sup>2</sup> und 13,5 m<sup>2</sup>
- 1 Fenster
- 2 untere Liegeplätze
- Private Dusche & Toilette
- Tisch & Stuhl
- Flachbild-TV
- Telefon und WiFi (extra)
- Haartrockner
- Schließfach
- Reichlich Stauraum



### Doppel Deluxe

- Kabinengröße 13,5 m<sup>2</sup>
- 2 Fenster
- 2 Einzelbetten
- Private Dusche & Toilette
- Tisch & Stuhl
- Flachbild-TV
- Telefon und WiFi (extra)
- Haartrockner
- Schließfach
- Reichlich Stauraum
- Bei den Kabinen handelt es sich um Eckkabinen, die etwas größer sind als die normalen Doppelkabinen mit Fenster/Bullaue



### Superior

- Kabinengröße zwischen 21 m<sup>2</sup> und 23 m<sup>2</sup>
- 2 Fenster
- 1 Doppelbett
- 1 Sofa
- Private Dusche & Toilette
- Tisch & Stuhl
- Flachbild-TV
- Telefon und WiFi (extra)
- Kühlschrank
- Haartrockner
- Schließfach
- Reichlich Stauraum

**Teil-  
Shackleton Crossing  
zu Fuß**

**in Verbindung mit  
Expeditionskreuzfahrt**

**nach Süd-Georgien & zur  
Antarktischen Halbinsel**

**an Bord der  
MV SYLVIA EARLE/ MV  
DOUGLAS MAWSON**



## Shackleton Crossing in South Georgia by Foot

Since March 2001, Aurora Expeditions have offered the chance for a small band of adventurous souls to attempt to repeat the epic 1916 crossing of Sir Ernest Shackleton, Frank Worsley and Tom Crean, and trek for up to three days across South Georgia from King Haakon Bay to Stromness.

South Georgia offers a spectacular yet extreme mountain environment, which must be approached with great caution. Although the crossing does not involve any actual technical climbing, there is a steep ground crossing from the Tridents down to the Crean Glacier, as well as potential risks with crevasses.

This trip is suitable for persons with alpine trekking or mountaineering experience as it traverses glaciated and mountainous terrain. Our South Georgia Alpine Crossing by Foot offers a once-in-a-lifetime experience and the chance to delve deep into some of the worlds most rugged and remote terrain.



### Example Alpine Crossing Itinerary

#### Day 1

Ascend to Murray Snowfield, traverse up and over Trident Pass. Descend to Crean Camp.

#### Day 2

Pre-dawn start. Ascend Crean Glacier to Great Nunatak. Cross Fortuna Glacier and descend to Fortuna Bay. Overnight on the ship.

#### Day 3

Walk Fortuna Bay to Stromness, accompanied by fit passengers. Sail to Grytviken and Shackleton's grave.

*Please note: Itinerary is subject to departure time, weather and ice conditions. Crossing length, route and time will vary.*

### **Crossing Length and Time**

The crossing distance can vary from 35 to 50 kilometres depending on the route we take and involves crossing large, heavily crevassed glaciers and alpine passes. In good weather, the crossing could take only two days, but we allow three days in case of bad weather.

### **Our Guides**

Our guides have many years of climbing experience in our destinations and hold relevant mountain instruction and safety certifications. The guide will lead the group adhering to strict safety practices as well as explain facts about the wildlife and other highlights as we come across them. We have one Alpine Crossing guide for every 4-6 crossers.

### **How to Book**

If you would like to participate in the Shackleton Crossing in South Georgia by Foot, please return the activity form at the time of booking. Our guide will review your form for suitability and experience before approving your place.







## In Shackleton's Footsteps

Departure Date:  20 Days

Departure/Arrival: **Ushuaia, Argentina - Ushuaia, Argentina**

Voyage code: **ASH002S**

Voyage type:  **Polar Expedition** [↗](#)

Ship: ***Sylvia Earle*** [↗](#)

Price: **USD \$26,795.00**

**from USD \$22,775.75/pp** Save 15%\*



## In Shackleton's Footsteps

Departure Date:  20 Days

Departure/Arrival: **Ushuaia, Argentina - Ushuaia, Argentina**

Voyage code: **ASH003D**

Voyage type:  **Polar Expedition** [↗](#)

Ship: ***Douglas Mawson*** [↗](#)

Price: **USD \$31,195.00**

**from USD \$24,956.00/pp** Save 20%\*

## Summary

Thank you for joining Aurora Expeditions on our **In Shackleton's Footsteps** expedition.

Follow in the footsteps of 'the Boss' on this quintessential polar voyage, from the serene ice of the deep south to the subantarctic wildlife paradise of South Georgia. Experience the Antarctic Peninsula and set foot on the continent before making your way north to the spectacular Antarctic Sound, gateway to the Weddell Sea. Embrace the adventure as you voyage further east, navigating as far as possible into the Weddell Sea, where Shackleton's *Endurance* met its fate. From here set a course to Elephant Island, the desolate outpost where Shackleton and his men finally made landfall after 497 days at sea. On the final leg of your voyage, follow the course of the *James Caird* across the Scotia Sea to South Georgia, where Shackleton's voyage reached its remarkable conclusion. As you retrace the steps of this historic voyage, your expert expedition team will be by your side to enrich your journey with insights, wildlife-spotting tips and stories of Shackleton's epic adventure.

## Highlights

- Marvel at the enormous tabular icebergs that escape the Weddell Sea into the Antarctic Sound, also known as 'Iceberg Alley.'
- Learn about the fascinating history of Shackleton's *Endurance* expedition, including the 2022 discovery of the shipwreck.
- Experience South Georgia, an incredible wildlife sanctuary where fur seals, elephant seals and four species of penguin coexist in harmony.
- Hike from Fortuna Bay to the abandoned Stromness whaling station, repeating the final leg of Shackleton's remarkable traverse of South Georgia from east to west.



