

## 2024/2025 ARCTIC EXPEDITION

### *Svalbard Archipelago*

**Discover the Arctic Majesty: Svalbard's Polar Bear Paradise**

9D/8N Fjords and  
Glaciers of Spitsbergen

Starting from

**RM43,840**

2024 : 28 May, 04 June  
09, 11, 16, 18 June  
02 July



9Days Expedition cruise to the heart of Spitsbergen, the largest island in the Svalbard archipelago.

### *Ponant Benefit*



*Ponant Bonus*  
**SAVE UP TO  
30%**

Book early to enjoy the highest  
Ponant Bonus level

*First Time  
Cruiser*  
**EURO\$250**

Welcome Offer for First time  
Ponant Cruiser est RM1200

*Solo Traveller*  
**SINGLE ROOM  
NO SUPPLEMENT  
CHARGE**

selected dates, room category  
on cruise portion only

For enquiries and booking :-



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## FJORDS AND GLACIERS OF SVALBARD

9 Days 8 Nights [Excluding flying time & Extra Post Night] | from Paris - Longyearbyen- West of Spitsbergen, the largest island in the Svalbard archipelago.



### CRUISE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

**PONANT** invites you to experience something exceptional by discovering the **Far North** and the immense open spaces of the **polar Arctic** and its ice floes that extend to the North Pole.

You will board the ship at **Longyearbyen in Norway** for an **expedition cruise** to the heart of **Spitsbergen**, the largest island in the Svalbard archipelago.

### HIGHLIGHT

- A cruise to discover the countless riches of Svalbard.
- Enjoy intense sailing experiences in the search for pack ice.
- Sailing in Spitsbergen's fjords and towards the ice floe.
- Landscapes: ice floes, jagged mountains, icebergs, ice caps, steep-sided valleys, sheer cliffs, huge glaciers.
- Wildlife: polar bears, walruses, Arctic foxes, Svalbard reindeer, cetaceans, sea birds.

### TENTATIVE ITINERARY

- Day 1 Paris**  
Make your own way to your hotel and meet & greet with welcome drink at hotel. Check in at 4pm. The rest of the evening at own leisure
- Day 2 PARIS - LONGYEARBYEN, SPITSBERGEN (MOB/D)**  
(4hr 30mins flight)  
Breakfast on own expense. Group transfer to the airport terminal, check-in of flight selected by PONANT.  
Longyearbyen is the capital of the Norwegian Svalbard archipelago, located on Svalbard's main island, and is the *northernmost territorial capital on the planet*. (temp -40C) The glaciers, the mountains stretching as far as the eye can see and the untouched nature, make you feel like you're in completely unexplored territory.  
Embarkation from 4pm - 5pm.
- Day 3 HORNSOUND (B/L/D)**  
Nestling between millennial glaciers and carved mountains, and considered to be "the crown of Arctic Norway", Spitsbergen is a place that never sees the night. Our ship will reach closer to this fascinating archipelago and, more particularly, the Hornsund fjord. Considered to be Svalbard's southernmost fjord.
- Day 4 BELLSUND, SPITSBERGEN. (B/L/D)**  
You will head to the Bellsund fjord to follow in the footsteps of the first explorers who came from the Norwegian coast, or those of the many fur traders seeking game and trophies.
- Day 5 SAILING TOWARDS ICE FLOES (B/L/D)**  
Your captain will sail right up to the edge of the ice floe. Go out in a zodiac in the middle of these floating slabs of ice. Opportunity to see a Arctic birds, seals and polar bear.



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**Day 6 MAKEOYANE & MONACO GLACIER , (B/L/D) SPITSBERGEN.**

Måkeøyane is a small archipelago in the heart of the Woodfjorden. Our ship will also reach **MONACO GLACIER, SPITSBERGEN**, is probably *one of Spitsbergen's most beautiful and majestic*. impenetrable, blue-tinged jagged wall. Imagine the sound of the ice cracking as it breaks free and crashes into the transparent water. You might spot bears and whales.

**Day 7 RAUDFJORDEN & SMEERENBURG - (B/L/D) SPITSBERGEN**

Raudfjorden means "red fjord", from the colour of the sandstone of the surrounding mountains. Along the west coast of this 20 km fjord, dissected by many shallow bays, you will be able to admire some of Spitsbergen's most spectacular ice formations. While in Smeerenburg is a former Dutch whaling colony. Dotted with driftwood and the remains of ovens that were used to melt the whale blubber, this is one of *Spitsbergen's most important archaeological sites*

**Day 8 NY-ALESUND & KONGSFJORDEN (KING BAY), (B/L/D) SPITSBERGEN**

During your cruise, discover Ny-Ålesund, a former mining town that has been transformed into a scientific base. Don't miss a visit to the museum and its famous *post office, considered to be the most northerly in the world!*

Kongsfjorden (the fjord of the King), the snow-capped mountains and frequent sight of seals, reindeer, barnacle geese. At Kongsbreen (glacier of the King) and its three characteristic rocky points, which take their names from three Scandinavian countries: Svea (Sweden), Dana (Denmark) and Nora (Norway).

