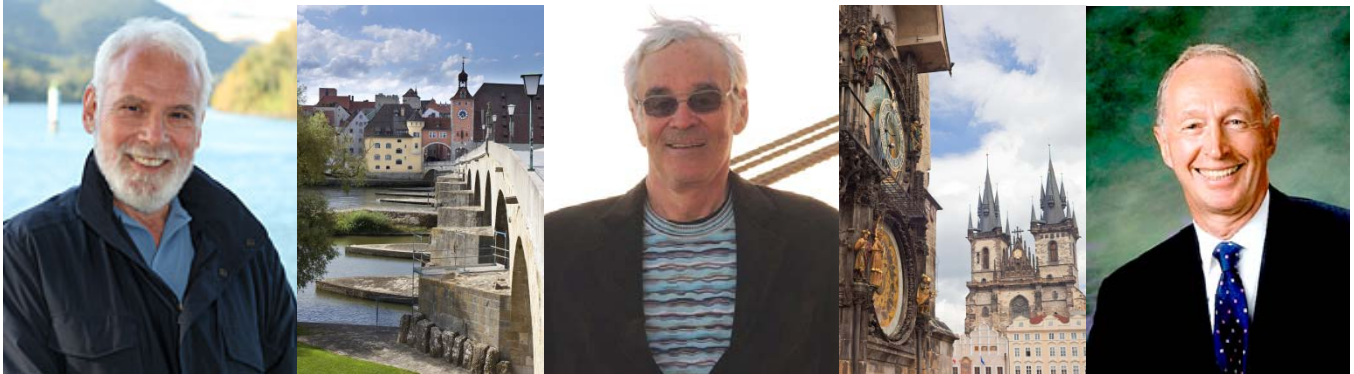


CRUISE EUROPE'S DANUBE RIVER THROUGH GERMANY, AUSTRIA & HUNGARY WITH GIDEON GARTNER, PETER CUNNINGHAM AND BURT WOLF



CRUISE PRICED FROM \$4,130 TO \$5,569 PER PERSON (plus airfare)

DEPARTURE 12TH AUGUST 2011 – RETURN 20TH AUGUST 2011

ADD AN OPTIONAL 3-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE TOUR IN PRAGUE

CRUISE ITINERARY

CRUISE DAY 1 – FRIDAY 12TH AUGUST 2011 * DEPART U.S. FOR NUREMBERG, GERMANY

CRUISE DAY 2 – SATURDAY 13TH AUGUST 2011 * ARRIVE NUREMBERG * BOARD SHIP

Arrive in Nuremberg and transfer to the ship. You can relax in your stateroom or explore the city. Burt will give you his tip sheet which lists the things he likes best in the city including a great bakery, a large street market and an excellent shop for Christmas decorations. This evening we will meet for a drink and a briefing on the itinerary. Tonight there is a Welcome Dinner on-board the ship with Gideon, Peter, and Burt. The ship will moor overnight in Nuremberg.

CRUISE DAY 3 – SUNDAY 14TH AUGUST 2011 * NUREMBERG – CROSSING THE CONTINENTAL DIVIDE

Today there is a choice of two tours – The first takes us on a tour of the medieval parts of Nuremberg, including the 900-year-old ramparts that surround this historic city and the Imperial Castle. The second tour option take us through “modern Nuremberg” and illustrates its role in the 20th-century – the Zeppelin field and the Justice Palace where the War Crimes Tribunal sat in 1946. At lunchtime, we return to the ship and cruise the Main Danube Canal to the highest point of the cruise – 1,332 feet above sea level, at which point we cross Europe's Continental Divide, and start descending through stair-step locks.





