

Alpine views & Italian vistas

Zurich, Florence & Rome

Travel from April to October

- > 4 nights luxury accommodation at your choice of hotel in Zurich
- > 4 nights luxury accommodations at your choice of hotel in Florence
- > 3 nights luxury accommodations at your choice of hotel in Rome

Experiences in Zurich

- > Zurich sweet discovery: Historical sights and chocolate tour
- > Walking tour of Zurich
- > The Rhine Falls - Scenic adventure tour
- > Day trip to Lucerne and Mount Pilatus

Experiences in Florence

- > Florence gondola ride
- > San Gimignano and Siena tour with wine tasting
- > Tour to Pisa

Experiences in Rome

- > Rome tour by golf cart
- > Tour of Rome with Colosseum and Vatican Museums
- > Day tour to Pompeii



DURATION

11 nights

Itinerary details

DAY 1 / Zurich

Welcome to Zurich, a city where lake views, alpine air, and cosmopolitan charm meet. Your private driver will meet you at the airport and take you to your selected hotel. Spend the rest of the day settling in, walking along Bahnhofstrasse or the lakeside promenade, and sampling the city's lively restaurant scene. Ask your Travelive planner for their favorite local spots.

/ Zurich sweet discovery: Historical sights and chocolate tour

Stroll through Zurich's charming Old Town, where narrow streets, medieval houses, boutique shops, and traditional bookstores create a delightful atmosphere. Wander along Bahnhofstrasse, renowned for its luxury boutiques, elegant dining, and world-famous Swiss banks, while savoring treats from Zurich's finest chocolate shops. After the walking tour, your driver-guide will take you to the Lindt Home of Chocolate. Spend two hours exploring the history and production of Swiss chocolate, sampling irresistible confections along the way. End your sweet adventure with a comfortable ride back to your Zurich hotel, reflecting on a day filled with indulgence and discovery.



Zurich city center

DAY 2 / Walking tour of Zurich

Journey through Zurich, a vibrant hub of culture, commerce, and history, with its pulsating Old Town. Explore the Old Town's rich historical legacy, characterized by medieval architecture and 13th-century edifices. Hauptbahnhof, Switzerland's largest railway station, stands proudly in the city center, boasting a monumental entrance adorned with Alfred Escher's statue, honoring the railway pioneer. Wander along Bahnhofstrasse, renowned for its upscale boutiques, luxury eateries, and Swiss banks, showcasing Zurich's affluent character. Delve into the vibrant ambiance of Niederdorfstrasse, renowned for its lively nightlife, eclectic shops, and charming alleys. Discover architectural marvels like the Town Hall and Grossmünster, offering panoramic vistas of the cityscape and Limmat River. Learn about Swiss chocolate in the city and marvel at Fraumünster Church, graced by Marc Chagall's mesmerizing stained-glass windows, capturing Zurich's cultural essence.



Schloss Laufen castle, Rhine Falls

DAY 3 / The Rhine Falls - Scenic adventure tour

Explore one of Switzerland's iconic landmarks, the Rhine Falls, Europe's largest waterfall, with today's exciting tour. Visit Laufen Castle, steeped in millennia of history, and immerse yourself in its rich heritage. Opt for a thrilling boat ride to feel the rush of the falls up close. During the summer months, you have the option to take a boat trip to the center of the Rhine Falls. En route, discover the charming Schaffhausen Town with its quaint Old Town, historic abbeys, and the striking Munot Fortress. Experience adventure and beauty on this private tour of the Rhine Falls.

DAY 4 / Day trip to Lucerne and Mount Pilatus

Embark on an unforgettable Swiss excursion and immerse yourself in the breathtaking natural beauty that Switzerland has to offer all year round. Nestled at the base of the Swiss Alps, the charming city of Lucerne awaits exploration, making it a must-visit destination for solo travelers, families, and friends alike. Lucerne boasts iconic attractions like Mount Pilatus, where you can ascend via the thrilling Dragon Ride cableway and enjoy panoramic views of the stunning Swiss landscape. After descending, delve into Lucerne's rich history with a city tour, marveling at landmarks such as the Chapel Bridge and the poignant Lion Monument. Explore the car-free Old Town and visit the Jesuit Church, a testament to Switzerland's architectural heritage.



