Voyage aboard the
Exclusively Chartered, Small Ship
Five-Star Le Champlain
May 23 to 31, 2020
Accompanied by Colonel Frederick Rutledge
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What to expect: These trips often travel by motor coach, ship or train. Touring days may include full-day motor coach excursions or extended periods of standing and walking during city tours, museum visits and/or outdoor activities. Travelers should be able to board transportation, walk over sometimes uneven terrain and climb a few flights of stairs, occasionally without handrails or assistance. Elevators are not always available. Outings last 2-4 hours most days.

Suitable for: Travelers who are able to comfortably walk two to four miles, or 4600-6900 steps, each day.

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Lecturer Biography
Colonel (CA) Frederick Rutledge earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of California, Berkeley (History), a Teaching Credential from San Francisco State University (Secondary Education) and a Master’s in Education Leadership at Saint Mary’s College, Moraga, California. Rutledge enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserve in 1980 and he has over 37 years in uniform. His basic branch was Military Intelligence, but he transferred to Civil Affairs. He was an Arts, Monuments and Archives officer (Monuments Men). He has served in Germany, Korea and Japan. Rutledge served as the Director of the Humanitarian Assistance Coordination Center, Port-au-Prince Haiti in 1995-96 as part of the United Nations Mission in Haiti. He has represented the United States at the Lester Pearson Peacekeeping Centre in Canada taking courses there twice.

Cal lecturer’s participation cannot be guaranteed and is contingent on a minimum number of travelers.

Tour Highlights:
• Cruise for seven nights from Bergen, Norway, to Glasgow, Scotland, aboard the exclusively chartered, Five-Star Le CHAMPLAIN, featuring only 92 Suites and Staterooms, each with private balcony.
• Visit historic Glencoe and the hamlet of Glenfinnan. Immerse yourself in the Norse history of the tradition-steeped Shetland Islands, including the Bronze Age relics of Jarlshof.
• View the untamed shorelines, serrated sea stacks and crystal-clear waters of the Orkney Islands and learn more about the islands’ Neolithic history from renowned archaeology expert Nick Card.
• Gain an intimate perspective of Norway’s spectacular mountain landscape aboard the Flåm Railway, one of the world’s most scenic train rides.
• Wonders of Norway Pre-Cruise Option and Scotland’s Cultural Capitals Post-Cruise Option.
During the enigmatic Viking Age, which prevailed almost 300 years between the eighth and 11th centuries, the Men of the North were cast as fierce barbarians who plundered their way across the known world. They came from Norway to settle in Scotland around A.D. 800—in Jarshof on the Shetland Islands and in the Hebrides, where over one hundred villages are still known by their originally settled Norse names, solidifying the enduring historic link between Norway's Vikings and Scotland's clans. Some of Scotland's best-known clans, the Clan Donald and Clan MacLeod, came from Norse ancestry, influencing the distinct dialects still spoken today on the Orkney and Shetland Islands. The nuance and rich history of these two complex and deeply intertwined cultures await your discovery across these remote, verdant and storied lands.

U.S.
Saturday, May 23
Depart the U.S.

Bergen, Norway
Sunday, May 24
Arrive in Bergen, founded on a Viking settlement in 1070, and embark the Five-Star Le Champlain.

Bergen
Monday, May 25
Bergen was an important part of the Hanseatic League’s trading empire from the 14th to mid-16th centuries. Stroll the grounds of Trolldhaugen, the summer home of famed Norwegian composer Edvard Grieg. Visit the reconstructed Fantof Stavkirke, a traditional 12th-century wooden stave church, noted for its durable post and lintel construction. The city’s illustrious past can be glimpsed in the beautifully preserved gabled buildings of Bergen’s Bryggen (the old wharf), a UNESCO World Heritage site surrounded by lushly carpeted hills and fjords.

Attend the Captain’s Welcome Reception this evening.

Flåm Railway/Cruising the Norwegian Fjords
Tuesday, May 26
Board the Flåm Railway, one of the world's most scenic train rides. This masterpiece of Norwegian engineering—the steepest standard-gauge railway track in Europe, spirals 2835 feet—opened to the public in 1940 and travels 13 dramatic miles through 20 tunnels to Myrdal’s mountaintop station. Watch as snowcapped mountains, cascading waterfalls—including the awe-inspiring Kjøfossen—and intriguing hamlets unfold along the world-renowned Bergen Line.

Norway’s fjords and islands offer some of Europe’s most profoundly beautiful coastal scenery, where sea mist and sunlight enhance the fjords’ deep blues and the valley’s lush greens. This afternoon, cruise majestic Sognefjord passing traditional farmsteads and villages flanked by soaring mountains and glaciers.

