Fabled Sarajevo and the Glorious Coast of Croatia & Montenegro

Aboard the All-Suite, 50-Cabin Corinthian

May 22 – June 2, 2014

Early Registration Savings of $1,000 Per Cabin
Dear Carleton College Alumni and Friends,

There are certain journeys that are so unique, they capture the imagination of travelers. The journey described in this brochure, which combines an exploration of Sarajevo—one of the most intriguing cities in all of Europe—with a cruise along the sublime coast of Croatia and Montenegro, is certainly one such journey.

Your adventure begins in Venice, where you will embark the 50-cabin, all-suite Corinthian—the perfect vessel for navigating the islands and inlets and bays of Croatia’s and Montenegro’s famed coastline. Cruise past the spires, domes, and bell towers of Venice and into the Adriatic Sea, where dense, dark green forests spread right down to the water’s edge, and harbors are guarded by beautifully preserved historic towns and centuries-old battlements that appear to rise out of the waters. Corinthian will cruise the only fjord in southern Europe to reach Kotor, and call at several of the enchanting islands of Croatia including unspoiled Vis, fertile Hvar, picturesque Korcula, and the unusually formed Kornati Archipelago.

When you disembark Corinthian in beautiful Dubrovnik, known as the “Pearl of the Adriatic,” and begin the land portion of your journey, you’ll enjoy a full day exploring one of the finest medieval cities in Europe, where the streets are lined with splendid examples of Romanesque, Gothic, Renaissance, and baroque architecture. From Dubrovnik we will drive to Sarajevo, passing through glorious scenery and stopping to visit Mostar, where the buildings and its landmark stone bridge, set majestically along the banks of the pale-green Neretva River, reveal both oriental traditions and western influences.

Once in Sarajevo, you’ll experience one of Europe’s most fascinating and loveliest cities, yet it is one that few travelers have visited. Lying between gently sloping hills in a splendid river valley, Sarajevo is a city with a rich, vibrant culture that draws upon the traditions of Christians, Jews, and Muslims who have coexisted and intermingled here for centuries. Noted for its scenic setting and its unusual historical and cultural monuments, Sarajevo is also known for an architecture that blends elegant modern boulevards with the narrow lanes and buildings of the Old Town, where the markets will remind you of the souks of the Middle East.

This is your opportunity to savor two superlative experiences: discovering magnificent Sarajevo and the landscapes of other parts of Bosnia-Herzegovina; and exploring the sublime coast of Croatia and Montenegro aboard an elegant and spacious small cruise ship. Join Carleton History Professor William North this year for a once-in-a-lifetime land and sea journey to this spectacular corner of the world.

Sincerely,

Frances L. Spangler ’91
President, Carleton College Alumni Association

P.S. Corinthian has only 50 cabins (all suites) and this program is co-sponsored by other organizations, so I urge you to contact the Carleton College Alumni Adventures office at carleton@studytours.org or (800) 811-7244 to reserve your space today.
Cruise, Learn & Be Inspired

Our cruise will be accompanied by a faculty leader, who will lecture on various topics relating to the destinations.

After receiving his PhD in medieval history from the University of California, Berkeley and holding a post-doctoral fellowship in Byzantine Studies at Dumbarton Oaks in Washington, D.C., Bill North joined the history faculty at Carleton College in 1999. He has developed courses focused on religion and society in the late Roman world, all aspects of the early Middle Ages, and a range of courses focused on the history of the Byzantine Empire. In 2011, North received an NEH Teaching Enhancement Grant which enabled him to visit historic sites throughout Turkey and Greece in support of his Byzantine courses.

Most recently, North co-taught an off-campus studies program in Rome that brought together history, art history, urban studies, and religious studies. In his scholarship and teaching, Professor North is particularly interested in the dynamics of religious and cultural encounter; the role of art and architecture in communicating political and religious ideas and identities; and the ways in which the legacies of the ancient world are preserved and re-appropriated for contemporary purposes, especially within the Mediterranean World.

