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Dear colleagues and travelers!

Baltma Tours is proud to present you their new catalogue. We at Baltma have been organising tours here since 1991. Many of us have been in the office since it opened. It is therefore not surprising that we know our region inside out and can advise you on how to make the best use of your time here. You can be active or lazy, historical or modern, urban or rural; we will certainly work out the itinerary that suits you best. We also know our neighbours well so can easily arrange your travel in Poland, the Baltic Countries, and the whole of Russia in general. We would like to thank all our partners and clients for their interest in our company and in our new catalogue. You are more than welcome to our full co-operation and our complete commitment to your travel needs.

Michael Drutman, Albert Prokhorchiuk.



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It is a great honour to have been asked by Baltma Tours to write this introduction to their brochure. Baltma and Kaliningrad have become a part of my life since my first visit in 1992 and I return every year. Baltma simply IS Kaliningrad for most visitors from abroad as they look after you from your arrival to your departure. Your clients may be nervous and uncertain when they arrive, but they will leave satisfied and stimulated.

What makes me feel so confident in their hands is the continuity of their staff. Whenever I arrive at the airport or at one of the land borders, I feel I am returning home since the same kind people are there to greet me and the feeling is repeated when I enter the office.

Whatever the nature of your business, Baltma will take it over in the best sense of the word. They will book the hotels, arrange the transfers, organise the sightseeing and any specialist requests that your agency might have. It does not matter whether you are booking individuals or a large group, they can cater just as easily for both.

I have been happy and safe in Baltma's hands for 17 years now, whether I have come as a group leader or on my own. Try them for your clients and I am sure you will feel the same way.

Neil Taylor
Author of Baltic Cities (Bradt Guides)

KALININGRAD-KOENIGSBERG

HISTORY

Kaliningrad, formerly Königsberg, is one of several cities along the Baltic coast that was founded by the Teutonic Knights as they spread eastwards during the 13th century. From its founding in 1255 until the end of the Second World War, it has played a major part in German history, both as a seaport and as a center for academic excellence.

German and Russian history has been intertwined in this land throughout the centuries. In 1758, after the Seven Year War, East Prussia together with Königsberg became a part of Russia. At this time, the city was governed by a Russian general, while Russian officers attended the lectures of Immanuel Kant – being at that moment a citizen of Russia since all inhabitants of Eastern Prussia had sworn allegiance to the empress.

In 1762 after Peter III had ascended the throne, some Russian lands including Königsberg were given to the Prussian kingdom. After the First World War Königsberg became the capital of East Prussia, cut off from the rest of Germany by the territory given to Poland under the Versailles Treaty.

At the conclusion of WWII, East Prussia was divided between the Soviet Union and Poland. The city of Königsberg and the surrounding region were both renamed Kaliningrad. Being a strategic military area, it was closed to foreigners until 1990. Since that time, Kaliningrad has strove to renew contacts with Europe and the world and is working hard to welcome visitors and rebuild its tourist industry.



Today, Kaliningrad whimsically combines the attributes of a modern Russian city with those of a traditional European one. Both German and Russian histories are proudly being preserved and promoted, allowing for Kaliningrad to move forward as a destination of historic interest and cultural enjoyment.

The destruction and fires of WWII did not spare the heart of this ancient city. Nevertheless, Kaliningrad offers much to astonish and please its guests. For a leisurely stroll, one can walk along the old streets of the former settlements of Amalienau (Kutuzov Street), stopping at cozy cafes and restaurants along the way. In this district, it is easy to understand why Kaliningrad has been called a garden city. At the Kaliningrad zoo, a ten minute walk from the Kutuzov Street area, one finds an interesting zoological collection covering a multiplicity of

landscapes. In these and many other areas, it is possible and pleasurable to walk all day long.

Kaliningrad is easily reached by air from many European cities Berlin, Munich, Düsseldorf, Hannover, Hamburg, Paris, Rome and Milan, Barcelona, Prague, Riga; by train from Berlin or Gdansk and by bus from the Baltic States and Germany or on a cruise. Kaliningrad has a wide variety of hotels – starting from the medium class tourist hotels till the five stars hotels. The resorts of Svetlogorsk (Rauschen) and Zelenogradsk (Cranz), on the nearby coast, boast an equally wide range of accommodation. You'll find beautiful sandy beaches and unique nature there.

Cut off from the rest of the world for 40 years Kaliningrad was a secret known just too few; now its openness can be enjoyed by everyone. Why not discover it for yourself?

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SIGHTSEEING IN KALININGRAD

The Cathedral with I. Kant Museum

After more than fifty years, bells once again toll across the Kneiphof Island in the Pregolya River. In 1995 a clock and four bells were returned to the 14th-century Gothic cathedral, restoring life to the proud church where once the Prussian kings were crowned – the structure was burnt to the ground during wartime bombing and completely neglected afterwards. So far three of the bells have names: Alexander the Great, Alexander Nevsky and Kneiphof. The nameless fourth bell is still waiting for some benefactor to come along and finish the restoration job. The clock itself is the work of the German Harald Gotz from Fulda. It differs slightly from the original – it's run by computer. At the moment the Kneiphof is a favorite spot for afternoon strolls and fishing, rather than a lively, bustling district. A large museum in the Cathedral Tower details the history of the Cathedral from its foundation in the XIII century to the present day. Visitors can see how the Cathedral and the surroundings looked before the War. Two rooms in the Cathedral Museum are devoted to the life of Immanuel Kant (1724-1804) – the city's most famous former resident whose tomb lies beside the Cathedral walls. Now one of the biggest organs in Easter Europe is located in the concert hall of the Cathedral.

