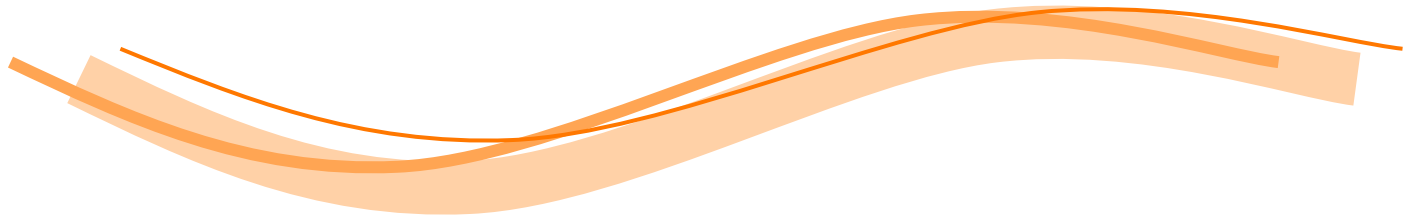




AVALON WATERWAYS





<p>AVALON WATERWAYS</p>	<p>On an Avalon Waterways river cruise, "included" is the name of the game. From spacious outside staterooms with expansive views to Wi-Fi access in your suite. From sparkling wines, regional beers and wines to unlimited lattes and premium coffees. From your choice of enriching shore excursions to VIP access to the must-see sites. It's all included!</p> <p>The on board experience is superb. At every meal, you'll have the ability to choose from a multitude of dining experiences.</p> <p>All meals feature the highest-quality local ingredients, hand crafted by true culinary artisans. And all are included at no extra cost - from casual Bistro style dining to the elegant Main Dining Room. From continental breakfast delivered to your own room to Afternoon Tea.</p> <p>Relax and glide peacefully along Europe's great waterways with 360-degree views of Europe. Avalon Waterways river cruisers offers the most spacious staterooms in Europe with Panorama-style Suite Ships. Most staterooms and suites have a floor-to-ceiling sliding-glass door with a French Balcony that opens right out to the vista before you.</p> <p>One of the joys of river cruising in Europe is that you arrive right in the centre of some of Europe's great cities. Unlike other cruise operators, Avalon Waterway's preplanned discoveries are included at no extra charge. Thanks to the touring experience of sister company Globus, you are privy to the best, all-inclusive land programs available.</p> <p>Plus there is great selection of optional excursions to help you further personalize your cruise. Whether it's a classical music concert in Vienna, a visit to a French winery, time at the colossal Romanian Parliament building in Bucharest, or a guided bicycle tour through town – you decide how much you want to do, and at what pace, at each stop on your journey.</p>
<p>Avalon Brand</p>	<p>Avalon Waterways feature:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Part of the Globus family of brands, Avalon is backed by 80-plus years of travel expertise, more than 200 professional support staff members in Europe, and 37 offices worldwide, an ongoing collaboration to ensure guest satisfaction that continually raises the bar when it comes to small-ship cruising. - Offering the newest, quietest, and most spacious ships, state-of-the-art resort-style amenities, and incomparable service by English-speaking crews, Avalon lets you discover Europe, Asia, and the Galápagos Islands in a world-class way. - Deluxe cruise in an outside stateroom with hotel style beds - Services of a professional Cruise Director

