

Go where hoodoos, slot canyons, arches, buttes, and mesas fill vast horizons with impossible beauty, and learn about the Americans of “Red Rock Country” who helped shape our nation’s history.



Your Expedition Leader:

From helping you spot desert bighorn sheep to recalling details about Ancestral Puebloans, the company and keen eyes of an Orbridge Expedition Leader will make all the difference in your educational experience. Enriched by their wealth of expertise, you’ll bring home a deeper understanding of the flora, fauna, natural history, and cultural narrative of America’s Southwest.

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Your 10-Day Itinerary *(subject to change)*

- Day 1:** Arrive Phoenix, AZ / Scottsdale (R)
Welcome reception
Overnight: Scottsdale Marriott Suites Old Town
- Day 2:** Scottsdale / Sedona / Grand Canyon National Park (B,D)
Brief stop in Sedona, Grand Canyon rim
Overnight: Grand Canyon Lodgest
- Day 3:** Grand Canyon National Park / Antelope Canyon / Lake Powell (B)
Optional helicopter flightseeing, Antelope Canyon guided tour
Overnight: Lake Powell Resort
- Day 4:** Glen Canyon / Monument Valley, UT (B,L,D)
Glen Canyon float trip, Navajo cookout and storytelling
Overnight: Goulding’s Lodge
- Day 5:** Monument Valley / Moab (B,L,D)
4x4 tour in Monument Valley, wine tasting
Overnight: Red Cliffs Lodge
- Day 6:** Moab / Arches National Park / Canyonlands National Park (B)
National park sightseeing
Overnight: Red Cliffs Lodge
- Day 7:** Moab / Capitol Reef National Park / Bryce Canyon National Park (B)
Pinnacles, hoodoos, and amphitheatres
Overnight: Best Western Plus Bryce Canyon
- Day 8:** Bryce Canyon / Zion National Park (B,L,D)
Zion park trails and exploration
Overnight: Zion Park Lodge
- Day 9:** Zion National Park / Las Vegas, NV (B,D)
Leisure time in Las Vegas, farewell dinner
Overnight: Paris Las Vegas
- Day 10:** Depart Las Vegas (B)

