

# **CON ACENTO ESPAÑOL**







## **NOVEMBER 9 – 17, 2018\*** 9 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

\*Travel dates to be confirmed upon flight booking









#### DAY 1: USA | SPAIN - (Friday)

· Fly overnight from Detroit to Málaga.

#### DAY 2: MÁLAGA | GRANADA - (Saturday)

- Bienvenido a España! Your Spanish Forum Tour Manager will greet you at the airport in Málaga and remain with your group for the duration of your trip.
- Board your private motor coach and transfer to **Granada**.
- Check in to your hotel and enjoy some free time to freshen up and relax.
- Dinner and night accommodation in Granada.



#### DAY 3: GRANADA | CÓRDOBA - (Sunday)

- After breakfast, enjoy a guided visit to the magnificent Alhambra Palace.
- Explore the **Generalife gardens** and visit the Palacio de Carlos V.
- Visit the Albaicin Quarter before enjoying lunch near the cathedral (lunch not included).
- Then, travel to **Córdoba**, one of the greatest centers of art, culture and learning in the Western World during the Middle Ages.
- This afternoon, visit the Cathedral and La Capilla Real.
- · Dinner and overnight accommodation in Córdoba.



#### DAY 4: CÓRDOBA | TOLEDO - (Monday)

- After breakfast enjoy a guided visit of the Mezquita, an 8th century mosque and one of the most beautiful examples of Spanish Muslim architecture.
- Next, you will discover the **Jewish Quarter** and the Synagogue.
- Enjoy some free time for lunch and a chance to explore Córdoba's colorful patios filled with flowers.
- Board your private motor coach and travel to the monumental city of Toledo.
- Along the way, make a quick stop in **Puerto Lapice** where you will visit the inn where, according to legend, Don Quijote was "knighted".
- Dinner and overnight accommodation in Toledo.



#### **DAY 5: TOLEDO - (Tuesday)**

- This morning after breakfast, meet your local guide for a walking tour of the city. Visit the Monasterio de los Reyes Católicos. Along the way, pass by El Cristo de la Luz, La Muralla Romana, La Muralla Visigoda and La Muralla Musulmana.
- Enter La **Sinagoga del Tránsito** and revel in the elaborate interior.

  Alongside the synagogue is the Sephardic Museum which is dedicated to Spain's Jewish culture.



## **OTTAWA HILLS**

## **ITINERARY**



- Visit La Judería, Toledo 's Jewish Quarter.
- Stop by the church of **Santo Tomé** to see El Greco's masterpiece: The Burial of the Count of Orgaz.
- After lunch on your own, visit the monumental Catedral Primada, the spiritual heart of the Spanish church.
- Later, visit a workshop to learn about the traditional art of damasquinado.
- Enjoy some souvenir shopping in Plaza de Zocodóver.
- Tonight enjoy pollo asado for dinner.
- Overnight accommodation in Toledo.

#### DAY 6: TOLEDO | SEGOVIA | MADRID - (Wednesday)



- After breakfast, board your private motor coach and depart for **Segovia**.
- On arrival, meet your local guide and visit the Alcázar, the Roman Aqueduct and Las Iglesias Románticas.
- After entering the Alcazar, get another perspective as you enjoy the view from the grounds.
- Have lunch at Casa Cándido (subject to availability) in the early afternoon before travelling to Madrid.
- On arrival, drop your bags at your hotel before exploring the city with your Forum Tour Manager.
- Visit the **Puerta del Sol**, the lively epicenter of Madrid which is home to countless shops and restaurants. Then, enter El Corte Inglés, one of Spain's most famous department stores.
- Around 09:00 PM, complete your day with some tapas at Mesón Rincón de la Cava (subject to availability).
- Overnight accommodation in Madrid.



