



ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

SEPTEMBER 22-28, 2019

with optional Victoria post-tour
September 28-30, 2019

Grand CANADIAN Passage



An unrivaled expedition through the
Canadian Rockies featuring two days by rail
aboard the *Rocky Mountaineer* in GoldLeaf class



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Dear Alumni and Friends,

Join this well-paced sojourn through Canada's glorious Rocky Mountains—highlighted by two days traveling aboard the *Rocky Mountaineer* in GoldLeaf Service—with visits to the stunning areas of Banff and Lake Louise.

En route, embrace the dynamic changes in scenery as you wind through lush green ranchlands and flowing river canyons surrounded by mountain peaks.

Enjoy a guided tour through Yoho National Park, and take advantage of leisure time to explore the small hamlets as well as Banff National Park.

Splendid evenings await at the close of each inspiring day, including two nights at the legendary resort, Fairmont Banff Springs.

Space is limited. With significant savings of more than \$1,000 per couple, we anticipate this tour will fill quickly, so be certain to reserve your spot today and share this brochure with family and friends who may be interested in traveling with you.

Reserve today online at tcu.orbridge.com, by calling (866) 639-0079 or by returning the enclosed reservation form.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Kristi Hoban' in a cursive script.

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Free Expedition Library

AN EARLY RESERVATION BONUS

Reserve your space by **March 15, 2019** to receive the FREE Orbridge Expedition Library we've assembled for this program.

This exclusive gift is to thank you for joining us early. Guests who reserve after the specified date may purchase libraries. Call for details.

Head north to experience the humbling proportions and famed beauty of the Canadian Rockies.

Journey through awe-inspiring mountain landscapes, and revel in the opulence, history, and hospitality of Canada's most iconic destinations.





Your 7-Day Itinerary (subject to change)

Day 1: Arrive in Calgary, Alberta,

Canada (D)

Leisure time, welcome dinner

Overnight: Fairmont Palliser

Day 2: Calgary / Banff National Park / Banff (B)

Sulphur Mountain gondola ride, panoramic town tour

Overnight: Fairmont Banff Springs

Day 3: Banff / Yoho National Park / Lake Louise / Banff (B,D)

Guided town and park tour, leisure time at Lake Louise

Overnight: Fairmont Banff Springs

Day 4: Banff / Rocky Mountaineer /

Kamloops, British Columbia (B,L)

Scenic viewing of Kicking Horse Canyon, Rogers Pass, Craigellachie, and ranchlands

Overnight: Kamloops Lodging*

Day 5: Kamloops / Rocky Mountaineer / Vancouver (B,L)

Thompson Valley and Fraser Canyon vistas

Overnight: Fairmont Hotel Vancouver

Day 6: Vancouver (B,R)

Gondola sightseeing, guided Capilano Suspension Bridge crossing, farewell reception

Overnight: Fairmont Hotel Vancouver

Day 7: Vancouver / Depart for U.S. (B)

(B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner, R = Reception)

Activity Level: Guests should be comfortable boarding and disembarking trains without assistance, walking and moving between coaches while the train is in motion and navigating stairs to upper level of the coach. Guests should also be able to enjoy outdoor walking with sure-footing on uneven terrain, get in and out of a motor coach without assistance, and be able to manage stairs.

Program Highlights

- At Banff National Park, travel to the top of Sulphur Mountain during a scenic gondola ride.
- Enjoy luxurious GoldLeaf Service on board the *Rocky Mountaineer*. Embrace the sights from a glass-domed coach as you traverse the Continental Divide along Fraser Canyon, Kicking Horse River, and Shuswap Lake. **GoldLeaf Service includes:** bi-level coach with full-length panoramic windows, reclining upper-level heated seats, unlimited beer, wine, and premium spirits, and à la carte meal service in a lower-level dining room. Gourmet meals feature locally-sourced ingredients prepared by an onboard culinary team.
- Delight in front-row seating to view the passing wildlife, which may include elk, bighorn sheep, bear, and soaring eagles.
- Mingle with nature from 110 feet while traversing the Capilano Suspension Bridge and seven suspended footbridges through the serenity of a West Coast rain forest (*optional*).

What's Included

- 6 nights hotel accommodations
- 2 full days traveling on the *Rocky Mountaineer* in premium GoldLeaf Service
- 6 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners including a special welcome dinner, and a farewell reception
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director
- All activities listed on the 7-day itinerary
- Private deluxe motor coach with air-conditioning and reclining seats
- Luggage portage
- Gratuities for Orbridge Travel Director, *Rocky Mountaineer* staff, drivers, porters, housekeeping, and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times

Your Travel Director:

Your knowledgeable Orbridge Travel Director will offer additional enrichment during this journey. With their expertise of the local flora, fauna, cultural history, and natural characteristics of the Canadian Rockies, you'll return home with a deeper appreciation of your northern adventures—accompanied by your beautiful photographs, of course.