Amber Museum

Housed in the XIXth century Dona Fortress Tower, this Museum informs about the origin, properties, mining and processing of amber from the late Stone Age to our time. The amber museum in Kaliningrad houses the biggest collection of amber with more than 6,000 pieces – in jewellers, boxes and some copies of parts of the legendary Amber room, part of Catherine

the Great's summer residence near St. Petersburg. The richly ornamented frescoes were dismantled by the German army in 1941 and brought to Königsberg where they were last seen in the castle.

Museum "Blindazh" (Lasch Bunker)

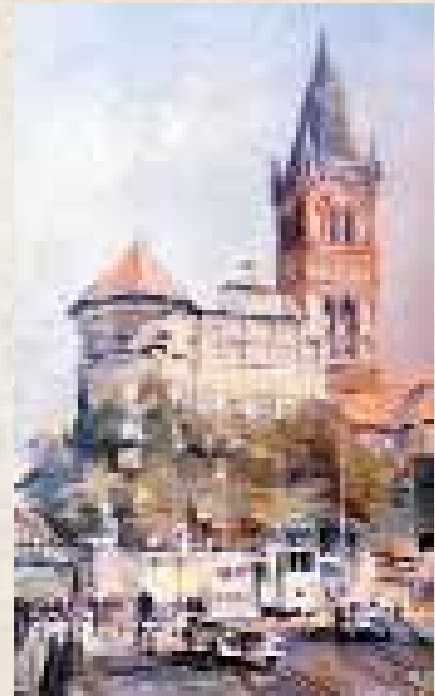
Located in front of Kaliningrad University across from the Kant memorial, the bunker served as the underground command post of German General Otto von Lasch during the war. Diagrams – incomprehensible to non-Russian speakers – illustrate the Red Army's conquest of Königsberg in 1945. Somewhat easier to understand are the museum's numerous photographs and graphic dioramas of street battles. Visitors can also see room 13, where von Lasch signed the German capitulation. Another room offers souvenirs, surprisingly not wartime memorabilia, but amber and ceramic items.

The former Stock Exchange

Built on the left bank of the Pregel River in 1875, this blue renaissance-style building is one of the very few in the city center to have survived the War. The steps are decorated with two bronze lions, both bearing shields. In the Soviet period, the building was the local House of Culture, but now the lower floors have been converted into a casino and restaurant called Monety Dvor.

The University

Albertina University was founded in 1544 and counted the philosopher Immanuel Kant, the poet Simon Dach, the writer Ernst Theodore Hoffman and the astronomer Friederich Bessel, amongst its most famous alumni. Two weeks after celebrating its 400th anniversary in August 1944, its buildings beside the Pregel



were completely destroyed by a British air raid, although there are now plans to excavate the foundations. One building, however, did partially survive and is now the center of the new university which was established by the Soviet authorities in 1947.

Church of the Christ the Savior

Construction of this Church started in 1996 and was completed in July 2005, specifically for the occasion of the 750th anniversary of Königsberg-Kaliningrad. It was designed by the famous Russian architect Oleg Kopilov and built in the very center of the city at the Pobeda square.



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Church of the Holy Family

It was originally built in 1903 as the town's main Catholic church of the town. At the end of the War, it was converted into a hospital which catered for both German and Russian soldiers. It then became a concert hall, and organ recitals are regularly held there.

Juditten Church

The construction of this church was started in 1288 and, remarkably for this area, most of the original structure remains. In 1989, the church was given to the Russian Orthodox community, but many outsiders are attracted by the quality of its choir.

Monument of Schiller

Created by Stanislaus Cauers and erected in 1910, the statue was supposedly saved when both the Germans and the Russians scrawled messages on the statue's pedestal, ordering the other side not to destroy it.

Monument of Immanuel Kant

As every Kaliningrader knows, this is not the original Kant, sculpted by Christian Daniel Rauch in 1857. The first statue was lost during the war, but the philosopher returned to his post in front of the university in 1992.



King's Gate

Partly destroyed during WWII and later suffered at the hands of vandals and thieves now it has become the second, after the Cathedral, symbol of modern Kaliningrad. The gate was restored before the 750th anniversary of Königsberg-Kaliningrad. On the front of the gate from left to right: Bohemian King Ottokar II, Prussian King Friedrich I and Duke Albrecht. At the present time it's the Center of History and Culture «Great Embassy» with the exposition about the history of Königsberg; diplomatic links between Prussia and Russia, dating back to the old times.

Rossgarten Gate

The gate, completed in the middle of the 19th century, formed part of the city's defenses. It is decorated with the coats of arms of several victorious Prussian generals who fought in the Napoleonic Wars.

Friedland Gate

One of the seven saved gates of Königsberg was built in the XIXth century. Museum of the gate can be interesting for those who is keen on the history of Königsberg and fortification ring of the old city.

«Royal Castle» exhibition site

Open basement of the Königsberg Royal Castle.



Puppet Theatre

(Church of Queen Luisa) This was built in two years from 1899 to 1901. Queen Louisa had been a popular figure in Königsberg during the Napoleonic Wars which is why the church was named in her honor.

The Fighting Bulls

This statue dating from 1912 was placed in front of the original court building. The two interlocked animals represent good and evil.