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Onboard lectures, activities & nightly piano music (Europe) - Sightseeing with local guides - Headsets for all guided shore excursions in Europe - Inside visits, including admission charges where applicable - Dedicated website www.avalonwaterways.ca
<p>Travel in Style on the Youngest Fleet</p>	<p>With Avalon Waterways you will sail with the newest ships on the European Waterways, an impressive fleet that averages just two years in age, in fact each year Avalon adds more award winning vessels. Also enjoy modern, luxury cruising onboard the Victoria Anna and Victoria Jenna in China, and the La Pinta and Santa Cruz in the Galápagos Islands</p> <p>These ships all feature elegant interiors with abundant glass, polished metal, and vibrant colors, modern designs with contemporary appointments, state-of-the-art technology, personalized service, fine dining, remarkable amenities, and spacious outside staterooms. Avalon has a 96% traveler satisfaction rating.</p>
<p>Classic Style, Modern Luxury</p>	<p>As experts in travel, Avalon continues to raise the bar when it comes to small-ship cruising. Their fleet of contemporary designed vessels provides the luxury and amenities you desire most in a warmly welcoming and comfortable environment.</p> <p>Whether you're seeking quiet spaces for relaxing, lively common areas for meeting new friends, or a combination of both, Avalon Waterways' well-appointed ships will meet your needs.</p>
<p>Ship Features & Amenities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Elegant polished metal & glass throughout - Revolutionary engineering - Non-smoking interiors - Internet access - Fine dining - Wine included with dinner - Spacious Sky Decks for sunning - Panoramic picture windows for landscape viewing - The largest staterooms on the European waterways today (172 sq.ft.) - the majority of staterooms have floor-to-ceiling-sliding glass doors with French balconies - Hair Salon - Fitness Center - 6-person whirlpool (select vessels) - Lounge & Bar - Complimentary coffee & tea available throughout the day - Elevator (select vessels) <p>Features exclusive to Avalon's European vessel staterooms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Floor-to-ceiling sliding glass doors in most staterooms - French balconies in most staterooms - Flat screen satellite TV & radio - Private bathroom with shower - Comfortable, hotel-style beds - European-style duvets - Egyptian super-combed cotton linens - Large closets - Mini bar, hairdryer & safe - Individual climate control <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outstanding Service & Exceptional Cuisine - The very best land programs - the best local guides - Theme Cruises: Music Theme Cruise on the Magnificent Europe, Wine Theme Cruises on Flavors of

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	<p>Burgundy & Provence, The Legendary Danube, The Blue Danube Discovery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cruising on the great rivers of Europe – Rhine, Main, Moselle, Rhone & Danube Rivers - China's Yangtze River Cruises, Burma's Irrawaddy, Vietnam's Mekong, and Galapagos Islands Cruises
<p>Why River Cruise?</p>	<p>Rivers built the world's most extraordinary cities - not oceans. Imagine floating through the sites and lights of Paris, sailing by windmills and tulips on your way to Amsterdam, or docking in the very heart of eclectic Budapest.</p> <p>Avalon's European itineraries with have you meandering by hilltop castles, Roman ruins, lush vineyards, and quaint medieval villages - as well as stopping in other iconic destinations, like Prague, Zurich, the Cote d'Azur or Burgundy Wine Country.</p> <p>Or, if you're looking for an exotic flavor, take a look at their offerings along China's ancient Yangtze, through South East Asia's mystic Mekong or Irrawaddy, or to the natural wonders of the Galapagos Islands and the mighty Amazon.</p>
<p>Avalon's Suite Ships</p>	<p>Avalon have taken a radically different approach to stateroom design than other cruise lines. They brought innovation, imagination and a relentless desire to create a smart use of space to their one-of-a-kind Panorama Suites. And that means a more comfortable, more relaxing, more enjoyable vacation for you.</p> <p>To help illustrate how much better Avalon staterooms are, compare them to the typical river cruise cabin. Start with the windows. While others put a small window in their wall, Avalon designed a wall made of window. Which gives you a floor-to-ceiling, wall-to-wall view. It's the largest standard window in river cruising. More than 30% larger than the others. And it opens up to some of Europe's most awe-inspiring views. Then there's the smallest details to ensure your views from anywhere in your stateroom are unobstructed. The chairs are low profile enough to not block your view. And the table is designed to slide down all the way when you aren't using it. Small things that make a big difference.</p> <p>When it comes to balconies, other cruise companies have decided that it somehow makes sense to make your room a whole lot smaller, in order to give you a hardly useable outdoor space they call a "balcony." Avalon's Open-Air Balcony allows you to make full use of the balcony experience in any weather condition, in any season, without compromising stateroom space. They pushed your room all the way out to the edge of the ship. Then they made the whole wall a window and gave you a giant seven-foot opening. The result is a space where you can slide the doors wide open, and enjoy the feeling of sitting</p>