## Inclusions

- ✔ All airport transfers mentioned in the itinerary.
- ✔ One night's hotel accommodation including breakfast, in Ushuaia on Day 1.
- ✔ Lake Escondido tour in Ushuaia, on Day 2.
- ✔ Onboard accommodation during voyage, including daily cabin service.
- ✔ All meals, snacks, tea and coffee during voyage.
- ✔ Soft drinks and juices throughout all meals.
- ✔ Beer and house wine with dinner.
- ✔ Captain's Farewell reception including four-course dinner, house cocktails, house beer and wine, non-alcoholic beverages.
- ✔ All shore excursions and Zodiac cruises.
- ✔ Educational lectures and guiding services provided by Expedition Team.
- ✔ Complimentary access to onboard expedition doctor and medical clinic (initial consultation).
- ✔ One 3-in-1 waterproof, polar expedition jacket.
- ✔ Complimentary use of Muck Boots during the voyage.
- ✔ Comprehensive pre-departure information.
- ✔ Port surcharges, permits and landing fees.
- ✔ Wi-Fi\*.

*\* Please note we travel to remote regions and therefore the connection can be unreliable.*

## Exclusions

- ✘ International or domestic flights – unless specified in the itinerary.
- ✘ Transfers – unless specified in the itinerary.
- ✘ Airport arrival or departure taxes.
- ✘ Passport, visa, reciprocity and vaccination fees and charges.
- ✘ Travel insurance or emergency evacuation charges.
- ✘ Hotel accommodation and meals – unless specified in the itinerary.
- ✘ Optional excursions and optional activity surcharges.
- ✘ All items of a personal nature, including but not limited to alcoholic beverages (outside of dinner service), gratuities, laundry services, personal clothing, medical expenses or phone charges.

*Note: A \$15 USD per person per day gratuity for the crew is automatically added to your onboard account. It is at your discretion if you would like to remove the tip (or adjust the amount) when you settle your bill. It is not necessary to tip the expedition team members. This gratuity amount is included for suites as part of their 'Suite Benefits'.*

## **Itinerary**

### **Day 1 Ushuaia**

Arrive in Ushuaia, where you will be met by a representative of Aurora Expeditions and transferred with your fellow expeditioners to your assigned pre-voyage hotel. If you are already in Ushuaia, we ask you to make your way to your hotel. Check-in is from 3.00 pm. This afternoon, visit the Aurora Expeditions hospitality desk in the hotel lobby, between 3.00 pm and 7.00 pm, to collect your luggage tags, and confirm if you wish to join our Lake Escondido pre-embarkation tour tomorrow. Our team will confirm details regarding your embarkation day, answer any questions and provide you with information on where to dine or purchase last minute items.

Expeditioners arriving after 7.00 pm will find a welcome pack waiting for them at check-in. We ask you to visit our hospitality desk tomorrow between 8.00 am – 8.45 am.

The remainder of your time is at leisure. All meals today are at your own expense.

Assigned accommodation: To be advised

### **Day 2 Embarkation**

This morning, enjoy breakfast and check-out. Please ensure your cabin luggage is fitted with cabin tags clearly labelled with your name and cabin number. Take your cabin luggage to hotel reception, prior to, or at check-out. Your luggage will be stored and transferred directly to the port for clearance, to be placed in your cabin ahead of your arrival on board. Please keep any valuables or personal items with you throughout the day.

Those wishing to join our Lake Escondido tour today, please meet in the hotel lobby at 8.45 am. This tour offers us an unforgettable panoramic drive through big valleys of glacial origin, evergreen and deciduous forests, waterfalls and rivers, in the vastness of the Andes Mountain Range. We will leave Ushuaia city to the northeast of Tierra del Fuego, driving through peat bog valleys to reach Garibaldi Pass, only accessible by a winding road that will take us to a panoramic point. From here we will have amazing panoramic views of Lake Escondido and, if weather conditions allow, of Fagnano Lake. We will start our descent towards the northeast to reach Fagnano Lake's shore where we will visit a local ranch. After appreciating the landscape, you will have the chance to enjoy the typical Fuegian Lamb barbecue. Enjoy some free time there before returning to Ushuaia for ship embarkation.

Alternatively, enjoy your day at leisure and meet at your hotel lobby or from the meeting point at the parking lot near the pier (details will be given by our ground staff at the hotel), to be transferred to the pier for embarkation.

Once onboard, you'll have time to settle into your cabin before our important mandatory briefings. As the ship pulls away from port, we'll gather on the deck to commence our adventure with spectacular views over Ushuaia and Tierra del Fuego.

This evening, get to know your fellow expeditioners and friendly expedition team and crew at a welcome dinner to celebrate the start of a thrilling adventure to Antarctica.

### **Day 3-4 Drake Passage crossing**

Settle into your stateroom and make yourself comfortable! The onboard gym, wellbeing centre and well-equipped library are yours to discover, and your expedition team will offer a series of presentations on Antarctica's history, wildlife and environment to help enrich your experience. You will also be invited to collect your Muck Boots and attend important briefings on biosecurity, wildlife-watching guidelines and Zodiac safety, in preparation for your first landing in Antarctica.

On day four the excitement is palpable as you near the South Shetland Islands and the tip of the Antarctic Peninsula, with everyone converging on the observation decks to spot their first iceberg. Now that you're south of the Antarctic Convergence the ocean takes on a whole new character, as you're surrounded by porpoising penguins and dramatic icebergs. The memory of your first iceberg sighting is likely to remain with



you for a lifetime. Time and weather permitting, we may attempt our first Antarctic landing in the late afternoon.

### **Days 5-7 Antarctic Peninsula**

It's almost impossible to describe the feeling of arriving in Antarctica. Spotting your first iceberg and taking a deep breath of some of the most fresh, crisp air on earth is an experience to cherish forever.

Once we arrive, the western side of the Antarctic Peninsula and the South Shetland Islands are ours to explore, and we have a host of choices available to us. Your experienced expedition team, who have made countless journeys to this area, will use their expertise to design your voyage from day to day, choosing the best options based on the prevailing weather, ice conditions and wildlife opportunities.

While on the Peninsula, we generally make landings or Zodiac excursions twice a day. Make sure you rug up before joining Zodiac cruises along spectacular ice cliffs or among grounded icebergs, keeping watch for whales, seals and porpoising penguins. Zodiacs will also transport you from the ship to land, where you can visit penguin rookeries, discover historic huts and explore some of our favourite spots along the peninsula.

