JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY
presents
LEGENDARY TURKEY
FROM ISTANBUL TO THE TURQUOISE COAST

15 days from $4,195 — air, land & cruise inclusive

June 5-19, 2012
An Exclusive Small Group Tour for Alumni & Friends of Johns Hopkins University

This tour is provided by Odysseys Unlimited, five-time honoree Travel & Leisure’s World's Best Tour Operators award.
Dear JHU Alumni and Friends,

On this 15-day tour to Turkey and its magnificent Turquoise Coast, you’ll explore this vast country where Europe and Asia—past and present—meet to form the "cradle of civilization." Accompanied by a seasoned Turkish tour director, you’ll visit remote villages, explore fascinating archaeological sites, and cruise the Turquoise Coast in a privately chartered yacht.

The odyssey begins in Istanbul with its many treasures: the legendary Blue Mosque, Topkapi Palace and the 6th-century Hagia Sofia. Then travel south to explore the World War I battlefield of Gallipoli, the fabled ruins of ancient Troy, the Greco-Roman ruins at Pergamum, and spectacular Ephesus, the world’s best-preserved classical city. The heart of the journey takes place on the sea during a four-night private cruise aboard beautifully-crafted replicas of traditional Turkish fishing boats. Today’s gulet tours are built with modern comforts in mind and include individual cabins with private bath. With your own cook and crew, cruise in and out of pristine coves along the renowned Turquoise Coast and disembark occasionally for a tour of old ruins, an island hike, or an Aegean swim. The tour concludes with three nights in the seaside resort town of Antalya.

An optional 5-day/4-night post-tour extension to Cappadocia and Ankara is also available.

This tour is limited to a maximum of 28 Johns Hopkins University alumni and friends and space is sure to fill quickly. We invite you to reserve now for this wonderful opportunity to experience legendary Turkey!

Sincerely,

Marguerite I. Jones, A&S ’74, Bus ’88
Travel Program Director
Office of Alumni Relations
The Johns Hopkins University

JHU RESERVATION FORM: LEGENDARY TURKEY

Enclosed is my/our deposit for $______($500 per person) for ____ person/people on Legendary Turkey departing June 5, 2012. I/we understand the final payment is due at least 95 days prior to departure. Payment may be made by American Express, Discover, MasterCard, or VISA or by personal check. Please make deposit check payable to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. and mail check (along with completed registration form) to: Odysseys Unlimited, Attn: Special Interest Groups, Two Newton Place, 255 Washington Street, Suite 240, Newton MA 02458. Or call Odysseys Unlimited toll-free at 888-370-6765, or fax reservation to 617-454-9199. For Johns Hopkins related questions, please call 800-548-5481 or 410-516-0363.

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Please book my/our air from ______________________________ I/we request a Business Class upgrade q
I will share a room with ______________________________ I request a single room (limited availability) q

Post-Tour Cappadocia & Ankara Extension: Please sign me/us up q Email _________________________________

Please Note: The undersigned has read the schedule of activities for Legendary Turkey, June 5-19, 2012, and agrees that their signature below represents their acceptance of the General Terms & Conditions.

Signature(s) __________________________________________________________________________ Date __________

Method of Payment

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At least one member of the travelling party must make a sustaining financial contribution of $50 or more to the Johns Hopkins Alumni Association within the fiscal year. Please visit alumni.jhu.edu/support.

Note: A small portion of the cost of your trip supports the Johns Hopkins Alumni Travel Program.
LEGENDARY TURKEY
FROM ISTANBUL TO THE TURQUOISE COAST

15 days from $4,195 — air, land & cruise inclusive

Exotic sights, scents, and sounds reign in this fascinating land where Europe and Asia meet. From Istanbul, magnificent “Empress of the World,” to ancient ruins, stunning landscapes, and the dramatic Turquoise Coast where we board a privately chartered yacht for a distinctive four-day voyage, Turkey engages and beguiles, offering us an unparalleled small group travel experience.

