

8 days / 7 nights

Traditions of Portugal (Self Drive)



Day 1 – Lisbon

Pick up Rent a Car at Lisbon Airport.
Day at leisure to explore the city of Lisbon.

Day 2 – Lisbon / Escaroupim / Golegã

Breakfast at the hotel. Check out. Trip to Escaroupim village.

Boarding for boat trip on the river Tagus, tour of the villages of Avieiras da Palhota and Escaroupim. Visit to the Avieiro do Escaroupim Museum.
Continue to Santarém - brief visit.

Trip to Golegã. Dinner at the hotel and overnight.



Day 3 – Golegã / Tomar / Golegã

Breakfast at the hotel.

Trip to Tomar, a UNESCO Heritage city full of history and mysticism because it was the headquarters of the Templar Knights. Visit the Convent of Christ, the Synagogue and the Saint John Baptist Church.

After lunch, trip to the hotel in Golegã, visit the unique House-Studio Carlos Relvas, rest of the afternoon at leisure.

Return to the hotel and overnight.



Day 4 – Golegã / Coimbra / Curia

Breakfast at the hotel and check out.

We start the day traveling to Coimbra the city of knowledge, where is one of the oldest university in Europe, to visit this University, which has an amazing XVI century library that is classified World Heritage by UNESCO.

In the afternoon we visit a singular place, the Aliança Underground Museum. Aliança is one of the main wine producers in Portugal and they created an art exposition inside their cellars.

Day 5 – Curia / Aveiro / Guimarães

Breakfast at the hotel and check out

Travel to Aveiro where we offer you a beautiful ride in one of the typical boats of Aveiro (the "Moliceiros") where you can meet the urban canals of Aveiro and know places in a different perspective from the usual. During the trip you can sample regional tradition in a unique experience to taste "Ovos-Moles" (egg sweet).

After lunch, drive to Guimarães.

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Day 6 – Guimarães / Braga

Breakfast at the hotel and check out. Enjoy the morning with a tour to the city center of Guimarães, visit the Castle, the Palace of the Dukes of Braganza and the historical center part of the UNESCO World Heritage Site. Afternoon at leisure to explore more of Guimarães. Trip to Braga.

Day 7 – Braga / Porto

Breakfast at the hotel and check out. Start the day with a visit to Braga, the oldest Portuguese city and one of the

oldest Christian cities in the world. Visit the Sanctuary of Bom Jesus, classified as UNESCO World Heritage in 2019, combining the work of Nature and Man. Visit to the Cathedral of Braga and enjoy the beautiful gardens of Santa Barbara and visit to Republic Square. In the afternoon, trip to Porto.

Day 8 – Porto / Gondomar / Porto

Breakfast at the hotel. Trip to Gondomar, city known for its Jewellery. The municipality holds the title of the Jewellery Capital in Portugal.

Here, you can learn and try the craft techniques employed in the traditional art of filigree.

Trip to Porto, after lunch panoramic tour to see the Clerigos Tower and the Aliados Avenue, Cathedral, the St. Bento Train Station and the Ribeira District. Visit the famous Porto wine cellars with wine tastes included.

End of the tour and drop off Rent a Car at the airport.



Included:

- 7 nights in 4* hotels in double room with breakfast included;
- Rent a Car - Renault Megane Diesel Automatic or similar with GPS included;
- Dinner at Hotel Lusitano 4* (Golegã);
- Cruise in the Aveiro's typical boat - the "Moliceiro" and taste of "Ovos Moles"
- Visit to the Aliança wine cellars, Porto wine cellars with wine tasting;
- Entrance to Christ Convent (Tomar) and House-Studio Carlos Relvas

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