In addition to being Associate Professor of History, Professor North has also directed the European Studies Concentration and currently co-directs the Medieval and Renaissance Studies Concentration as well as the Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship Program at Carleton.

Lecturer is subject to change.
Itinerary

Thursday, May 22, 2014 • USA
Fly from the U.S. to Venice, Italy.

Friday, May 23 • VENICE, ITALY | EMBARK
Arrive in Venice and transfer to Corinthian. Sail in the evening. (D)

Saturday, May 24
RAB ISLAND, CROATIA | CRUISING THE KORNATI ARCHIPELAGO
Rab, the only town on the small island by the same name, is one of the most beautiful towns along Croatia’s coast. On a walking tour, visit the Cathedral of Sveta Marija Velika (St. Mary the Great), and its magnificent Bell Tower, a masterpiece of 12th-century architecture. In the afternoon, the ship will cruise by the Kornati Archipelago, a national park of about 100 uninhabited islands. (B, L, D)

Sunday, May 25 • SPLIT
Split is an ancient city centered around the formidable Palace of Diocletian, built in A.D. 295-305. An extensive structure, much of which is well preserved, the palace contains within its walls Split’s medieval town, making it the only palace that has been continuously inhabited since Roman times. Our tour of this extensive structure includes a visit to its underground cellars, the Mausoleum, Jupiter’s Temple, the Peristyle, and the Northern Gate. This evening experience a klapa performance, a traditional Croatian all-male a cappella choral group. (B, L, D)

Monday, May 26 • HVAR & VIS ISLANDS
Discover Hvar, a fertile island of rosemary, lavender, and laurel. The architecture is unmistakably Venetian. Our tour includes a visit to the 17th-century Municipal Theater, the Franciscan Monastery, the city’s Loggia, and St. Stephen’s Square. Continue by bus to the 16th-century fortress for spectacular views of Hvar Town’s rooftops and harbor. Continue to Vis, one of Croatia’s most beautiful and unspoiled islands. Land at Vis Town, set on a splendid bay, and drive across the small island to the quaint town of Komiza, which has retained its medieval character and architecture. (B, L, D)

Tuesday, May 27 • POCE | THE MAKARSKA COAST | POCE
From Ploce we drive along the coast to the town of Makarska, where we visit a local museum, enjoy lunch at a local restaurant, and explore this delightful town at leisure, before returning to Ploce through the beautiful Biokovo Mountain Range. (B, L, D)

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Wednesday, May 28 • KORCULA ISLAND
Steps away from our ship stands the medieval city of Korcula. Visit St. Mark’s Cathedral and its Treasury, the Bishop’s Palace, the Church of All Saints, the Icon Museum, and Marco Polo’s home. Continue by bus to the eastern end of the island, which is abundant in quaint old villages, vineyards, wineries, and out-of-the-way beaches. In the afternoon, drive to the village of Lumbarda to visit a family farm known for its production of white wine from the indigenous Korcula Grk grape. Taste the local wines as well as dry-cured ham, goat cheese, olive oil, and vegetables, all produced on site. (B, L, D)

Thursday, May 29 • KOTOR, MONTENEGRO | DUBROVNIK, CROATIA | CAVTAT | DUBROVNIK
Cruise the deep, fjord-like Bay of Kotor to reach the port town of the same name, located at the head of the bay beneath towering mountains. A designated UNESCO World Heritage site, Kotor’s fortifications and most of its monuments date from the time of Venetian rule. A tour of this delightful town reveals its magnificent walls, palaces, and churches, including the 12th-century St. Tryphon Cathedral, which contains a rich collection of artifacts. Over lunch aboard, cruise to Dubrovnik and then drive to the historic and elegant town of Cavtat, with its café-lined harbor. Overnight aboard ship in Dubrovnik. (B, L, D)

