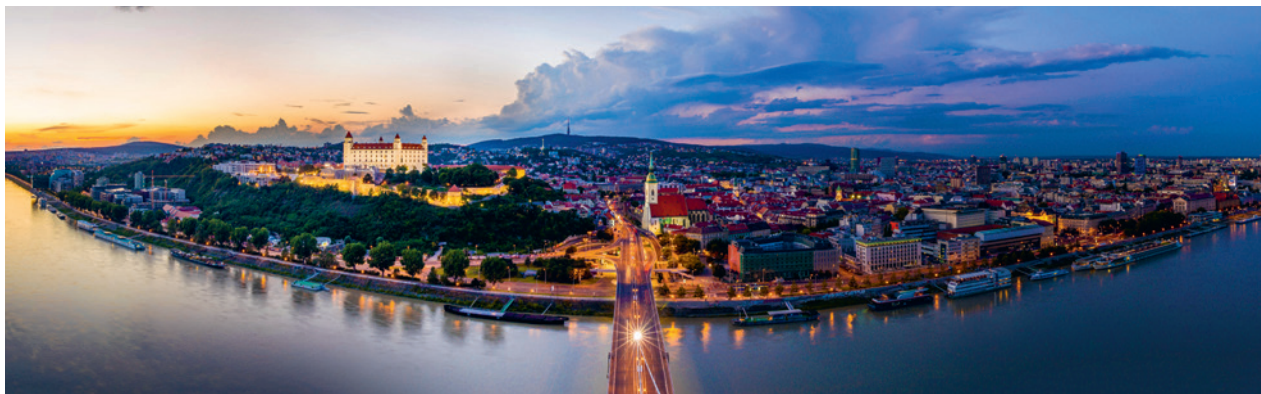


# DANUBE MEDLEY: VIENNA, BUDAPEST, BRATISLAVA & THE WACHAU

VIENNA TO VIENNA – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



BRATISLAVA, CAPITAL OF SLOVAKIA

Celebrate the wonders of the Danube during this week-long, three-country cruise! First is the Baroque wonderland of Vienna, Austria's City of Music. Then, head southeast to Esztergom, Hungary's capital until the 13th century, where you might take a jaunt up Castle Hill to admire the treasures at the country's largest church – or maybe hike or bike as you see the sights. Then, raise a glass and toast the dazzling beauty of Budapest. Its artistic bridges give you many opportunities to criss-cross the river for encounters with its colossal Parliament building, Heroes' Square, and the glamorous Castle District. Next up: Bratislava's fun personality and lovely pedestrian Old Town; the charms of Tulln; and the world-class wines and breathtaking scenery of the enchanting Wachau Valley.

## ITINERARY

Day 1 – Vienna	Day 6 – Bratislava
Day 2 – Esztergom	Day 7 – Tulln/Wachau Valley
Day 3 – Budapest	Day 8 – Vienna
Day 4 – Budapest	
Day 5 – Budapest	



## DATES IN 2025

27 Apr, 8 May, 25 Jun, 6 Jul, 31 Jul,  
10 Aug, 3 Sep, 14 Sep, 24 Sep, 5 Oct,  
15 Oct, 29 Oct



## RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Further enhance your cruise with unforgettable experiences – like a private concert at Budapest's Neo-Baroque Wenckheim Palace. Admire the ornate decor that has been captured in Hollywood movies such as “Spy” and “Red Sparrow” – then sip champagne as the heart and soul of the Danube is revealed through the music.

## DAY 1 – VIENNA

Welcome to Vienna, Austria's capital and wonderland of all things Habsburg, music, and Baroque! Embark the luxurious Riverside Mozart and relax as you settle in – or, if you arrive early, join us for a Highlights of Vienna tour. Tonight, meet your crew and fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner. Ship cruises overnight.

## DAY 2 – ESZTERGOM

A leisurely morning – perfect for a relaxed breakfast and the chance to appreciate the scenery as you cross into Hungary. After lunch, arrive in Esztergom, Hungarian capital from the 10th until the mid-13th centuries. An exciting RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions includes a visit to Esztergom Basilica to see its opulent Treasury, including a 12-pound gold and gemstone-encrusted cross; a guided bike ride through Hungary and Slovakia; a fun foodie walk to sample the local specialties; or a visit to nearby Visehrad to see its impressive fortress. Ship remains in port until late.

## DAY 3 – BUDAPEST

As you enjoy a peaceful morning up on the Vista Deck, you'll be impressed as your ship makes a slow and regal entrance into Budapest. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you can ride in a comfortable coach to see the best of the city; visit the vast Hungarian Parliament Building lining the river; or embark on a Jewish heritage discovery at Dohány Synagogue, the largest synagogue in Europe. Your ship remains in port tonight, so check out Budapest nightlife – or join our RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE concert at beautiful Wenckheim Palace.

## DAY 4 – BUDAPEST

Another full day lets you soak in everything that makes Budapest so special. How about a visit to Gödöllő Castle, one of the largest Baroque castles in the world?

## DAY 5 – BUDAPEST

Enjoy a final day to see the sights and make some memories. Additional RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences are available to fairytale Fishermen's Bastion and the fascinating Castle District for some of the best views over the city and river, or a trip out into the countryside for a tasting of the local Hungarian wines. Back on the ship later, head up to the Vista Deck for sheer magic as your ship moves slowly past the grand cityscape on the way out of Budapest.

## DAY 6 – BRATISLAVA

Enjoy a leisurely morning – perfect for a relaxed breakfast, plenty of refills on your coffee or tea, and the chance to appreciate the passing scenery. After lunch, arrive in Bratislava, the enchanting capital of Slovakia, for a full menu of RIVERSIDE CHOICE options! How about time at the Danubiana Art Museum, the opportunity to try some of Slovakia's fascinating wines, an active bike ride to Devin Castle, or a visit to a traditional Slovak family home? Alternatively, you can head out on your own to do some shopping or enjoy a pint of Slovakian beer at a local pub!

## DAY 7 – TULLN / WACHAU VALLEY SCENIC CRUISING

Arrive today in the 2,000-year-old Lower Austrian town of Tulln. Settled in pre-Roman times, hear about centuries marked by Turkish invasions, floods, and the Thirty Years War, and see the Nibelungen Fountain commemorating Attila the Hun's proposal to Kriemhild (which legend says took place in Tulln). Through RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you can take a fun bike tour through the Austrian countryside; discover one of Europe's most unique organic gardening showcases at Tulln Gardens; or visit Klosterneuburg Abbey for a tour of the 12th-century Augustinian monastery and wine tasting. We also have a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE wine tasting at Gobelsburg Castle, where wine production began in 1171! Later, rejoin your ship and cruise into the heart of the Wachau Valley to see its enchanting collection of castle ruins, terraced vineyards, and apricot orchards.

## DAY 8 – VIENNA

After breakfast, disembark the Riverside Mozart and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.



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