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	<p>comfortably "outside" as the amazing views of castles and villages, rolling green hills and ancient cities pass by. This newfound space also allowed Avalon to furnish it with a love seat and chairs, a table where you can enjoy a meal of an evening drink, and enough room for entertaining friends.</p> <p>In the average cabin, the view from the bed never changes. You're looking at the same scene throughout your voyage: the wall. Meanwhile, outside your window, breathtaking views of the European countryside are passing by. Avalon decided to turn the bed so it faces out the giant window. And to do that they angled the wall behind the bed, which had two other benefits: it opened up the stateroom to give you more space, and it opened up the bathroom behind the wall to give you a more spacious and bathroom vanity.</p>
<p>Staterooms</p>	<p>Avalon provide river cruisers the most spacious staterooms in Europe. With their Panorama-style Suite Ships, they are not only offering cruisers award-winning Avalon Deluxe Staterooms, they are also featuring 200-square foot Panorama Suites (30 percent larger than the average stateroom) and 300-square foot Royal Suites, offering cruisers even more room to relax and take in 360-degree views of Europe.</p> <p>Inspired by design, these ships are crafted to entice all five senses. Some enhancements, including deluxe woven carpeting, flowers, premium L'Occitane products and scented sticks in staterooms are subtle. Other offerings, such as Avalon-branded premium bedding (Comfort Collection Beds), marble bathrooms as well as a perfect balance of warm interiors, natural lighting and panoramic views are distinctive and unexpected. Combined, all elements provide travellers with a unique feeling of space, freedom and comfort.</p> <p>Avalon Waterways offers cruisers an exclusive, premium-bedding suite (Comfort Collection Beds) in all staterooms, fleet-wide, in Europe. Comfort Collection Beds provides travellers a choice of pillows as well as orthopedic mattresses, high-comfort mattress covers, European-style duvets, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, extra blankets and bed configuration options.</p> <p>There are other luxury touch-points such as L'Occitane toiletries, quality robes and slippers in each room. They have also designed contemporary staterooms with the most available storage space, and plenty of "comfort touches" like complimentary bottled water and fully stocked mini-bars.</p>

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	<p>Many guests wish to stay in touch with friends, colleagues and family members while away. Avalon has enhanced the technology available to guests on ship. In addition to offering flat-screen televisions with a range of news and entertainment options, Avalon also provides cruisers with FREE Wi-Fi fleet-wide.</p> <p>On any deck, the Avalon Deluxe Stateroom is a spacious refuge of inviting home-away from- home features. The large private bathroom features full shower with glass shower door; deluxe beds with premium mattress covers, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, European-style duvets, and a choice of soft or firm pillows; and ample closet space. And, of course, the never-ending views from the large windows or floor-to-ceiling sliding-glass doors.</p> <p>Avalon Deluxe Staterooms Include: Award-Winning Deluxe Staterooms by Avalon Waterways Comfort Collection Beds Memory foam mattress toppers Egyptian super-combed cotton linens Extra blankets European-style duvets Soft and firm pillows Choice of bed configuration (two twins or one queen) Floor-to-ceiling sliding-glass door with French Balcony (most staterooms & suites) Private bathroom, hairdryer & premium L'Occitane bath products Full shower with glass door Spacious 3-door closets with shelves for ample storage Flat screen satellite TV with movie channels Bathrobes & slippers Well-stocked minibar with complimentary bottled water In-room safe Individual climate control Nightly turn-down service Bedside tables with reading lamps Easy under-bed luggage storage Alarm clock Writing desk Vanity Complimentary Wi-Fi access Direct-dial telephone</p>
<p>Excursions</p>	<p>Avalon's handpicked Cruise Directors and Certified Local Guides in Europe, Asia and South America are the best in the business.</p>

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Avalon's engaging cruise experiences afford travellers the chance to immerse themselves into a destination and culture thanks to award-winning land programs and world-class guides. Naturalists (in the Galápagos), Cruise Directors (in Europe, Southeast Asia and China) and special guest lecturers also offer a vast onboard educational program, giving cruisers the chance to soak in the history and culture of a region as they drift from village to village or island to island.

It's not easy to be an expert on everywhere. Thanks to Avalon's relationship with Globus – an award-winning tour company with more than 85 years of experience and 300 support staff on the ground in 65 countries around the world — cruisers are privy to the best, all-inclusive land programs available.

