Join this unique itinerary, which captures the historical legacies and dynamic cultures of coastal Portugal, Spain, France and England and commemorates the historic D-Day landings. Cruise for eight nights from Lisbon aboard the exclusively chartered, Five-Star, small ship Le BoréaL. Visit three UNESCO World Heritage sites and conclude with a memorable cruise up the storied River Thames to London’s illustrious Tower Bridge. Special guest speaker Dwight D. Eisenhower II, grandson of General and President Dwight D. Eisenhower, accompanies you to the hallowed beaches of Normandy. Explore Oporto in Portugal’s renowned port wine country. Walk in the footsteps of ancient pilgrims on the Way of St. James in Santiago de Compostela. Observe the intriguing juxtaposition of old and new in Bilbao and visit the Guggenheim Museum. Tour Mont-St-Michel’s impressive abbey. Lisbon Pre-Cruise and London Post-Cruise Options.
Acclaimed Guest Speaker
- Historian David Eisenhower, grandson of General and President Dwight D. Eisenhower, will provide a lecture and accompany you to the Normandy Beaches.

On Board the Exclusively Chartered, Five-Star, Small Ship Le Boréal
- 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 throughout the ship.
- Visit to Bilbao's iconic Guggenheim Museum.
- Walking tour of Bilbao’s casco viejo (old quarter).
- Full-day excursion to the historic Normandy D-Day beaches, including a visit to a military cemetery.
- An opportunity to watch a short film documenting the D-Day campaign at the Arromanches 360 Circular Cinema overlooking Gold Beach or to see the legendary Bayeux Tapestry, chronicling the Norman conquest of 1066. Lunch included in a local restaurant.
- Once-in-a-lifetime cruise up the River Thames into the heart of London, with overnight on board ship docked near the Tower Bridge.

UNESCO World Heritage Site Highlights
- Excursion to Oporto, center of port wine trade.
- Excursion to Santiago de Compostela, a revered pilgrimage site.
- Walking tour of Mont-St-Michel and a visit to its 11th-century Abbey.

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.
- Complimentary use of an audio headset during guided excursions.
- Automatic $250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.

Lisbon
Pre-Cruise Option*

London
Post-Cruise Option*

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