The Zoo

This is a unique institution, being equally famous in German and in Soviet times when it rivaled its counterparts in Berlin and Moscow respectively. In 1945, when the Red Army took the city, only four animals were left – a hippopotamus (with 42 wounds), a roe deer, a badger and a raven. In 1999, it celebrated its centenary, by then housing 409 different animals.

The Botanical Garden

This was opened in 1809 as a branch of Albertina University. It has always had an extensive collection of rare and exotic plants.

History and Art Museum

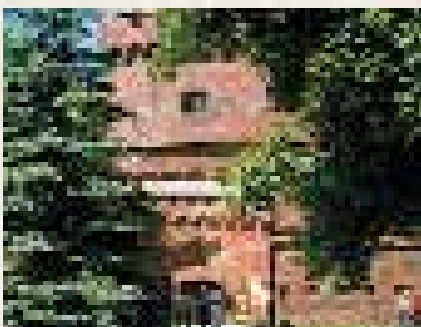
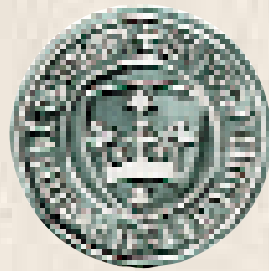
Badly damaged during the air raids in 1944, the "Stadthalle" concert hall stood in ruins until 1991, when the reconstructed building was opened again as the regional Museum of History and Art. A brief exhibition traces the history of Königsberg and the natural history of the region including a fascinating display on a recent archaeological dig.

Museum of the World Ocean

Museum was founded in 1992 on the right bank of the Pregel River. A fishing quay in the XIVth century, this location now called the Embarkment of Peter the Great. The main museum exposition is housed on a board of the German-built ship «Mars», which helped thousands of Germans flee East Prussia, has been reincarnated as the Russian «Vityaz». In XX century the ship took part in oceanographical expeditions all over the world attracting thousands of visitors for whom the chance to meet a Soviet citizen and to see a Soviet ship was a very rare experience. On the ship you can see: the crew salon, the wardroom, the cabin of the chief mechanic and captain, scientific laboratories and etc. NAVY submarine docked nearby is another attraction of the museum.

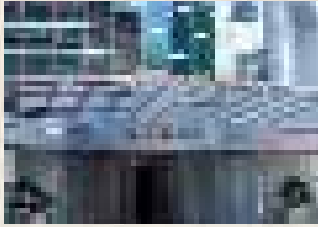


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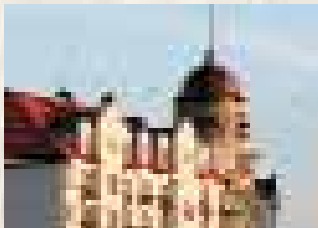
HOTELS



“Triumph Palace” *****

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fax: + 7 4012 777 744
www.triumph-palace.ru

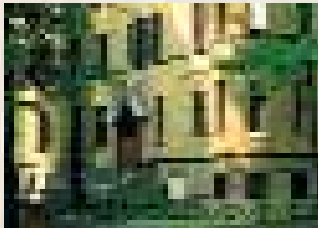
The first and the only five stars hotel in Kaliningrad was opened in 2006. Centrally located, new building, excellent service, close to the main stations of the city. 72 rooms of the hotel are located on eight floors; there are 10 different rooms categories. All rooms are equipped with modern furniture, SAT TV, telephone, mini-bar, WC, bath or shower, Internet access. Sights around: The Cathedral, Fish village, Philharmonic concert hall. At the hotel: bar, restaurant, luggage room, meeting room, currency exchange, laundry.



“Heliopark Kaiser Hof” *****

6a, Oktjabr'skaya str.,
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www.heliopark.ru

New hotel opened in 2008 as a part of Fish Village on the bank of the Pregolya River. Nearby there is the modern conference center and souvenir street. New building of the hotel is going to be opened in May, 2009. Totally the hotel will offer 118 rooms of different categories. Sights around: The Cathedral, Fish Village. At the hotel: restaurant, SPA center, pool, luggage room, conference center.



“Tschaika” ****

13, Pugachova st.,
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www.hotel.kaliningrad.ru

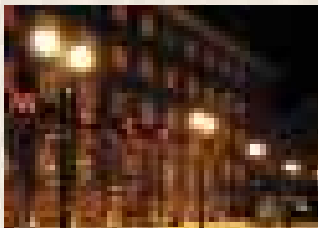
The hotel is located in the historical center of the city, which still keeps features of German architecture in green and quiet Pugacheva Street. The building was completed at the end of the XIXth century and now is the monument of the architecture. Was fully reconstructed in 2008. There are 28 rooms at the hotel: 19 DBL, 6 Studio, 3 Suites. All the rooms have: TV, direct-line telephone, mostly with shower, WC. Sights around: Zoo, Old town, Central Park, Puppet Theater. At the hotel: restaurant, luggage room, sauna, laundry.



“Glamour” ***

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www.glamour-hotel.ru

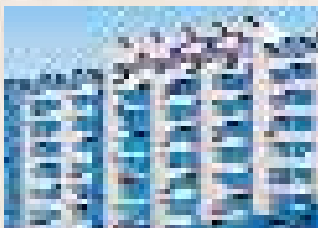
The hotel is located in the historical center of the city which still keeps features of German architecture in quiet and green area of Kaliningrad. There are 20 rooms at the hotel: 16 DBL and 4 Suites. All of them have shower or bath, WC, TV and telephone. Sights around: Amber Museum. At the hotel: restaurant, sauna with pool, meeting room.