Their aim is to transform tourists into travellers and storytellers and help them truly experience each destination with guided sightseeing in every port (complete with headsets), daily port lectures, VIP access into key destinations, no waiting in lines and great cultural immersion and storytelling thanks to highly skilled Cruise and Tour Directors.

Avalon is also encouraging cruisers to drive their personal enrichment by experiencing ports on two wheels - from the seat of a bicycle. Avalon have partnered with bicycle tour specialists in Amsterdam, Lyon, Durnstein, Vienna, and Breisach for optional, guided excursions.

Avalon select the very best guides—professionals who are certified locally in each destination and selected by the Globus family of brands. These Certified Local Guides are recognized for their expertise, enthusiasm, and knowledge of the area. They will lead you on engaging, included sightseeing tours, delivering genuine, behind-the-scenes destination experiences. You'll even benefit from the use of personal headsets for sightseeing, which gives you the freedom to roam through some of Europe's most famous attractions without missing a moment of fascinating commentary.

Avalon offers a great selection of optional shore excursions to help you further personalize your cruise. Whether it's a classical music concert in Vienna, a visit to a French winery, time at the colossal Romanian Parliament building in Bucharest, or a guided bicycle tour through town, selecting and paying for your optional shore excursions before your cruise is easy. Just go to www.AvalonWaterways.ca/MyAvalon .

Sightseeing should never be a one-size-fits-all proposition. Travellers like to see the sights in different ways, so they have three sightseeing

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	<p>pace options to choose from:</p> <p>Leisurely Sightseeing A Certified Local Guide shows you the destination's highlights in a relaxed and unhurried way.</p> <p>Traditional Sightseeing Led by a Certified Local Guide, you'll explore a wide range of sights at a moderate pace.</p> <p>Independent Sightseeing This allows you to explore on your own...see just what you want and at your own pace.</p>
<p>Dining</p>	<p>Dinners become the perfect complement to a day of discovery. Avalon use high-quality, prime-cut beef, fresh fish, and an accompaniment of hand-picked local fruits, vegetables, and garden greens.</p> <p>The perfect complement to your day's journey is a choice of regional fare. Every dinner features a specialty dish from your destination as well as a choice of wine, including a special wine of the region, selected by a professional sommelier and always complimentary.</p> <p>And aboard Avalon's Suite Ships, you can take advantage of the new Panorama Bistro - a casual atmosphere offering a variety of regional and tapas-style dishes, hand-paired with local wines.</p> <p>Lunches are a reason to return to the ship. Enjoy hand carved meats and expansive buffets including fresh salads and amazing homemade soups. And enjoy a sunny day and lunch with a view courtesy of the Sky Bistro, featuring grilled meats and local favorites.</p> <p>Start your day with our extensive breakfast buffet: choose a made-to-order omelette, fresh fruit, or among an assortment of just-baked breads. Or try the daily breakfast special. Up early or sleeping in? No problem. The Early and Late Riser Continental breakfast ensure you're off to a great start.</p>
<p>Onboard Entertainment</p>	<p>With Avalon, your onboard ship experience is as lively and captivating as your time on shore! Get behind the scenes as you tour the Galley and Bridge. Join new friends for special events or movie nights. Attend Local Favorites activities—like beer and wine tastings, demonstrations by local artisans, and talks by local experts about the areas through which you're travelling. Avalon even bring local entertainers on board so that you can gain a full appreciation for the region and its culture.</p>

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<p>Ship Amenities</p>	<p>Sky Deck with shade system, premium lounge chairs & whirlpool Complimentary Wi-Fi access Internet Corner Self-serve beverage station with complimentary tea, hot chocolate & premium coffees Lounges and upscale bar serving premium spirits Fitness Centre Well-stocked library Hair salon Spacious, open-seating dining room Sky Deck whirlpool Non-smoking interior</p>
<p>River Cruising in Asia</p>	<p>A journey with Avalon Waterways along the legendary rivers of Asia is an unforgettable fusion of distinctive sights, colourful cultures, and ancient traditions. Avalon focus on intimate experiences with exceptional personalized service on their new Suite Ships in Southeast Asia and their Small-Group Discoveries in China. With a maximum of 36 and 20 passengers respectively, they get you closer to the must-see sights and deliver a more enriching experience with Local Favorites, designed to introduce you to the unique stories and people in each destination. An expert Cruise Director and carefully selected Certified Local Guides accompany you throughout your adventure, ensuring no detail is overlooked. There are three regions to choose from: - Mekong River Cruises - Irrawaddy River Cruises - Yangtze River Cruises</p>
<p>Connect</p>	<p>Website: www.avalonwaterways.ca Telephone: 1-800-268-3636 Connect with Avalon Waterways on facebook: https://www.facebook.com/AvalonWaterways</p>
<p>Personal Recommendation</p>	<p>I have personally enjoyed a cruise with Avalon – see my travel blog at: http://www.chrisrobinsontravelshow.ca/Blog/tabid/400/EntryId/40/River-Cruising-on-the-Danube.aspx</p>

