



BUSABOUT

WINTER ADVENTURES



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ULTIMATE WINTER ADVENTURE

26 DAYS

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INCLUSIONS

- Your fantastic Busabout crew
- 25 nights' accommodation
- 25 breakfasts
- Guided orientation walks in Amsterdam, Bruges, Berlin, Prague, Krakow, Budapest, Salzburg and Munich
- Coach transport between cities

FREE TIME

 Chill out or join an optional activity

- Skate Europe's largest outdoor ice rink in Budapest
- Anne Frank Museum in Amsterdam
- Climb the Reichstag Dome for the best views of Berlin (recommended to book in advance)
- Visit Budapest's historical thermal pools
- Party in the famous ruin bars in Budapest
- Go skiing or snowboarding in the Polish, Swiss and Austrian Alps
- See an ice hockey match in Prague or Salzburg
- Enjoy a meal in a traditional beer hall in Munich
- Discover the back alleys and canals of Venice
- Visit Kutna Hora, a Bone Church, near Prague
- Countryside bike tour in Amsterdam
- Graffiti workshop in Berlin
- Visit stunning Neuschwanstein Castle in Munich
- Sound of Music tour in Salzburg
- Tour of Auschwitz and Birkenau
- River cruise in Budapest
- Full day trip to Tuscan region of Italy

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END: Paris. 10am

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SAVE 10%

Book this adventure with any other Busabout trip & SAVE 10% on the total trip price.



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Shoot down the slopes in the Austrian Alps, learn the startling history of Eastern Europe, and stuff your belly full in the restaurants of Italy. Experience the sights, sounds, and secrets that made you pick up your passport in the first place!

HIGHLIGHTS

- Hit the slopes in Zakopane & Lauterbrunnen
- Feast in traditional restaurants
- Party in the ruin bars in Budapest
- Plus all bolded highlights in the itinerary

DAY 1 | PARIS

Meet your Busabout guide and set out to explore the city. Walk the Champs-Elysees, see the Arc de Triomphe, visit Notre-Dame, climb the Eiffel Tower, or simply enjoy an afternoon relaxing. Alternatively, sign up for an optional evening bike tour including a cruise down the River Seine.

DAY 2 | PARIS - BRUGES

Today we head towards the picturesque medieval capital of Bruges. Upon arrival we have an **orientation walk of the town**. See the Belfry of Bruges, check out the Market Square and chocolate shops, or just relax with a Belgian beer and some delectable, syrup soaked waffles. (B)

DAY 3 | BRUGES - AMSTERDAM

The morning is free to explore Bruges, so get those last-minute photos before we head to Amsterdam! Upon arrival we will head out to discover the Dutch architecture, canals, museums, Dam square, and the infamous **Red Light District**. There's an optional comedy show before heading out to enjoy the nightlife! (B)

DAY 4 | AMSTERDAM

It's time for you to soak in the city at your own pace. We offer an optional bike excursion to the lush countryside and tour a traditional cheese and clog factory on the banks of the Amstel River. Tonight we head out for an epic night on the town. (B)

DAY 5 | AMSTERDAM - BERLIN

This morning we depart for Berlin. Once we arrive, learn the history with an orientation walk before enjoying some local cuisine - Currywurst is a must-have! Then prepare for some of the **best nightlife** Europe has to offer, or head to Kreuzberg to enjoy the hip local bars. (B)

DAY 6 | BERLIN

Today is a free day to explore at your own pace. See the opulent majesty of the Brandenburg Gate, explore the remnants of the Berlin Wall, visit Museum Island and spend the day lost in **Berlin's rich cultural heritage**. Join the group this evening for another unforgettable night. (B)

DAY 7 | BERLIN - DRESDEN - PRAGUE

Stopping in beautiful Dresden en route to explore along the banks of the river Elbe, this afternoon we arrive in the Bohemian gem of Prague. Spend your time getting lost in this idyllic location, and join us tonight for an optional meal in a traditional medieval style restaurant. (B)