“Moskva” ***

19, Mira pr.,
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www.hotel.kaliningrad.ru

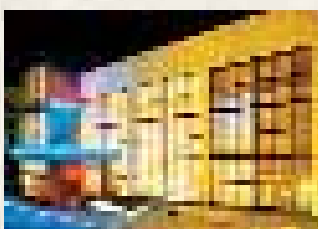
The hotel is one of the oldest in Kaliningrad. It's located in the administrative and historical center of the city. The historical building of the hotel is the monument of architecture; it was fully reconstructed in 2006. The hotel offers 170 rooms for its guests: 91 SGL, 71 DBL, 6 Suites and 2 Apartments. All the rooms have: TV, direct-line telephone, mostly with shower, WC. Sights around: Zoo, downtown. At the hotel: café, luggage room, currency exchange, laundry, beauty salon.



“Kaliningrad” ***

81, Leninskij pr.,
Kaliningrad
tel: + 7 0112 350 500
fax: + 7 0112 536 021
www.hotel.kaliningrad.ru

Hotel Kaliningrad is one of the leading and well-known hotels in the city. Hotel is perfectly located in the heart of the city: in geographical and business center. All 229 rooms of the hotel are well equipped with SAT TV, direct line telephone, shower and WC. There are different categories at the hotel: standard and business class – 167 SGL, 52 DBL, 7 J-Suites, 3 Apartments. Sights around: «Royal Castle» Exhibition site, The Cathedral. At the hotel: café, luggage room, currency exchange, laundry, billiard club.



“Dona” ***

2, Vasilevskogo Sq.,
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www.dona.kaliningrad.ru

The hotel is located in business center of the city. Modern style of the hotels and cozy environment attracts many of the city guests. There are 30 rooms at the hotel: 3 SGL, 24 DBL of two categories (Standard and Superior), 3 Suites. All the rooms are equipped with: SAT TV, telephone, mini-bar, bath or shower, WC. Sights around: Amber Museum, Art and History Museum. At the hotel: bar, gourmet restaurant Dolce Vita, luggage room, meeting room, laundry.

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HOTELS

“Usadba” in Orlovka ***+

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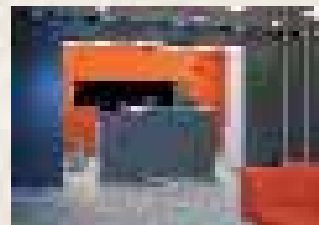
Old manor house was rebuilt for cozy and charmed hotel located out of the city ring road. Summer terrace of the hotel restaurant is one of the popular places of habitants of Kaliningrad. Two blocks of the hotel can offer 58 rooms for its guests, among them are: 1 Suite, 6 de-luxe rooms, all the rest are DBL's. At the hotel: restaurant with Old Russian cuisine, sauna with pool, conference hall, wedding hall, stable, guarded parking.



“Tourist” ***

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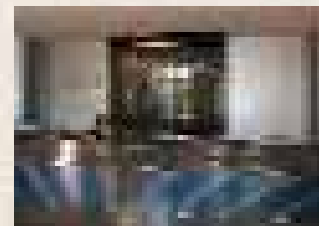
The hotel was totally refurbished in 2008. All the rooms are well equipped with modern furniture, LCD TV, telephone, shower and WC. The hotel also can offer modern conference hall, night club, lounge-bar, guarded parking. At guests disposal there are 110 rooms: 53 SGL, 49 DBL, 4 Suites and 4 Studio rooms. Sights around: Amber Museum.



“Olympic” ***

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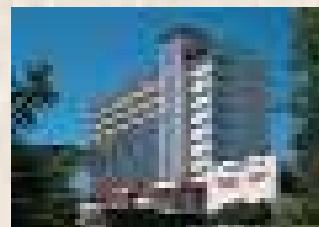
Built and opened in 2003. The hotel is a part of entertaining complex which includes: bowling, billiard, two restaurants and cafe, swimming pool, Aqua Park, SPA center. Totally there are 45 rooms at the hotel: 14 SGL, 23 DBL, 6 Junior Suites, 2 Suites. Sights around: Kings Gate Museum, Amber Museum. At the hotel: café, luggage room, SPA center, Aqua park.



“Baltica” ***

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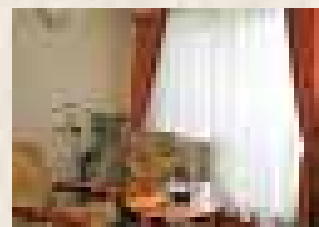
The hotel is located in 20 minutes away from the city center, next to scenic lake and nice area for walking. The hotel has the biggest well equipped conference center in the city. Number of rooms is 130 of two categories: standard and business. At the hotel: two restaurants, luggage room, currency exchange, night club, sauna and massage room, laundry, beauty salon.



“Deima” ***

*15/2, Tolstikova st.,
Kaliningrad
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www.deima-tour.com*

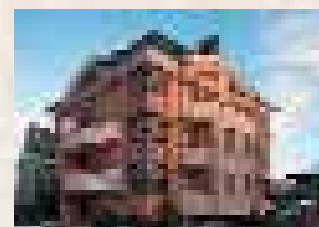
The hotel was opened in 1993 and located in 15 minutes drive from the city centre. The hotel offers 83 rooms for its guests: 17 SGL / 48 DBL of business class with private bath or shower and WC; and 18 DBL rooms of tourist class with shared shower and WC for two rooms. Sights around: Railway museum. At the hotel: bar, restaurant with homely cuisine, disco-night club and wonderful dance show, billiards, sauna, solarium, meeting room, currency exchange, guarded parking.