Lerwick, Shetland Islands, Scotland
Wednesday, May 27
Explore the remote Shetland Islands, declared a Global Geopark by UNESCO for their geologically diverse landscapes and seascapes carved by prehistoric ice.

Indigenous Shetland ponies are a strong breed with heavy coats and a maximum height of only 44 inches.

Cover photo: Nicknamed “the King of the Fjords” for its size and depth, Sognefjord showcases Norway’s spectacular natural beauty.

Photo this page: The 13th-century Eilean Donan Castle stands proudly at the convergence of three great sea lochs.
Here, nature’s colors and textures endlessly shift, and clamoring gannets and puffins crowd the dramatic rock cliffs.

Visit Jarlshof, a pending UNESCO World Heritage site deemed the zenith of prehistoric architectural achievement in Northern Europe. Multi-period remains span over 4000 years of human history, including late-Neolithic stone houses, a Bronze Age village, an Iron Age broch and wheelhouse, Norse longhouses, a medieval farmstead and a 16th-century laird’s house.

Dock in Lerwick, Shetland’s capital, and journey to the island’s southernmost point, scanning the verdant landscape for Shetland’s famous ponies grazing on the grass-covered knolls.

This evening, the director and head archaeologist of the Ness of Brodgar site, Nick Card, will provide his keen insights about this impressive ancient compound that lies outside of Kirkwall. Mr. Card’s research and fieldwork are internationally regarded, both in the archaeology field and by the popular press. The Ness of Brodgar excavations were named the Current Archaeology Research Project of the Year in 2011 and were featured in a cover article of *National Geographic* in 2014.

**Kirkwall, Orkney Islands**

**Thursday, May 28**

Steeped in Viking heritage, the largest Orkney Island, known as Mainland, has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site for its concentration of prehistoric treasures defined as the Heart of Neolithic Orkney. Nearly 1000 years before Giza’s pyramids were built and over 500 years before Neolithic humans raised Stonehenge, Stone Age inhabitants of this archipelago, dating from 3200 B.C., erected the Ness of Brodgar, a mysterious compound rivaling the scale of the Acropolis, demonstrating advanced technological prowess and Neolithic “artistry.” Walk among the nearby stone monoliths of the Ring of Brodgar, raised more than 4000 years ago in the patterned circle of a henge.

See the ceremonial Stones of Stenness en route to the settlement of Skara Brae, where more than 5000 years ago, it was inhabited by an early Orcadian culture known for decorative arts and sophisticated craftsmanship.

Winding through the austere Scottish Highlands, the 21-arch Glenfinnan Viaduct frames Loch Shiel, where steep slopes reflect into the loch’s sparkling freshwater.
Thousands of years later, the Vikings established the port town of Kirkwall on Mainland, leaving behind the towering 12th-century St. Magnus Cathedral, known as the “Light of the North.”

Hear the classically haunting sounds of a Scottish bagpiper as you reboard the ship. This evening, a Scottish storyteller weaves traditional tales that have been handed down by word of mouth for generations.

**Kyle of Lochalsh/Portree, Isle of Skye**

**Friday, May 29**

Visit the soul-stirring 13th-century Eilean Donan Castle, named for a sixth-century Irish Saint. Colonel MacRae, of Clan MacRae, restored this icon in 1932 and established a clan museum. Travel across heather-covered moors and through the starkly beautiful Cullin Mountains en route to the scenic capital of Portree, situated along the unforgettable coastline of ethereal Isle of Skye.

**Fort William/Scottish Highlands**

**Saturday, May 30**

The legendary Scottish Highlands and their striking, rugged scenery have inspired countless folktales and storytellers with their enchanting and mysterious allure. Begin your day in bucolic Glenfinnan; view the Glenfinnan Viaduct, immortalized by the Hogwarts™ Express in the *Harry Potter* film series, and see the Glenfinnan Monument, commemorating the Jacobite Highlanders that Bonnie Prince Charlie rallied against King George II in 1745.

Stop along the Caledonian Canal to view Neptune’s Staircase, an incredible feat of engineering when it was built in the early 1800s and the longest staircase lock in Britain. Travel along castle-dotted shores enshrouded with myth and legend to Glencoe, hailed as one of Scotland’s most scenic glens, partially owned and preserved by the National Trust for Scotland.

This evening, attend the Captain’s Farewell Reception on board.

**Glasgow/U.S.**

**Sunday, May 31**

Disembark in Glasgow where the indelible mark of Viking conquest still permeates the culture and continue on the Scotland’s Cultural Capitals Post-Cruise Option or transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S.

