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Vantage Travel Adds Second 5-star Small Ship *The Ocean Odyssey, Launching in 2022*

Boston, Massachusetts (May 26, 2020) – Vantage Deluxe World Travel is giving travelers something to look forward to with the new 5-star *Ocean Odyssey*, a 162-guest small ship scheduled to launch in March 2022. Following the announcement of sister ship *Ocean Explorer* in 2020, the *Ocean Odyssey* marks a major milestone in Vantage’s 36-year history by bringing travelers to all 7 continents, as well as destinations new to the company, including the Coral Triangle, Borneo, Komodo, northern Australia, and beyond. The leader in solo travel, the *Ocean Odyssey* is also proud to offer 15 solo-designated cabins — a cruise industry first.

“We couldn’t be more excited to build on the success of the *Ocean Explorer* with the *Ocean Odyssey*,” said Henry R. Lewis, Founder & Chairman. “Our travelers want an intimate, enriching experience where they can truly absorb history and culture with fewer guests and a better staff to guest ratio. The *Ocean Odyssey* will cater to those who appreciate relaxed refinement, unparalleled cultural enrichment, and unique adventures.”

Ocean Odyssey: Small Ship Ocean Cruising at Its Finest

- **Staterooms & Suites:** 17 staterooms and suites featuring private walk-out verandas. Guests who reserve suites also receive complimentary business class or premium economy upgrades, among other perks.
- **Worldwide Concierge service:** All guests can utilize Vantage’s Concierge service — both before and during the cruise — to customize their journey with reservations for private dining, spa treatments, private tours, and more.
- **Dining:** Guests will savor gourmet international fare, with beer and wine included at dinner, and enjoy interactive opportunities to cook their own meal with hot rock cooking. Guests can also reserve a private dining room for special celebrations.

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- **Curated cultural enrichment:** Guests enjoy included shore explorations such as home-hosted meals and guided tours. Onboard, guests get to the heart of a destination’s culture with a curated onboard enrichment program featuring performances and illuminating talks by expert Resident Lecturers.
- **Inland overnight excursions:** On select itineraries, guests explore beyond the port on special inland overnight excursions in Luxor, Egypt, and Sri Lanka.
- **State-of-the-art technology & environment safe:** The *Ocean Odyssey* will be Polar Code 6 compliant with the latest SOLAS requirements in expedition cruising; feature the latest satellite and navigation capabilities, including ULSTEIN X-BOW® technology; and sustainable features that reduce emissions and lower energy consumption.

Travelers are invited to secure their first choice of date, cabin category, and more, with our risk-free pre-reservation. For more information or view itineraries, visit <https://www.vantagetravel.com> or call 1-800-322-6677. Watch video [here](#).

About Vantage Travel:

Vantage Deluxe World Travel is an award-winning, world-renowned deluxe river cruising tour operator named by *Travel + Leisure* as “One of the Best River Cruises in the World,” recognized by *Conde Nast Traveler’s* 2018 Readers’ Choice Award for the sixth consecutive year as one of the top river cruise lines, and voted the Best Solo Cruise for River Travelers by Solo Traveler.