Guest House “Albertina”

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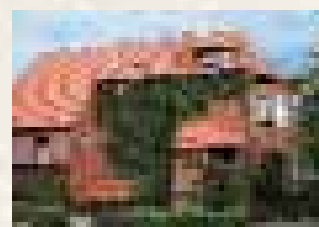
European style guest house is located in a silent picturesque place, 15 min drive from the city center. The area around was known in Königsberg as the region of Maraenhof, urban Maks Ashmann Park. Number of rooms at the hotel is 12: 9 DBL, 1 Junior Suite and 2 Suites.



Guest house “Paraiso”

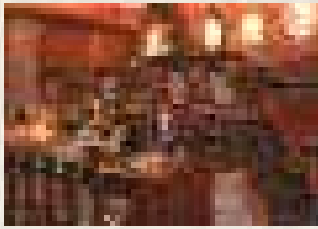
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Located near the city center in picturesque and quiet place. Near the guest house there is a beautiful park with children attractions. Totally the hotel has 24 DBL rooms. Sights around: Park «Yunost». At the hotel: bar, sauna, seif.



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RESTAURANTS



“Dolce Vita”

2, Vasilevsky sq.,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 351 612
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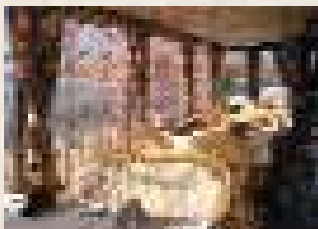
Restaurant “Dolce Vita” – a piece of “gourmet France”, those appeals to both heart and stomach. The clients of the restaurant are aware of what to expect. Fans of Russian cuisine will be disappointed – neither “Russian salad” nor fried potatoes are served here. Mediterranean cuisine prevails: seafood, live lobsters, fresh oysters, and fresh fish. The menu is being renewed every 3 months. You are welcome from 12:00 till 24:00



“Universal”

43, pr. Mira,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 216 931
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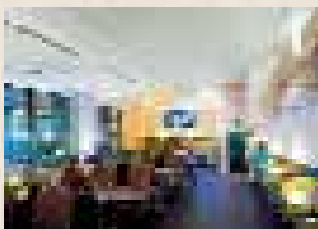
Very popular with local people and with the foreign community, this restaurant is in the centre of the city, and forms part of a big complex – casino, discotheque, cinema and nightclub. It serves a large variety of European dishes. Try its famous ‘solyanka’ soup and then fish, while looking down on the gamblers. Open 12.00 – 06.00 daily.



“Langust”

Fish village,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 592 059
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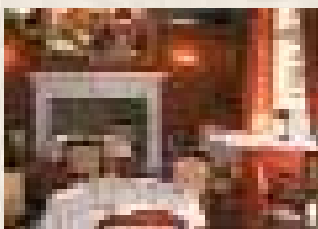
New restaurant is the part of tourist's complex Fish Village located on the banks of the Pregolya with fish menu of highest quality. During summer time before or after your meal you can take a boat trip. Open 12.00-24.00 daily.



“Bon-Bon Gourmet Café”

Europa Center
Pobedy sq., 2 floor
Kaliningrad
tel: +7 4012 61 63 09
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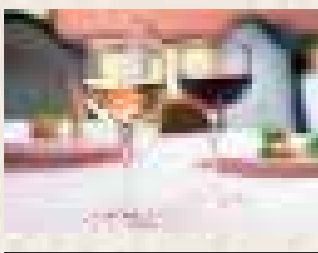
It's a new place on the map of dining in Kaliningrad. Panoramic view to the main city square attracts many of visitors. Good service and fashionable design. Various menu of Russian, European, Asian and Japanize cuisines. Bon-Bon is really perfect place to enjoy both food and good service.



“Habana”

10/12, pr. Mira,
Kaliningrad
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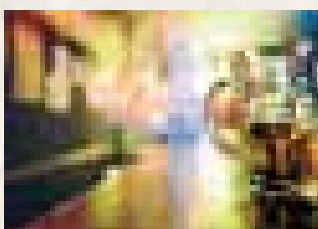
It's a really perfect place at the city center with summer terrace. European cuisine, classical interior, excellent service. Tomato terrine is home specialty, just test it! Since nearest time there is a poker club for all city guests.



Art club “12 stuliev”

67, pr. Mira.,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 955 900
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Come here to return to pre-War Königsberg. You will be surrounded by German memorabilia but the menu is international. Fantastic place for romantic quite dinner. Open 12.00 – 01.00 daily.



“Reduit”

27, Litovskiyi val,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 469 401
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Located in a 16th century military store, it now has three levels. The ground floor is called The Hunter's hall to reflect the food served there, the first floor is a beer hall and the second floor is a restaurant with a Western kitchen. Drink the fresh beer from its own brewery. Open: beer hall 12.00 – 24.00; hunter's hall 18.00 – 06.00; restaurant 15.00 – 03.00 daily)

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“Grand Hall”

18, Leonova str.,
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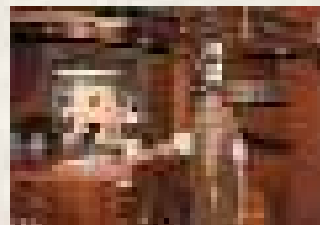
Restaurant is specializing in groups and other official events. Pre-booking is necessary. Various European cuisines are offered at the house. Classical modern style of the beginning of the XXth century.