<p>GLOBUS & AVALON</p>	<p>The Globus family of brands comprises Globus, Cosmos, Avalon Waterways and Monograms. Each of these companies brings its own twist to escorted travel – and together they are backed by the huge scope and strength of the Globus organization. In business for over 85 years, with 32 offices around the world, offering</p>
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	<p>you over 400 itineraries in over 70 countries – this is a giant of the tourism world. It is a company with vast experience, huge resources on the ground and everything in place to make your Globus journey special.</p> <p>Globus seeks to achieve just the right balance of included features and free time, and along the way, tell the stories that bring your destination to life. It all comes together to give you the feeling of being a true local – not just a visitor.</p> <p>Globus can take care of every aspect of your travel – flights, pre and post tour stop overs, plus an unmatched choice of destinations and touring styles. Globus and Cosmos offer you escorted tours. Avalon Waterways has 15 beautiful river cruise vessels in Europe. And Monograms offers 143 world-wide independent packages that cover all the details for you, including hotels and transportation.</p> <p>Whether you have a Globus or Cosmos Tour Director or an Avalon Waterways Cruise Director – you will be in good hands with a knowledgeable guide travelling with you every step of the way. On average Globus Tours Directors have 23 years’ experience and speak four languages. And even though you are travelling independently with Monograms - your Monograms Local Host is a friend in every city. Website: www.GlobusFamily.ca</p>
<p>Globus</p>	<p>Globus offers more than 225 guided vacations to more than 70 countries on six continents. There are a variety of travel styles (from small group to multi-country tours) plus specialty travel options including Cruise & Tour, Family Travel, Religious Vacations, and more.</p> <p>A dynamic blend of transportation includes deluxe motorcoach, rail, air, and cruise – Globus makes getting there part of the fun! Did you know the average number of people on a Globus motor coach is 36? You don’t have to worry about driving, baggage handling, hotel reservations and the like – you are free to enjoy your journey to the fullest.</p> <p>You will stay in hotels that are First-class and above, selected to be central locations, right where you want to be. Many great meals are also included in the package price – plus you have the freedom to experience the local fare as you wish. In this, as in all aspects of your tour, Globus strives for the ideal combination of free time and planned activities.</p> <p>You won’t waste your precious time in line – Globus VIP access means</p>

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	<p>no waiting to see the major sites. Visits which are enhanced by your Tour Director and local guides, and which, incidentally, are included in the cost of your tour.</p> <p>Thanks to more than 85 years' experience showing people the world, Globus is the most recognized Tour Operator in the industry and recommended by Travel Weekly, Recommend magazine, and Travel Age West. The 97% satisfaction rating amongst Globus customers in post-vacation surveys says it all.</p>
Monograms	<p>If you are looking for “assisted” rather than “directed” travel -- if you want independent travel without the hassle of having to make every little arrangement for yourself -- if you want to have a Local Host to point you to the places that only the locals know: you want to travel with Monograms.</p> <p>At its core, a Monograms vacation is a single city or multi-city travel package. Monograms has taken the world's most incredible regions, done all the work to find the must-see destinations within them - and put together amazing itineraries for you to choose from.</p> <p>Monograms can take you to Europe, South and Central America, the USA, Canada, Asia, Africa, Australia and New Zealand. From Paris to Peru. From Cambodia to Costa Rica. From Alaska to Alice Springs. From Botswana to Brazil. And from Quebec to Queensland.</p> <p>Monograms knows the hotels with the best views, the hotels closest to ancient history - even the hotels with the crispest sheets and the tastiest mints. Most packages give you a choice of carefully screened and selected hotels, right in the heart of your destination.</p> <p>Monograms isn't part of the Globus family for nothing. Not only will they help you arrange the world's greatest travel experiences, you can also benefit from VIP access - minimizing lines and wait times. Uniquely with a Monograms vacation, your Local Host is also there to help you - a friendly, knowledgeable insider in each destination to offer hints and recommendations, steer you off the beaten path, and help you maximize every moment of your time.</p> <p>And it doesn't stop there! Monograms will get you from Point A to Point B. Whether it's flight arrangements, transfers from the airport to your hotel, sightseeing, or travelling between cities, they take care of your transportation needs and can include it in your package price.</p> <p>So you focus on having fun on vacation - while Monograms leverage</p>