DAY 8 | PRAGUE

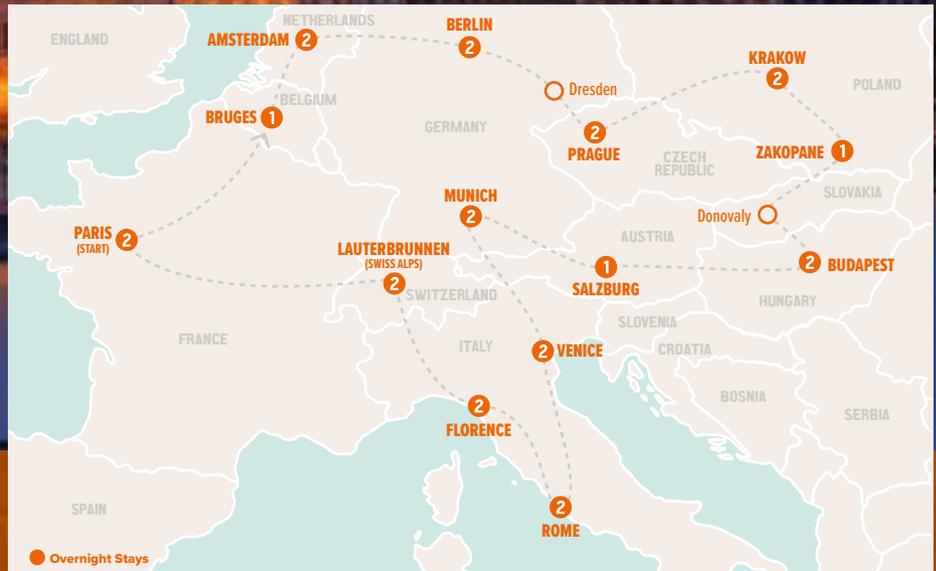
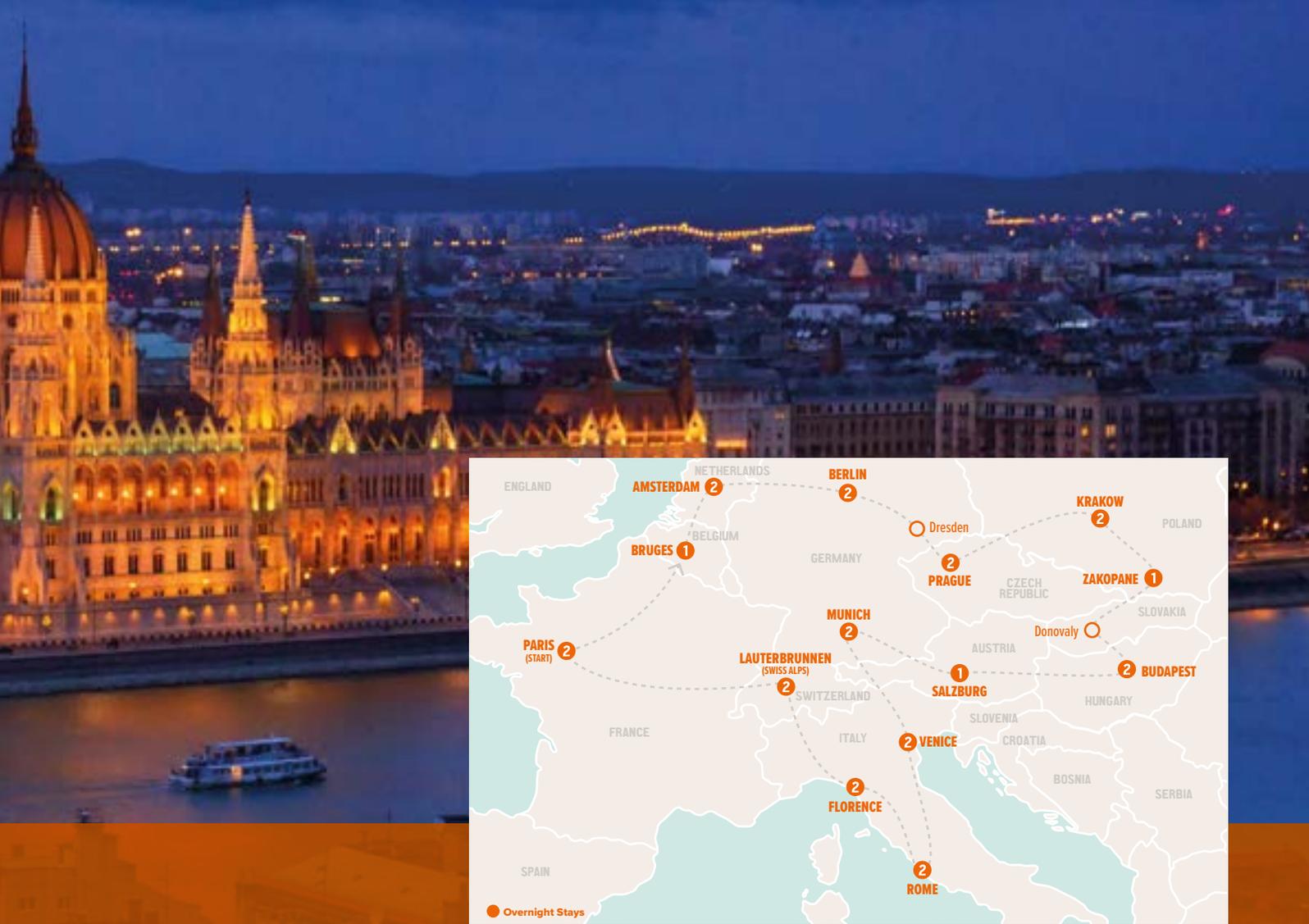
Relax, your day is free to explore. Visit Prague Castle, explore the **Old Town Square**, and see the Prague astronomical clock. Today we offer an optional trip to Kutna Hora to explore the macabre Sedlec Ossuary, a chapel adorned in the bones of over 40,000 people. (B)