“Solnechnyi Kamen”

2, Vasilevskogo sq.,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 539 106
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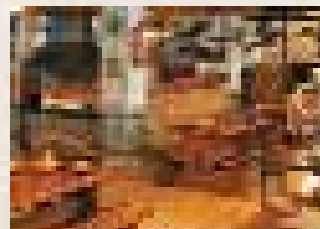
Fish restaurant located in the historical building Rosgarten Gates, next door to Amber Museum. Various menus of fresh fish dishes and original interior attract many tourists daily. Inside garden is open during summer time.



“Traktir Razgulyay”

1, Pobedy sq., Kaliningrad
13, pr. Sovetskij, Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 214 897
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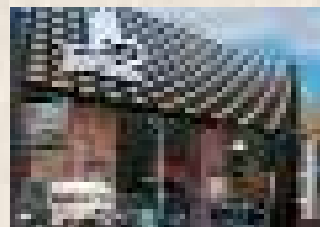
A country style tavern. Typical Russian cuisine – buffet. Live music in the evening. Open 13.00 – 02.00 daily.



“Don Chento” Pizza

1. 1, Shevtsovoj b. Tel. + 7 4012 681 755
2. 120, Gajdara str. Tel. + 7 4012 323 838
3. 1, Solnechnyj b. Tel. + 7 4012 360 603
4. 28, Kalinina sq. Tel. + 7 4012 632 058
5. 9-11, Sovetskij pr. Tel. + 7 4012 937 672
6. 9, 9, Aprelya str. Tel. + 7 4012 937 672
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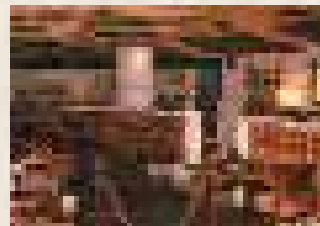
Chain of pizza cafes with modern design and classical pizza menus located in different parts of the city. Buffet is open daily 10.00-02.00. During w-end special programmes at the most of the cafes.



“Zhazda”

30, pr. Leninskiy,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 534 477
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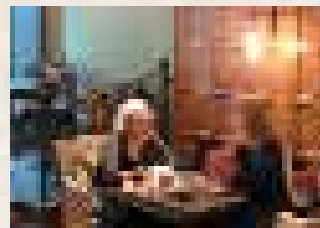
Beer restaurant with Russian and German cuisines. Very popular place among the citizens, pre-booking is highly recommended. Live music and dance every evening. Very enjoyable place.



Tea café “Ounce”

58/60, pr. Mira, Kaliningrad
22, Zhitomirskaya str., Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 916 756
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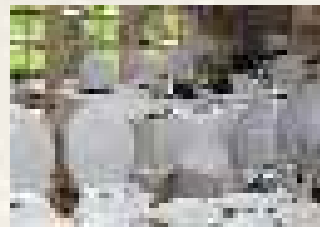
Special place for drinking tea in quite environmental. Various blends of tea from all over the world are offered here. Very special place to relax in busy city.



“Usadba” Guest House

poselok Orlovka,
Kaliningrad
Tel. + 7 4012 384 850
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A country side restaurant, five minutes drive from Kaliningrad, in an old German manor house with a large open fireplace. In summer time enjoy the barbecue at the open terrace before or after sampling the horse-riding. Varied European and Old Russian cuisine. Open 12.00 – 24.00 daily.



★ ★ ★ ★ **RUSS** HOTEL

10, Vereshagina str., Svetlogorsk, Russia
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fax: +7 40153 21445, +7 4012 743880
russ_hotel@tis-dialog.ru,
reception@russ-hotel.ru
www.russ-hotel.ru



Surrounded in the birch grove hotel «Russ» is situated on the Baltic Sea coast just a 10 minute walk from the city centre. It is a true oasis of peace and quiet.

The hotel offers:

- 40 rooms of various categories that can suit anybody's taste;
- a restaurant with a summer terrace, BBQ, room service;
- «Roof Lounge» club located on the hotel's roof with a natural solarium and a Jacuzzi, a chill-out area;
- conference hall for business meetings, seminars, conferences;
- transfer, transportation services;
- Green theater;
- parking lot, underground parking.



«Triumph Palace Hotel+»
1, Bolshevistskij per.,
Kaliningrad, Russia



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+7 4012 777 744
e-mail: info@triumph-palace.ru



Dona HOTEL

2, Vasilevsky sq., Kaliningrad, Russia, 236016

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www.dona.kaliningrad.ru

www.dolcevita.kaliningrad.ru

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hotel ♥ restaurant



The hotel "Usadba" is situated in the old German mansion in the park area at a distance of 7 km from the Kaliningrad city.

In XIXth century it had a romantic name of Nesselbeck.

A lot of things have changed since that time but traditions of hospitality have remained.

The old house is still securing the rest of its guests.

The unique atmosphere exists in the corner of the hotel, delicious dishes of Russian cuisine traditional for nobles mansions are served in the restaurant;

clinking of glasses repeats quiet talks.

There is a beautiful park next to the house. A banquet hall and a conference hall are situated in the territory of the complex.

"Horse riding club" – the pride of the "Usadba" is open for those who prefer active rest.