Day 1: Depart U.S. for Istanbul, Turkey

Day 2: Arrive Istanbul

We arrive in Turkey’s cultural and spiritual heart today and transfer to our hotel located near Taksim Square, the heart of modern Istanbul. As guests’ arrival times may vary greatly, we have no group activities or meals planned; on our own we can explore the area surrounding our hotel or simply relax. Dinner tonight is on our own.

Day 3: Istanbul

We taste Istanbul’s allure on a tour that begins at the vast Grand Bazaar, housing 4,000 shops selling goods of all kinds; and the Spice Market, with exotic spices, nuts, and dried fruits from around the world. Then we take a private cruise on the Bosphorus, the waterway that separates Europe from Asia. We stop in the village of Ortakoy, known for its trendy art scene, cafés, and boutiques. There’s time to explore and have lunch on our own before we return to our hotel mid-afternoon. This evening we take a short walk to a local restaurant for a welcome dinner of traditional Turkish fare. B,D

Day 4: Istanbul

Today we encounter Old Istanbul, beginning with the ancient Roman Hippodrome, the 3,500-year-old obelisk brought from Egypt in 390 CE. We continue on to the renowned Museum of Turkish & Islamic Art, housing priceless artifacts from the 8th–20th centuries. Next we visit the Blue Mosque, with its 20,000 blue Iznik tiles and signature six minarets; and Hagia Sofia, the 6th-century Byzantine monastery on Gemiler Island. Ancient sites of Perge, Aspendos, Myra … Three-night stay in Mediterranean resort of Antalya.

Day 5: Assos/Troy


Day 6: Izmir


Day 7: Antalya


Day 8: Antalya


Day 9: Antalya


Day 10: Antalya


Day 11: Antalya


Day 12: Antalya


Day 13: Antalya


Day 14: Antalya


Day 15: Depart Antalya for U.S.

Your Small Group Tour Highlights

Exotic Istanbul, including Blue Mosque, Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sofia … Private Bosphorus cruise … WWI battlefield of Gallipoli … Ruins at ancient Troy, Pergamum, Ephesus … Rustic village of Sirince … Four-night “Blue Voyage” aboard privately chartered gulet yacht … Cruising to secluded coves and hidden sites that few visitors see … Opportunities for hiking … Sunken Baths of Cleopatra … 6th-century Byzantine monastery on Gemiler Island … Ancient sites of Perge, Aspendos, Myra … Three-night stay in Mediterranean resort of Antalya.

Day 1 Itinerary

Hotel Rating
1 Depart U.S. for Istanbul

2–4 Istanbul Central Palace Sup. First Class

5 Assos/Troy Nazlihan Hotel Not rated

6–7 Izmir Swissotel Grand Eles Deluxe

8–11 Antalya Gulet yacht Not rated

12–14 Antalya Rixos Antalya Downtown Deluxe

15 Depart Antalya for U.S.

Ratings are based on the Hotel & Travel Index, the travel industry standard reference. Unrated hotels may be too small, too new, or too remote to be listed.

Cover photo: We spend four days aboard our privately chartered gulets on the stunning Turquoise Coast.
Day 5: Istanbul/Gallipoli/Troy/Assos
Leaving Istanbul this morning, we travel to the northern Aegean Coast for a brief visit to Gallipoli, haunting site of 31 Allied cemeteries from World War I. Then we ferry across the Dardanelles to Troy, whose present site was discovered in the 1870s. After touring here we continue south to Behramkale, ancient Assos, where we spend the night. *B,L,D*

Day 6: Assos/Pergamum/Izmir
Today we explore one of Turkey’s most spectacular ancient sites: windswept Pergamum, a major power in the 3rd and 2nd centuries BC, with a wealth of Hellenistic ruins. Then we continue on to Izmir. *B,L,D*

Day 7: Izmir/Ephesus
Few ancient sites compare to Ephesus, which we explore today. Dating to at least 1300 BCE, Ephesus was Asia Minor’s largest metropolis and principal port. We also visit the acclaimed Ephesus Archaeological Museum then enjoy lunch in the rustic village of Sirince. *B,L*