DAY 9 | PRAGUE - KRAKOW

This morning we make our way to Krakow. Upon arrival we have an orientation walk. See the massive Main Market Square and try some **delicious pierogi**. Sign up for the pub crawl and have an incredible night out. (B)

DAY 10 | KRAKOW

Today you have the opportunity to witness the dark history of WWII on a tour of Auschwitz and Birkenau. Additionally you could do a tour of the impressive Wieliczka salt mine, before heading back to relax. (B)



DAY 11 | KRAKOW - ZAKOPANE

After breakfast we head to our alpine destination, Zakopane. We arrive with plenty of time to explore the scenic surroundings. Spend your afternoon on the slopes, or if you'd prefer to relax and indulge in some retail therapy head down to Krupowki Street. (B)

DAY 12 | ZAKOPANE - BUDAPEST

After breakfast we head through Slovakia with a quick lunch stop in the scenic ski resort of Donovaly before continuing onward to the Hungarian border. We arrive into Budapest with an orientation walk, then get ready for an unforgettable bar crawl through Budapest's world renowned ruin bars. (B)

DAY 13 | BUDAPEST

Today you get to explore the capital at your own pace. See the gargantuan neo-Gothic Parliament building, sign up for an optional bicycle or walking tour of the city, or skate on Europe's largest ice-skating rink. Maybe just relax and unwind in the healing waters of the thermal baths! (B)

DAY 14 | BUDAPEST - SALZBURG

Today we make our way through the snow-capped peaks of the Austrian Alps. See the Baroque towers of the Old Town, sing tunes from the Sound of Music as you skip through Mirabel Gardens, or grab a delicious traditional bite to eat. Tonight, if we're in luck we may even be treated to an ice hockey game! (B)

DAY 15 | SALZBURG - MUNICH

Explore the rest of the city in the morning before we continue through Austria's alpine scenery towards the Bavarian capital of Munich. Famous for its beer halls, you have the opportunity to visit one tonight to enjoy sausages, sauerkraut, eisbein, and giant steins of beer! (B)

DAY 16 | MUNICH

Explore Munich under your own steam and see the sprawling greenery of the English Gardens, the impressive architecture of the Frauenkirche, or watch surfers in the river Isar. Further afield you can visit Neuschwanstein castle (the inspiration behind the Disney castle) or the sombre Dachau concentration camp. (B)

DAY 17 | MUNICH - VENICE

After breakfast we make our way to "The Floating City", Venice. Built across 118 islands, this ancient architectural marvel is a UNESCO-listed monument teeming with rich history and beautiful sights. (B)

DAY 18 | VENICE

Enjoy the day in Venice! See the canals on a gondola ride, head to St. Mark's Square and try some of the world's tastiest gelato, or sample the local cuisine. Take a trip to the islands of Murano, Burano and Torcello to enjoy some of the most #instalicious views in Europe! (B)

DAY 19 | VENICE - ROME

Today we travel through the scenic Italian countryside, arriving in Rome in the afternoon. Head out to explore this city overflowing with history, art, and monuments. This evening relax with some incredible Italian food and enjoy a few glasses of vino with your fellow passengers. (B)