Hotel "Usadba", Orlovka, 8, Zarechnaya st., Kaliningrad, 238324, Russia,
Tel. (4012) 38-48-50

e-mail: otel_usadba@mail.ru, web: www.hotelusadba.ru



KALININGRAD REGION

Svetlogorsk (Raushen)
Svetlogorsk, on the Baltic coast, is only 30 kilometers from Kaliningrad and is easily reached by car, bus or suburban train. The resort became famous at the beginning of the XXth century when it was Koenigsbergers' favorite summer resort. The wealth and taste of that era remains in the extraordinary variety of buildings, including its famous Water Tower. Most of these have been fully restored. The German sculptor, Hermann Brachert (1890-1972), lived in the town before the war. In good weather a walk along the promenade is always a pleasure and, after a storm, you can search for pieces of amber on the beach. The natural beauty of the area remains unspoiled – you can enjoy the sand dunes, the pine woods, the medicinal mud and the mineral water, just as the citizens of Koenigsberg did at the beginning of the last century.

Zelenogradsk (Cranz) – Curonian Spit
Zelenogradsk (Cranz) is a medical centre specializing in the treatment of the elderly and also a quiet XIXth century village, still dominated by wooden, rather than concrete buildings. Nature has ensured that this 100 kilometer strip of land which divides Baltic Sea from the Curonian Gulf will never be spoiled by man. The area consists of sand-dunes occasionally covered by pine forests. Because of its unique structure building is restricted to small wooden houses well spaced apart. The dunes reach a height of 200 feet (60-70 meters), so dwarf all the buildings, even the hotels and churches. Designated as a National Park on both sides of the border, the Spit is a home for the unique range of plants and animals. In fine weather, much of the spit can be seen from the top of Efa dune, one of the highest dunes in Europe. On the Russian side the major attraction is the Ornithological Centre at Rybachy (Rossiten), founded in 1901. It studies the regular migrations that bring around 100,000 birds here each spring and autumn.

Baltiysk (Pillau)
This town was an important navy base under the Germans and has retained this role under the Soviet and now Russian authorities. It is now the most Western point in Russia. Permits to visit need to be arranged in advance for all foreigners, which Baltma Tours can organize. Given the sensitivity of the area, visitors must accept sudden changes in the itinerary which may be imposed without warning. It is normally possible to take pictures within the town. At the harbor, most of the German architecture has survived, including the lighthouse, the court and the secondary school. Looking across the canal on a clear day, it is possible to make out a Teutonic Castle slowly slipping into the sea.

Yantarny (Palmnicken)
Known as Palmnicken in German times, the village is on the coast about 35 km from Kaliningrad. Its wealth is well disgusted since the village houses have a forlorn look and its are poorly maintained. Bomb damage was minimal so older German tourists can recognize the layout and again enjoy Sunday afternoons along the beach. There is now one large open-cast mine in use, producing about 450 tones of amber a year, about 90% of world production. Water has now seeped into others, although Russian children follow their German predecessors in collecting amber pieces from the beach when they have been washed up after storm. There is somewhat precarious viewing point from which the whole mine can be seen; strong footwear is necessary to reach it and an equally strong constitution to tolerate the dire environmental pollution that it causes. A small private amber work shop can be visited during this trip as well as to buy the amber souvenirs.

Sovetsk (Tilsit)
Sovetsk lies on the Neman River, which is the border with Lithuania. Tilsit, which received civic rights in 1552, grew up around a castle of the Teutonic Knights, known as the Schalauner Haus, founded in 1288. It is most famous because of the Treaties of Tilsit signed here in July 1807, the preliminaries of which were settled by the emperors Alexander I of Russia and Napoleon I of France on a raft moored in the river Neman. This treaty, which created the

Kingdom of Westphalia and the Duchy of Warsaw, completed Napoleon's humiliation of the Kingdom of Prussia, when she was deprived of one half of her dominions.

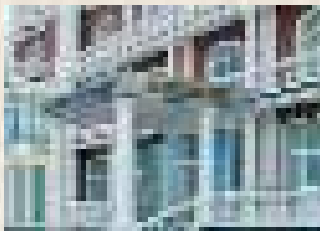
This short-lived peace-treaty is also remarkable for quite another reason. Three days before its signing, Prussian queen Luise (1776 – 1810) tried to persuade Napoleon in a private conversation to ease his hard conditions on Prussia. Although without any result, Luise's effort greatly endeared her to the Prussian people. Her popularity in Germany lives on, up to the present day.

Cherniakhovsk (Insterburg)
In 1336, after the Prussian Crusade, the Grand Master of the Teutonic Knights Dietrich von Altenburg founded a castle called Insterburg at the site of a former Old Prussian fortification. In 1818 after the Napoleonic Wars, the town became the capital of the Insterburg District within the Gumbinnen Region. Michael Andreas Barclay de Tolly died at Insterburg in 1818 on his way from his Livonian manor to Germany. Insterburg became part of the German Empire during the 1871 unification of Germany. During World War II, Insterburg was heavily bombed by the British Royal Air Force on 27 July 1944. In 1946 Insterburg was renamed Chernyakhovsk in honor of the Soviet World War II General of the army Ivan Chernyakhovsky, who was killed in the Battle of Königsberg. Visiting the Majovka (Georgienburg) horse stud 5km from the town centre where a horse riding school has been set.



