

Optional 3-Night Timeless Wonders of Vietnam, Cambodia & the Mekong

CME AWAY® Pre-Tour

January 17–20, 2025

Day 1 | January 17, 2025

Hanoi

Once you've cleared customs at Noi Bai International Airport in Hanoi, you'll be greeted by a Uniworld representative who will help you with your luggage and take you to your luxury hotel. After check-in, you may choose to rest at the hotel or go out and explore the city. Your local host will be happy to offer suggestions, but be sure to visit the nearby Kim Lien Pagoda. The 800-year-old temple, whose name means "golden lotus," is considered the most beautiful in Hanoi.

Accommodation: Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi Hotel (or similar)

Day 2 | January 18, 2025

Ha Long Bay, Viet Hai

After enjoying breakfast at your hotel in Hanoi, you'll board a motorcoach that will carry you on a scenic drive to the bay, where you'll be transferred by speed boat to board the luxurious Paradise Grand (or similar) and begin your breathtaking cruise (note that amenities may differ from those of a Uniworld company-owned ship). Precipitous limestone pillars and isles—hundreds of them—rise out of the emerald water of the bay. Settle into your stateroom, then enjoy lunch with a matchless view as you sail among these astonishing formations, the result of eons of tides and rain. Your first stop is Viet Hai village, where you can explore the majestic landscape by going cycling, walking, or hopping in an electric car. We'll even get to experience a fishpond foot massage. Enjoy a delicious BBQ buffet dinner prepared by the boat's chef.

Afterward, relax on deck and enjoy more scenic sailing. (BB, L & D)

Accommodation: Paradise Grand (or similar), Ha Long & Lan Ha Bays

Day 3 | January 19, 2025

Ha Long Bay, Ba Trai Dao Islet

Welcome your second day onboard Paradise Grand (or similar) with a Tai Chi session on the sundeck as the sun rises. You may wish to embark on a brief excursion (about 1 hour) to Ba Trai Dao, or "The Three Peaches." This small and picturesque islet gets its name from the three stone "peaches" perched on a curving sand beach. It also makes for a wonderful spot to swim, so make sure to bring your swimsuit! A lunch will be provided for you to enjoy onboard your day trip boat. (BB, L & D)

Accommodation: Paradise Grand (or similar), Ha Long & Lan Ha Bays

Day 4 | January 20, 2025

Ha Long Bay & Hanoi

Early this morning, participate in Tai Chi on the sundeck and enjoy breakfast prior to your excursion. The karst islands of the bay are dotted with caves. Join an early-morning excursion to one of the most spectacular, the Dark and Bright Lagoon. You will be transported there by locals rowing bamboo boats, or you can kayak at your own pace. This is a poetic and stunning location that acts as an access way to a beautifully tranquil lake, surrounded by walls of stones in different scales and sizes. After your visit, enjoy breakfast back onboard before checking out and transferring by speedboard to the Tuan Chau Marina. You'll disembark and return to Hanoi, where you'll check back into your previous hotel. (BB)



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What's Included

- 1 night at the Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi Hotel (or similar)
- 2 nights on the Paradise Grand (or similar), Ha Long & Lan Ha Bays (note that amenities may differ from those of a Uniworld company-owned ship)
- Breakfast daily, 2 lunches, 2 dinners
- All service charges, taxes, and portorage
- Viet Hai Village visit
- Kayaking the Tay Keo Cave Area
- Dark and Bright Cave visit
- Discover natural lagoons in Lan Ha Bay
- All transfers and transportation

Insurance

When travelling outside Canada, health insurance is required. Contact your travel advisor for more details.

What's NOT Included

- Other airfare and airport taxes
- Gratuities
- Personal expenses such as alcoholic beverages, telephone calls and laundry
- Any other services not mentioned in 'What's Included'

Travel Conditions

As with all foreign travel, you may encounter different living standards and practices and different standards and conditions with respect to the provision of services and accommodations outside of Canada. Sea Courses and Uniworld have carefully planned these arrangements to provide maximum enjoyment for participants.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- This tour is quoted in CAD and includes all taxes and fees.
- The tour is capacity-controlled and **space is Limited. Book early to avoid disappointment.** Sales can be closed at any time.
- Minimum number of participants required to operate.
- Prices subject to change and are only guaranteed with payment.
- Non refundable full payment due at time of booking.
- Cancellations are completely non-refundable.
- Tour order and excursions may be changed or substituted if required.

Prices as of July 4, 2024

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| Double Occupancy in CAD | \$1,998 per person |
| Single Occupancy in CAD | \$3,098 |

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