DARK GREEN
ADVENTURES

A JOURNEY TO THE 7TH CONTINENT

ANTARCTICA

Beyond the ordinary.
Into the extraordinary.

ICEBERGS | WILDLIFE | EXPEDITION CRUISE | PRISTINE WILDERNESS

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BEST SEASON
NOV TO FEB

Why Antarctica?

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A DESTINATION LIKE NO OTHER

A land of immense ice, extraordinary wildlife and breathtaking landscapes, Antarctica is a rare place that still still feels truly untouched.



INCREDIBLE WILDLIFE

Get up close with penguins, seals, whales and a dazzling variety of seabirds.



ZODIAC EXCURSIONS

Explore up-close with Zodiac boat rides among icebergs, glaciers and wildlife.



SHORE LANDINGS

Set foot on the White Continent at stunning locations, with expert guides leading the way.



UNFORGETTABLE ENCOUNTERS

Keep an eye out for whales as they surface in these pristine waters.



A PHOTOGRAPHER'S PARADISE

Gigantic icebergs, towering peaks and ever-changing light create dreamlike scenes.



EXPERT-LED EXPEDITION

Travel with experienced expedition staff who share their knowledge and passion.

More than a trip, it's a once-in-a-lifetime experience.

THE EXPEDITION SHIP

YOUR HOME IN ANTARCTICA

Small ship. Big Adventures.

EXPLORATION | COMFORT | EXPERT GUIDES

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APPROX. **125** GUESTS

BUILT FOR **POLAR EXPLORATION**

We travel on a carefully selected, comfortable expedition vessel with a capacity of around 125 guests. The actual ship may vary depending on the departure, but it will be of similar category, with proven polar experience and expedition capabilities.



PANORAMIC LOUNGES

Relax in cozy lounges with large windows, perfect for spotting icebergs, whales and ever-changing polar scenery.



DELICIOUS MEALS

Enjoy freshly prepared meals in the dining room with stunning views. A mix of international and local cuisine, with vegetarian options available.



OUTDOOR DECKS

Spacious decks to take in the pristine beauty of Antarctica, capture incredible photographs and soak in the fresh polar air.



LECTURES & BRIEFINGS

Learn from experienced expedition guides through engaging talks on wildlife, history, ecology and photography.

CABIN CATEGORIES

Simple, Comfortable & Functional

Cabins are designed for comfort after exciting days of exploration. All cabins have private bathroems (en-suite) with hot water, storage space and essential amenities.

TRIPLE OCCUPANCY

Our base price is based on triple-sharing cabins.

TWIN SHARING (UPGRADE)

Twin-sharing cabins may be available subject to cabin availability at the time of booking.



TRIPLE-SHARING CABIN
(Representative image)



TWIN-SHARING CABIN
(Subject to availability)



EN-SUITE BATHROOM
(Representative image)

EXPLORATION FIRST. NOT A CONVENTIONAL CRUISE.

This is an expedition-focused voyage, not a typical luxury cruise with entertainment shows. The focus is on exploring Antarctica with expert guides, through Zodiac excursions, possible shore landings, wildlife encounters and educational experiences. Each day brings new landscapes, new wildlife and new stories.



THE JOURNEY | DAYS 1-6

From Buenos Aires to the edge of Antarctica

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DAY 1

BUENOS AIRES

Arrive in Buenos Aires. Airport transfer and hotel check-in. Rest before the expedition.



DAY 2

FLY SOUTH

Flight from Buenos Aires to Ushuaia. Check in and explore the world's southernmost city.



DAY 3

ALL ABOARD

Embark the expedition ship in Ushuaia. Sail through the scenic Beagle Channel, with stunning mountain views.



DAY 4

DRAKE PASSAGE

Set out across the Southern Ocean. Expedition briefings, wildlife watching and expert talks.



DAY 5

AT SEA

Continue south. Scan for seabirds and the first icebergs as we approach Antarctica.



DAY 6

ANTARCTIC ARRIVAL

Reach the South Shetland Islands / Antarctic Peninsula region. First Zodiac excursion or landing may be possible, conditions permitting.



Expedition routes and landing opportunities depend on weather, sea and ice conditions. Day-by-day plan is indicative.

THE JOURNEY
DAYS 7–12

DEEPER INTO ANTARCTICA
& BACK WITH A LIFETIME OF MEMORIES

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DAY 7

EXPLORING FURTHER SOUTH

Full day exploring the Antarctic Peninsula. Zodiac excursions and possible shore landings (weather permitting).



DAY 8

ICEBERGS & WILDLIFE

Another day of exploration with opportunities to visit penguin colonies, cruise among giant icebergs and spot seals and whales.



