Trade Routes of

COASTAL IBERIA

Lisbon • Andalusia • Gibraltar
Granada • Balearic Islands • Barcelona

A voyage aboard the
Exclusively Chartered Small Ship
Five-Star M.V. TERE MOANA

September 11 to 19, 2015

♦ Luxury Small Ship—only 45 Staterooms!
♦ 100% Ocean-View Staterooms
♦ All Beverages Included
♦ A Shore Excursion Included in Each Port
♦ All Shipboard Gratuities Included

University of Maryland Alumni Association
Dear Alumni and Friends:

Cruise the ancient trade routes of Phoenician, Roman and Moorish mariners aboard the Five-Star small ship M.V. TERE MOANA on this comprehensive itinerary to the coastal jewels of the Iberian Peninsula—not often visited by Americans—during the best time of year!

The exclusively chartered, Five-Star M.V. TERE MOANA, a sophisticated and authentic small ship, accommodates only 90 guests, features complimentary alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages and includes all shipboard gratuities. Travel in style while enjoying the benefits afforded by small ship cruising—the camaraderie of like-minded travelers, exemplary service and a unique opportunity and journey highlight to be on deck as you cruise into the heart of Seville on Spain’s legendary Guadalquivir River. The M.V. TERE MOANA was relaunched in 2013 under new ownership following an extensive multimillion-dollar refurbishment.

En route from Barcelona to Lisbon, visit three UNESCO World Heritage sites and Portugal’s lesser-traveled Algarve region. Call on two of the enchanting Balearic Islands—Palma de Mallorca and Ibiza. Visit the regal city of Granada. See the magnificent Alhambra Palace and the spectacular sights that inspired works by Gaudí and Picasso. Stand on Gibraltar’s “Top of the Rock” to see the Pillars of Hercules spanning the scenic Strait of Gibraltar. Enjoy the melancholy rhythms of fado music and the joyful beat of flamenco. Lectures by onboard study leaders enlighten you with the history, legends and modern life of these dramatic cities and villages.

Join your fellow alumni for this outstanding program and great value! The combination of an exclusive itinerary, intimate small ship and Early Booking Savings proved to be a quick sellout last season. I encourage you to make your plans early and reserve soon while space is still available. Early Booking Savings are only available through March 6, 2015.

Sincerely,

Angela C. Dimopoulos ’07
Director of Sales and Marketing

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◆ Five-Star Small Ship.
◆ Exclusively chartered.
◆ Intimate small ship cruising experience.
◆ Only 45 Staterooms.
◆ No waiting in long lines.
◆ Specially designed one-of-a-kind itinerary.
◆ Opportunities to visit six UNESCO World Heritage sites.
◆ Unique cruise into the heart of Seville.
◆ Complimentary alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages aboard ship.
◆ All shipboard gratuities included.
◆ Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
◆ One port call every day.
◆ A shore excursion included in every port.
◆ Eight Staterooms with private veranda.
◆ Spacious, 100% ocean-view Five-Star accommodations.
◆ Special educational lectures.
◆ Two-star Michelin chef-designed signature dishes.
◆ One crew member for every 1.5 guests.
◆ Complimentary flowers and fruit in your Stateroom upon embarkation.
◆ Elegant indoor and alfresco dining.
◆ Early Booking Savings!
◆ Designed for affinity travelers.

Flourishing Cultures along Iberia’s Historic Trade Routes and the Age of Discovery are showcased on this voyage to fortified medieval towns and modern cities that retain the artistic and architectural treasures from the Moorish Period. Previous exposure to the Greeks and Romans and the Moors’ acceptance of both Jewish and Christian life allowed for the coexistence of diverse cultural groups, which led to great leaps forward in algebra, medicine, optics, horticulture, art and architecture. This blossoming of knowledge and ability was the impetus behind the Golden Age of Discovery, when ships sailed from these shores to the New World. It was those journeys, which brought the bounty back to Iberia, that created great wealth and established an aristocratic tradition of savoring the leisurely pace of Mediterranean life in the idyllic seaside cities, towns and villages that you will experience on this voyage.

Cover photo: Seville’s Plaza de España, built for the 1929 Ibero-American Exposition, is a masterpiece of Renaissance Revival and Neo-Mudéjar architectural styles.
Photo this page: Explore Albambra, set against the backdrop of Spain’s magnificent Sierra Nevada mountains.
Barcelona, Spain
The lively and beautiful quarters of Barcelona’s Mediterranean metropolis are filled with the artistic treasures of Antoni Gaudí, Picasso and Dalí. The city center has the greatest concentration of Gothic architecture in Europe and proudly displays its heritage and roots as a Roman trading port.