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	<p>the Globus network and experience to make all the arrangements for you. It doesn't get more seamless than that for an independent traveller!</p>
Key Points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Globus has been in business for over 80 years • Globus offers more than 150 unique vacation itineraries throughout 74 different countries • Globus has perfected their itineraries so that you enjoy a smooth, hassle-free vacation with unrivaled consistence, quality and value. • With Globus you get high quality, low price and an abundance of included features all adding up to exceptional value! • Globus directors weave together insightful anecdotes, little-known secrets and hands-on experiences to ensure that every journey tells a story. • For more information or to book a Globus vacation, contact or visit your preferred travel agent.
History	<p>More than 80 years ago, Antonio Mantegazza bought a rowboat to transport commercial goods across Lake Lugano in Switzerland. Who would have known that rowboat would launch the world's leading guided travel company?</p> <p>Antonio's frequent trips across the scenic lake led him to consider opportunities in a different market: tourism. His entrepreneurial instinct pushed him to gradually acquire some motor coaches to transport tourists around the Lake Lugano area.</p> <p>In 1928, Antonio opened a company specializing in motor coach touring called Globus Viaggi. The company began with a fleet of 12 coaches which operated local excursions for European tourists in Switzerland. By 1950, Globus Viaggi had grown to a fleet of 33 coaches and featured overnight excursions to Rome, Venice, the Dolomites and the French Riviera.</p> <p>For 80 years, the Globus family of brands has been providing a variety of products that address the needs of today's diverse traveler. Whether it's a fully escorted, premium, independent, or river cruise vacation, with Globus family of brands you will get unmatched value and world-class customer service with every journey.</p> <p>Today, the Globus family of companies consists of more than 30 tourism and aviation businesses, serviced by a group of more than 5,000 professionals worldwide.</p> <p>Combined, Globus and Cosmos carry about 500,000 passengers a year making the company the leading operator of guided vacations worldwide.</p>
Why Globus?	<p>With Globus, you'll always visit the key sights - the Sistine Chapel, the Colosseum and the Forum in Rome, the Prado Museum in Madrid, Michelangelos's David in the Academy of Fine Arts in Florence, and many others. You'll enjoy many more inclusions like cruises, high-speed trains, local guides, and in Italy's main cities, headsets for clear</p>

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	<p>commentary. They offer twice the number of included features as many competitors, without any additional cost to you. Look for the complete list of their special included features on each tour page in their brochure. Globus not only brings you experience that others simply don't offer, they also ensure that you end up with more time to enjoy the rest of your destination. Most competitors require you to take extra optional excursions to see these important sights, costing you additional time and money. And if you don't join their excursion, you'll spend most of your time waiting in line. But with Globus, these sights are already included, freeing up the remainder of your time for exactly what you'd like to see.</p>
<p>Hotels with Globus</p>	<p>Globus understand the importance of hotel quality to your vacation. That's why, unlike most competitors, Globus hotels are First Class and above. And they stand behind their ratings, as confirmed by the hotel & travel Index or national tourist board. For reference they have included hotel rating totals for each vacation in their brochure.</p> <p>The hotels selected are chosen not only for the superior quality but also for their convenient location, and their volume buying power worldwide means unparalleled value for you. For example, all hotels listed on the Monograms Independent Vacations and Leisurestyle vacations are located in the heart of your destination, so you're close to what you want to see. On the Castle villa stays they have special accommodations that are destinations in their own right. You'll be treated like royalty at unbeatable value.</p>
<p>Tour Directors</p>	<p>One of the greatest advantages of travelling with Globus is your Tour Director. Never underestimate the importance of experience. On average, each of their several hundred European Tour Directors has completed more than fourteen seasons on the road, successfully conducting an average of nearly 140 vacations.</p> <p>Globus Tour Directors are experts who have honed the art of taking you inside a destination, so you can rest assured that you're seeing the sights like a local.</p> <p>When you're been travelling as long as they have, you have operations down to an art form. They have spent more than 75 years refining itineraries and procedures and their Swiss Heritage ensures that your trip is trouble free to the last detail. With over 30 offices around the world, they have support when and where you need it, under any circumstances.</p>
<p>Globus Value</p>	<p>Globus includes all the main features of a destination without extra cost. Their volume buying power saves you money. In fact, a whole day of touring with Globus generally costs what you'd pay for just a hotel alone if you plan the trip on your own. Yet they also provide a Tour director, a great variety of transportation, many meals, a rich sightseeing program and much more. Here's a few more value-added items:</p>

