



Spain in two cities

6 days / 5 nights

Together Barcelona & Madrid make Spain even more: its influence, its vitality, its history, its art.

On one side, Barcelona the most cosmopolitan city in the country adorned by Gaudi architecture & its beautiful Mediterranean coast.

On the other side, Madrid the capital of the country adorned by the royal class metropolis & its folklore traditions.



Day 1

Barcelona



Day 1



Pick up at
Barcelona- El Prat Airport



Welcome Cocktail
at your hotel



Time to unpack
and to refresh



○ Afternoon – Discover the oldest quarter of Barcelona

During the tour you explore the Gothic neighborhood which dates back to the Medieval time. Its small streets remained a labyrinthine and lead to magnificent squares. Most of the quarter is closed to regular traffic and offers you countless small bars, restaurants, shops, cultural as well as historical sights. Optionally you can visit museums such as the famous Picasso Museum. The renown painter moved to Barcelona in 1894 at the age of 14 and spent many years there. Prior to the tour, you enjoy your lunch at El Nacional, an impressive multi space restaurant on the Passeig de Gràcia.



○ Evening- Relaxing end of your first day

In the evening you have dinner at a restaurant located close to the old harbour. From its terrace you have stunning views over the seaside as well as the old yacht harbour.



Overnight at the hotel



Day 2

Barcelona

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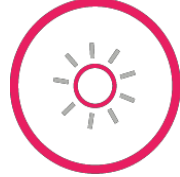
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Day 2



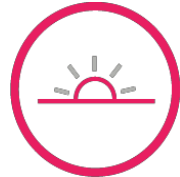
Breakfast at the hotel

○ Morning- Dive into the world of the exceptional architect Antonio Gaudi



On the second day in Barcelona you discover Gaudi's most representative pieces of art such as the famous Casa Batlló on the Passeig de Gracia or the Sagrada Familia Church which is an absolute must see as it is a characteristic symbol of the city. Moreover, the Park Guell, the unique world heritage park as well as the Eixample district are impressive examples of Gaudi's art. During the tour you enjoy lunch in a local restaurant. Not interested in exploring bits of Gaudi's work during your stay? No problem- Ovation offers you countless other activities that are tailored to your wishes and preferences!

Tapas experience for lunch in the old quarter



○ Afternoon- Enjoy your free time

Free time in the afternoon to explore the capital of Catalonia and go shopping in its famous Rambla de Catalunya or Paseo de Gracia .

Ovation can provide you with ideas and recommendations where to go and what to see.



○ Evening- Experience the breathtaking views over Barcelona

Dinner is held at a restaurant located in the hilly north of Barcelona and enables breathtaking views over the city. The history of the restaurant dates to the beginning of the 17th century. After it functioned as a farm for many years, the owners transformed it into a country house in the beginning of the twenties. They refurbished it whilst keeping its original structure. Nowadays you can enjoy the authentic warm and charm of a seventeenth century farmhouse with all the modern-day comforts.



Overnight at the hotel



Day 3

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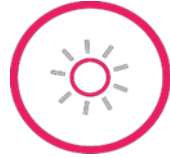
Day 3



Breakfast at the hotel



Time to pack for next destination



Morning- Barcelona 360° Experience

Discover Barcelona from three different angles: land, sea and air.

Feel the rhythm of the city and get to know Barcelona from a unique and distinctive perspective.

Ride a fun eBike along the main city highlights while learning about the fascinating history of Barcelona, Jump into Barcelona's cable car to admire a panoramic view from the air; And finally, relax on board of a classic schooner, offering striking views over Barcelona's skyline. See with your own eyes why Barcelona is one of the best cities to live in!

○ Fideua cooking class



From the hand of our chefs, guests will know all steps to prepare a delicious Paella, a typical Spanish dish. The group will be divided into several groups of 10-15 people and will start competing each other with the same ingredients to elaborate the best Paella which will be served...the best team will be awarded!



○ Departure to Madrid

Transfer to Barcelona Sants train Station. Trip to Madrid Atocha train station with AVE high speed train

Upon request a train or wagon can be rented in exclusivity.



○ Evening- Tapas experience

Tapas dinner in a modern new gastronomic concept which offers 6.000 square meters divided over 4 floors and where top chefs offer their best dishes. Guests will be able to go around the different market stalls to see the gastronomy proposed before sitting down and enjoy their dinner.



Overnight at the hotel



Day 4

Madrid

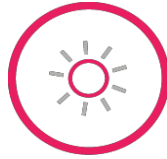

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Day 4



Breakfast at the hotel

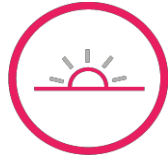


○ Discover the heart of Madrid

Madrid of "the Austrian district" is the name given to Madrid at the time when the Habsburg dynasty reigned in Spain . This tour is going through the Renaissance and Baroque buildings of this period, the most picturesque in the city: Plaza Mayor, Puerta del Sol, Real Theatre, Opera house, San Miguel market etc.

