



6 Nights Incentive Programme Myanmar

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Myanmar, is a Southeast Asian nation of more than 100 ethnic groups, bordering India, Bangladesh, China, Laos and Thailand. Myanmar sits at the crossroads of Asia's great civilizations of **India** and **China**, and looks out onto the vast **Indian Ocean** next to **Thailand**.

One of South East Asia's largest and most **diverse** countries.

Myanmar stretches from the sparkling islands of the **Andaman Sea** in the south right up into the Eastern **Himalayan mountain** range.

To this day Myanmar remains one of the most mysterious and undiscovered destinations for **meeting** and **incentive** programmes – a land of breathtaking beauty and charm.





Day 1

Myanmar



Day 1



○ **Afternoon - Yangon Arrival**

Arrival at Yangon airport and be welcomed by professional staff at the airport with welcome signage and garland. Welcome drink and refreshing towel will be served during hotel check-in.



○ **Evening**

Welcome dinner at hotel. Traditional Burmese dance is a good and impressive way give good introduction to Laos history and culture.



Day 2

Myanmar



Day 2



○ **Yangon**

Start the day at the **Sule Pagoda**, a gleaming octagonal pagoda that stands squarely at the center point of the city. Afterwards, visit the **National Museum** to gain an insight into Myanmar. Enjoy a break **at Bogyoke (Scott) Market**, a pleasant covered market containing crafts from all corners of Myanmar, gems, fabrics and more. In the afternoon, visit some of the more well known pagodas, including **Botataung Pagoda**, named after the 1000 military leaders who escorted relics of the Buddha from India over 2000 years ago. Visit **Chaukhtatgyi Pagoda**, the reclining Buddha in Yangon which is almost as large as the enormous figure of Shwethalyaung Buddha in Bago. Finally, continue to the **Shwedagon Pagoda**, the highlight of any visit to Yangon. Towering over the city, this pagoda is the most sacred spot in the country, built to house eight hair relics of the Buddha.



○ **Evening**

Offsite dinner at local restaurant.





Day 3

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○ Yangon – Bagan

After breakfast, transfer from hotel to Yangon airport to take a morning flight to Bagan. Upon arrival to Bagan, welcomed and transferred to hotel for check-in and refresh.

The sightseeing starts with a visit to **Gubyaukgyi Temple** (Wetkyiinn village) – the 13th century ‘cave temple’ with fine frescoes of scenes from Jakatas; **Ananda Temple** – one of the masterpieces surviving and remaining in Bagan and considered to be in the Mon architecture style; Thatbyinnyu Temple- the highest building on the Bagan plain. **Dhamanyangyi Temple** - built by King Narathu in 12th century which displayed the finest brickwork in Bagan. A visit to the lacquer ware factory followed by a visit to local village. Visit **Shwesandaw** or **Mahazedi** Pagoda to enjoy watching Stupa and Temple scenery then sunset over Bagan.



○ Evening

Offsite dinner at local restaurant.





Day 4

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○ Morning - Bagan

Take off in a hot air balloon shortly to drift over the plain of Bagan. Upon landing, passengers are served champagne. Total flight time is 45 minutes.



○ Afternoon

Drive to Mount Popa , visit the great extinct volcano. Rising out of the shimmering heat, the solitary volcanic crag of Mount Popa is home to Myanmar's most powerful "nats". Visit the Nat Museum with its life-sized statues of the 37 Nat Gods. Walk up the steps to the stupas and shrines that top the hill above the museum, seeing many pilgrims along the way. The way by the roadside can see the locals climbing up the palm tree and making jaggery.



○ Evening

Offsite dinner at local restaurant.



Day 5

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- **Morning - Bagan – Heho – Inle Lake**

Take morning flight from Bagan to Heho. Upon arrival, drive to Inle lake. Check in hotel and refresh.



- **Afternoon**

Travel by boat to the western shore of the lake to a stairway leading to the hidden Indein temple complex. Located on the shore of the lake, this site consists of hundreds of small stupas overgrown by moss and greens.



- **Evening**

Enjoy dinner at hotel.



Day 6

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○ Inle Lake

Inle Lake, located in Shan State, is beautiful, with very calm waters dotted with patches of floating vegetation and fishing canoes. High hills rim the lake on all sides. The lake's shore and islands bear 17 villages on stilts, mostly inhabited by the Intha people. Enjoy the spectacular scenery and observe the skilled fisherman using their leg-rowing technique to propel themselves around the lake. Visit the floating gardens, a market and a Intha village around the lake. The day sightseeing also includes a visit to the **Phaung Daw Oo Pagoda**, **Inn Paw Khon Village** (Lotus and silk weaving) and the **Nga Phe Kyaung Monastery**.

Visit (**Padaung Long Neck Women**), the largest village on the Inle Lake and where visiting the goldsmith workshops, silk weaving cottage industries, observe the sculpture and umbrella industries. Shan bags, gold and silver wares are main products of that village.



○ Evening

Enjoy farewell dinner at hotel with beautiful view to the lake together with traditional dance.

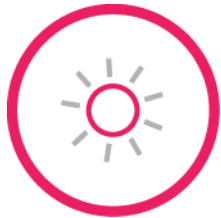


Day 7

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- **Inle Lake – Heho Departure**

Free time until transfer to airport for departure flight. End of program.





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