Friday, May 30 • DUBROVNIK | DISEMBARK
Disembark Corinthian and enjoy a morning walking tour of Dubrovnik. Set on a rocky peninsula jutting into the Adriatic Sea, Dubrovnik is one of Europe’s best-preserved medieval cities and a designated UNESCO World Heritage site. The city contains within its ramparts the Rector’s Palace, the Franciscan Monastery, which houses a 13th-century pharmacy (the oldest in Europe), and the baroque Cathedral, with works by Renaissance painters Titian and Andrea del Sarto. Check into Valamar Dubrovnik President Hotel and enjoy the remainder of the day at leisure. (B)
PROGRAM INCLUSIONS

- 2 nights in Sarajevo at the Astra Garni Hotel
- 1 night in Dubrovnik at the Valamar Dubrovnik President Hotel
- 7-night cruise aboard the all-suite, 50-cabin Corinthian
- All meals aboard ship, including house wine, beer, and soft drinks with lunch and dinner
- Meals ashore as noted
- Farewell cocktail reception in Sarajevo; welcome and farewell cocktail receptions aboard ship
- Complete program of tours and excursions
- Educational program of lectures and discussions by Carleton faculty leader William North
- Baggage handling and transfers abroad on the designated arrival and departure dates
- Comprehensive pre-departure materials
- Gratuities to porters, guides, and drivers
- Professional Travel Dynamics International tour staff

NOT INCLUDED
Airfare; visa and passport fees (if applicable); port taxes & charges; trip cancellation and baggage insurance; meals and beverages other than specified; personal expenses (such as laundry, telephone, Internet, etc.); and gratuities to shipboard personnel

AIR RESERVATIONS
To make your air reservations, call the Travel Dynamics International air desk toll-free at 1-877-711-9896 Monday – Friday from 9:00 am – 5:30 pm (EST). Mention tour code 14217E.

Saturday, May 31  DUBROVNIK | MOSTAR, BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA | SARAJEVO
Enjoy the scenic coastal drive from Dubrovnik to the walled hill town of Pocitelj and the nearby ancient Roman settlement of Narona. Arrive in the historic town of Mostar. Damaged during the conflicts of the 1990s, Mostar was carefully restored and declared a UNESCO World Heritage site. After lunch at a local restaurant and a tour including the famed Stari Most (“the Old Bridge”), originally built in 1566, continue to Sarajevo and check into Astra Garni Hotel. (B, L, D)

Sunday, June 1  SARAJEVO
In the morning we will explore Sarajevo, one of the loveliest cities in southern Europe. Visit its principal monuments, including the Begova Mosque (1531); the 16th-century Orthodox cathedral and museum; the Pasaça Mosque, considered a masterpiece of Ottoman architecture; the Ulica Vase Miskina, the most typical Austrian street in the old town; and the Svrzo House, an outstanding example of 16th-century Turkish domestic architecture. The afternoon is at leisure to explore Sarajevo on your own. Dinner this evening is at a local restaurant. (B, D)

Monday, June 2  SARAJEVO | USA
Transfer to the airport for flights home. (B)
CRUISE AND LAND RATES | PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

All accommodations aboard Corinthian are suites. They face outside, affording sea views, and include a bedroom with two twin-size beds that can convert to a queen-size bed, sitting area, mini-refrigerator, safe, spacious closets, climate control, telephone, TV, DVD/CD player, Internet connection, and bathroom with marble vanity, shower, and other amenities. All suites are non-smoking.

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Third person sharing a suite: $1,990
Port taxes and charges: $310 per person

SINGLES: Single accommodations are available in select categories at a supplement to the per person, double occupancy rates. Single rates, per person: Category E: $8,780; Category C: $10,180; Category A: $12,080; Category VS: $14,280. Solo travelers will receive $500 off the single rates if booked by March 25, 2014.
Corinthian Sets the Standard for Private-Style Cruising

In an era of mega cruise ships that carry thousands of passengers, Corinthian is a delightful alternative. More like a private yacht than a cruise ship, Corinthian accommodates only 100 guests in 50 suites. Corinthian’s limited guest capacity, fine facilities, and distinctive style of operation attract like-minded travelers who return again and again to enjoy its custom-crafted itineraries and a style of cruising that is rarely found today.