While ashore we aim to stretch our legs, wandering along pebbly beaches or perhaps up snow-covered ridgelines to vantage points with mountains towering overhead and ice-speckled oceans below. If you have chosen an optional activity, you will have the option to do that whenever conditions allow, and of course keen polar plungers will have the chance to fully immerse themselves in polar waters - conditions permitting!

In addition to Zodiac cruises and shore excursions, we may ship cruise some of the narrow, dramatic straits separating offshore islands from the mainland, or linger in scenic bays to marvel at sculptural icebergs and photograph spectacular scenery. This is a great time to enjoy the observation lounge or make your way to the bridge (open at the captain's discretion) for uninterrupted views of Antarctica in all its splendour. Keep an ear out for the creak and deep rumble of glaciers as they carve into the sea. Take a quiet moment to experience the wonder of this incredible white continent.

### **Day 8 Weddell Sea**

The famed Weddell Sea is central to the story of Sir Ernest Shackleton's Imperial Trans-Antarctic Expedition, which we are here to retrace. In the summer of 1914 Shackleton and his crew of 27 men sailed into the Weddell Sea to attempt the first overland crossing of Antarctica. As they approached their starting point, their ship the *Endurance* became trapped in sea ice, sinking any hopes they may have had of completing their objective. Little did they know, this was the beginning of a completely unexpected and remarkable journey. The incredible series of events that followed have made Shackleton's voyage one of the most celebrated in polar history.

Remote and inaccessible, entry into the Weddell Sea is highly prized among polar adventurers. Your passage begins at the northernmost extreme of the Antarctic Peninsula, in the beautifully barren Antarctic Sound. In this seldom-visited part of the Peninsula volcanic peaks tower above penguin colonies, and wave-sculpted icebergs parade through the deep channels leading to the Weddell Sea.

Continuing further east, embrace the expedition spirit as you forge your way as far as possible into the Weddell Sea. The Weddell Sea is renowned for its breathtaking tabular icebergs and expansive sea ice, which attracts an abundance of wildlife, including crabeater seals, Weddell seals and an array of seabirds. Take some time out on deck to observe the flight of storm petrels, prions and Antarctic cormorants drawn here by the rich blooms of Antarctic krill that flourish in the shelter of this ice-covered sea.

As you travel, take a moment to reflect on the truly historic seas you're sailing. It wasn't so far from here that the wreck of the *Endurance* was discovered, mostly intact, on March 5, 2022. Researchers aboard the polar research vessel S.A. Agulhas II were astonished to find the well-preserved vessel only 6.4km (4 miles) south of the position calculated by Captain Worsley in 1915, when he last laid eyes on his ship.

### **Day 9 Elephant Island**

Today we set a course for Elephant Island, the lonely outpost where 22 of Shackleton's men survived several winter months under the shelter of two upturned boats.

In the morning, join your expedition team in the lecture room to hear the awe-inspiring story of Shackleton and his men, who spent 9 months stuck in Weddell Sea pack ice and 6 months camping on drifting sea ice before making a desperate escape from the sea ice in three open boats. They spent almost a week battling the wind, currents, swell and treacherous ice to finally make landfall on Elephant Island, a striking, ice-covered extremity of the South Shetland Islands, after 497 days at sea.

We plan to sail past Cape Valentine to see the beach where the men first put ashore over 100 years ago, then follow the coastline west to the exposed promontory of Point Wild. This is where Shackleton's 22 men survived several bitter winter months under their upturned boats, hoping for rescue. Weather permitting, we will take a Zodiac cruise or make a landing at historic Point Wild.

### **Days 10-11 Scotia Sea**

After an exciting program of excursions and activities in Antarctica, relax and enjoy the slower pace of sea days as you sail towards South Georgia.

As you make your way across the Scotia Sea you're following the route taken by Shackleton and five of his men when they sailed from Elephant Island in search of rescue. In their open wooden boat, the *James Caird*, they spent 17 days sailing into the unknown across this perilous patch of ocean. This boat journey, which concluded with their safe arrival in King Haakon Bay on the west coast of South Georgia, remains one of the greatest stories of maritime navigation and survival in polar history.

As you sail the onboard lecture program continues, with a series of entertaining presentations on South Georgia's wildlife, geology and history in the lecture room. Or you might prefer to simply unwind: take a long lunch, catch up on your gym sessions, or curl up with a book from our polar library.

The Scotia Sea is known for its abundant wildlife including fin, humpback and blue whales. Keep watch for these gentle giants and elusive orca, which patrol these waters. Venture out on deck with your camera to capture cape petrels and prions wheeling, and albatross soaring gracefully amidst the swell.

Of course, thoughts of Shackleton and his voyage are never far away.

*"Nearly always there were gales. So small was our boat and so great were the seas that often our sail flapped idly in the calm between the crests of two waves. Then we would climb the next slope and catch the full fury of the gale where the wool-like whiteness of the breaking water surged around us."*

- Ernest Shackleton

### **Days 12-16 South Georgia**

As you near the rugged island of South Georgia, spare a thought for Captain James Cook, who arrived here in 1775 and believed it to be the northern tip of a great southern continent! In fact, it is a small island only 176 km (110 mi) long, but with a 3,000 m (9,842 ft) snow-capped mountain range, some of the world's largest congregations of wildlife and a truly fascinating human history, South Georgia is an island of incredible riches.

As you approach, jagged mountain peaks rise steeply, while seabirds are often spotted soaring around the ship. You will sail along the coast, taking in the spectacular glaciated scenery and enjoying a little shelter from the prevailing westerly winds. This enchanting coastline is yours to explore!

Zodiac cruise around craggy coves and along the rocky coastline in search of penguins, seal haul-outs and bird cliffs. Remember to keep an eye out for South Georgia's kelp forests—these remarkable underwater ecosystems are quite mesmerising as their fronds sway back and forth on the water's surface.

Zodiacs will also shuttle you from ship to shore, where you can visit some of the largest king penguin colonies on Earth, take a guided walk among fur seals and elephant seals (making sure you listen to your guides and keep your distance!) and wander along pebbled streams and grassy glacial outwash plains. We also hope to visit the remnants of South Georgia's thriving whaling stations and visit the final resting place of Sir Ernest Shackleton, whose incredible voyage of survival is synonymous with this island.

