

Northern Capitals

7 SEPTEMBER - 17 SEPTEMBER

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10 Day Tour from Copenhagen to Helsinki **AIRFARE ADDITIIONAL**



Vacation Overview

2018 Vacations Now Available - Book Early & Save!

We took 10% off so you can take off too! Book this vacation and lock in a price for a 2018 European vacation. You can save 10% when you book and deposit. When booking air-inclusive, you can remove airfare uncertainty with our Early Airfare Price Guarantee. And yes, if the price goes down, we'll honor the new lower price. You can't lose! Please note that 2018 departures are subject to itinerary and price modification, but by booking and depositing today, you will lock in your price.

2017 Vacation Details

Please note the below vacation overview, map, day-by-day itinerary, highlights, meals, accommodation information and optional excursions are from 2017 and are subject to change. 2018 vacation details and information will be available in the Fall.

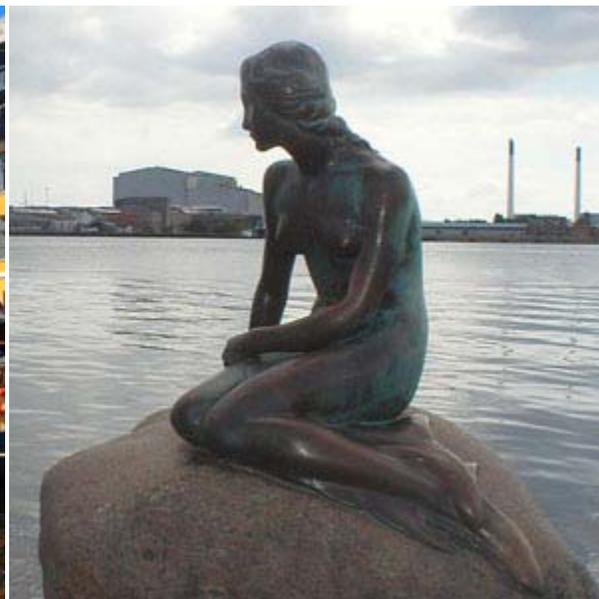
From the vibrant cities to the gorgeous scenery, this Northern Europe tour visits the Nordic's fascinating capitals with overnights in Copenhagen, Oslo, Stockholm, and Helsinki. In each city, you'll experience guided sightseeing of the must-see sights, including Copenhagen's Little Mermaid statue and the Royal Reception Rooms at Christiansborg Palace, used by the Queen for official

occasions; Oslo's City Hall, decorated with great Norwegian art from 1900 to 1950, and Frogner Park, where Gustav Vigeland created over 200 extraordinary bronze and granite statues; Stockholm's City Hall, where the Nobel Prize banquet is held each year, Helsinki's Lutheran Cathedral, completed in 1852, and the famous open-air market.

A tour highlight is an overnight Baltic Sea cruise from Stockholm to Helsinki. You'll stay in first-class, outside, 2-berth cabins with private facilities, and you'll enjoy a special Smörgåsbord dinner on board. This is just one of the out-of-the-ordinary experiences Globus includes to make your vacation unique. Another special treat is a Swedish food experience, where you can sample local specialties at some of the stalls in Gothenburg's indoor food market.

On this Northern Europe tour, you'll also experience some of Northern Europe's beautiful scenery. From Gothenburg to Norway, travel along the coastline with its many islands, granite rocks, and charming little fishing villages. Oslo is situated by a fjord and is surrounded by hills and forests. Take a ferry from Elsinore, Denmark to Helsingborg, Sweden, with great views of Hamlet's Kronborg Castle. Drive through Sweden's scenic Värmland, home to 10,000 lakes dotting the forested landscape and home to Sweden's largest lake, Vänern.

Stunning scenery, tasty local cuisine, a Baltic Sea cruise, and fascinating sightseeing...all of this and more await you on this fantastic tour through Northern Europe's capitals.