DAY 9

MORE EXPLORATION

Continue our Antarctic adventures with Zodiac cruises, scenic landings and time to soak in the incredible landscapes.



DAY 10

RETURN JOURNEY

Begin our return voyage across the Drake Passage. Attend engaging talks and share photos of an unforgettable experience.



DAY 11

AT SEA

Continue sailing towards Ushuaia. Relax on board, attend final briefing sessions and celebrate the journey with new friends.



DAY 12

BACK TO BUENOS AIRES

Disembark in Ushuaia in the morning and take a noon flight to Buenos Aires.





"Same ocean. A very different you.

ANTARCTICA FAQs

GOOD TO KNOW *Before You Go*

PRACTICAL INFORMATION FOR
A SMOOTH AND MEMORABLE JOURNEY



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01 WEATHER & CLOTHING

Expect cold, windy and changeable conditions. Thermal layers, waterproof outerwear, warm gloves, a hat and sunglasses are essential. Expedition parka and waterproof boots are provided on returnable basis.



02 DRAKE PASSAGE & SEASICKNESS

The crossing can be rough or relatively calm. If you are prone to motion sickness, consult your doctor about suitable preventive medication before departure.



03 PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

Expect getting in and out of Zodiac boats, walking on uneven or slippery terrain and standing outdoors in cold conditions. A reasonable level of mobility and balance is important.



04 INSURANCE & MEDICAL COVER

Travel insurance is included in the package as specified. The policy limits covers the planned expedition activities and emergency medical evacuation.



05 FLEXIBLE EXPEDITION SCHEDULE

Landings, Zodiac excursions and wildlife encounters depend on weather, sea and ice conditions. The expedition team may change the daily programme for safety.



06 FLIGHTS, VISAS & BUFFER TIME

International flights from India are not included. Visa assistance is included. Allow sufficient buffer time around international and domestic flights.



07 DO I NEED PRIOR TREKKING EXPERIENCE?

No specialist trekking experience is necessarily required, but travellers should be comfortable with cold conditions, uneven ground and Zodiac transfers.



08 WILL I GET VEGETARIAN FOOD?

Yes, you can specify your food restrictions & allergies while booking. You can again confirm it while boarding the ship.



Different place.
Same you.
Only more alive.

REAL EXPERIENCES

EXPERT GUIDANCE

SMALL GROUPS BIGGER CONNECTIONS

TRIP COST & DETAILS

INVEST IN AN EXTRAORDINARY JOURNEY

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A ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME EXPERIENCE TO THE 7TH CONTINENT

TRIP COST

₹12,00,000

ONWARDS

The final cost will depend on the booking date, cabin selection and the available offers.

PAYMENT TERMS

Secure your spot with a simple 3-step payment plan.

25%

AT REGISTRATION

25% of the trip cost to confirm your booking.

This amount is **completely non-refundable.**

50%

120 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE

50% of the trip cost. Delay can result in cancellation and forfeit of registration amount.

This amount is **transferable, but not refundable.**

25%

30 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE

Balance 25% of the trip cost to be paid.

INCLUSIONS

WHAT'S COVERED

- **Visa assistance**
- **2 nights hotel accommodation** with breakfast
- **9 nights expedition cruise** with all meals
- **2 domestic flights** (Buenos Aires – Ushuaia – Buenos Aires)
- **Airport pickup & drop** in Buenos Aires and Ushuaia
- **Travel insurance**
- **Arrival and departure taxes,** port charges etc.
- **Shore excursions during cruise journey** (Zodiac excursions and possible landings)
- **Expedition parka & boots** on rental basis

EXCLUSIONS

NOT INCLUDED

- **International flight** from India to Argentina
- **Lunch & dinner on land** (apart from cruise)
- **Any escalation in cost** due to flight delays, flight cancellations, unforeseen incidents, weather etc.
- **Gratuity and tips**

Experiences like these are priceless.

TRAVEL FURTHER. LIVE DEEPER.

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FROM THE SAHYADRIS TO

ANTARCTICA

SOME JOURNEYS BEGIN WITH A STEP.
OTHERS BEGIN WITH A DREAM.

What started as a love for the mountains of the Sahyadris has taken me across India and to some of the most breathtaking corners of the world. After 15+ years of trekking and outdoor experiences, I founded DarkGreen Adventures to create meaningful travel experiences — for people who seek more than ordinary holidays.

Krishna Kuya
Founder, DarkGreen Adventures

WHY TRAVEL WITH DARKGREEN ADVENTURES?

15+ YEARS OF OUTDOOR EXPERIENCE

From the trails of the Sahyadris to extraordinary journeys across the world, our roots are in exploring beyond the ordinary.