CRUISE DAY 4 – MONDAY 15TH AUGUST 2011 * REGENSBURG

This morning's cruise takes us through the final stretch of the Main-Danube Canal to Regensburg, one of Germany's best preserved medieval towns. Upon arrival in Regensburg we have a choice of two excursions. The first is a guided tour of the city's architectural highlights including the Old Town Hall, the white and gold Old Chapel and the Porta Praetoria – gates to an ancient Roman fort built in 179 A.D. The alternative morning tour is to the Audi Car Factory. In the afternoon, there is an optional tour through the Danube Gorge to Weltenburg Abbey, which was founded by Irish and/or Scottish monks in 620 and is one of the oldest abbeys in Bavaria. The present Benedictine structure dates back to the 18th century when it was extensively rebuilt in the baroque style. As Burt is quick to point out, the monks of Weltenburg Abbey have been brewing beer since 1050, which makes it the oldest abbey brewery in the world – you owe yourself a glass. In the evening, there is a musical performance on-board.

CRUISE DAY 5 – TUESDAY 16TH AUGUST 2011 * PASSAU – LINZ, AUSTRIA

After breakfast, we arrive in the 2,000 year old town of Passau. Located at the confluence of the Ilz and Danube Rivers, Passau is a city of arcades and cobblestone streets. Its Cathedral of St. Stephen's houses the world's largest church organ with over 17,000 pipes. There is also an optional excursion to the Austrian city of Salzburg, the birthplace of Mozart and the setting for "The Sound of Music" movie. Salzburg is a charming small town with busy streets, lined with interesting shops and coffee houses with magnificent pastries. On a number of occasions, Burt has filmed in Salzburg and will give us his tip sheet which will guide us to his favorite spots for eating, drinking and shopping. For those staying on-board, there is a scenic cruise from Passau into Austria and on to the town of Linz, where the Linzertorte was invented. After dinner, we can walk through this delightful town, Austria's third largest city and a major river port.

CRUISE DAY 6 – WEDNESDAY 17TH AUGUST 2011 * MELK – VIENNA

During the early morning we will cruise into the Wachau Valley which is one of the most important wine-producing regions in Austria. Burt will have a selection of the local wines on-board so we can have a taste of what is being produced in the vineyards as we pass them. In mid-morning we will arrive in Melk and take a guided tour of its Benedictine Abbey – one of the most magnificent structures in Europe and one of Europe's largest monasteries. The afternoon is spent sailing to Vienna, the capital of Austria – the city that inspired Mozart, Beethoven, Strauss and some of the world's finest pastry chefs. During the evening, there is an optional excursion to one of Vienna's classic music halls for a concert.



CRUISE DAY 7 – THURSDAY 18TH AUGUST 2011 * VIENNA

For hundreds of years, Vienna was the center of the Habsburg Empire. It is filled with magnificent art, architecture, music and excellent shopping. It is also the world’s epicenter for great coffee. Burt will give us a copy of his guide to coffee in Vienna and recommend a few of the best cafes. There is a morning tour of the city, followed by free time and a walking tour from St. Stephen’s Cathedral. Burt will offer us the option to join him for lunch at Plachutta, one of Vienna’s best restaurants. In the afternoon, we have free time in the main shopping street. There’s an optional excursion to the Schönbrunn Palace, the ancestral home of the Habsburgs. Burt will also arrange for a tasting of Sachertorte, a pastry made famous by the Sacher Hotel – a chocolate cake filled with layers of apricot jam. Dinner is on-board as we continue our cruise into Slovakia and on to Budapest, Hungary’s capital.

CRUISE DAY 8 – FRIDAY 19TH AUGUST 2011 * BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

Budapest is a peaceful, beautiful and culturally interesting city, which has managed to hold onto much of its history while adapting to the needs of a modern capital. We’ll tour the city and end up in the Castle Hill area, which holds an entire city district filled with historic houses. Castle Hill is also home to the Mathias Church, which was originally constructed in 1255. Tonight there will be a Farewell Dinner. Afterwards, the ship will sail a special “Illuminations Cruise” along the river front of Budapest.

CRUISE DAY 9 – SATURDAY 20TH AUGUST 2011 * BUDAPEST (DISEMBARK)

After breakfast on-board, we will disembark and transfer to the airport for our home bound flights which will arrive back in the U.S. on the same day (20th August 2011).