Four Ways Globus Eliminates the Hassles

VIP Access

Skip the lines and get special treatment at the must-see attractions.

Perfect Hotels

We've done the work to find just the right hotels in just the right locations.

Tour Directors

Take your heads out of the guidebook and let expert guides make every destination fascinating.

Transportation

Leave the navigating to us – and just sit back and enjoy the ride. Learn how Globus is [reducing transportation-related energy use](#) and greenhouse gas emissions.

Itinerary

Day 1 Arrive in Copenhagen, Denmark

Welcome to Copenhagen! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and traveling companions for a welcome dinner at your hotel.

 Dinner

Day 2 Copenhagen

Morning sightseeing with a Local Guide features the Church of Our Savior and the Stock Exchange on the way to Christiansborg Palace, where you visit the elegant ROYAL RECEPTION ROOMS. Drive past the National Museum and the Royal Theater, and stop for pictures of Amalienborg Palace with its lovely flower gardens, and of the wistful LITTLE MERMAID. In the afternoon, exciting optional excursions are available. Tonight, visit TIVOLI GARDENS (mid-April to mid-September), the city's colorful amusement park.

 Breakfast

Day 3 Copenhagen–Gothenburg, Sweden–Oslo, Norway

From Elsinore beneath Hamlet's Kronborg Castle, board your FERRY for Helsingborg. Then, drive to Gothenburg, Sweden's thriving second-largest city. Admire its beautiful parks, botanical gardens, and well-kept canals during your orientation tour. Highlight is a visit to  Gothenburg's famous indoor FOOD MARKET to taste local snacks at some of the stalls. In the afternoon, continue along the Skagerrak coastline to Norway. Evening arrival in Oslo.

 Breakfast

 Dinner

Day 4 **Oslo**

Norway's capital is a study in farsighted urban planning, seeking growth in harmony with nature. Your Local Guide will take you to the National Theater, Parliament, and the Royal Palace. Stroll through magnificent FROGNER PARK, with Gustav Vigeland's 200-plus extraordinary bronze and granite sculptures, and visit the modern CITY HALL. Optional excursions are available for the afternoon and evening.

 Breakfast

Day 5 **Oslo–Karlstad, Sweden–Stockholm**

Trace the King's Road, an ancient trade link between the northern capitals connecting Oslo, Stockholm, Turku, Helsinki, and St. Petersburg. Cross the Swedish border to scenic Värmland, beautifully described in Selma Lagerlöf's Gösta Berlings Saga, on the way to Karlstad on Lake Vänern. Pass the ancient garrison town of Örebro and modern Eskilstuna, known for its stainless steel, and proceed to Stockholm.

 Breakfast

Day 6 **Stockholm**

Stockholm, scene of Stieg Larsson's Millennium, is settled on 14 islands between Lake Mälaren and the Baltic Sea. Sightseeing with a Local Guide features the Royal Palace; Riddarholm Church, and a walk through the OLD TOWN. Also visit the blue and gold chambers in the CITY HALL, where the annual Nobel Prize banquet is held. Choose from our exciting optional excursions to make the most of your stay.

 Breakfast

Day 7 **Stockholm–Overnight Cruise to Helsinki, Finland**

Morning at leisure. Why not join an excursion to Uppsala? Later, board your ship for  the overnight BALTIC SEA CRUISE to Finland, and enjoy a traditional Smörgåsbord dinner.

 Breakfast

 Dinner

Day 8 **Helsinki**

Guided sightseeing of Helsinki features the City Hall and Parliament House, the Presidential Palace, the monumental railroad station, the great LUTHERAN CATHEDRAL, the Olympic Stadium, and the SIBELIUS MONUMENT. Browse for souvenirs in Helsinki's local arts and crafts OPEN-AIR MARKET.

 Breakfast

Day 9 **Helsinki**

A full day at leisure offers the opportunity to join an optional excursion to Tallinn, capital of Estonia, known as one of the "Pearls of the Baltic" countries. Tonight, a farewell dinner awaits at your hotel.

