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THE JESUIT UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

SOUTHWEST NATIONAL PARKS

SEPT. 30 - OCT. 9, 2017
Special Alumni Rate
SAVE MORE THAN $600 per couple

10 Days of America’s Natural Wonders
Dear Alumni and Friends,

I am pleased to invite you on a journey to the national parks and monuments of the Southwest. View rock formations and otherworldly landscapes that must be seen to be believed at reserves including Monument Valley, Bryce Canyon, Zion National Park, Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument, and Arches National Park. Reflect at the rim of Grand Canyon National Park and admire the beauty of light striking Antelope Canyon’s narrow sandstone walls. Share a peaceful evening with Navajo storytelling, and ponder cultures past and present at a petroglyph site during a river raft ride down Glen Canyon.

With the guidance of two expert Orbridge Expedition Leaders and the comforts of a private motor coach, there is no better way to visit our national parks.

Space is limited. Our rate for Fordham guests on this departure represents a significant savings (more than $600 per couple) over that of non-affiliated guests, so be certain to reserve your spot today and share this brochure with family and friends who may be interested in traveling with you. Please reserve your space online at http://fordham.orbridge.com, by phone at (866) 639-0079 or by returning the enclosed reservation form.

Best regards,

Michael E. Griffin
Associate Vice President for Alumni Relations
Development and University Relations
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 10-Day Itinerary***

**Day 1:** Arrive Las Vegas, NV (R)
Welcome reception
Overnight: Westin Las Vegas

**Day 2:** Zion National Park, UT (B,D)
Park trails and exploration
Overnight: Zion Park Lodge

**Day 3:** Bryce Canyon National Park (B)
Pinnacles, hoodoos, and amphitheaters
Overnight: Best Western Plus Bryce Canyon

**Day 4:** Bryce Canyon National Park / Moab (B,L,D)
Escalante National Monument, wine tasting
Overnight: Red Cliffs Lodge

**Day 5:** Moab / Monument Valley (B,D)
Arches National Park, Navajo cookout and storytelling
Overnight: Goulding’s Lodge

**Day 6:** Monument Valley / Lake Powell, AZ (B,L)
4x4 Jeep tour, Navajo National Monument optional Lake Powell cruise
Overnight: Lake Powell Resort

**Day 7:** Lake Powell / Antelope Canyon (B,L,D)
Glen Canyon float trip, petroglyphs, Antelope Canyon guided tour
Overnight: Lake Powell Resort

**Day 8:** Grand Canyon National Park (B,D)
Grand Canyon rim
Overnight: Grand Canyon Lodges†

**Day 9:** Grand Canyon / Scottsdale (B,D)
Optional helicopter flightseeing, leisure time in Sedona, farewell dinner
Overnight: Westin Kierland Resort and Spa

**Day 10:** Depart Scottsdale (B)

**Program Highlights**

- See the Southwest’s natural wonders with two knowledgeable Orbridge Expedition Leaders.
- Follow the paths of ancient native people and pioneers at Zion National Park.
- Walk beneath the monolithic hoodoos of Bryce Canyon.
- Visit Arches National Park to see its intricately eroded arches.
- Experience a Navajo cookout and storytelling.
- Enjoy a 4-wheel drive tour through Monument Valley.
- Stand in awe before the Grand Canyon, wander along the Canyon rim, or join an optional ranger-led program.
- 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; a welcome drink, 9 breakfasts, 3 lunches (2 are picnic-style), and 6 dinners; admission and park fees throughout; transport via private deluxe motor coach; a private wine tasting in Moab; 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.

*Subject to change.*
Accommodations (subject to change)

WESTIN LAS VEGAS
This stylish hotel features a 100% non-smoking environment, modern guest rooms, outdoor heated pool, fitness studio, lobby lounge, and 24-hour bistro.

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.

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.

MOAB 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.

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.

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.

WESTIN KIERLAND RESORT AND SPA
Indulge in the Resort’s first-class amenities, creating the perfect ending to an amazing journey.

†Grand Canyon accommodations to be confirmed in 2017.
Your Expedition Leaders:
From helping you spot desert bighorn sheep to recalling details about Ancestral Puebloans, the company and keen eyes of two Orbridge Expedition Leaders 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.