DAY 20 | ROME

After breakfast there's an optional walking tour of the city. See the Spanish Steps, make a wish at the Trevi Fountain, visit the Colosseum and see the ancient battleground of the Gladiators. Alternatively travel to the Vatican City, see St. Peter's Basilica, and marvel at the Sistine Chapel! (B)

DAY 21 | ROME - FLORENCE

Our destination is the Tuscan capital of Florence, where you've got the day to explore. See sights like the Piazza Signoria, the Duomo, the statue of David, and the Uffizi Galleria. Afterwards, head out for an epic night of karaoke! (B)

DAY 22 | FLORENCE

Today you have more free time to get lost and wander to your heart's content. We offer optionals such as horse riding, day trips into the heart of Tuscany, or a visit to San Gimignano to explore the vineyards and cellars and sample some delicious wine pairings. (B)

DAY 23 | FLORENCE - LAUTERBRUNNEN

Today we head for the Swiss Alpine paradise of Lauterbrunnen. Sit back and relax with your camera at the ready as we arrive in this magnificent valley dotted with 72 waterfalls, our home for two nights! (B)

DAY 24 | LAUTERBRUNNEN

Spend today in awe of Lauterbrunnen's numerous majestic sights and crashing waterfalls. We have many optionals available. For the adrenaline junkies how about paragliding or skydiving? Head to the Jungfrau for snowboarding or skiing and venture to the "Top of Europe" to soak in the views. (B)

DAY 25 | LAUTERBRUNNEN - PARIS

This morning we head back to the glamorous French capital of Paris. We arrive in the late afternoon and have one last dinner as a group, so enjoy some delicious French cuisine and drinks with your fellow passengers before heading out into the scintillating lights of Paris for one last night. (B)

DAY 26 | PARIS

Say goodbye, check-out is after breakfast. (B)

NORTHERN WINTER ADVENTURE

9 DAYS



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- Taste some cheese and learn how clogs are made on a countryside bike tour in Amsterdam
- Make your own stencil on our graffiti workshop in Berlin

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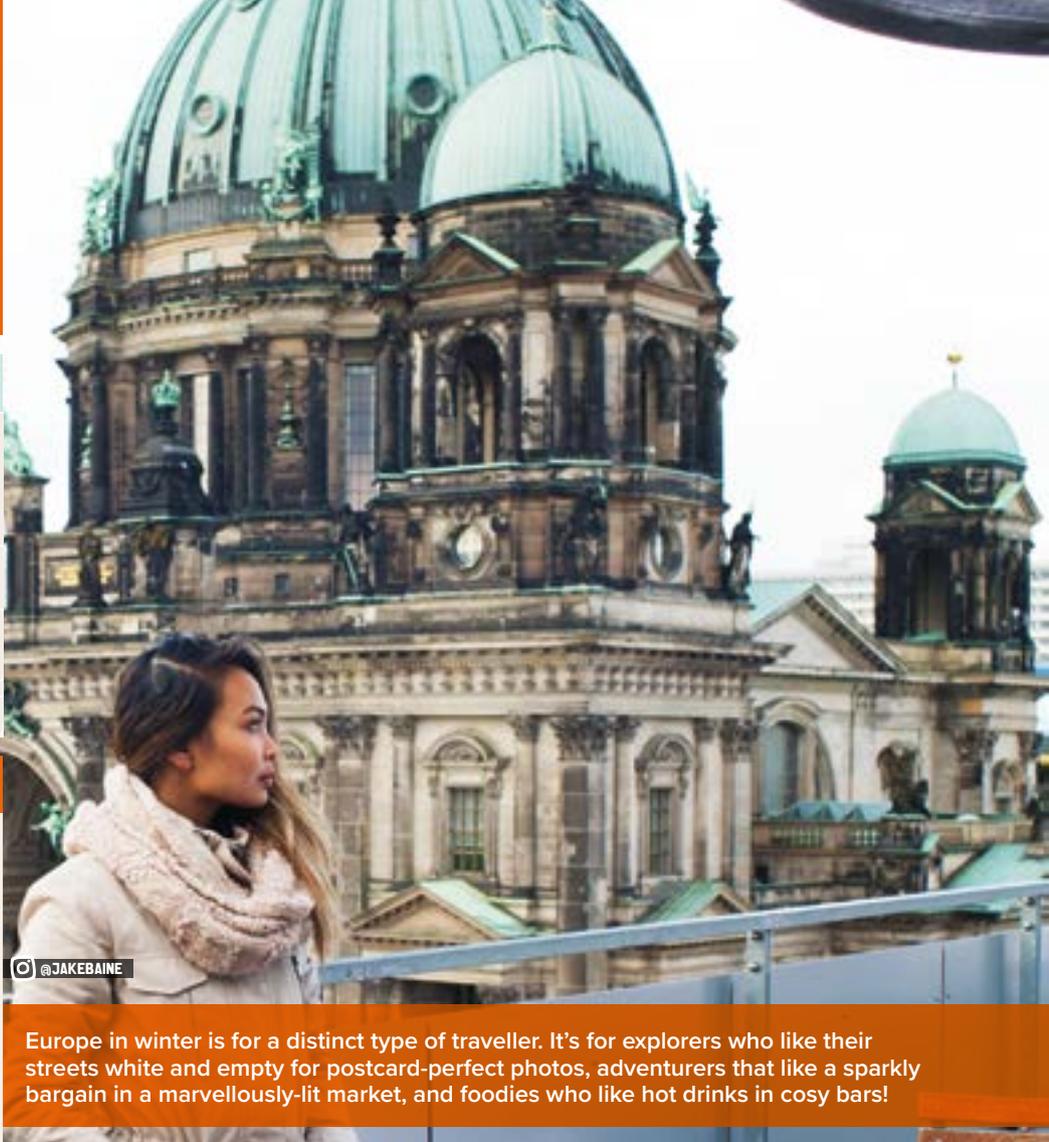
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NORTHERN WINTER ADVENTURE
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Europe in winter is for a distinct type of traveller. It's for explorers who like their streets white and empty for postcard-perfect photos, adventurers that like a sparkly bargain in a marvellously-lit market, and foodies who like hot drinks in cosy bars!