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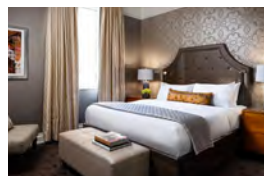


Accommodations (subject to change)

FAIRMONT PALLISER

This landmark property has been a cornerstone of Calgary's northern hospitality since 1914.

Conveniently situated near the city's business and financial district, it's within walking distance to shopping, arts, culture and entertainment venues.

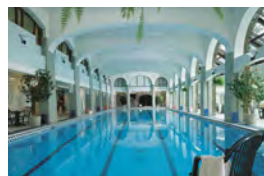
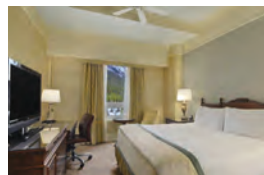


FAIRMONT BANFF SPRINGS

With its unique blend of opulence and seclusion, Fairmont Banff Springs has been a favorite spot in the Canadian Rockies for over a century. Styled after a Scottish baronial castle, the property offers stunning vistas and luxurious comfort in a pristine wilderness.

Located in the heart of Banff National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, Alberta's "Castle in the Rockies" has been providing legendary hospitality to guests for more than 125 years.

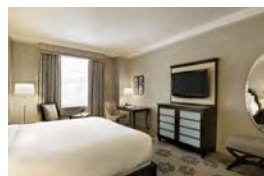
NOTE: Due to this property's historic nature, air conditioning may not be available in all guest rooms.



FAIRMONT HOTEL VANCOUVER

This opulent gem, known as the "Castle in the City," quickly became a landmark in Vancouver after opening in 1939. The hotel has hosted many famous entertainment acts over the years, and was once even home to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

Fairmont Hotel Vancouver is the proud recipient of a four-star rating by *Forbes Travel Guide 2018* and TripAdvisor's *Certificate of Excellence*.



*Accommodations in Kamloops are determined by Rocky Mountaineer and are the best available in the area. Kamloops properties are considered moderate 2- or 3-star hotels and satisfy our standards of cleanliness and comfort.

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Optional Post-Tour

Victoria



Enjoy two nights in delightful Victoria—British Columbia’s picture-perfect capital. This colorful pedestrian-friendly city is an ideal spot for whale watching, biking, shopping, and sampling from the wide variety of cafés and restaurants that line bustling Government Street. Savor the island’s relaxing pace as you explore its lush, vibrant gardens, admire historical architecture, and take in the city’s friendly ambiance. During free time, visit one of Victoria’s landmark castles or churches or enjoy a stroll along the quaint inner harbor.



Post-Tour Itinerary (subject to change)

Day 7: Vancouver / Victoria
Ferry to Vancouver to Victoria,
explore Butchart Gardens, panoramic
city tour, afternoon and evening at
leisure

Day 8: Victoria (B)
Day at leisure

Day 9: Depart Victoria for U.S. (B)

What's Included

- A 1.5 hour ferry cruise from Vancouver to Victoria across the Strait of Georgia
- Two nights accommodations at the Fairmont Empress (shown above) or similar, with breakfast each morning
- Admission to Butchart Gardens
- A guided panoramic city tour
- Gratuities to local guide
- Private group airport transfer for guests departing at the suggested times





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☐ **Option 1:** Reserve online now
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☐ **Option 2:** Secure your reservation
with a deposit charged to the credit
card below, or with an enclosed check
payable to: Orbridge, LLC.

GUEST INFORMATION:

Guest #1 Name (Title/Salutation): _____

Email: _____ TCU Grad Year: _____

Home Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Guest #2 Name (Title/Salutation): _____

Email: _____ TCU Grad Year: _____

Home Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____

Category Preference: 1st choice _____ 2nd choice _____

DEPOSIT:

_____ guests joining program (\$850/person) +

_____ guests joining post-tour (\$500/person) = **TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$** _____

DEPOSIT PAYMENT:

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I/we have read, understand, and agree to the full Terms & Conditions at terms.orbridge.com and detailed in program documents; and that Orbridge LLC is authorized to charge my credit card above and/or take my/our deposit for this program.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail or fax Orbridge
reservation form P.O. Box 10339, Bainbridge Island, WA 98110
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Registration, Deposits and Final Payment. To confirm and secure your reservation, a deposit of \$850 per person per program, a deposit for any extension(s), and any non-refundable advanced payments, payable by check, ACH, money order, wire transfer of same day U.S. funds, or major credit card, is due at the time of registration. Final payment, including any extension(s) and optional(s), is payable by check, online check/ACH, money order, or wire transfer of same day U.S. funds and due no later than 90 days prior to the scheduled program departure date. If your reservation is made between the final payment due date and the date the program starts, the entire cost of the program, including any extension(s) and optional(s), is due at the time of registration by check, money order, or wire transfer of same day U.S. funds. Final payments made by credit card are subject to a 2% transaction fee. If final payment is not received by Orbridge by the final payment due date, Orbridge may, at any time and with or without notice, cancel your reservation in its sole discretion with no right of refund. All payments we receive from you are herein defined as "Payments."

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