Optional Extension: Pre-tour in Scottsdale

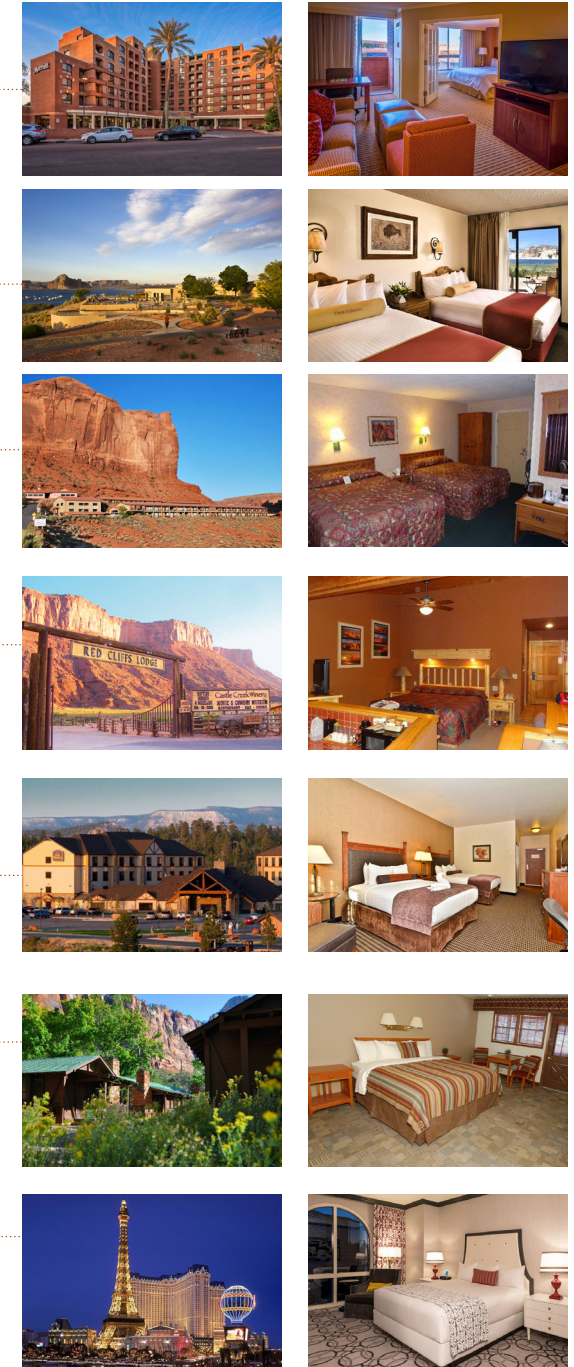
Program Highlights

- Explore the Southwest’s natural wonders with a knowledgeable Orbridge Expedition Leader.
- Visit all five U.S. national parks in Utah.
- Stand in awe before the Grand Canyon, wander along the Canyon rim, or join an optional ranger-led program.
- Experience a Navajo cookout and storytelling.
- Enjoy a 4-wheel drive tour through Monument Valley.
- Visit Arches National Park to see its intricately eroded arches.
- Walk beneath the monolithic hoodoos of Bryce Canyon.
- Follow the paths of ancient native people and pioneers at Zion National Park.
- Enjoy special inclusions such as a Glen Canyon rafting trip down the Colorado River, and a walk through the incredible Antelope Canyon with a Navajo guide.
- **What’s included:** 9 nights accommodations; 9 breakfasts, 3 lunches (2 are picnic-style), and 5 dinners; a welcome reception in Scottsdale; wine tasting in Moab; admission and park fees throughout; transport via private deluxe motor coach; luggage portage upon arrival at airport, and checking in and out of hotels; gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leader, local guides, drivers, and porters; and airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times.

Activity Level: Guests should be able to enjoy a mile of outdoor walking at a moderate pace, be sure-footed on uneven ground, get in and out of a motor coach, and manage stairs without assistance.

Accommodations *(subject to change)*

- SCOTTSDALE MARRIOTT SUITES OLD TOWN**
Delight in the comforts of this all-suite hotel located in the heart of Old Town Scottsdale. Cool off in the outdoor pool, take advantage of the fully-equipped fitness center, or relax on the picturesque outdoor patio.
- LAKE POWELL RESORT**
Enjoy comfortable lodging and terrific dining. The property’s lake view rooms with Native American flair are an ideal retreat after a day full of fun.
- GOULDING’S LODGE**
Relax and savor the spectacular views of Monument Valley at Goulding’s Lodge, a famous locale for Old West movies. Stop by the Trading Post Museum to view the artifacts, artwork, and film memorabilia.
- RED CLIFFS LODGE**
Nestled on the banks of the Colorado River and surrounded by 2,000-foot-high cliffs, the lodge has been included in *National Geographic Traveler’s Stay List of 129 Hotels We Love*.
- BEST WESTERN PLUS BRYCE CANYON GRAND HOTEL**
Surrounded by fantastic scenery of southwest Utah, most notably rock spires known locally as “hoodoos,” the hotel offers an enclosed courtyard with a pool, whirlpool, and patio.
- ZION PARK LODGE**
Nestled among the towering red rock cliffs of Zion National Park, Zion Park Lodge is a nature-lover’s paradise. Each guest room provides a warm, comfortable atmosphere, ensuring a memorable stay.
- PARIS LAS VEGAS**
Welcome to the City of Lights, Vegas style. Embrace the comforts of your tastefully-appointed guest room featuring Parisian décor.



Optional Pre-Tour Extension
Scottsdale, AZ
Admire the dramatic desert landscape, colorful Southwest culture, and relaxing leisure activities.



Extension Itinerary*

- Day 1:** Arrive Phoenix, AZ / Scottsdale (B)
Enjoy time to discover Scottsdale; take a self-guided walking tour or ride the Scottsdale trolley to explore downtown’s vibrant districts; visit Western Spirit—Scottsdale’s “Museum of the West” or relax at the hotel.
- Day 2:** Scottsdale (B)
Guided tour of Taliesin West—Frank Lloyd Wright’s beloved winter home and desert laboratory; afternoon and evening at leisure
- Day 3:** Scottsdale / Day 1 of Main Program (B,R)
Docent-led Desert Botanical Garden tour; join guests arriving for Day 1 of the Main Program

What’s Included

- Two nights accommodations at Scottsdale Marriott Suites Old Town (pictured below) or similar, including breakfast each morning
- Admission to and guided tours of Taliesin West and the Desert Botanical Garden
- Admission to Western Spirit
- All gratuities and portage
- Complimentary transfer from the airport during the suggested arrival times



*Grand Canyon accommodations to be confirmed in 2018.

Southwest National Parks

OCTOBER 22-31, 2018
Scottsdale Pre-Tour: October 20-22, 2018

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Single Pre-Tour Extension: \$995	

Guest Information:

Guest #1 Name: _____ Class Year _____

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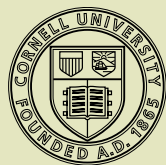
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Warmly,

James A. Mazza, '88
Associate Vice President for Alumni Affairs
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