In addition to Zodiac cruises and shore excursions, we may ship-cruise through fjords with towering cliffs of ancient stone, or into deeply indented bays towards dramatic glacier fronts. This is a great time to find a comfy spot in the observation lounge to enjoy uninterrupted views of South Georgia's majestic coast.

For some intrepid Shackleton fans, the optional hike from Fortuna Bay to Stromness will be a highlight. This route follows the final stage of Shackleton, Worsely and Crean's improbable traverse of South Georgia, from their landing place in King Haakon Bay on the east coast to Stromness in the west, where they finally found safety after 24 harrowing months at sea.

From Fortuna Bay the trail rises to a spectacular alpine plateau, before angling steeply down towards the abandoned Stromness whaling station. Conditions permitting, we aim to repeat this final section of their traverse.

*"Bright moonlight showed us that the interior was tremendously broken," Shackleton wrote. "High peaks, impassable cliffs, steep snow- slopes, and sharply descending glaciers could be seen in all directions."*

#### **Day 17-19 At Sea**

As we sail from South Georgia, you will be enthralled by the ceaseless flight of the many seabirds that follow the vessel, skilfully using the air currents created by the ship to gain momentum.

If time and weather conditions permit, we could pass close to Shag Rocks, a fascinating group of jagged rocky islets protruding from the sea, in the proximity of South Georgia.

As we sail on towards Ushuaia you may choose to spend your final precious moments at sea soaking up the views on deck, enjoying the onboard facilities, or attending final lectures. There is plenty of time to enjoy the magic of the Southern Ocean, have a drink with newfound friends and reflect on the voyage you've shared.

On the final night, celebrate your unforgettable voyage with newfound friends at a special Captain's farewell dinner.















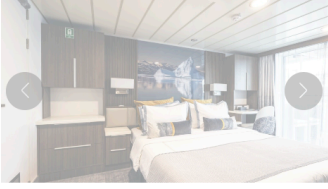













We hope you will become ambassadors for the Antarctic region, telling your family, friends and colleagues about your journey to this magical place, and advocating for its conservation so that they might one day visit the region to experience what you have been lucky to see and do here.

#### **Day 20 Disembark in Ushuaia**

During the early morning, we cruise up the Beagle Channel, before quietly slipping into dock in Ushuaia, where we will be free to disembark around 8.00 am. Farewell your expedition team and fellow passengers as we all continue our onward journeys, hopefully with a newfound sense of the immense power of nature.

Upon disembarkation, for those continuing their travels in the region, transportation to the hotel will be arranged exclusively for guests who have booked their accommodations through Aurora or for those staying in downtown areas near the port. Expeditioners departing on flights prior to 12.30 pm will be directly transferred to Ushuaia Airport, those with flights after 12.30 pm will have the opportunity to explore Ushuaia before an afternoon airport transfer, and the transfer procedures and details will be communicated onboard before disembarkation.

**Note:** At the conclusion of the voyage, we do not recommend booking flights departing Ushuaia prior to 12.00 pm on the day of disembarkation in case there are delays.

Stateroom categories	Sleeps	Features	Stateroom inclusion	Price
<p><b>Captain's Suite</b></p> <p>● Sold Out</p> <p>Deck: 4</p> <p>Stateroom and balcony combined size: <b>43.8m<sup>2</sup> (471.5 ft<sup>2</sup>)</b></p> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> King bed</li> <li> Private en-suite</li> <li> Full size window</li> <li> Desk area</li> <li> Room-controlled thermostat</li> <li> 42" flat-screen TV</li> <li> Twin beds</li> <li> Private balcony</li> <li> Separate lounge area</li> <li> Closet space</li> <li> Room safe</li> <li> Mini bar</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> <li>• 1 x free pair of binoculars per suite</li> <li>• Free stocked mini bar<sup>^</sup></li> <li>• 1 x free bottle of champagne per suite</li> <li>• A gratuity of \$15 USD per person per day for the crew is included with each suite</li> </ul> <p><sup>^</sup>Junior Suites stocked once only, not replenished. Captain's Suite replenished as needed.</p>	<p><del>USD \$50,695.00</del></p> <p>From USD <b>\$43,090.75/pp</b></p> <p>Save 15%*</p>
<p><b>Junior Suite</b></p> <p>● Sold Out</p> <p>Deck: 7</p> <p>Stateroom and balcony combined size: <b>41.6m<sup>2</sup> (447.8ft<sup>2</sup>)</b></p> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> King bed</li> <li> Private en-suite</li> <li> Full size window</li> <li> Desk area</li> <li> Room-controlled thermostat</li> <li> 42" flat-screen TV</li> <li> Twin beds</li> <li> Private balcony</li> <li> Separate lounge area</li> <li> Closet space</li> <li> Room safe</li> <li> Mini bar</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> <li>• 1 x free pair of binoculars per suite</li> <li>• Free stocked mini bar<sup>^</sup></li> <li>• 1 x free bottle of champagne per suite</li> <li>• A gratuity of \$15 USD per person per day for the crew is included with each suite</li> </ul> <p><sup>^</sup>Junior Suites stocked once only, not replenished. Captain's Suite replenished as needed.</p>	<p><del>USD \$42,795.00</del></p> <p>From USD <b>\$36,375.75/pp</b></p> <p>Save 15%*</p>

## Balcony Stateroom Superior

● Only 1 berth left!

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
29.2m<sup>2</sup> - 35.2m<sup>2</sup> (314.3ft<sup>2</sup> - 378.9ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$34,095.00~~

From USD **\$28,980.75/pp**

Save 15%\*

Some of these rooms are equipped with wheelchair accessible bathrooms.

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite



Private en-suite (wheelchair accessible)



Private balcony



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

## Balcony Stateroom Category A

● Available

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
19.5m<sup>2</sup> - 28.7m<sup>2</sup> (209.9ft<sup>2</sup> - 308.9ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$31,195.00~~

From USD **\$26,515.75/pp**

Save 15%\*

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite



Private en-suite



Private balcony



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

### Balcony Stateroom Category B

● Available

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
19.5m<sup>2</sup> - 28.7m<sup>2</sup> (209.9ft<sup>2</sup> - 308.9ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$28,995.00~~

From USD **\$24,645.75/pp**

Save 15%\*



Private en-suite



Private balcony

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



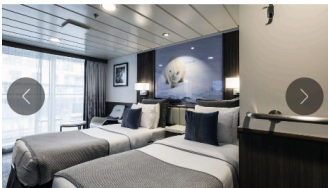
Mini bar\*

### Balcony Stateroom Category C

● Only 1 berth left!