Day 8: Izmir/Göcek
Today we journey south to coastal Göcek, stopping along the way at a carpet factory to watch a demonstration of this age-old craft. In the late afternoon we reach Göcek and board our gulets for our first night on board. *B,L,D*

Day 9: Cruising – Aga Limani/Cleopatra Baths
We begin our “Blue Voyage” this morning as we cruise to the hidden cove of Aga Limani. From here we have the option of taking a three-hour hike to the Greco-Roman ruins at Lydea, ending at the Sunken Baths of Cleopatra. Set in a breathtaking inlet, the Baths offer crystal-clear waters for swimming and snorkeling. Those who prefer a less strenuous day can stay aboard the gulets as they sail to the Sunken Baths. *B,L,D*

Day 10: Cruising – Ekincik Cove/Dalyan
This morning we disembark and drive to Dalyan, an environmentally protected area known for its loggerhead sea turtles. Here we board a small skiff for a trip through a maze of channels; high on the hills above we see well-preserved ancient Lycian rock tombs. After lunch we drive back to our gulets for a relaxing afternoon in this stunning setting. *B,L,D*

Day 11: Cruising – Gemiler Island/Kayakoy
Today we cruise to Gemiler Island to tour its 6th-century Byzantine monastery. After lunch we drive to the Greek “ghost town” of Kayakoy. We explore the town and its churches then return to our gulets for our last night on board. *B,L,D*

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**Post-Tour Extension: June 19-23, 2012**

**CAPPADOCIA & ANKARA**

5 days/4 nights for $895
Single Supplement: $195

*We explore the bizarre rock formations and underground cities of Cappadocia and the Goreme Valley, and also tour Ankara, Turkey’s capital.*

**Your Tour Price Includes**

- 4 nights accommodations: 3 nights in Cappadocia at Uchisar Kaya Hotel (First Class); 1 night in Ankara at Hilton Ankara (Deluxe)
- 11 meals: 4 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 4 dinners
- Extensive included sightseeing
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation
- Gratuities for dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

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The spectacular ruins at Ephesus, which we visit on Day 7.
Day 12: Fethiye/Demre/Myra/Antalya
This morning we have a short cruise to Fethiye, disembark, bid farewell to our crew, and begin the drive to Antalya. Along the way we visit Demre to tour the striking Roman ruins at nearby Myra and visit the 12th-century Church of Saint Nicholas. After lunch in Demre we continue the drive along the Turquoise Coast to the resort town of Antalya. B,L,D

Day 13: Antalya
On this morning’s walking tour, we encounter highlights of Antalya’s charming Old Town, including the extravagantly carved Hadrian’s Gate and the lovely Yivli Minare (fluted minaret). After a visit to the Archaeological Museum, the remainder of the day is at leisure. B

Day 14: Antalya/Perge/Aspendos
This morning we visit the ruins at ancient Perge, which reached its apex during the reign of Alexander the Great. We continue on to Aspendos, whose huge theater is considered among the best preserved in all of antiquity. This afternoon is at leisure before we gather for a farewell dinner this evening. B,D

Day 15: Depart for U.S.
We board an early flight to return to the United States. B

Our Private Turkish Gulets

Indoor & outdoor public areas

Crew: 4
Passenger Capacity: 14
Avg. Length: 85 ft
Avg. Width: 21 ft

This tour includes a four-night cruise aboard privately chartered gulet yachts. Gulets are teakwood with a broad sun deck plus both indoor and outdoor dining areas. Cabins are small but comfortable, each with private facilities.

Your Tour Price Includes

Round-trip air transportation from listed cities
13 nights’ accommodations: 9 nights in Deluxe, Superior First Class, and unrated hotels; 4 nights aboard privately chartered gulet yacht
31 meals: 13 breakfasts, 9 lunches, 9 dinners
Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
Private motorcoach transportation throughout your trip
Luggage handling for one bag per person
Gratuities for dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

Minarets tower in the Istanbul sky during sunset.