Early Reservation Bonus: See reverse for details.
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- **Option 1:** Reserve online now at [http://fordham.orbridge.com](http://fordham.orbridge.com) or call (866) 639-0079.
- **Option 2:** Secure your reservation with a deposit charged to the credit card below, or with an enclosed check payable to: Orbridge, LLC.

**Guest Information:**
- **Guest #1 Name:** ___________________________  **Class Year:** ________
- **Guest #2 Name:** ___________________________  **Class Year:** ________
- **Address:** ___________________________
- **City:** ___________________________  **State:** ________  **Zip:** ________
- **Email:** ___________________________  **Phone:** ___________________________  **Alt. Phone:** ___________________________
- **Category Preference (if applicable):** 1st choice ________  2nd choice ________

**Deposit:**
- (###) guests joining program ($850/person) = **Total deposit:** $________

**Deposit Payment:**
- □ Check enclosed  □ Online Check/ACH  □ MasterCard/Visa  □ American Express  □ Discover
- **Card #:** ___________________________  **Exp. date:** ________  **CVV:** ________
- **Name (as printed on card):** ___________________________
- **Billing address (if different from above):** ___________________________
- **City:** ___________________________  **State:** ________  **Zip:** ________

I/we have read, understand, and agree to the full Terms & Conditions at [http://terms.orbridge.com](http://terms.orbridge.com) and detailed in program documents; and that Orbridge LLC is authorized to charge my credit card above and/or take my/our deposit for this program.

**Signature:** ___________________________  **Date:** ________

**Mail or fax reservation form and deposit to:** Orbridge  
P.O. Box 10339, Bainbridge Island, WA 98110  
Fax: (206) 452-5655

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**Registration, Deposits and Final Payment.** To confirm and secure your reservation, a deposit of $850 per person per program, a deposit for any extension(s), and any non-refundable advanced payments, payable by check, online check/ACH, money order, wire transfer of same day U.S. funds, or major credit card, is due at the time of registration. Final payment, including any extension(s) and optional(s), is payable by check, online check/ACH, money order, or wire transfer of same day U.S. funds only and due no later than 90 days prior to the scheduled program departure date. If your reservation is made fewer than 90 days prior to departure, the entire cost of the program, including any extension(s) and optional(s), is due at the time of registration by check, money order, or wire transfer of same day U.S. funds only. If final payment is not received by Orbridge at least 90 days prior to the scheduled program departure date, Orbridge may, at any time and with or without notice, cancel your reservation in its sole discretion with no right of refund. All payments we receive from you are herein defined as “Payments.” CST#2098750-40 WST#60282894

**Cancellations and Refunds.** All cancellations must be submitted to Orbridge in writing and will be subject to a cancellation fee (“Cancellation Fee”) as follows: (a) if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge 181 or more days prior to the scheduled departure date, the cancellation fee will be $500 per person per program, $300 per person per extension, and any non-refundable advance payment(s); (b) if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge between 150 and 91 days prior to the scheduled departure date the cancellation fee will be forfeiture of the full deposit per person per program including any extension(s) and non-refundable payment(s); (c) if the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge 90 or fewer days prior to the scheduled departure date, the cancellation fee will be the full program price, including any extension(s) and non-refundable payments. In addition to and not in lieu of the foregoing, a Cancellation Fee equal to 100% of the carrier charge applies to all non-refundable airfares due to your cancellation made at any time prior to the scheduled program departure date, as applicable. Refunds, if any, of any Payments in excess of the aggregate Cancellation Fee shall be processed within 30 calendar days of our receipt of your written notice.


*Special group rate; limited offer. Rates are per person based on double occupancy except where noted as Single, in U.S. dollars. Airfare not included. Single availability limited. **A complement to the educational component of this journey, Expedition Libraries are curated collections of useful resources and background reading tailored to this program. Place your deposit on or before the specified date, and one Expedition Library per room will be sent upon receipt of final payment. Libraries may be purchased; please call for details.
What Guests Are Saying...

Of course the beauty of the Southwest is un-excelled anywhere in the world. I can’t stop raving about it and telling people about Orbridge. Such a professional organization. There is nothing like a great trip to keep the memories sparkling every idle moment of a day. Thank you, Orbridge, for a trip of a lifetime!
~ Penny S., Nantucket, MA

I particularly enjoyed the cook out in Monument Valley. The setting was magnificent and I enjoyed sitting around the campfire and listening to our Navajo hosts. Really terrific!
~ Staycee C., Clearwater, FL