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
19.5m<sup>2</sup> - 28.7m<sup>2</sup> (209.9ft<sup>2</sup> - 308.9ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$27,595.00~~

From USD **\$23,455.75/pp**

Save 15%\*



Private en-suite



Private balcony

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

## Aurora Stateroom Superior

● Only 2 berths left!

Deck: 7

Stateroom size: **19.9m<sup>2</sup> - 20.8m<sup>2</sup>**  
(214.2ft<sup>2</sup> - 223.9ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$26,795.00~~

From USD **\$22,775.75/pp**

Save 15%\*



Private en-suite



French balcony

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

## Aurora Stateroom Triple Share

● Sold Out

Deck: 3

Stateroom size: **22.67m<sup>2</sup> (244ft<sup>2</sup>)**



King bed



Twin beds

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$24,695.00~~

From USD **\$20,990.75/pp**

Save 15%\*



Private en-suite



Porthole window

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*



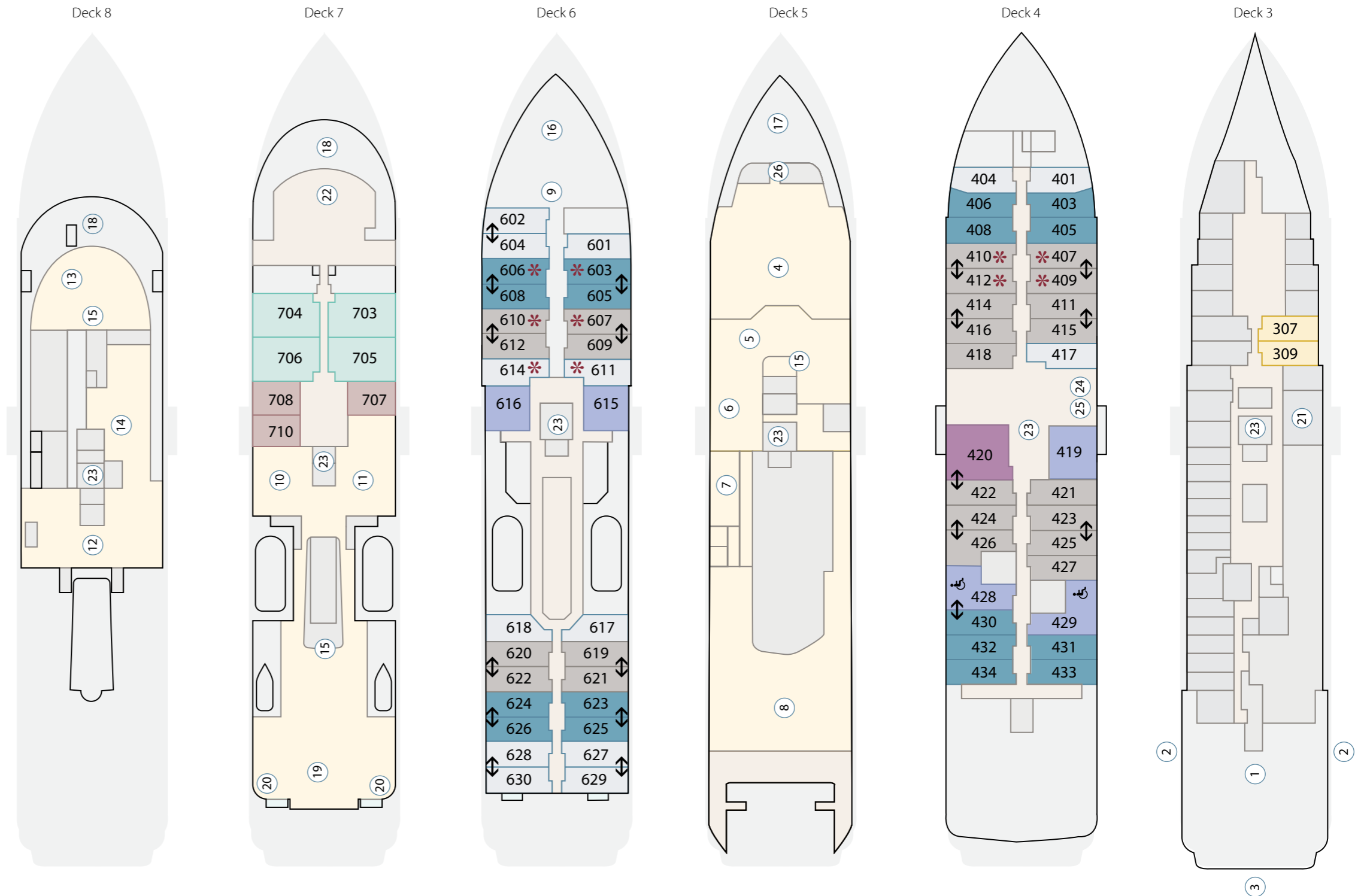
## Ship Features

- ① Change room/mudroom
- ② Zodiac access points
- ③ Activity launching platform
- ④ Lecture room & lounge
- ⑤ Assembly station
- ⑥ Reception
- ⑦ Ship shop
- ⑧ Dining room
- ⑨ Library
- ⑩ Gym
- ⑪ Wellness centre / sauna
- ⑫ Seating area
- ⑬ Observation lounge
- ⑭ Top-deck restaurant
- ⑮ Bar
- ⑯ Upper glass atrium lounge
- ⑰ Lower glass atrium lounge
- ⑱ Observation decks
- ⑲ Swimming pool\* and sun deck
- ⑳ Jacuzzis
- ㉑ Medical clinic
- ㉒ Bridge
- ㉓ Elevator
- ㉔ Main entrance
- ㉕ Expedition desk
- ㉖ Citizen Science centre
- ♿ Disability accessible staterooms

# The *Sylvia Earle*

## Stateroom Category

- Aurora Stateroom Triple
- Balcony Stateroom – C
- Balcony Stateroom – A
- Junior Suite
- Aurora Stateroom Superior
- Balcony Stateroom – B
- Balcony Stateroom Superior
- Captain's Suite









































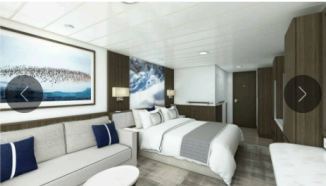











\* Dedicated single staterooms for the Arctic and Global 2026 season.


