Enjoy a phenomenal journey through the verdant, mountainous fjordlands of Norway aboard the Flåm Railway, first proposed in 1871.
Luxury Small Ship, Innovative Design

Le Champlain, launched in 2018, ushers in a new generation of Five-Star small ships, combining revolutionary design and a new standard of luxury for an unparalleled cruising experience. Dock in smaller ports inaccessible to larger ships and where authentic cultural experiences and majestic scenery await you.

Blue Eye – World’s First Multisensory, Underwater Observation Lounge

View the beauty of marine life through the large, subaquatic windows and integrated digital screens providing live images from underwater cameras, and enjoy the sensory experience of listening to the ocean’s unique underwater universe in the comfort of the exclusive Blue Eye lounge.*

Life on Board

Enjoy sweeping views from the lounges, which open to the outdoors, and lectures, cultural performances or film screenings in the state-of-the-art theater. Relax in the spa and sauna or the Sun Deck’s infinity-style swimming pool. There is a beauty salon, fitness room and there are three elevators. Complimentary Wi-Fi access is available (conditions permitting).

Elegant Suites and Staterooms, 100% with Private Balconies

Each of the 92 Five-Star Staterooms and Suites (up to 484 square feet) features a private balcony. Grand Deluxe Suites have a bay window and spacious private terrace. Accommodations offer two twin beds or one queen bed, individual climate control, private bathrooms with a shower and luxury hotel-style amenities.

Respect for the Environment

A new addition to the Ponant “Clean Ship” fleet, an important distinction among ocean-cruising vessels, Le Champlain is energy efficient and eco-friendly, protecting fragile marine ecosystems.

Chic and Casual Dining

Dine indoors or alfresco on international and regional cuisine served in the stylish, spacious indoor-outdoor restaurant, at the casual pool deck grill or from 24-hour room service. Daily meals include continental and buffet breakfasts, buffet lunch, afternoon tea and four-course dinner.

World-Class Service

The highly trained, English-speaking crew are personable and attentive, and the ship has a medical center staffed with a doctor and nurse.

*Marine life viewing varies by location.
Included Features

On Board the Exclusively Chartered, Five-Star, Small Ship LE CHAMPLAIN

- Seven-night voyage from Bergen, Norway, to Glasgow, Scotland, featuring a cruise of Norway’s fjords.
- Elegantly appointed, Five-Star Suite or Stateroom.
- Captain's Welcome and Farewell Receptions.
- Complimentary alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages available throughout the cruise.
- All meals aboard ship.
- Complimentary Wi-Fi (conditions permitting).
- Blue Eye—the world's first luxury, multisensory, underwater Observation Lounge.
- Visit to captivating Bryggen, Bergen's historic waterfront—a UNESCO World Heritage site—and a specially arranged tour of Troldhaugen, the summerhome of composer Edvard Grieg.
- Round-trip journey with stunning mountain and fjord views on the Flåm Railway, one of the world’s most memorable train rides.
- Spectacular cruise through the picturesque Sognefjord, Norway’s longest and deepest fjord.
- Excursion to the 5000-year-old prehistoric site of Jarlshof on Scotland’s remote Shetland Islands, a UNESCO Global Geopark.
- Scenic excursion to the Heart of Neolithic Orkney, the UNESCO World Heritage sites of the Ness of Brodgar, the Ring of Brodgar and Skara Brae.
- Exclusive, specially arranged lecture by esteemed expert Nick Card, the director and head archaeologist of the Ness of Brodgar archaeological site.
- Visit to medieval Kirkwall to see St. Magnus Cathedral.
- Traditional Scottish storytelling and the distinctive melodies of Scotland’s iconic bagpipe.
- Visit 13th-century Eilean Donan Castle and enjoy a scenic excursion across the Isle of Skye.
- Excursion through the Scottish Highlands, featuring Glencoe, Scotland’s most emotive glen, and the bucolic village of Glenfinnan.

Always Included

- Transfers and luggage handling abroad if your arrival(s)/departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).
- Experienced, English-speaking local guides for included excursions.
- Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
- Complimentary bottled water in your Suite or Stateroom and on excursions.
- Hospitality desk aboard the ship.
- Experienced Gohagan & Company Travel Directors at your service.
- Complimentary use of an audio headset during guided excursions.
- Automatic $250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.
Scotland’s Cultural Capitals
Glasgow • Edinburgh

This special Post-Cruise Option explores two of Scotland’s great cities and their histories of fascinating clans, medieval knights and royal and religious intrigue. During your tour of Glasgow, visit its 12th-century cathedral, the only medieval church in mainland Scotland to survive the reformation of 1560, and the captivating St. Mungo Museum. In Edinburgh, discover the UNESCO World Heritage-designated Old Town, a labyrinth of medieval passageways, the Royal Mile and the neoclassical New Town, laid out in the 18th century. Explore imposing Edinburgh Castle, a powerful national symbol dating from the 12th century with curving ramparts that define the city’s romantic silhouette. Spend two nights in the ideally located, Five-Star SHERATON GRAND HOTEL.