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	<p>Free airport transfers: book your scheduled transatlantic flight with Globus and benefit from free transfers</p> <p>Low Air-fares: compare their competitive air-inclusive prices, and business class is also available.</p> <p>Discounts abound: group reduction, child reduction, triple room reduction, multiple tour reduction.</p> <p>Globus has fifty hosts in London alone to assist you at the airports and hotels</p> <p>Professional Tour director while touring, cruise director on River Cruises, local hosts for Monograms</p> <p>Hotels listed on tour page. Twin-bedded rooms with private bath and shower, hotel taxes service charges, and tips for baggage handling</p> <p>Private Deluxe motor coach with air-conditioning, extra leg room, and emergency washroom while touring</p> <p>All tours London- Paris/Brussels & Paris/Brussels-London travel are on the Eurostar</p> <p>Globus travel bag and travel documents; Monograms wallet and travel documents</p> <p>Headsets included for sightseeing with local guide in Rome, Florence, Venice and Pompeii</p>
<p>Journeys Club</p>	<p>Journeys Club is an exclusive fellowship created for past Globus passengers. It invites you to share your passion for travel with a group of like-minded, experienced Globus globetrotters.</p> <p>Benefits include: Exclusive journeys with upgrades, extras amenities and welcome gifts Member-only discounts, Insider information regarding new, upcoming Globus vacations, Quarterly newsletters and E-mail updates with Journeys Club information and promotions, Journeys Club travel merchandise and Travel & destination tips and articles</p>
<p>Children</p>	<p>An adult must accompany travelers who are less than 18 years old on the tour departure date; the child receives a 10% discount on the land tour price. Children under the age of 8 are not allowed on escorted tours, because they are considered too young to enjoy these vacations.</p>

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<p>Globus Brand “Every journey tells a story”</p>	<p>The Globus brand provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - More selection, more included features, more leisure time, more superior hotels - More once-in-a-lifetime opportunities - More Experience – their story began over 80 years ago and ever since they’ve been refining their itineraries and procedures to ensure that clients get the most out of their vacation. - Many Globus vacations include a welcome dinner to introduce one to the cuisine of the region being visited. - More Great Ways to Travel - to give you even more vacation options, many Globus & Monograms Independent Vacations are combinable with River Cruises or with Monograms (on selected departures) - No other Tour Operator offers as many means of included transportation as Globus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All high-speed trains in Europe - Vignette vacations feature at least one train as a mode of transportation from city to city, so getting there is part of the adventure - The newest fleet of deluxe river cruise ships on the main European rivers, the Nile, and Portugal’s Douro River - Sea cruises in the Mediterranean and the northern seas (including Hurtigruten cruises) - Globus offers many vacations for the wine connoisseur - In Oporto enjoy a wine tasting in a Port wine cellar, or at Tuscany’s Verrazzano Castle, learn about the fine art of making Chianti.
<p>Globus Awards</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - “Best Tour Operator to Europe” Travel Weekly’s Reader’s Choice Awards three times in recent years - “Best Tour Operator to Europe” TravelAge West magazine - “Top Tour Operator to Europe” Recommend magazine
<p>Globus Discounts</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discount for young travelers: 10% off land arrangements - Pay less for your second and subsequent vacations: \$70 off subsequent Globus vacations - Discounts available for group travel, young travelers, and triple rooms.
<p>The Cosmos Brand “Turning travel dreams into reality”</p>	<p>Cosmos tours features:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - For more than four decades Cosmos has offered savvy, value-minded travelers the most affordable travel packages to the world’s most fascinating places - places like the snow-capped peaks of Switzerland, sunny Spain, the ancient splendor of Greece and Egypt, festive France, and the beautiful British Isles. - For as little as \$75 per day, you can enjoy the benefits of escorted travel, a greater choice of activities, plenty of free time to explore your destination the way you want, and longer stays in key cities so that you can truly immerse yourself in the local culture. So you could be on your way to the vacation experience of a lifetime.