Deck plan is subject to change.

↔ Connecting staterooms and suites

\*Swimming pool not operational when sailing in open waters. Hours of operation subject to weather conditions.

Stateroom categories	Sleeps	Features	Stateroom inclusion	Price	
<h3>Captain's Suite</h3> <p>● Available</p> <p>Deck: 4</p> <p>Stateroom and balcony combined size: <b>45.22m<sup>2</sup> (486.7ft<sup>2</sup>)</b></p> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> King bed</li> <li> Private en-suite</li> <li> Full size window</li> <li> Desk area</li> <li> Room-controlled thermostat</li> <li> 42" flat-screen TV</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Twin beds</li> <li> Private balcony</li> <li> Separate lounge area</li> <li> Closet space</li> <li> Room safe</li> <li> Mini bar</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> <li>1 x free pair of binoculars per suite</li> <li>Free stocked mini bar<sup>^</sup></li> <li>1 x free bottle of champagne per suite</li> <li>A gratuity of \$15 USD per person per day for the crew is included with each suite</li> </ul> <p><sup>^</sup>Junior Suites stocked once only, not replenished. Captain's Suite replenished as needed.</p>	<p><del>USD \$56,895.00</del></p> <p>From USD <b>\$45,516.00/pp</b></p> <p><b>Save 20%*</b></p>
<h3>Aurora Stateroom Superior Single</h3> <p>● Available</p> <p>Deck: 3 &amp; 7</p> <p>Stateroom size: <b>10.97m<sup>2</sup> - 15.18m<sup>2</sup> (118.1ft<sup>2</sup> - 163.4ft<sup>2</sup>)</b></p> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Twin bed</li> <li> Private en-suite</li> <li> Closet space</li> <li> Room safe</li> <li> Mini bar*</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Porthole window</li> <li> Room-controlled thermostat</li> <li> 42" flat-screen TV</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> </ul> <p>*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite</p>	<p>From USD <b>\$40,095.00/pp</b></p>

<p><b>Junior Suite</b></p> <p>● Available</p> <p>Deck: 7</p> <p>Stateroom and balcony combined size: 41.47m<sup>2</sup> - 41.87m<sup>2</sup> (446.4ft<sup>2</sup> - 450.7ft<sup>2</sup>)</p> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> King bed</li> <li> Twin beds</li> <li> Private en-suite</li> <li> Private balcony</li> <li> Full size window</li> <li> Separate lounge area</li> <li> Desk area</li> <li> Closet space</li> <li> Room-controlled thermostat</li> <li> Room safe</li> <li> 42" flat-screen TV</li> <li> Mini bar</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> <li>• 1 x free pair of binoculars per suite</li> <li>• Free stocked mini bar<sup>^</sup></li> <li>• 1 x free bottle of champagne per suite</li> <li>• A gratuity of \$15 USD per person per day for the crew is included with each suite</li> </ul> <p><sup>^</sup>Junior Suites stocked once only, not replenished. Captain's Suite replenished as needed.</p>	<p><del>USD \$49,795.00</del></p> <p>From USD <b>\$39,836.00/pp</b></p> <p><b>Save 20%*</b></p>
<p><b>Balcony Stateroom Category A - Solo</b></p> <p>● Available</p> <p>Deck: 4</p> <p>Stateroom and balcony combined size: 23.07m<sup>2</sup> - 26.77m<sup>2</sup> (248.3ft<sup>2</sup> - 288.2ft<sup>2</sup>)</p> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> King bed</li> <li> Private en-suite</li> <li> Private balcony</li> <li> Full size window</li> <li> Desk area</li> <li> Closet space</li> <li> Room-controlled thermostat</li> <li> Room safe</li> <li> 42" flat-screen TV</li> <li> Mini bar*</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> </ul> <p>*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite</p>	<p>From USD <b>\$38,295.00/pp</b></p>

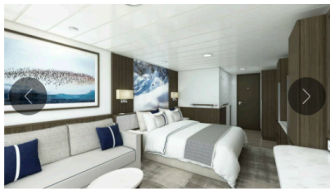
<p><b>Aurora Stateroom Single</b></p> <p>● Only 1 berth left!</p> <p>Deck: <b>3</b></p> <p>Stateroom size: <b>9.85m<sup>2</sup> (106ft<sup>2</sup>)</b></p> 		<p> bar*</p> <p> Twin bed</p> <p> Private en-suite</p> <p> Closet space</p> <p> Room safe</p> <p> Mini bar*</p> <p> Porthole window</p> <p> Room-controlled thermostat</p> <p> 42" flat-screen TV</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> </ul> <p>*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite</p>	<p>From USD <b>\$36,495.00/pp</b></p>
<p><b>Balcony Stateroom Superior</b></p> <p>● Available</p> <p>Deck: <b>4 &amp; 6</b></p> <p>Stateroom and balcony combined size: <b>27.77m<sup>2</sup> - 36.27m<sup>2</sup> (298.9ft<sup>2</sup> - 390.4ft<sup>2</sup>)</b></p> 	 	<p> King bed</p> <p> Private en-suite (wheelchair accessible)</p> <p> Full size window</p> <p> Closet space</p> <p> Room safe</p> <p> Mini bar*</p> <p> Twin beds</p> <p> Private balcony</p> <p> Desk area</p> <p> Room-controlled thermostat</p> <p> 42" flat-screen TV</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)</li> </ul> <p>Some of these rooms are equipped with wheelchair accessible bathrooms.</p> <p>*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite</p>	<p><del>USD \$41,795.00</del></p> <p>From USD <b>\$33,436.00/pp</b></p> <p><b>Save 20%*</b></p>

## Balcony Stateroom Category A

● Available

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
23.07m<sup>2</sup> - 26.77m<sup>2</sup> (248.3ft<sup>2</sup> - 288.2ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds



Private en-suite



Private balcony



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$38,295.00~~

From USD **\$30,636.00/pp**

Save 20%\*

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite

## Balcony Stateroom Category B

● Available

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
22.07m<sup>2</sup> - 24.97m<sup>2</sup> (237.6ft<sup>2</sup> - 268.8ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds



Private en-suite



Private balcony



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$35,595.00~~

From USD **\$28,476.00/pp**

Save 20%\*

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite

## Balcony Stateroom Category C

● Available

Deck: 4 & 6

Stateroom and balcony combined size:  
21.07m<sup>2</sup> - 24.87m<sup>2</sup> (226.8ft<sup>2</sup> - 267.7ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds



Private ensuite



Private balcony



Full size window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$33,795.00~~

From USD **\$27,036.00/pp**

**Save 20%\***

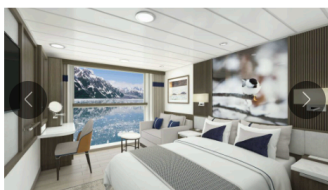
\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite

## Aurora Stateroom Superior

● Available

Deck: 7

Stateroom size: 13.97m<sup>2</sup> - 16.17m<sup>2</sup>  
(150.4ft<sup>2</sup> - 174.1ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds



Private ensuite



French balcony



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

~~USD \$32,895.00~~

From USD **\$26,316.00/pp**

**Save 20%\***

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite

### Aurora Stateroom Twin

● Only 4 berths left!

Deck: 3

Stateroom size: **15.37m<sup>2</sup> - 15.97m<sup>2</sup>**  
(**165.4ft<sup>2</sup> - 171.9ft<sup>2</sup>**)



King bed



Twin beds



Private en-suite



Porthole window



Desk area



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite

~~USD \$31,195.00~~

From USD **\$24,956.00/pp**

Save 20%\*

### Aurora Stateroom Triple

● Available

Deck: 3

Stateroom size: **22.57m<sup>2</sup>** (242.9ft<sup>2</sup>)



King bed



Twin beds



Private en-suite



Porthole window



Closet space



Room-controlled thermostat



Room safe



42" flat-screen TV



Mini bar\*

- 1 x 3-in-1 polar jacket per person (polar voyages only)

\*Please note mini bar items are chargeable in all staterooms except Junior Suite and Captain's Suite