Palma de Mallorca, Balearic Islands
The imposing citadel overlooking the harbor was converted into the Spanish Royal Palace of La Almudaina in the 13th century. See the magnificent sandstone Palma Cathedral, begun in 1230 and constructed over 300 years; it represents the heights of the Catalan Gothic style. In the village of Valldemossa, visit the famous Carthusian Monastery, the former residence of composer Frédéric Chopin.

Ibiza, Balearic Islands
Be on deck as we approach the Mediterranean island of Ibiza, a spectacular UNESCO World Heritage site not often visited by Americans. Visit the well-preserved, walled Old Town and tour the island’s Renaissance fortifications and the historic Las Salinas Reserve, where the Carthaginians began extracting salt from the sea over 2000 years ago.

Granada, Andalusia
Granada is scenically located atop three hills framed by the dramatic backdrop of the snow-clad Sierra Nevada Mountains. From here, monarchs of the Nasrid Dynasty ruled for 250 years over the last Muslim kingdom in Spain, leaving a priceless architectural legacy—the magnificent Alhambra, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

All-Inclusive Itinerary

Day

◆ BARCELONA PRE-CRUISE OPTION
1 Depart the U.S.
2 Barcelona, Spain/Embark M.V. Tere Moana
3 Palma de Mallorca, Balearic Islands
4 Ibiza
5 Motril for Granada, Andalusia
6 Gibraltar, British Crown Colony
7 Cruise the Guadalquivir River into Seville, Andalusia, Spain
8 Portimão, The Algarve, Portugal
9 Lisbon/Disembark ship/Return to the U.S.
◆ LISBON POST-CRUISE OPTION

The idyllic Balearic Island of Ibiza, a UNESCO World Heritage site, is famous for its cove beaches, mesmerizing crystal-clear waters and high towering cliffs, and it is one of Europe’s oldest towns.
Known locally as La Seu, the Catalan Gothic cathedral in Old Palma was built on the site of a former Moorish temple following the conquest of Mallorca by King James I of Aragon.

Enjoy time at leisure to walk through its outer precincts, admire the genius of medieval Moorish craftsmen within and then stroll through the beautifully landscaped Generalife Gardens.

**Gibraltar, British Crown Colony**
The southernmost tip of the Iberian Peninsula, Gibraltar was considered by the ancient Greeks and Romans to be one of the two Pillars of Hercules that marked the boundary of the known world. Drive to the “Top of the Rock,” the 1400-foot-high limestone promontory guarding the Strait of Gibraltar, which separates Europe and Africa. Observe the amusing antics of Gibraltar’s Barbary apes, the only colony of wild monkeys in Europe. See the impressive geological wonders in St. Michael’s Cave and, across the strait, Jebel Moussa, the mountain said to be the second Pillar of Hercules. Enjoy an afternoon at leisure to explore “The Rock” on your own.

**Seville, Andalusia, Spain**
Enjoy the unique experience of cruising into the heart of extraordinary Seville, Andalusia’s lively capital, on the Guadalquivir River. Then drive along Colón Avenue, lined with typical Sevillana houses, to the neoclassical Maestranza Bullring (the largest in Spain) and the Golden Tower, a remnant of Seville’s Moorish fortifications. Walk through Santa Cruz Quarter, the old part of the city, a gleaming maze of white houses and flower-filled patios. Tour the legendary Alcázar, a UNESCO World Heritage site featuring the distinctive 14th-century, Mudéjar-style former residence of Seville’s Moroccan and Spanish rulers. The magnificent Cathedral is a classic example of late Gothic architecture and is Europe’s second-largest Christian house of worship after St. Peter’s Basilica in Rome. Inside, view the monument to Christopher Columbus, whose remains were transported here from Havana, Cuba, in 1902. Later, enjoy a traditional flamenco dance performance on board the ship.