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	<p>Cosmos offers three Vacation Styles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Regional Discoveries – Focus on a one specific region, in depth packages. - Panoramas – Multi-country packages, absolutely the best way to get an overview of Europe - Escapes – Vacations of 9 days or less <p>Stretch Your Vacation Dollar:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Value-packed vacations at down to earth prices - They make it easy for singles to travel - they accept reservations on a “guaranteed share” basis - Discount for young travelers: 10% off land arrangements - Pay less for your second and subsequent vacations: \$50 off subsequent Cosmos vacations <p>Fascinating Sightseeing & Plenty of Leisure Time Discover the best ways to see Europe – train rides, cable car ascents, Aegean cruise ships, scenic day ferries, walking tours with local guides, private first class motor-coaches.</p> <p>Cosmos Vacations offer flexibility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Joining late and leaving early options with various reductions - A professional team takes care of you in London - Extra nights - Many meals are included in the vacation price - Cosmos takes care of your hotels, which are superior tour class & tourist- class, however we also feature some first-class hotels.
<p>Monograms “Get more vacation from your vacation”</p>	<p>Monograms is a new way to travel independently:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monograms is independent travel without the hassles that typically come with “ordinary” independent travel. With Monograms you never have to worry about whether or not your hotel will have your reservation, how to get from here to there, or where to go once you get to your destination. - Monograms is ideal for vacationers who want the freedom of independent travel but who prefer the convenience of a package that takes care of all the details, such as reserving hotels, air arrangements, airport transfers, and even guidance at your destination. - Unlike ordinary independent travel where all the details are left for you to plan, Monograms packages remove the logistical guesswork. They pre-select hotels for you in the heart of your destination and provide you with the services of a local host or service on call. - In Europe, South America, Asia, and the South Pacific their local hosts provide area expertise and insider information, and are available to help

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answer questions, arrange excursions and city sightseeing, give directions, and direct you to the activities that interest you most for a truly personal, one-of-a-kind vacation.

- In North America, Monograms provide you with Service On Call, a toll-free helpline to assist with anything you need throughout your journey—24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- **Hotels:** Monograms' carefully selected hotels provide the comfort and convenient locations you desire.
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- Flexibility: Monograms vacations deliver ultimate flexibility, so you can travel when you want and at your own pace. Vacation packages vary in length and offer frequent departures, in some cases daily departures, to fit your busy schedule.
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- Services of a Local Host • City map (s) - • Centrally located hotels • Transportation between cities • Guided sightseeing • Ability to add flights to your package • Breakfast daily • Airport transfers when you purchase air from them
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- **Hawaii Island Getaways:** relax and experience Hawaii's most popular

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	<p>sights and hidden treasures at your own pace. The following is included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service On Call helpline • Rental car (if needed) • Conveniently located hotels • Hawaii map • Sightseeing • Ability to add flights to your package <p>- On The Road Driving Vacations: experience the spectacular landscapes that connect North America’s most popular destinations. The following is included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service On Call helpline • Detailed driving directions, mileage, and maps • Conveniently located hotels • Information about attractions • Rental Car (if needed) • Ability to add flights to your package <p>Your Monograms South America, China & Asia, and South Pacific vacation include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services of a Local Host • City maps • Centrally located hotels • Transportation between cities • Guided sightseeing • Ability to add flights to your package • Breakfast daily • Airport transfers when you purchase flights
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