~~USD \$30,295.00~~

From USD **\$24,236.00/pp**

Save 20%\*

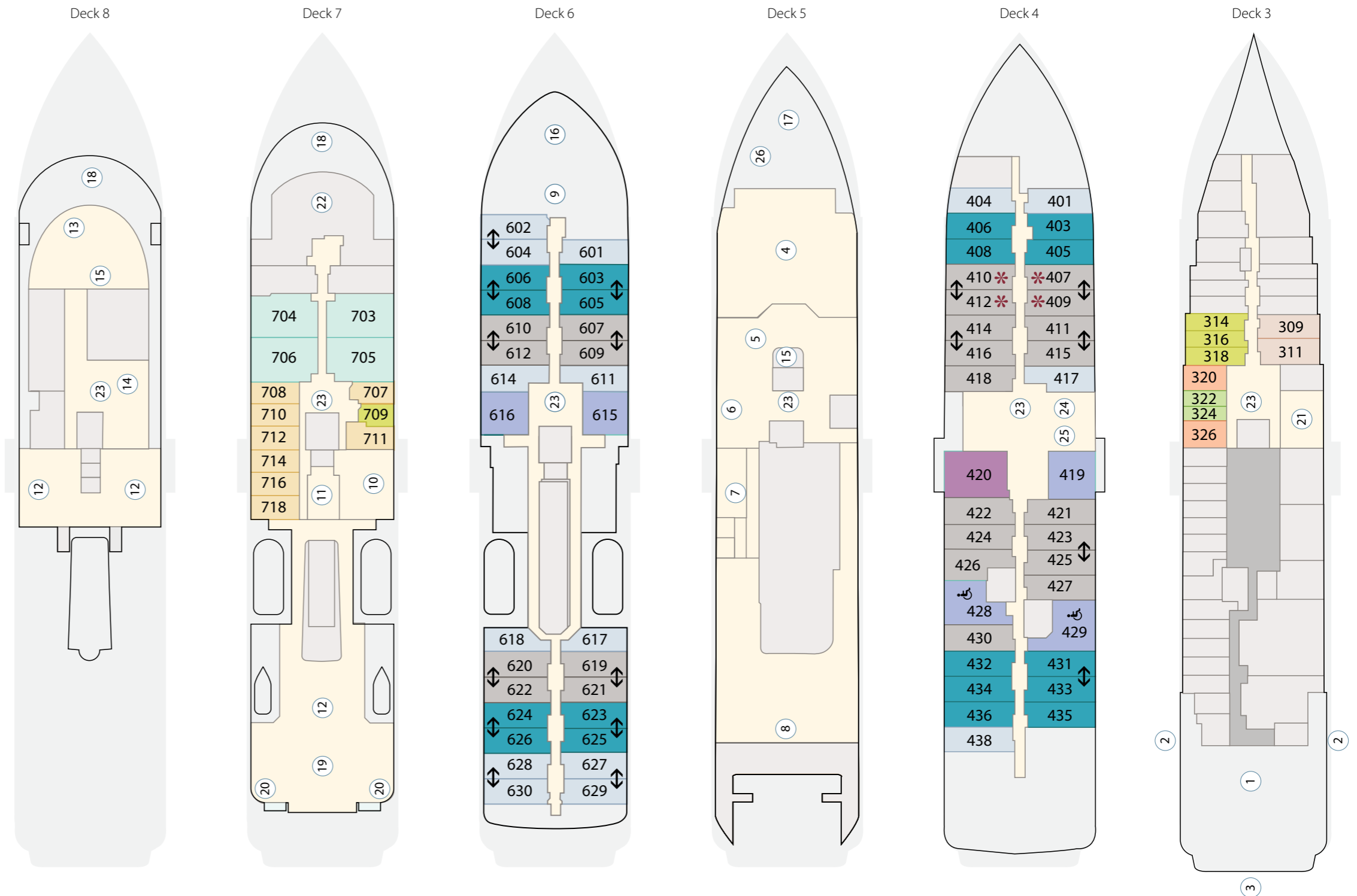
## Ship Features

- ① Change room/mudroom
- ② Zodiac access points
- ③ Activity launching platform
- ④ Lecture room & lounge
- ⑤ Assembly station
- ⑥ Reception
- ⑦ Ship shop
- ⑧ Dining room
- ⑨ Library
- ⑩ Gym
- ⑪ Sauna
- ⑫ Seating area
- ⑬ Observation lounge
- ⑭ Top-deck restaurant
- ⑮ Bar
- ⑯ Upper glass atrium lounge
- ⑰ Lower glass atrium lounge
- ⑱ Swimming pool\* and sun deck
- ⑳ Jacuzzis
- ㉑ Medical clinic
- ㉒ Bridge
- ㉓ Elevator
- ㉔ Main entrance
- ㉕ Expedition desk
- ㉖ Citizen Science centre
- ♿ Disability accessible staterooms

# The *Douglas Mawson*

## Stateroom Category

- |   |  |   |  |
|---|--|---|--|
| <span style="color: #90EE90;">■</span> Aurora Stateroom Single          | <span style="color: #D2B48C;">■</span> Aurora Stateroom Triple   | <span style="color: #008080;">■</span> Balcony Stateroom – B      | <span style="color: #ADD8E6;">■</span> Junior Suite    |
| <span style="color: #FFD700;">■</span> Aurora Stateroom Superior Single | <span style="color: #FFD700;">■</span> Aurora Stateroom Superior | <span style="color: #808080;">■</span> Balcony Stateroom – A      | <span style="color: #800080;">■</span> Captain's Suite |
| <span style="color: #FFA07A;">■</span> Aurora Stateroom Twin            | <span style="color: #ADD8E6;">■</span> Balcony Stateroom – C     | <span style="color: #4169E1;">■</span> Balcony Stateroom Superior |  |



\* Dedicated single staterooms for the Arctic and Global 2026 season.

Deck plan is subject to change.

↔ Connecting staterooms and suites

\*Swimming pool not operational when sailing in open waters. Hours of operation subject to weather conditions.



# POLAR ADVENTURES

Schiffs- und Flug- Expeditionen  
in Arktis und Antarktis

## OFFLINE-KATALOG-ANFORDERUNG

Sehr geehrte Reise-Interessenten. Vielen Dank für Ihr Interesse und den Download eines digitalen Kataloges im PDF-Format.

Gerne senden wir Ihnen zusätzlich bei weitergehendem Interesse die ausgewählten PDF-Inhalte als gedruckte Version auf dem Postweg.

Bitte nennen Sie unten den gewünschten Katalog und senden Sie dieses Formular per Post oder Fax an uns zurück.

Bitte senden Sie mir den aktuellen Katalog für folgendes Schiff/ Tour:

Bitte senden Sie den ausgewählten Katalog an folgende Adresse:

Vorname + Name

Telefonnummer

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
----------------------	----------------------

Strasse + Nr.

Faxnummer

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
----------------------	----------------------

PLZ + Wohnort

e-mail-Adresse

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
----------------------	----------------------

Bitte per Post an:

oder per Fax an 04131-54255

an POLARADVENTURES Schiffs- und Flug-Expeditionen in Arktis und Antarktis Heinrich-Böll-Str. 40 D-21335 Lüneburg
--

# POLAR ADVENTURES

## Schiffs- und Flug- Expeditionen in Arktis und Antarktis

**Unverbindliche Buchungsanfrage per Fax an 04131-54255 oder per Post an  
Polaradventures, Heinrich-Böll-Str. 40, D-21335 Lüneburg, Deutschland**

Bitte unterbreiten Sie mir ein unverbindliches Angebot für folgende Leistungen:

- Veranstalter-Angebot mit Insolvenzversicherung nach deutschem Reiseveranstalterrecht + Preis in EUR  
 Direkt-Angebot der ausländischen Reedereien (ausländ. Reiserecht + Preis in USD zum Tageskurs in EUR)

Schiffsname 

--	--

  
Reisename/ -Route 

--	--

  
Abfahrt von - bis (tt/mm - tt/mm/jj) 

--	--

  
Alternative Abfahrt (tt/mm - tt/mm/jj)  
(falls ausgebucht) 

--	--

Kabinenkategorie 

--	--

  
Alternative Kabinenkategorie  
(falls ausgebucht) 

--	--

- Doppelkabine  Doppelkabine zur Einzelnutzung  Halbe Doppelkabine zur Mitbenutzung

Zubringerflüge:

Abflughafen 

--	--

  
Hinflugdatum (tt/mm/jj) 

--	--

  
Rückflugdatum (tt/mm/jj) 

--	--

  
bevorzugte Airline 

--	--

- Economy-Class  Business-Class

Zusätzliche Hotelübernachtungen:

Hotelname/Übernachtungsort 

--	--

  
Aufenthalt von - bis (tt/mm - tt/mm/jj) 

--	--

  
Hotelname/Übernachtungsort 

--	--

  
Aufenthalt von - bis (tt/mm - tt/mm/jj) 

--	--

Reiseversicherungen:

- keine  
 Reiserücktrittskostenversicherung  
 Komplettschutz (Reiserücktritts-, Kranken-, Unfall-, Gepäck- und Notfallversicherung)

Persönliche Angaben:

1. Reiseteilnehmer  
Vorname, Name / Geburtsdatum 

--	--

  
2. Reiseteilnehmer  
Vorname, Name / Geburtsdatum 

--	--

Angebot bitte:

per Email an (Emailadresse) 

--	--

  
 per Fax an (Nummer) 

--	--

  
 per Post an (Vorname & Name)  
(Straße & Nr.) 

--	--

  
(PLZ & Wohnort) 

--	--

**POLARADVENTURES Schiffs- und Flug-Expeditionen in Arktis und Antarktis**

**Reiseagentur \* Heinrich-Böll-Str. 40 \* D-21335 Lüneburg \* Deutschland**

**Tel +49-4131- 223474 Fax +49-4131-54255 [infos@polaradventures.de](mailto:infos@polaradventures.de) [www.polaradventures.de](http://www.polaradventures.de)**