 Breakfast

 Dinner

Day 10 **Helsinki**

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

 Breakfast

Vacation Highlights

COPENHAGEN

Welcome dinner; guided sightseeing, visit the Royal Reception Rooms in Christiansborg Palace; the Little Mermaid; Tivoli Gardens (mid-April to mid-September)

ELSINORE

Ferry crossing with a view of Hamlet's castle

GOTHENBURG

Orientation, [LF] visit the indoor food market and taste local snacks

OSLO

Guided sightseeing, walk through Frogner Park and visit City Hall

STOCKHOLM

Guided sightseeing, walking tour of the Old Town, visit the City Hall

STOCKHOLM–HELSINKI

[LF] Overnight cruise in first-class, outside, two-berth cabins with private facilities, including a special Smörgåsbord dinner

HELSINKI

Guided sightseeing, visit the Lutheran Cathedral, Sibelius Monument, and the open-air market; farewell dinner

Headsets throughout the tour

NOTES:

- Slight changes to the day-by-day itinerary cannot be excluded.
- Please check visa requirements with your local consulate(s); responsibility for obtaining visas rests with the traveler.

Meals

Full buffet breakfast daily; 4 three-course dinners with wine, including a welcome dinner in Copenhagen, a special Smörgåsbord dinner on board, and a farewell dinner in Helsinki

Hotels

Copenhagen



Imperial

Centrally located in the heart of Copenhagen, the hotel is just steps from Tivoli Gardens and easy walking distance to central station and the town hall. An elegant showcase of classic Danish design and modern architecture, it features a bar and two restaurants serving authentic Danish and international cuisine.

Oslo

Radisson Blu Scandinavia

Superior First-Class

This stylish city center high-rise hotel with 497-guestrooms, boasts stunning views of the city and fjord from its top floor Sky bar and offers Free Wi-Fi access in all public areas and in all 497 guest rooms. International and Norwegian-inspired cuisine is served in the warm and inviting atmosphere of the main restaurant and there is a wellness center with indoor swimming pool, sauna and well-equipped fitness room.

Stockholm



Scandic Continental

First-Class

This modern 392-room hotel enjoys a fantastic location in the heart of Stockholm and features a rooftop bar and seasonal outdoor terrace with impressive skyline views. A trendy urban style restaurant serves market fresh dishes and there is a lobby bar and cafe serving all day snacks and coffee , for fitness there is a gym and for connectivity Free Wi-Fi access is available throughout the property.

Helsinki

Radisson Blu Royal

HOTEL AS SHOWN OR SIMILAR
Superior First-Class

Sleek Business-oriented Hotel with striking glass facade & atrium.

***BECAUSE YOU ASKED, YES YOU CAN ADD
ST. PETERSBURG.....***

**NORTHERN CAPITALS 10 DAYS 7 - 17 SEPTEMBER
2018**

Northern Capitals with St. Petersburg 13 days

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\$729 ADDITIONAL

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ITINERARY NORTHERN CAPITALS CONTINUES ON DAY 10:

Day 10 Helsinki–St. Petersburg, Russia

A pleasant drive to magnificent St. Petersburg, where 🍷 a dinner with traditional Russian delicacies like caviar, blini, pickled cucumber, and vodka awaits you.

🍷 Breakfast

🍴 Dinner

Day 11 St. Petersburg

Guided sightseeing starts with the Winter Palace complex, now home of the world-famous HERMITAGE MUSEUM. Next, drive along elegant Nevsky Prospect and visit ST. ISAAC'S CATHEDRAL.

🍷 Breakfast

Day 12 St. Petersburg

In Pushkin, visit magnificent CATHERINE PALACE (if closed, visit PAVLOVSK PALACE instead).

🍷 Breakfast

Day 13 St. Petersburg

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

🍷 Breakfast