OPTIONAL PRE-CRUISE TOUR IN PRAGUE

OPTIONAL PRE-CRUISE EXTENSION * TUESDAY 9TH AUGUST 2011 * DEPART U.S. FOR PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC

OPTIONAL PRE-CRUISE EXTENSION * WEDNESDAY 10TH AUGUST 2011 * ARRIVE PRAGUE * CHECK-INTO HOTEL

Arrive in Prague and transfer to our hotel. The afternoon is free so we can unpack, relax and begin exploring the city. Burt has filmed in Prague and will supply us with a tip sheet that tells us where to eat, what to eat and drink and where to shop.

OPTIONAL PRE-CRUISE EXTENSION * THURSDAY 11TH AUGUST 2011 * PRAGUE

In the morning, there is a guided tour of Prague’s best-known treasures – the Old Town’s Astronomical Clock; Prague Castle, which is the largest ancient castle in the world with its St. Vitus Cathedral; and the Charles Bridge. The afternoon is free for walking along the banks of the river, exploring more of the Old Town and shopping. (Hotel Breakfast included.)



OPTIONAL PRE-CRUISE EXTENSION * FRIDAY 12TH AUGUST 2011 * PRAGUE

The plan is to spend the day at our leisure to relax and visit a museum or gallery, wander along the banks of the Vlatava River, stop at an outdoor restaurant or shop for local fashions, handicrafts and art work. During the afternoon we can participate in an optional tour to Terezin, the infamous Nazi WWII concentration camp, now serving as a memorial to those who perished. (Hotel Breakfast included.)

OPTIONAL PRE-CRUISE EXTENSION * SATURDAY 13TH AUGUST 2011 *

CHECK-OUT OF PRAGUE HOTEL - KARLOVY VARY – NUREMBERG, GERMANY – BOARD SHIP

After breakfast we depart Prague (by motor coach) for Nuremberg. There's a short stop in Karlovy Vary, better known by its German name, Carlsbad, which is famous for its Bohemian Spas. After lunch, we continue our drive through the countryside to Nuremberg. That evening we will meet together for a drink and a briefing on the itinerary. Tonight there is a Welcome Dinner on-board the ship with Gideon, Peter, and Burt. The ship will moor overnight in Nuremberg. (Please continue viewing itinerary on "Cruise Day 3".)

PRE-CRUISE MATERIALS FROM BURT WOLF

Prior to the Cruise departure, Burt will mail each guest a packet of his research and background material about the cruise locations and DVDs of two of his programs that relate to the cruise. These materials are his personal evaluation of the area – the history, art, architecture, what to eat, what to buy and what to see. It will give us information on the places we are going to visit. It will also give you some ideas for things you might like to do in your free time during the cruise.

EXCELLENT FOOD

One of the most popular aspects of this cruise will be the excellence of the food. Each full day on-board, there is a full breakfast, lunch, and dinner – one sitting with open seating arrangements. There is also a Cocktail Welcome Reception and Dinner, and a Farewell Dinner.

AMAWATERWAYS' on-board culinary staff offers sophisticated menus comprised of wonderful soups, fresh produce, high-quality meats, and fresh fish and seafood.

Breakfast on-board: Start each day on-board with a champagne breakfast buffet. Choose from an assortment of breads, croissants and pastries, a variety of fresh fruit, yogurt, cereals, and smoked salmon. In addition, there are cheeses, cold cuts and local sausages, as well as a daily regional special. An array of traditional breakfast items is also available from the menu.

Lunch on-board: Start with hot or cold appetizers, homemade soups, then choose from a selection of entrees, finish off with a dessert and complimentary cappuccino.

Dinner on-board: In the evening, there is a five-course dinner or a theme night with a selection of regional specialties. White and red wines, beer and soft drinks are complimentary throughout dinner. Specialty coffees are available at no charge throughout the day.