HIGHLIGHTS

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- Party till all hours in Berlin
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DAY 9 | PRAGUE

We check out after breakfast. Hope to see you again soon! (B)

EASTERN WINTER ADVENTURE

9 DAYS



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Swap beaches for snow-capped mountains, switch sunburns with cosy bars, and trade your frisbee for a pair of ice skates! It's time to sleigh off the beaten track.

INCLUSIONS

- Your fantastic Busabout crew
- 8 nights' accommodation
- 8 breakfasts
- All coach transport
- Orientation walks in Krakow, Zakopane, Budapest, Salzburg and Munich

START: Prague. 8am
END: Munich. 10am

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ITINERARY

DAYS 1 - 8 | PRAGUE - MUNICH

As per the Ultimate Winter Adventure days 9 to 16.

DAY 9 | MUNICH

All good things come to an end. The trip finishes after breakfast. (B)

FREE TIME

- Skate Europe's largest outdoor ice rink in Budapest
- Soak in Budapest's historical thermal pools and party in the famous ruin bars
- Go skiing or snowboarding in the Polish Alps
- See an ice hockey match in Salzburg
- Enjoy a meal in a traditional beer hall in Munich
- Visit stunning Neuschwanstein castle near Munich
- Tour of Auschwitz and Birkenau
- Enjoy a meal on a river cruise in Budapest
- Sound of Music Tour in Salzburg



SOUTHERN WINTER ADVENTURE

10 DAYS



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Alp yourself to the greatest mountains of Switzerland, maze through the canals of Venice, and roam through Rome's piazzas. In winter all the sights are just a little more magical!

INCLUSIONS

- Your fantastic Busabout crew
- 9 nights' accommodation
- 9 breakfasts
- All coach transport
- Orientation walk in Munich

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END: Paris. 10am

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ITINERARY

DAYS 1 - 9 | MUNICH - PARIS

As per the Ultimate Winter Adventure days 17 to 26.

FREE TIME

- Skiing and snowboarding in the Swiss Alps
- Visit the 'Top of Europe' at Jungfrauojch
- Winter extreme sports and activities
- Take a gondola ride along the canals of Venice
- Visit the world's smallest country, the Vatican, right in the centre of Rome
- Visit St. Peter's Square and Cathedral
- See Michelangelo's Sistine Chapel
- Sign up for a walking tour ticking off all the main sights of Florence
- Take a day trip full of wine and snacks to the Tuscan region of Italy
- Go paragliding or skydiving

