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THE EARLY BIRD CATCHES THE WORM

After an overnight flight and very early arrival into Hanoi, we're welcomed to the stunning Intercontinental Hotel with a delicious champagne breakfast. Situated alongside West Lake, this property offers an oasis of tranquillity among the hustle and bustle of the city. After time to freshen up and change, we reenergise with a mass Tai-Chi experience within the serenity of the botanical gardens. With grand master serenely leading the way, limbs are stretched back to life. We're now ready to dive into the craziness and colour of central Hanoi. Hopping into rickshaws we take a thrilling ride round the city, stopping kerbside for famous egg coffee at Hanoi's oldest coffee shop – a double espresso topped with indulgent, sweet egg custard. It's so good! We end our wonderful morning at Wild Rice Restaurant for a Vietnamese lunch and a very welcome cold Hanoi beer. Come evening, dinner is a Vietnamese fine dining experience at Club L'Oriental where spice-punctuated dishes arrive generously at the table amid lively chat of a fabulous day in Hanoi city.

TRADITIONAL VIETNAMESE WELCOME

After a short internal flight, we arrive in Da Nang, a beautiful coastal area best known for its expansive sandy beaches and lush greenery. Arriving at the <u>Furama Hotel & Resort</u>, we are welcomed by a parade of smiles from local Vietnamese students in traditional dress. It's dragon fruit cocktails all around before champagne and canapes – the sort of check in activity we could get used to.

There's time to explore the hotel, before regrouping at sunset. As the sky turns a peachy pink, its pre-dinner drinks on the beachside terrace set to live traditional Vietnamese music and softly crashing waves. Then it's dinner in an open-walled restaurant, the smell of the sea air and the sounds of the swaying palm trees for company.

A VIBRANT STREET PARTY

Our second day in Da Nang is reserved for you to explore at leisure. Relaxing on the beach, local markets or venturing to the historic My Son 'Beautiful Mountain' tour rank high on the popular scale. We reconvene at sunset and head to vibrant Hoi An for an unforgettable street party. Drums, lion dancing, acrobats and all-round excitement greet us on arrival, while colourful lanterns and the glistening river backdrop ensure the evening is one to stay with you forever. As a finishing touch, we release lanterns into the river and say a private prayer. This Hoi An tradition is not only spectacular to watch as the river is alight with floating candles but it is also a personal moment to savour. What a night!

I LIKE TO RIDE MY BICYCLE

Day four begins with the whole group using that staple of Vietnamese transport – the bike – to cycle through the local farms and villages of Hoi An. We meet local farmers, see traditional farming methods in action, and of course, have a go. After navigating the narrow prawn farm paths, we arrive at a local village kindergarten to deliver toys and games by way of support.

It is a special and memorable experience. Next up, a short sail across the river to Brother's Café, a magical riverside restaurant serving local cuisine. With some time to wander around the streets, we soak in the local atmosphere and explore the gift shops before heading back to the resort.

LIVE COOKING STATIONS

A beach BBQ is the perfect end to this extraordinary incentive trip. Under the moonlit sky, we sip chilled champagne before taking seats and selecting food from impressive live cooking stations. As the drinks flow, we sink wonderfully into the night, conversation, laughter and rustling palms the ideal backdrop to our fun.

This is an itinerary for 120 people (60 rooms).

All our itineraries are completely bespoke and subject to suitability and availability.



DAY BY DAY



Date Day 1	Morning arrival into Hanoi from London. Private transfer to the Intercontinental for a Champagne breakfast with day rooms available to freshen up followed by a session of Tai-Chi with a Grandmaster in the botanical gardens.	Hanoi city tour including a visit to Hoa Lo prison, Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, and the One Pillar Pagoda. Lunch at Wild Rice Restaurant. Private transfer to the hotel for a private check in and time at leisure.	Welcome dinner at Club L'Oriental. Overnight at The Intercontinental Westlake Hotel.
Day 2	Breakfast at leisure in the hotel. Private transfer to Hanoi Airport for morning flight to Danang.	On arrival to Danang, transfer to the hotel for a welcome reception in the beautiful courtyard followed by a private check in and some time at leisure.	Pre-dinner drinks and canapes on the terrace overlooking the hotel pool followed by an exclusive dinner on property. Overnight at Furama Resort.
Day 3	Breakfast at leisure in the hotel. Morning at leisure with optional activities, My Son 'Beautiful Mountain' Tour Shopping in Hoi An Cooking class at the market school with lunch	Afternoon and lunch at leisure.	Late afternoon private transfer to Hoi An for an exclusive street dinner party, Free time to explore Hoi An before departing back to the hotel. Overnight at Furama Resort.
Day 4	Breakfast at leisure in the hotel. Private transfer to Hoi An for a bicycle tour through the local villages, farms and a visit to a kindergarten.	Guests will board river boats for a short cruise to Brothers Café for an exclusive lunch. Free time to explore the shops before transferring back to the hotel.	Private dinner on the hotel beach. Overnight at Furama Resort.



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