**Portimão, the Algarve, Portugal**
On Portugal’s charming, sun-washed southern coast, in the historic province of Algarve, lies Portimão. Settled in ancient times by the Phoenicians and Romans, the Algarve was later ruled by the Moors, and today its Moorish heritage survives in its distinctive architecture and savory regional cuisine. During the 15th and 16th centuries, intrepid Portuguese mariners, including Vasco da Gama, set sail from the Algarve’s shores on voyages of discovery that eventually circled the globe before triumphantly returning to Lisbon. Visit the scenic port town of Lagos, once the center of trade between Moorish Portugal and Africa, where weathered sandstone cliffs form pillars rising 60 feet from sparkling turquoise seawater. Here, admire the Baroque Church of St. Anthony, with its stunning interior of gold-gilded, carved wood.

**Lisbon**
Lisbon’s rich cultural heritage is reflected in its well-preserved palaces, magnificent churches and impressive castle.
**M.V. TERE MOANA**

The exclusively chartered Five-Star, 90-passenger M.V. TERE MOANA fits the profile of **small ship cruising** and was named Top Small Ship Cruise Line from the readers of *Travel + Leisure* in its 2014 World's Best Awards. Travel in Five-Star comfort and style while experiencing exemplary service and enjoying the benefits afforded by small ship cruising without the long lines and other inconveniences of larger ships. M.V. TERE MOANA can dock in ports inaccessible to larger vessels. Following a multimillion-dollar renovation under new ownership, the ship re-entered service in 2013.

Eight of the spacious, Five-Star, ocean-view accommodations have private verandas. Each Stateroom features a large picture window, private marble- and teak-appointed bathroom with shower, one queen bed or two twin beds, **in-suite complimentary beverages**, luxurious European linens and amenities, individual climate control, robes, cotton slippers, satellite television, minibar, safe and hair dryer. **Complimentary welcome flowers and fruit** are provided in each Stateroom upon arrival.

Complimentary alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages are served throughout the cruise. The elegant L’Etoile dining room and La Veranda restaurant accommodate all guests at a single, unassigned seating, and an attentive staff serves international cuisine featuring fresh local ingredients. Early-risers’ coffee, buffet breakfast, buffet lunch, afternoon tea and dinner are served daily. Enjoy indoor or outdoor dining in La Veranda for breakfast and lunch. Dinner is served nightly in the L’Etoile dining room, with a menu featuring **two-star Michelin chef-designed signature dishes**.

Complimentary room service and vegetarian and wellness meal options are available. The inviting and spacious public areas are tastefully appointed and include a large lounge, two bars, a comfortable library with computers, wireless Internet hotspots, spa, fitness center, boutique and outdoor swimming pool.

The M.V. TERE MOANA’s English-speaking crew provides courteous, professional service and sails with an onboard physician. There is one crew member for every 1.5 guests. The ship has an elevator.
Included Features

Exclusively chartered Five-Star Small Ship M.V. TERE MOANA

♦ Seven-night cruise from Barcelona, Spain, to Lisbon, Portugal, with port calls at Palma de Mallorca and Ibiza, Balearic Islands, Spain; and Andalusia at Seville and Motril for Granada, Spain; Gibraltar, British Crown Colony; and Portimão, Portugal.

♦ Spacious and elegant ocean-view Staterooms, each with a private bathroom and individual climate control.

♦ Captain’s Welcome and Farewell Receptions.

♦ All meals on board, each served at a single, unassigned seating—early-risers’ coffee, buffet breakfast, buffet lunch, afternoon tea and dinner.

♦ Complimentary alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages served throughout the cruise.

♦ Tour of the historic Spanish and Balearic Island port of Palma de Mallorca, featuring its medieval Old City.

♦ Excursion to the Carthusian Monastery in Valldemossa, the former residence of composer Frédéric Chopin.

♦ Tour of the Renaissance Old Town of Ibiza, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and a stop at Las Salinas, famous for its salt flats.

♦ Full-day excursion to Granada, featuring a visit to the UNESCO World Heritage sites of the Alhambra Palace and the lush Generalife Gardens, with lunch.

♦ Visit to the British Crown Colony of Gibraltar, featuring the “Top of the Rock” and St. Michael’s Cave.

♦ Unique scenic cruise into the heart of extraordinary Seville on Spain’s legendary Guadalquivir River, “the great river.”

♦ Tour of Seville, highlighted by the rich historical monuments and UNESCO World Heritage sites of Giralda Tower, the lavishly decorated Cathedral and the Moorish Alcázar.

♦ Specially arranged flamenco dance performance.

♦ Excursion to the scenic port town of Lagos in Portugal’s magnificent Algarve province, featuring the Baroque Church of St. Anthony.

