



MindWare Educational Seminars Exclusive Port Excursions & Registration

Samba Rhythms Conference Cruise February 10 - 22, 2010 On Board the Oceania Insignia

MindWare Educational Seminars Exclusive Port Excursions (*Please note date and departure times for each excursion)	Length of Tour	Price per Person*
Samba Show (Feb. 10, 8:30pm) Enjoy a Brazilian glimpse of Carnival with a night of samba at Plataforma I Night Club and enjoy a staple of Brazilian folklore.	4 Hours	\$122
Rio Highlights (Feb. 11, 9:00am) Visit the best of Rio beginning with a train ride up through lush forest to the Corcovado which stands 710 meters above the city. Enjoy a traditional BBQ lunch before taking an insider's tour of colonial Rio. Stops include the aqueduct arches of the Lapa district and "Praça 15," the historic center of town which includes the Royal Palace, the National History Museum, the Candelaria Church and the São Bento Monastery. End the day with a thrilling cable-car ride to the top of Sugar Loaf, for breathtaking views of Guanabara Bay.	8 Hours	\$134
Buzios: Beach Paradise (Feb. 12, 10:00am) Beach lovers will visit some of the beautiful beaches on this peninsula before relaxing at Ferradura Beach.	5 Hours	\$58
Ilha Grande (Feb. 13, 10:00am) Begin the day aboard a schooner for a sail to Praia do Mangues and a walk to Lopes Mendes beach with more than 2km of fine white sand, crystal clear water and a small chapel and mosaic by Silvio Cavalheiro on the ruins of a ship.	5 Hours	\$37
Parati: Waterfalls, Gold & Cachaça! (Feb. 14, 9:00am) Learn about the history of the Gold trail in Brazil as well as Parati's incomparable flora and fauna. Trek through the Tobogã and Tarzã waterfalls and enjoy a swim there as well. Tour a cachaça distillery to see the artisanal fabrication and then enjoy a tasting of this national liquor. End the day with a stop at the Bromeliads Exhibition and take pictures of the more than 300 species of plants to be found.	5 Hours	\$49
Sao Paulo Highlights (Feb. 15, 9:00am) Begin the day with a visit to the Liberdade neighborhood, the Sé Cathedral and the Patio do Colégio. Other stops include Boa Vista Street, the Martinelli Building, the Municipal Theater, the Viaduto do Chá and Praça da República. Continue the tour at Paulista Avenue for a walking and shopping tour of the Jardins neighborhood. End the day at the Ibirapuera Park designed by Oscar Neimeyer and Roberto Burle Marx for the city's 1954 centenary and view the Bandeiras Monument and state Legislative Assembly building.	8 Hours	\$118
Itajai: Florianopolis (Feb. 16, 9:00am) Enjoy a walking tour of the city with stops at the Metropolitan Cathedral, the Municipal Market, and the Old Customs House, now a handicraft gallery. Enjoy a buffet lunch at the Ataliba restaurant and then visit the Governor's Palace and the History Museum. Later, enjoy a drive to the 18 th Century Hercilio Luz Bridge before heading to the Conceição Lagoon where lace makers display their wares. End the day with a brief stop at Joaquina Beach.	6.5 Hours	\$105
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<p>Punta del Este (Feb. 18, 9:30am) Enjoy a sightseeing promenade through this upscale resort area, visiting the residential areas of Cantegril, San Rafael and Parque Golf and La Barra de Maldonado with its twin wavy bridges and spectacular views. The next stop at the Ralli Museum of Contemporary Art is a chance to see noted Latin American artists as well as pieces by Salvador Dali. End the day with a stop at Punta Ballena for sweeping views up and down the coast before heading to Casapueblo, the dazzling white complex which serves as home and atelier of artist Carlos Paez Vilaró.</p>	3.5 Hours	\$47
<p>Montevideo (Feb. 19, 9:00am) Begin the day with a city tour - key stops include Constitution Square, Solis Theater, Independence Square and Government House, the museum of Presidents. Enjoy a walk along 18 de Julio, a commercial street lined with shops and cafés. Next stop is the Congress Building, finished in 1925, then drive through the Prado neighborhood and see the La Diligencia sculpture, the Rose Garden and the Prado Hotel. Visit key Jewish Community sites before going to the Bouza Winery near the Melilla Stream, the Santa Lucia River and its outlet, the Plata River one of the widest in the world. Tour its many vineyards including Merlot and Chardonnay, and then enjoy a wine tasting with lunch.</p>	7.5 Hours	\$116
<p>Buenos Aires: Gaucho Fiesta (Feb. 20, 10:00am) Experience a true Gaucho Fiesta at the Santa Suzana Estancia. Discover traditional dance and music in the Argentine countryside while sampling Argentine empanadas, wine and barbeque. Gauchos will demonstrate horse-riding skills in a sortija or horse exhibition. Test your riding skills or hop on a sulki to glimpse a bit of life in the Pampas.</p>	8 Hours	\$95
<p>Buenos Aires: Half Day City Tour (Feb. 21, 9:00am) Visit key sites in the city including the Obelisk, symbol of the city, the Plaza de May, Plaza San Martin, Plaza Alvear and Avenida de Mayo Corrientes. Tour the historic neighborhoods of Palermo and Recoleta, modern neighborhoods like Lezama Park and Tres de Febrero as well as the Ecological Reserve of the Costanera Sur.</p>	3 Hours	\$20
<p>Buenos Aires: Dinner & Tango Show (Feb. 21, 7:30pm) Close out your trip with an unforgettable Tango show at Carlos Gardel featuring classic orchestras that revive the original styles and melancholic rhythms of the 1940s. Enjoy traditional food and wine while enjoying the poetry of the city as it is interpreted by top musicians, dancers and singers for an unforgettable evening.</p>	5 Hours	\$95
<p>Buenos Aires: Transfers (Feb. 22, <i>see transfer departure times in bold below</i>) MindWare has arranged for day rooms at the Marriott Hotel on February 22nd for those with evening flights, so that guests can enjoy an extra day in the city, luggage free. Transfers have been arranged from the cruise ship to the hotel in the morning and from the hotel to the airport in the evening. Guests wishing to transfer directly to the airport from the cruise port, should indicate so below. <i>**Please note that transfers to the hotel will leave the cruise port at 9:30am and transfers to the airport will leave the hotel promptly at 7:00pm.</i></p>	N/A	Transfers: Hotel: \$20 Airport: \$20 Day Room: \$137/room
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Please indicate names and number of participants below:

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Buenos Aires: Transfers & Day Room <i>(Please check all that apply)</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Port to Hotel Transfer	\$20		
<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel to Airport Transfer	\$20		
<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel Day Room: Shared*	TBD		
<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel Day Room: Private	\$137/room		
<i>*Unless otherwise requested, MindWare will assign room shares, max. 8 ppl/room</i>		Grand Total	

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Credit Card: *(Please circle one)* Visa / MC / AMEX / Other _____

Card #: _____ **Expiry Date:** _____

Name on card: _____

I hereby authorize Garth Allen Marksted Travel to charge the above mentioned credit card for reservation of these excursions.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

****To authorize processing on your credit card, please fill out completely and fax this form to 514-344-5452**