Wonders of Norway • Copenhagen
Fjordlands • Stalheim • Oslo
via Bergen Railway and Coastal Ferry

Immerse yourself in majestic Norwegian landscapes and traditional Scandinavian culture on this unique and exclusive five-night Pre-Cruise Option. Experience the majesty of the Norwegian highlands and ride through the stunning scenery of Europe’s highest mountain plateau on the Bergen Railway. In vibrant Oslo, visit the stately Opera House and the unique Vigeland Sculpture Park. In the Danish town of Roskilde, visit its 12th-century, Gothic-style cathedral, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and explore the fascinating Viking Ship Museum. Enjoy an exclusively chartered cruise along Copenhagen’s idyllic canals to see Christiansborg Palace, the Old Stock Exchange, Amalienborg Palace and view the “Little Mermaid” statue. Accommodations are for four nights in comfortable hotels and one night aboard an award-winning SEAWAYS ferry from Copenhagen to Oslo.

The Pre- and Post-Cruise Options are available at additional cost. Details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.

Copenhagen’s Nyhavn waterfront showcases the Vikings’ legacy and the maritime character of a traditional Hanseatic city.
**LAND/Cruise Tariff** excluding taxes*  
Per person, based on double occupancy

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**Deluxe Suite**  
Suites with expansive sliding glass door, large private balcony, sitting area with sofa. Decks 3, 4, 5 and 6 (limited availability)

- $10695
- $11695

**Premiere Suite**  
Large Suite with expansive sliding glass door, large private balcony, sitting area with sofa. Decks 5 and 6 (limited availability)

- $11495
- $12495

**Privilege Suite**  
Large two-room Suite, expansive sliding glass door, spacious private terrace, full bathroom with tub and separate shower, additional half bath, sitting area with sofa. Decks 5 and 6 (limited availability)

- $12695
- $13695

**Grand Deluxe Suite**  
Large two-room Suite, expansive sliding glass door, spacious private terrace with outdoor Jacuzzi, full bathroom with tub and separate shower, additional half bath, sitting area with sofa. (limited availability)

- $12995
- $13995

**Owner’s Suite**  
Large two-room Suite, expansive sliding glass door, spacious private terrace with outdoor Jacuzzi, full bathroom with tub and separate shower, additional half bath, sitting area with sofa. (limited availability)

- $12495
- $13495

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*Taxes are an additional $440 per person and are subject to change.

†Le Champlain has been specially contracted for this tour, and the applicable deck plan is available on request from Gohagan & Company and reflects the only valid cabin categorization of the vessel.

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**Scotland’s Cultural Capitals** Post-Cruise Option.

- Copenhagen Pre-Cruise Option
- Wonders of Norway
- Post-Cruise Option

Program reservations require a deposit of $800 per person and $200 per person for Wonders of Norway • Copenhagen Pre-Cruise Option and/or $200 per person Scotland’s Cultural Capitals Post-Cruise Option. By reserving and depositing on this program, I/we agree to the Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Binding Arbitration Agreement as printed on the outside back cover of this brochure.

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- Make checks payable to Gohagan & Company.
- I/We authorize you to charge my/our deposit of $ to:
  - Visa  
  - MasterCard

Signature as it appears on credit card

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1st choice  
2nd choice  

- Double occupancy (two twin beds).
- Double occupancy (one queen bed).
- Single accommodations.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations and ask that you contact me should a share opportunity become available (shares cannot be guaranteed).

**Please make my reservation(s):**

- Wonders of Norway • Copenhagen Pre-Cruise Option
- Double at $2795 per person.
- Single at $1895 per person.

- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations.

- Scotland’s Cultural Capitals Post-Cruise Option
- Double at $1295 per person.
- Single at $895 per person.

- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations.

- I/We want you to book my/our air, at an additional cost to be advised, from:

  (fill in departure city)
  - Economy Class
  - Upgraded Economy
  - Business Class
  - First Class
  - Note: Airfare is subject to change and availability and is nonrefundable.

- I/We will make my/our own air arrangements.

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