Enhanced Travel Services

♦ Transfers and luggage handling abroad for participants whose arrival(s)/departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).

♦ All excursions and visits, as outlined above, with experienced local guides.

♦ Gratuities to shipboard personnel are included.

♦ Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.

♦ The services of experienced Gohagan & Company Travel Directors throughout the program.

♦ Complimentary state-of-the-art audio headsets for each participant during guided excursions.

♦ Hospitality desk aboard the ship.

♦ Travel document wallet, name badge and pre-departure information.

♦ Automatic $250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.
Explore Barcelona's cultural and architectural masterpieces, such as Antoni Gaudí's Basílica de la Sagrada Família, one of many structures around the city that bear his influence.

The lovely statues and fountains of Rossio Square are just a few of the cultural treasures that lure residents and visitors alike to Lisbon's refreshing city center.

Lisbon • Barcelona

Barcelona Pre-Cruise Option
Explore the heart of Barcelona, the capital city of Catalonia, a former Roman trading port originally named Barcino. Enjoy a panoramic tour featuring the Gothic Quarter, Barcelona’s original Old City. See Antoni Gaudí’s Casa Mila and visit Basílica de la Sagrada Familia, both UNESCO World Heritage sites. Spend a full day exploring Catalonia’s multi-peaked Montserrat Mountain, including the Benedictine monastery of Santa Maria and its 16th-century basilica. Accommodations are for two nights in the Five-Star Majestic Hotel and Spa Barcelona.

Lisbon Post-Cruise Option
Lisbon enchants travelers with its shoreline along the Atlantic Ocean, its dramatic cityscape of white limestone buildings and its well-preserved medieval monuments. Visit Jerónimos Monastery, part of a UNESCO World Heritage site, which honors the expeditions of Vasco da Gama, and see Belém Tower and the grandiose Monument to Discoveries. Enjoy a tour of the charming village of Sintra, a UNESCO World Heritage site, to explore the former royal palace of Queluz, known as the Portuguese Versailles. Accommodations for two nights are in the ideally located, deluxe Dom Pedro Palace Hotel.

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

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LAND/Cruise Tariff (per person, based on double occupancy)

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◆ Singles are available in category 4 at $10295 and category 2 at $10995 on or before March 6, 2015. Add $1000 for reservations made after March 6, 2015.

◆ Taxes are an additional $365 per person and are subject to change.

*MV. TERE MOANA* has been especially 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.

TRADE ROUTES OF COASTAL IBERIA RESERVATION FORM

Send to: University of Maryland Alumni Association Attn: Angela Dimopoulos
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Fax: (301) 314-6807

Title Full Name (exactly as it appears on your passport) Class Year
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Graduate of: University Campus
Street Mailing Address (no P.O. Box number please) City State Zip Code
Telephone: (Home) Telephone: (Mobile)
Email Address Email Address (Business)
Preferred Name(s) on Badge(s) Tour No. 120-09/11-15-060

Program reservations require a deposit of $800 per person and $200 per person Barcelona Pre-Cruise Option and/or $200 per person Lisbon Post-Cruise Option. By reserving and depositing on this program, live agree to the Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Binding Arbitration Agreement as printed on the outside back cover of this brochure.

Enclosed is my/our check(s) for $__________ as deposit. Make checks payable to 2015 Trade Routes of Coastal Iberia.
I/We authorize you to charge my/our deposit of _______ to:

Visa MasterCard

Card Number Exp. Date

Signature as it appears on credit card

All FINAL PAYMENTS are required to be made by check or wire transfer by May 14, 2015.

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AIRFARE: Airfare is subject to change and availability and, depending on the carrier, may include a 7.5% airline ticket tax. Airfare with this brochure constitutes a contract between you and the airline, even if purchased through Gohagan.

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DISCOUNTED RESERVATIONS: Discounts apply only to those reservations received in the offices of Gohagan in writing, accompanied by the required deposit, by March 6, 2015. In the event a “discounted” reservation must be cancelled, no “replacement” reservation can be substituted at the discounted rate. A “replacement” reservation is a new reservation and can be substituted only at the full-fare tariff. Cancellation penalties may apply.

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ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRACT: By forwarding of deposit, the participant certifies that he/she does not have any mental, physical or other condition of disability that would create a hazard for him/her or other participants and accepts the terms contained in this Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Binding Arbitration Agreement.