**Day 9. LONGYEARBYEN (B)**  
*DISEMBARKATION (8am) and get transfer to airport to return to Paris (4hr 30mins flight)*

**REMINDER :**

- *Flight schedule to and return between Longyearbyen and Paris are subject to change without prior notice.*
- *Ponant strongly recommend staying one night in Paris after these flights.*

### Option Add-On



Extra Post-Night in Paris + Transfer service [Price EUR\$ 110] per person twin share added in the package. Guest can request to remove this and book your own accommodation.



PONANT Repatriation Covid Insurance [EUR\$ 30]



Gratuities [est EUR\$12 per day]



Travel Insurance

# Small Expedition Ship with BIG Advantage



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Inclusive Intra-flight (Chartered flight) + Add on 1 Night Pre accommodation in Paris



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French-designed interiors & ambiance. Luxury amenities, superior comfort & personalised service



95% cabin are suites with private balcony



Smaller crowd, more privacy with average 200 guests on board



Inspired, refined and varied cuisine, prepared by talented French chefs



All meals onboard, Captain's welcome cocktails and gala dinner and open bars beverages and selected alcohol.

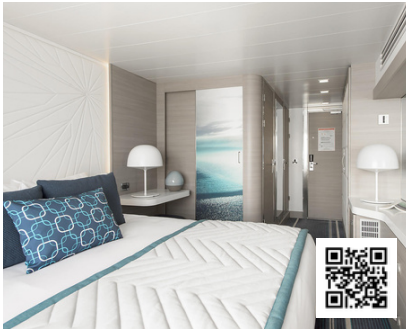






## 6 ELEGANT AND FLEXIBLE SUITES & STATEROOMS

Decorated by French Interior designers, all with sea view



### Superior Stateroom

226 SQFT | MAX 3 GUESTS

#### Services provided

- No balcony
- Individually-controlled airconditioning
- Minibar
- Flat screen satellite TV
- Bose™ Bluetooth speaker
- Hermès® bath products
- Dressing table, bath robes, hairdryer
- Direct line telephone
- 110V American (two flat pins) / 220V European
- 24hr room service
- Inclusive Internet access Wifi



### Deluxe Stateroom

193 SQFT | MAX 2 GUESTS

#### Services provided

- Private Balcony with window
- Individually-controlled airconditioning
- Minibar
- Flat screen satellite TV
- Bose™ Bluetooth speaker
- Hermès® bath products
- Dressing table, bath robes, hairdryer
- Direct line telephone
- 110V American (two flat pins) / 220V European
- 24hr room service
- Inclusive Internet access Wifi



### Prestige Deck 4

193 SQFT | MAX 2 GUESTS

#### Services provided

- Private Balcony with sliding window
- Individually-controlled airconditioning
- Minibar
- Flat screen satellite TV
- Bose™ Bluetooth speaker
- Hermès® bath products
- Dressing table, bath robes, hairdryer
- Direct line telephone
- 110V American (two flat pins) / 220V European
- 24hr room service
- Inclusive Internet access Wifi

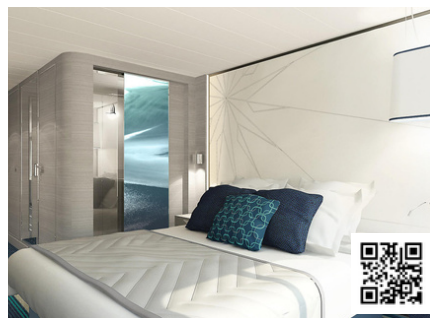


### Prestige Deck 5

193 SQFT | MAX 2 GUESTS

#### Services provided

- Private Balcony with sliding window
- Individually-controlled airconditioning
- Minibar
- Flat screen satellite TV
- Bose™ Bluetooth speaker
- Hermès® bath products
- Dressing table, bath robes, hairdryer
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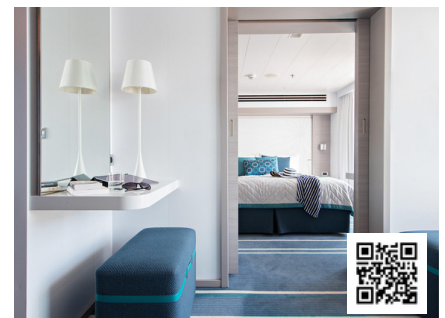


### Deluxe Suite

290 SQFT | MAX 2 GUESTS

#### Services provided

- Private Balcony with sliding window
- Individually-controlled airconditioning
- Minibar
- Flat screen satellite TV
- Ipad player
- Hermès® bath products
- Dressing table, bath robes, hairdryer
- Direct line telephone
- 110V American (two flat pins) / 220V European
- 24hr room service
- Inclusive Internet access Wifi



### Prestige Deck 5 Suite

390 SQFT | MAX 4 GUESTS

#### Services provided

- Private Balcony with sliding window
- Individually-controlled airconditioning
- Minibar
- Flat screen satellite TV
- Bose™ Bluetooth speaker
- Hermès® bath products
- Dressing table, bath robes, hairdryer
- Direct line telephone
- 110V American (two flat pins) / 220V European
- 24hr room service
- Inclusive Internet access Wifi