Tour Departs: June 5, 2012

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Please call if your city is not listed. Prices are per person based on double occupancy. Single travelers please add $995. All prices above are guaranteed.

Business Class upgrade on round-trip Trans-Atlantic flight: $4,995 per person in addition to the costs above (upgrade is subject to availability and pricing is subject to change).

Airline taxes and departure fees of $397 per person will be listed separately on your invoice, and are subject to change.

Please note: This trip involves considerable walking on uneven or cobblestone streets and at sites of ancient ruins. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to its fullest.

For reservations and information, please call Odysseys Unlimited toll-free at 888-370-6765
Monday-Friday, 9:00AM-7:00PM, Eastern Time

Or call the Johns Hopkins Alumni Office at 800-548-5481
GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please read this information carefully, as payment of a $500 deposit per person represents your acceptance of the following Terms and Conditions.

Not included in tour price
Airfare when purchasing a land only package; costs of passports and visas; airport, port, cruise and departure taxes, which will be listed as separate items on your invoice and are subject to change; personal expenses such as beverages, laundry, room service, and meals not specified; airline baggage fees; airport transfers when purchasing a land-only package; communication charges; gratuities to your Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director and shipboard personnel, which are at your discretion (suggested gratuities, $10-$15 per day, per traveler); optional sightseeing or shore excursions; travel protection insurance.

Cancellations, refunds and changes
If you must cancel your trip, the effective date of cancellation will be upon our receipt of your written notification. Refunds for cancellations are subject to the following per person charges: Cancel 95 days or more before departure: $200 charge; Cancel 94-65 days before departure: 50% of tour price; Cancel 64-30 days before departure: 75% of tour price; Cancel 29-0 days before departure: No refund. If a guest makes any changes to their reservation from 94 to 30 days prior to departure, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. will apply a $100 per person administrative fee, in addition to any fees or penalties imposed by third parties. Changes are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed. If your reservation changes from double occupancy to single occupancy for any reason, you will be charged the single supplement. No changes are allowed within 30 days of departure.

Upon reservation you must provide your full legal name as it appears on your passport, your date of birth and gender. In the event an airline ticket is issued with incorrect information you have provided, you will be responsible for charges associated with the ticket's reissue.

Responsibility
The University is not the Tour Operator. The University is not responsible for the itinerary, flight times, hotel or transportation arrangements, or any other aspects of this tour. The University and Odysseys Unlimited act only as agents for the participants with respect to travel services, and they shall not be responsible for changes of flight times, fare changes, dishonor of airline, hotel or other reservations, injury, damage, loss of baggage, accidents or for the acts or defaults of any person or entity engaged in conveying participants or in carrying out other arrangements of the tour. Further, the University and Odysseys Unlimited shall not be responsible for losses or additional expenses of the participant due to sickness, weather, strike, civil unrest, acts of terrorism, quarantine, acts of God, or other causes beyond their control.

The University and Odysseys Unlimited shall not be responsible for alteration in the itinerary as deemed necessary for carrying out the tour and the right is reserved to substitute hotels of similar quality. The right is also reserved to decline to accept or to retain any person as a member of the tour should such person's health, actions or general deportment impede the operation of the tour or detracts from the enjoyment or safety of the other passengers. In that event, the University and Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. assume no financial responsibility for any unused portion of the tour.

Health and Medical Issues
We request that you be in good health to participate in this Odysseys Unlimited tour. There is a reasonable amount of walking, and you must be able to get on and off motorcoaches and ships on your own. If you require the use of a wheelchair or have other personal needs, you must be accompanied by a companion who will assist you. We reserve the right to remove anyone whose physical or mental condition, in our opinion, compromises the operation of the tour or detracts from the enjoyment or safety of the other passengers. In that event, the University and Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. assume no financial responsibility for any unused portion of the tour.

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Guaranteed Small Group: Limited to 28 Guests