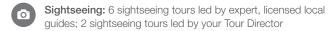


Wind your way along the Atlantic coast and experience the cosmopolitan flair of Porto and Lisbon as well as the rustic charm of rural Portugal. Culture and beauty merge in this warm part of the world. You will travel a path to Fátima that millions of Catholic pilgrims take each year and stand atop the cliffs of Cabo de San Vicente overlooking one of the world's busiest waterways.

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#### What you'll experience on your tour

#### Day 1: Fly overnight to Portugal

#### Day 2: Porto

- Meet your Tour Director at the airport.

#### Day 3: Porto

- Take an expert-led tour of Porto, a port city, clinging to the rocks carved by the river Douro. Port wine and Portugal itself were named after it. Discover both the cosmopolitan and old-world ambiance of Portugal's "second city", now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. See the remains of ancient city walls and the Oporto Cathedral, one of the oldest surviving structures there.
- Visit the Torre dos Clérigos, a six-floor tower that rises above the city. Climb 225 steps to the belfry for a breathtaking view of Porto and the Douro River.
- Cruise through the Douro River Valley, famous for its steep-terraced vineyards.
- Enjoy a free evening or
- attend a Lisbon Fado evening.

#### Day 4: Coimbra

- Pass through Buçaco en route to Coimbra.
- Take an expert-led tour of Coimbra's Old Town.
- Visit the University Library.

#### Day 5: Fátima | Obidos

- Stop in Fátima en route to Obidos.
- Take an expert-led tour of Fátima.
- Visit the Batalha Monastery.

#### Day 6: Lisbon

- Travel to Lisbon and experience an old-world atmosphere as you make your way through the labyrinth of winding streets in the Alfama district. Discover the hidden balconies, archways, terraces, and courtyards of this hillside medieval quarter as you explore Lisbon's former center of Moorish aristocracy.
- Take a expert-led tour of Lisbon. Recall the Age of Discovery at the Monument to Discoveries and the Belém Tower. It was from here that many adventure-seeking navigators including Bartolomeu Dias set sail.
- During a photo stop, enjoy a panoramic view of Lisbon's red-tiled roofs.
- Visit the Mosteiro dos Jerónimos.
- Take a walking tour of Lisbon.

#### Day 7: Lisbon

- Take an excursion to Sintra and Cascais: Palacio Nacional de Sintra.
- Visit Palacio Nacional de Sintra.
- Make a photo stop at the Boca do Inferno.

#### Day 8: Évora | Algarve

- Travel to the Algarve. Thanks to its Mediterranean climate and nearly 160 kilometers of south-facing coastline, the Algarve region ranks as a popular travelling destination. You will take a tour of Cabo San Vicente—a nature lover's paradise. In Neolithic times, it was considered a sacred ground. The Romans thought of it as a magical place where the sunset was much larger than anywhere else. The belief was that the sun sank here hissing into the ocean, marking the edge of the world. Make sure you stop to see the lighthouse, which overlooks one of the world's busiest waterways.
- Take an expert-led tour of Évora, including the ominous Chapel of Bones.

#### Day 9: Algarve

- Take a tour of Algarve.

#### Day 10: Depart for home



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- MADISON, TRAVELER



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