Reuss river Lucerne

DAY 5 / Zurich to Florence

After breakfast and checking out of the hotel, you will head to the airport for your flight to Florence. Upon arriving in Florence, your driver will meet you and take you to the selected hotel. Afternoon at leisure.

DAY 6 / Florence gondola ride

Florence is the cradle of the Italian Renaissance. This graceful and elegant city is worth every minute you spend exploring it. Accompanied by your experienced guide you will have the opportunity to enjoy a relaxing walk around the city and see some of its most important sites, such as Giotto's bell tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria, but also have a glimpse at some of the lesser known but equally noteworthy sites, like the Orsanmichele façade or the "porcellino" (piglet) fountain.

DAY 7 / San Gimignano and Siena tour with wine tasting

Today you will drive through the marvelous Tuscan countryside to San Gimignano, known as the Manhattan of Tuscany because of its skyline filled with towers. Take in all the wonderful scenery while walking through the cobbled streets and continue on to one of the nearby farms, with a beautiful view of San Gimignano. Along with stunning views, you will also have the opportunity to visit their vineyards and wineries, savor a range of delicious Tuscan dishes during lunch and taste delectable wines. Your next stop will be Siena, where your guide will join you and show you the splendor of this stunning medieval town and introduce you to the famous horse race, Il Palio, that takes place only twice a year.



Dome, Palazzo della Signoria and Arno river, Florence



Leaning Tower and Pisa Cathedral in Piazza dei Miracoli, Pisa

DAY 8 / Tour to Pisa

After a pleasant drive, you will reach Pisa, the birthplace of Galileo Galilei. Once there you will explore the beautiful and historic city, with the help of your experienced guide. During your thorough walking tour, you'll explore Piazza dei Miracoli and its fascinating monuments. You will be dazzled by the Field of Miracles, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that houses numerous world-famous monuments including the Leaning Tower, the cathedral - a shining example of the distinctive Pisa Romanesque architecture, the "Campo Santo" cemetery, the Baptistery, and the cathedral museum. This visit focused on Piazza dei Miracoli will unveil not only the magnificence of the various monuments but also the history and the stories behind all of them.

DAY 9 / Florence to Rome

After breakfast and hotel check-out, your driver will meet you for the private transfer to Rome and your selected hotel in the Eternal City.

/ Rome tour by golf cart

Culture and fun go together when you tour Rome by golf cart! See all the major attractions of the Eternal city along with some of the tucked away sites. Golf carts are allowed where other vehicles are not, and this gives you the chance of approaching places otherwise difficult to reach and of skipping all the heavily trafficked roads. Besides, golf cart tours are generally more laid-back than others, so they are ideal for sociable and curious people. Among the sites you see on this tour is the Colosseum (outside), Trevi fountain, Spanish Steps, Pantheon and Piazza Navona.

DAY 10 / Tour of Rome with Colosseum and Vatican Museums

Discover Rome in a day with a private tour that blends history, culture, and breathtaking sights. Explore the Colosseum, a symbol of imperial power, and stroll through the Roman Forum, once the heart of political life. Toss a coin into the Trevi Fountain before admiring Piazza Navona and the Pantheon. At the Vatican Museums, marvel at masterpieces by Raphael and Botticelli before reaching the Sistine Chapel, where Michelangelo's frescoes bring history to life. Experience the Eternal City's wonders in comfort and style.

Colosseum, Rome

**DAY 11 /** Day tour to Pompeii

This day is dedicated to one of the most renowned places in Italy: Pompeii, the most alive of all archaeological sites. In the morning, you will meet your driver at the hotel and start your exploration. The drive to Pompeii will give you the first glance of a territory dominated by Mount Vesuvius, the imposing volcano that destroyed and preserved, at the same time, the traces of the greatest civilization born on the banks of the Mediterranean. Once in Pompeii, you'll take a step back in centuries, as the paved roads, the frescoed houses and the many shops will all spring to life before your eyes and you will realize that, in this case, ancient does not mean outdated. Once you finish your tour your driver or escort will be glad to suggest places where you can have a snack or a lunch before returning to Rome.

DAY 12 / Back home

After check-out, meet your private driver who will take you to the international airport for your flight home.