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Presentation

We like to compare our discovery of Portuguese wines to the discovery of the Jerónimos Monastery in Lisbon, the Ossos Chapel in Evora, the University of Coimbra or the Capela das Almas in Oporto.
In one of the smallest countries in Europe you will find 14 Wine Regions and among them the oldest Demarcated Region in the world, dating back to 1756.
With our offer of programs related to wine, you will discover unique places for their majesty and also for their modernity,for producers who put passion in every wine they produce, for wines that are the reflection of this diversity and, especially, of a knowledge that comes from far away, and for the will to always do better.
Come and try some of the best wines in the world. Let yourself be surprised!





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WINE TOURS







Lisbon Noble Wines

(Colares, Carcavelos & Bucelas)

On this amazing full-day tour, we propose you to get acquainted with wines from the Lisbon Region, full of History and produced in amazing Wine Estates with palaces and manor houses that will surprise you.
Simultaneously you will visit regions of great beauty, such as the region of Colares, in Serra de Sintra, Oeiras, on the coast of Lisbon and Bucelas, a region still unexplored and therefore full of authenticity and history.
Portugal has 14 wine regions and 3 fortified wines, one of them is in the Lisbon Region, the Carcavelos Wine.
You will like to know this other passion of the Marquis of Pombal, the man behind the reconstruction of the city of Lisbon after the earthquake of 1755 and the story behind the defeat of Napoleon at the gates of Lisbon.
You will also get to know the only vineyards that survived the phylloxera plague in the mid-19th century when all the others in Europe died.
An unforgettable day with unforgettable wine tastings.

***Note**: For groups, it is possible to have lunch in one of the Wine Estates. Please contact us.*

Days - Daily
Approximate Duration - 8 hours

Wine Masterclass

Our Wine Masterclass in Lisbon is held in an artisanal food shop which presents the finest Portuguese gastronomy. Sourced by small producers, out of the mainstream channels, selected after the owner's research and trips throughout the country. The criteria for choice are taste and natural practices, and whenever possible organic and biodynamic.
Located in a hidden street in the Santos neighborhood, carrying over 500 products from 150 small producers, sampling all Portuguese regions and a few European delicacies, the wine is at the core of their offering.
Here you will taste the Natural Wines, those which have organic grapes, fermented with indigenous yeasts, have minimally added sulfites, with temperature control and filtration done naturally.
They follow-up on winemakers, visiting, harvesting and keeping in touch to understand their wines better and to share that knowledge and experience with you.
This Wine Masterclass will cover the main Portuguese regions and grapes, and the most authentic and rare wines, from small producers, which observe natural practices, assuring lively wines, that express terroir and winemakers' choices.
The tasting is held in a very informal environment in form of a lovely conversation around our passion – the wines!

Days – Tuesday to Sunday
Approximate Duration – 1,5 hours

Regional Wines & Liquor Tastings in the Cellars

The south of Lisbon's region is very rich in gastronomy and wines but also in landscapes and activities so diverse that you can find mountain and sea.
Wine producers since ancient times, are the cradle of the famous Moscatel Wine and the unique Moscatel Roxo, but the Arrábida Park was also inhabited since ancient times by the Arrabidine friars, responsible for the ancestral recipe of the Liquor with the same name, now recovered according to the old recipe, kept secret for several generations.
We start the day with a visit to a producer in the region who over a period of generations is characterized by an exclusively female management, producers of some of the best wines in the region. You will taste here their wines and some regional products, followed by a lunch of regional snacks at the Castle of Palmela.
We will visit this castle full of stories and then the producer of liqueurs Arrabidine, where we will know its history, the manufacturing process, and its wine cellar, ending with a tasting of their own production Liqueurs accompanied by a second Tasting of regional products, including the famous Cheese of Azeitão.

Days – Daily
Approximate Duration - 8 hours

Wine Tours

(in all ofthe Portuguese Wine Regions)

An experience that will showcase the diversity of Portuguese Wine Regions, beyond the landscape diversity.
Portugal has been in the shadow of the wine scene for way too long. Over the past few years, Portugal has been imposing itself as a top wine producer and the wine awards received, prove this fact.
From secular wine cellars full of history, small traditional producers and old technics, to the new producers and technologies, we will be careful to provide you with a unique experience in each wine tour.
Portugal has some of the best and most charming traditional wineries where native grape varieties are still handpicked and are foot-trodden in an old-fashioned way. Portugal is also the owner of unique wines such as the fortified Port Wine, the Madeira Wine, and exceptional table wines.
There are over 1 million acres (400,000 hectares) of vines in Portugal of distinct varieties of grapes depending on the region since the climate and soil type really varies from the cool North region where "green wine" is produced, down to the Southern Alentejo region influenced by the hot and dry climate.
Distinct varieties of grapes come from the regions of Alentejo, Algarve, Beira, Dão, Douro, Bairrada, Tejo, Setúbal, and from all the rest of the 14 wine regions Portugal has.
The wine tours always include a regional lunch in a local restaurant.

NOTE: It is possible to include a meal at the wineries. Please contact us. According to the region and the time available, we will include other traditional activities in the tour (for example a visit to a traditional tile factory, a boat ride, visits to relevant heritage monuments, a visit to the potters, among other possibilities).

Days – Daily
Approximate Duration - 8 hours

West Wines & Secrets Tour

Come with us on a journey to discover secret and unexpected places.
In this full day tour, we will visit an unexpected wine estate in an old convent, which dates back to ancient times. Nowadays, they produce amazing wines in the West Region that you will taste after the visit.
In the same mountain, we will visit a working windmill, in which you will have lunch overlooking the Atlantic Ocean.
If you already took the Lisbon Food Tour, which we highly recommend, you probably know that the Portuguese Kings had many privileges, like many others in the world, and one of those was being the owners of an Ice Factory, built for them in these mountains, around 80 kilometers from Lisbon, where the Ice was made during the winter to refresh them in the summer. And this has its proof in a still working café, downtown Lisbon.
You will visit it and will better understand about our history and culture from that.
In a day full of stories, you will also visit one of the most romantic wine estates in Portugal and a great wine producer from this region. Its love stories will enchant you and will allow you to better understand why their wines are so magnificent.