#### **DAY 7: MADRID - (Thursday)**



- After breakfast, meet your local guide and visit the **Museo del Prado** and admire its collection of Spanish paintings. See masterpieces by Goya and Velázquez, including **Las Meninas**, considered by some art historians to be the greatest canvas ever painted.
- Later, explore the **Museo Reina Sofía**, home to works of art from the 20th century including Picasso's masterpiece, Guernica.
- After some free time for lunch, visit the Palacio Real. With 3000 rooms, this royal residence is twice the size of Buckingham Palace.
- Tonight, enjoy a paella dinner at Restaurante El Arrozal (subject to availability).
- After dinner, explore the Plaza Mayor.
- Later in the evening, enjoy some chocolate and churros at the Chocolatería San Ginés.
- Overnight accommodation in Madrid.



#### DAY 8: MADRID - (Friday)

• After breakfast, take a **guided bus tour** of Madrid.



## **OTTAWA HILLS**

**ITINERARY** 



- See Plaza de España, Plaza del Descubrimiento, Plaza Colón, Estación Atocha and the Cuatro Torres Business Area.
- Then visit a **local school** where you will have the opportunity to meet local Spanish students.
- Have lunch on your own and enjoy some free time at Parque del Retiro and Café Gijón.
- This afternoon enjoy a guided tour of **Estadio Santiago Bernabeu**, home of the world-famous soccer team, Real Madrid.
- This evening for your farewell meal enjoy a **Flamenco dinner show!**
- · Overnight accommodation in Madrid.



#### DAY 9: RETURN TO THE USA - (Saturday)

• After breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight home.







## **OTTAWA HILLS**

### PRICE PER PERSON SHEET

This is your tailor-made travel experience - you will not be combined with another group!

PRICE PER PERSON		PAYMENT SCHEDULE	
40 + participants	\$3,060	April 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	\$500
35 to 39 participants	\$3,090	June 1st, 2018	\$1000
30 to 34 participants	\$3,180	August 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2018	\$1000
25 to 29 participants	\$3,290	September 1st, 2018	Balance
20 to 24 participants	\$3,350		
15 to 19 participants	\$3,650		

#### **PRICE INCLUDES:**

- ✓ Round-trip airfare\* from Detroit to Málaga and from Madrid to Detroit
- ✓ Departure taxes and airline fuel surcharges of \$553 per traveler
- ✓ Ground transportation while in Europe
- ✓ 7 nights multiple occupancy (3/4 students per room with private bath) in quality three-star hotels
- √ 7 Breakfasts / 1 Lunch / 7 Dinners (includes one beverage and a vegetarian option)
- All cultural and aforementioned visits, activities, tours, and admissions as per itinerary
- ✓ Service of a dynamic professional bilingual Forum Tour Manager with the group on tour
- ✓ Service of a night hall monitor 4h a night

#### **PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:**

- ✓ Meals not indicated in your itinerary
- Tips are at your discretion these are standard guidelines:
  - Forum Tour Manager: 4 Euros per day, per traveler
  - Bus Drivers: 1 Euro per day, per traveler
- ✓ Rooming and Adult Supplements:
  - Twin Room Guarantee Supplement \$40 pp/night or Single Room Guarantee Supplement \$80 pp/night
  - Adult Activity Supplement \$10 pp/day

#### NOTES

- \*Airlines have the legal right to increase fuel surcharges to flight tickets after bookings have been made. In the event of an increase in airline taxes and/or fuel surcharges, Forum reserves the right to update prices accordingly.
- Forum Language Experience has purchased the Student Protection Plan from Travel Insured International on behalf of all participants. Cancel For Any Reason is an available option that must be purchased at the time of trip deposit. \*CFAR is not available to residents of NY\*
- Forum has quoted this package at an exchange rate of 1 Euro = 1.25 USD. In the event of a significant change in the exchange rate, Forum reserves the right to update prices accordingly.

Date of quote: February 14, 2018 | Prices are valid until: First payment deadline | Your Forum Tour Consultant: Sharmila Hall

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