EXPERIENTIAL TRAVEL COMPANY

Curating authentic journeys that connect you with nature, cultures and incredible landscapes.

WELL PLANNED & WELL SUPPORTED

From pre-trip guidance to on-trip coordination, we take care of the details so you can focus on the experience.

WOMEN FRIENDLY & SAFE TRAVEL

A respectful, inclusive and supportive travel environment with many women travellers exploring the world with us.

Real Experiences. Expert Guidance. Meaningful Journeys.

Different Place. Same You. Only More Alive.

YOUR ANTARCTICA EXPEDITION AWAITS.

₹12,00,000
ONWARDS PER PERSON

Season: November – February

SPEAK TO US ABOUT YOUR EXPEDITION.

Krishna Kuya
Call / WhatsApp: **9326393025**

Final pricing depends on the booking date, cabin selection and available offers.

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PACKING GUIDELINES

Pack light, layer well, and prepare for changing polar conditions.

ESSENTIAL FOR ZODIAC LANDINGS
Waterproof pants are mandatory. Choose a pair with secure cuffs to help prevent water from seeping in.

01 DOCUMENTS

- Passport and photocopies
- Flight information or e-ticket printouts
- Insurance information and photocopies
- Visas or vaccination certificates, if applicable
- Vouchers and pre-departure information

02 POLAR CLOTHING

- Thermal base layers and thermal underwear
- Fleece jacket or warm layer; fleece top or sweater
- Windproof and waterproof outer layers
- Warm waterproof gloves and a warm hat
- Scarf or neck warmer; wool or heavy socks
- Long pants or jeans, shirts or T-shirts, sleepwear
- Good-grip footwear for onboard and general use

03 ZODIAC & DAY EXCURSIONS

- Waterproof pants — required
- Day pack for excursions
- Dry bag to protect camera and belongings
- Binoculars — highly recommended

04 HEALTH & PERSONAL CARE

- Personal prescription medicines and an extra supply
- Motion-sickness tablets, if suitable for you
- Small first-aid kit
- Sunscreen and lip balm with sun protection
- Moisturiser, toiletries and hand sanitiser
- Ear plugs and a pen for documents

05 ELECTRONICS & COMFORT

- Camera, extra memory cards and batteries
- Outlet adapter: ship uses 220V AC with European two-pin round outlets
- Flashlight or torch; sunglasses
- Reading or entertainment items
- Watch or alarm clock; reusable water bottle

06 MONEY & OTHER USEFUL ITEMS

- Credit card(s) for onboard purchases
- Money belt, if desired
- Walking poles, if desired
- Swimwear, if planning a polar plunge

PACK SMART

- Choose practical layers instead of too many bulky clothes.
- Soft, compact luggage is easier to store aboard the ship.
- Check your airline’s baggage limits, especially for the Buenos Aires–Ushuaia domestic flight. Allowances vary by airline.

PROVIDED FOR THIS PACKAGE

Expedition parka and waterproof boots on a returnable basis. Confirm arrangements and available sizes before departure.

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SUGGESTED BOOKS

A little reading before you reach the 7th continent.

1. *The South Pole* — Roald Amundsen
An account from one of the defining expeditions in Antarctic exploration.

2. *Antarctica: Great Stories from the Frozen North* — Reader's Digest
A varied introduction to Antarctic natural history, explorers and geography.

3. *Alone* — Richard E. Byrd
A personal account by the polar explorer Richard Byrd.

4. *Crystal Desert* — David Campbell
A book on the Antarctic environment and its remarkable natural world.

5. *The Worst Journey in the World* — Apsley Cherry-Garrard
A classic narrative of the hardships of early Antarctic exploration.

6. *Antarctica: Beauty in the Extreme* — Jonathan Chester
A visual celebration of Antarctica's stark and extraordinary landscapes.

7. *The Crossing of Antarctica* — Vivian Fuchs and Edmund Hillary
The Commonwealth Trans-Antarctic Expedition of 1955–1958.

8. *The Sea and the Ice* — Louis J. Halle
A naturalist's journey to Antarctica, with particular attention to birdlife.

9. *Scott and Amundsen* — Roland Huntford
The story of the two famous rival explorers and their race to the South Pole.

10. *Endurance: Shackleton's Incredible Voyage* — Alfred Lansing
The extraordinary survival story of Shackleton's ill-fated expedition.

11. *The Greenpeace Book of Antarctica* — John May
A book exploring Antarctica through the lens of conservation and environmental concern.

12. *Penguins* — Roger Tory Peterson
A focused introduction to one of Antarctica's most iconic groups of wildlife.

Reading tip
Choose a mix of exploration stories, natural history and wildlife books. Even a little background can make the landscapes, wildlife and expedition history feel richer when you arrive.