Days – Daily
Approximate Duration - 8 hours

Wine Lovers Porto

Experience this nectar of the Gods in the heart of Porto.
During this Wine Tour in the city, you will visit the House of Port Wine, where you will get to know these amazing wines, which belong to the oldest Wine Region in the World, dating back to 1756.
You will taste two different Port wines to better understand the difference between them and learn how to do an informed purchase.
The northern Region is not only recognized by the Port wines production, but also by great table wines, which you will try as well.
There are fourteen different Wine Regions in Portugal and you will be introduced to four of them in this short experience in the Porto city center. Further than the Port Wine, you will also taste the fresh Vinho Verde, the Douro Wines, and the Dão Wines, which is South Douro and is known for its long wine history which will surprise you.

Starting Time – in the afternoon (upon request)
Days - Daily
Approximate Duration – 3 hours

Wines & Stories

To toast to the enviable varied gastronomy in the Setúbal Peninsula, there's nothing better than a good wine.
With a microclimate that favors both the cultivation of the vine and the production of fine nectars, Setúbal offers quality wines, awarded in the four corners of the World.
With floral aromas in whites, soft flavors of spices and wild fruit in reds and the diversity of flavors of the famous Moscatel de Setúbal (Muscat Wine), these wines are obtained from grapes matured on the slopes of the Arrábida Natural Park.
The Muscat wine is a fortified wine and is the most distinguished within the offer. Produced in a region of Denomination of Controlled Origin (DOC), Muscat grapes, which give name and color to the nectar, are harvested very ripe therefore giving sweetness to these wines.
You will visit two producers and, after each guided visit, you will have a wine tasting.
After lunch, in a traditional restaurant, you will have a tour of the Arrábida Mountain, which is one of the most beautiful and significant natural spaces of Mediterranean influence, and a visit to a third wine estate.
While in the third wine estate, you will have a very interesting visit to a place that knew how to preserve the local winemaking culture and traditions and, at the same time, modernized both the wine production and the wine estate, which is nowadays a beautiful and peaceful place, overlooking the Peninsula landscape.

NOTE: It is possible to include a meal at the wineries. According to the available time, we may include other traditional activities on the tour (for example a visit to a traditional tile factory, a boat ride or a visit to relevant heritage monuments, among other possibilities). Please contact us for additional information.

Days – Daily
Approximate Duration – 8 hours

West Side Story

The West is still an undiscovered Region, full of wonderful ancient places to visit and stories to tell.
In this full day tour, you will have an immersive experience, visiting not only amazing monuments but also tasting the Regional delicacies, completely off the beaten paths.
You will have a guided visit to one of its Monasteries at your choice, either Alcobaça or Batalha, both with incredible architectural details and unique places in the world, with a huge historic relevance.
You will visit a local “ginjinha” producer from the West. Traditionally from Lisbon, the “ginjinha” is a sour cherry liquor that you will find easily in central Lisbon and also in many bars and restaurants in Portugal. In the West there are also some producers, and, in our opinion, they are the best.
You will have lunch in an extraordinary restaurant, in which you will see the cook preparing your meal in the BBQ while you have the regional tasty starters. We really can’t assure that you will have stomach for the main course and the dessert…
But the West landscape is known by its windmills, some of them, still working. And this is what we would like to propose to you at the end of the day, to visit one of them and to have a wine tasting overlooking the Atlantic Ocean. You will also taste the chorizo’s bread, typical from this Region.

Days – Daily
Approximate Duration – 8 hours

Oenologist for a Day in Alentejo

The oldest vestiges of wine production so far found in Alentejo date back to the time of the Romans. The most enduring tradition left behind by this civilization, and still an integral part of Alentejo's winemaking process, is the fermenting and the storing of wine in clay vessels.
Nowadays, there are almost 300 Alentejo wine producers and, on this full-day Tour, you will have a deep experience of the Alentejo Wines, not only visiting three wineries and tastings their wines, but also learning about the several wine varieties and, in a workshop, having the experience of mixing them to get your customized wine blend, according to your preferences and personal taste, taking the product of this experience with you in a personalized bottle, to later enjoy at home.
We will take you in a guided visit to a wine producer of several national and international award-winning wines, in the 13th-century village of Estremoz, overviewing the marble tower of the castle.
After visiting the winery and the cellars, you will then taste great several premium wines, while also tasting the fantastic regional sheep cheeses and olive oils.
The second winery you will visit is based in a homestead right outside Arraiolos, a small but worldwide recognized village by its unique secular textile art, handmade by local embroiderers - the "Arraiolos Tapestry”. Another one of the details that mark its difference is the existence of a carriage driving museum with a large private collection of harnesses and carriages of various eras and styles, honoring the stud farm the winery once had. Thus, in an environment of a typical homestead of Alentejo, among vineyards, cellars and museum spaces of equestrian art, we will reach the high point of this visit by tasting several top wines of this wine producer.
The third winery you will visit is one of the oldest of Portugal, placed in an old Jesuit Monastery and it is the producer of a world-renowned and acclaimed red wine. This producer currently also produces fantastic olive oil and black pork ham that you will also have the unique opportunity to taste after the visit to the cellars and the experience of the aromas of the various grape varieties.

Days – Daily
Approximate Duration – 8 hours





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