THE MOST LUXURIOUS SHIPS ON THE RIVERS

AMAWATERWAYS' *MS AmaCello*, is one of Europe's newest river cruise ships and sets the standard in European river cruising. Each stateroom offers a complimentary Infotainment System with a movie and music library and Internet free of charge. The Main Lounge offers nightly piano music and dancing. There is a Wellness Center with a fitness room and sauna, a beauty salon and masseuse, a Sun Deck with whirlpool and walking track. There are complimentary bicycles to explore towns on your own or on complimentary guided tours.

Unlike ocean cruising, our river cruise often docks right in the city center insuring that we can tour close to the ship or venture further into town. The ship's entire interior is non-smoking and all announcements are in English. *AmaCello's* English-speaking Captain, Cruise Manager and Crew are experienced professionals dedicated to our comfort.

YOUR HOSTS

GIDEON GARTNER

Gideon I. Gartner an entrepreneur and philanthropist is best known as the founder of Gartner, an information technology (IT) research and advisory company. Gideon has been described as the patriarch of the IT industry analyst business and has continued to champion information industry innovations, first through two other companies he founded—GiGa Information Group (now part of Forrester Research) and SoundView Technologies (now part of UBS AG). Today he is an advisor to young technology companies.

PETER CUNNINGHAM

Peter A. Cunningham was the founder of INPUT, Inc. He has led a continuous cycle of innovation and growth, enabling the firm to become the leading provider of government market intelligence. Peter has been an innovator in the high tech industry for over 30 years. He is a well known speaker in Japan, United States, and Europe on electronic business and the future of the software and services industry.

BURT WOLF

Since 1982, Burt has written and produced over 4,000 segments for Cable News Network (CNN), 800 segments for ABC (the American Broadcasting Company), 125 half-hour programs for the travel division of The Discovery Channel, and 300 half hours for Public Broadcasting. He has been nominated for two Cable Ace Awards and a national Emmy in connection with gastronomy and cultural history.

AIR TRANSPORTATION

Air transportation may be made privately or through AMAWATERWAYS.

EXPENSES NOT INCLUDED

Expenses not included in the Cruise cost include: roundtrip airfare, optional travel insurance, port tax (\$133.00), miscellaneous on-board expenses (laundry, telephone, minibar, liquor/food not on the regular menu), porters at airports, excess baggage fees, passport, airport transfers in Europe (approximately \$90.00 per person), lunches and dinners during the Pre-Cruise Prague Land Tour, and all other items of a personal nature.

CRUISE COSTS

The Cruise-only cost, per person (based on double occupancy):

Stateroom Fixed Window Piano Deck (E)	\$4,130
Stateroom Fixed Window Piano Deck (D)	\$4,281
Stateroom French Balcony Cello & Violin Decks (C)	\$4,569
Stateroom French Balcony Cello & Violin Decks (B)	\$4,729
Stateroom French Balcony Violin Deck (A)	\$4,809
Jr. Suite French Balcony Violin Deck (Jr. Suite)	\$5,569



ALL STATEROOMS ARE OUTSIDE-FACING PASSENGER ELEVATOR AVAILABLE TO MAIN DECKS

COST FOR THE OPTIONAL 3-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE TOUR IN PRAGUE

Add an additional \$960 per person to the Cruise Cost (based on double occupancy) to include the 3-night Land Tour in Prague.

DECK PLANS

Built 2008; Length: 360 ft., Width 38 ft.; Crew members: 41; Staterooms: 71; Jr. Suites: 4, Sun Deck with Deck Chairs, Bicycles on-board, Fitness Center, Massage, Beauty Salon, Elevator, Internet consoles in each stateroom.

Jr. Suite
French Balcony
Category A
French Balcony
Category B
French Balcony
Category C
French Balcony
Category D
Fixed Window
Category E
Fixed window
Single
French Balcony



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PLEASE BOOK EARLY TO CONFIRM YOUR RESERVATION & STATE ROOM**