The Tour will finish with an exclusive visit of the Royal Palace, a real jewel of Madrid which is the largest one in western Europe and still used by the Spanish Crown in Official Receptions, Presentation of Credentials and Official Events, such as State Meetings.

Lunch in one of the most popular restaurants offering typical Spanish dishes located just in front of the Royal Palace.



○ Free time for shopping experience or a nice walk at Retiro Park

Shopping in Madrid has become one of the main activities of visitors in this city: Preciados, Fuencarral streets or Serrano avenue are offering all type of shopping for everyone.

For those who don't like shopping, we propose you to discover the biggest green haven in Madrid with 125 hectares and more than 15.000 trees. Retiro Park is offering not only gardens but also a pond, monuments and also sculptures.



○ Evening-Dinner at emblematic venue

Memorable dinner at one of the symbolic location in Madrid, a real representation of the classical architecture that is so typical for Madrid. The venue is in an exceptional historical building on the Calle Alcalá, right in the heart of the city. Inhouse catering by the hand of a 1 Michelin star chef.



Overnight at the hotel



Day 5

Toledo & Madrid



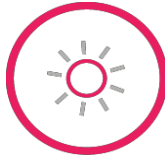
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Day 5



Breakfast at the hotel



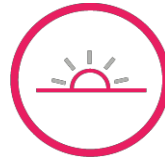
Discover the Historical Toledo

Departure to one of the nicest city located less than 1 hour from Madrid.

Go back in time with the magic of Toledo, the Spanish capital during 50 years in the XVI century when Carlos V was the king.

Discover in detail the essence of this medieval city and the three cultures that lived together: Arabs, Jews and Christians in their old walled city.

Lunch in a traditional restaurant, with stunning views on Toledo, which offering food based on the tradition of Castile-La Mancha.



Free time in Toledo

Before coming back to Madrid, guests will have the opportunity to have free time to do shopping or to explore some monuments seen from outside in the morning.



Farewell Spanish evening

Memorable dinner at one of the typical venue located 15mn from Madrid,

Built on the ruins of a castle", in an estate on the banks of the Jarama River, a noble family built a country palace. Until 1980 the estate was devoted to agriculture and it was in 1986 when the venue initiated its current journey when its owners combined the estate and their passion for gastronomy.

The dinner will be alive by different Spanish touches so that the guests can not only finish their stay with a typical gastronomy but also in a festive Spanish atmosphere



Overnight at the hotel



Day 6

Madrid

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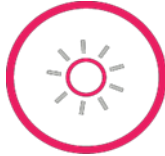
Day 6



Breakfast at the hotel
& Check- out



Time to pack...



○ Morning- Choose your favourite activities

During the last morning in the capital you get to know more highlights of Madrid by choosing one of selected activities

- **THYSSEN-BORNEMISZA MUSEUM** to discover the collection of the Thyssen Bornemisza Family over two generations.
- **PRADO MUSEUM** to enjoy the well-known Spanish painters like Goya or Velazquez
- **NATIONAL MUSEUM OF REINA SOFIA** to discover the famous “Guernica” painted by Picasso.
- **BERNABEU STADIUM** for football lovers who want to be part of the Real Madrid for a morning.

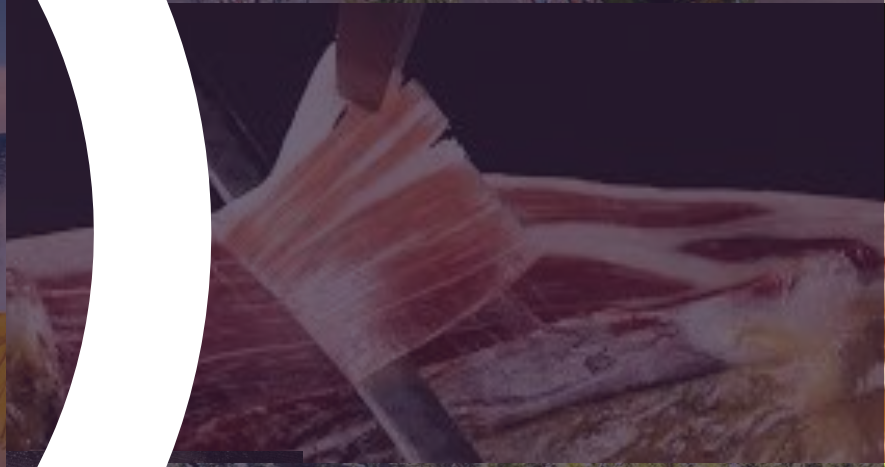
Get together lunch in one of restaurants located at Bernabeu stadium with a fantastic view on the stadium



Time to say: “ See you soon Spain!”

Transfer to Madrid Barajas Airport and departure







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