All of Corinthian’s suites face outside, providing views of the sea and landscape. Several have a private balcony. There are expansive open deck areas and attractive facilities, including a gym, spa, library (with Internet access), beauty salon, two lounges, a sun deck with Jacuzzi, and an outdoor cafe. An elegant restaurant accommodates all guests in an open, unassigned seating. An elevator serves all decks. A resident physician attends a well-equipped infirmary. Wi-Fi is available throughout the ship.

Served by 65 seasoned officers and crew, Corinthian complies with the latest international safety regulations, including those of the U.S. Coast Guard, meets the requirements of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention/U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and is outfitted with the most current navigational and communications technology. Corinthian is equipped with retractable fin stabilizers and a fleet of Zodiac inflatable craft for forays ashore.
TIMELESS SARAJEVO

Effortlessly straddling both eastern and western traditions, Sarajevo, the magnificent capital of Bosnia and Herzegovina, is one of the loveliest and most historic cities in Europe, with centuries of influence from the Ottoman and Austrian Empires on display. The city retains a particular, arresting charm with its many cafes and theaters that have sprouted among the traditional buildings of varying architectural styles. Its breathtaking backdrop of seemingly endless hills and towering mountains—the location of the 1984 Winter Olympic Games— isolate the city, creating a timeless world. Despite its seclusion, Sarajevo has always kept its doors open to the rest of the world. Adherents of Islam, Orthodoxy, Catholicism, and Judaism have coexisted in Sarajevo for centuries, and it is one of the few places on Earth where you will find an Orthodox and a Catholic church, a mosque, and a synagogue within easy walking distance of each other. Our exploration of this vibrant city will allow you to experience, in depth, the treasures of what has been called “the European Jerusalem.”

GENERAL INFORMATION

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: A deposit of $1,500 per person is required to reserve your space on the tour. For your convenience, you may charge your deposit to your American Express, Visa, Discover, or MasterCard. Final payment is due 90 days prior to departure. Credit cards are not accepted for final payment. However, personal checks are accepted for both deposits and final payment.

CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS: All cancellations are subject to a $200 per person fee. In addition, cancellations received 61-90 days prior to departure will be assessed a penalty equal to 50% of the total program cost per person. Cancellations received within 60 days of departure are subject to 100% cancellation penalties.

INSURANCE: We strongly recommend the purchase of trip cancellation insurance, which is available for coverage of expenses in conjunction with cancellation due to illness or accident. Insurance information will be provided upon registration.

ITINERARY: The itinerary, accommodations, and arrangements are subject to change at the discretion of Travel Dynamics International Ltd.

FUEL SUPPLEMENT: Travel Dynamics International Ltd. reserves the right to charge a fuel supplement, without prior notice, if the NYMEX oil price exceeds $85 per barrel. This supplement may be charged even if the cruise fare has been paid in full.

SHIP’S REGISTRY: Malta

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REGISTRATION

To hold your reservation for seven days while this form and your deposit are in the mail, please contact us at 800-811-7244 or carleton@studytours.org

Please send your deposit and this form to:
Carleton College Alumni Adventures
P.O. Box 938, 47 Main Street, Suite One, Walpole, NH 03608-0938
Fax: 603-756-2922

Enclosed is my check or credit card no. for $________ ($1,500 per person) as a deposit to hold ______place(s) on Fabled Sarajevo and the Glorious Coast of Croatia & Montenegro. I understand that final payment is due ninety (90) days prior to departure and is payable by check only.

Please make check payable to:
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Please select cabin category in order of preference:

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☐ Single Occupancy  ☐ Share (cannot be guaranteed)

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