SVETLOGORSK

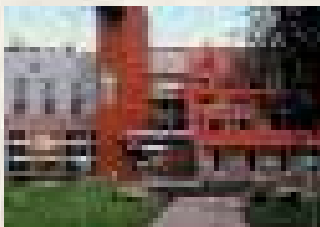
HOTELS



“Grand Place” *****

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Svetlogorsk
tel: + 7 40153 33 232
www.grandhotel.ru

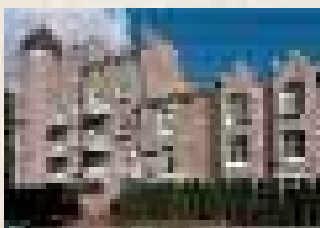
Hotel “Grand Palace” located on Baltic Sea coast, in the city-resort Svetlogorsk. It is the first five stars hotel opened on the sea coast. 15 rooms of the hotel have sea view and one double bed per room. Totally the hotel has 30 rooms: 26 DBL and 4 Suites, 2 rooms equipped for handicapped persons. At the hotel: outdoor swimming pool, private beach, conference-hall, business-center, kid's room, library, restaurant, night bar, cash machine, guarded parking, health-center, sauna, fitness center.



“Russ” ****

10, Vereschagina st.,
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fax: + 7 40153 43509
www.russ-hotel.ru

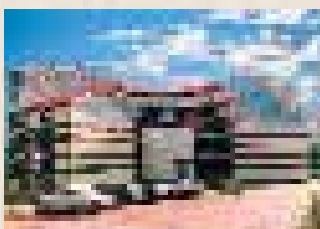
The legendary hotel Russ located in Svetlogorsk - one of the beautiful resorts of Kaliningrad region. Many of famous people choose this cozy hotel for their holiday and overnight in the town. It's a perfect place to enjoy the beautiful nature and good service. At the hotel: lobby-bar with library; summer theater; roof-DJ bar with chill-out area; an open-air solarium and Jacuzzi; an open-air summer terrace and many others. The hotel has 39 rooms for its guests, among of them are: 1 President Suite, 8 Suites, all the rest are DBL.



“Falke SPA Resort” ****

16, Lenina str.,
Svetlogorsk
tel: + 7 40153 21600
www.falke-hotel.ru

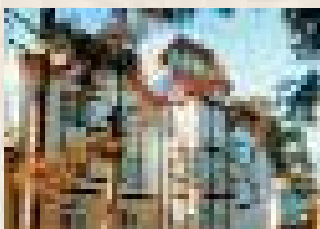
Falke Hotel Resort is located on Baltic sea-side in the city-resort Svetlogorsk, which is a sea-resort with well developed tourism and treatment infrastructure. Falke Hotel Resort is elegance, high style and ideal place for the calm rest. Hotel offers 60 rooms of different categories and size. SPA-center is of 1000 sq. m size.



“Olymp” ****

72v, Kaliningradsky pr.,
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fax: + 7 40153 33153
www.hotelolimp.ru

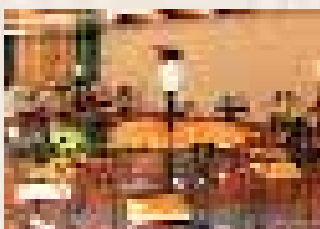
This is an excellent resort complex located 5 min walk from the main street of Svetlogorsk. The hotel has 29 rooms (20 DBL, 2 semi-suites, 6 suites, 1 apartments) meeting all the demands of a four-star hotel. At the hotel: 2 restaurants, bar, heated outdoor swimming pool, sauna, fitness center, 2 conference rooms, billiard room, guided parking.



“Universal” ***

3, Nekrasova st.,
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www.hotel-universal.ru

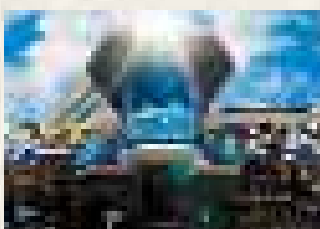
Opened in 2001, the hotel is placed in the central green town zone in 100m from the sea. The hotel building is kept with the architectural style of old Raushen. No one, even a very experienced traveler will stay indifferent to its design. The hotel offers 32 cozy rooms: 4 SGL, 22 DBL, 3 Junior Suites and 3 Suites. At the hotel: restaurant with summer terrace, conference room, guarded parking.



“Rauschen” ***

48a, Lenina st.,
Svetlogorsk, 238650
tel: + 7 40153 21564
fax: + 7 40153 21564
www.rauschenhotel.ru

The hotel is located in 200 meters from Baltic Sea coast. The hotel was renovated in 2007. Now at guest's disposal there are 45 rooms: 12 Junior Suites, 33 DBL rooms. Conference hall.



“Volna” ***

68b, Kaliningradsky pr.,
Svetlogorsk
tel: + 7 40153 22 464
fax: + 7 4012 468 317
www.hotelvolna.kaliningrad.org

“Volna” – the hotel is located in 300 m from Baltic Sea in one of the most beautiful places of Svetlogorsk. At the guests' disposal there are 120 rooms with cozy, comfortable and pleasant atmosphere: 23 SGL, 74 DBL, 20 semi-suites, 2 suites and 1 apartment. 2 conference halls.

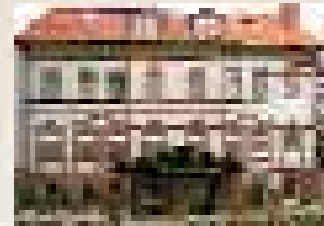
SVETLOGORSK

HOTELS

“Stary Doctor” ***

12, Gagarina str.,
Svetlogorsk
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www.alter-doktor.ru

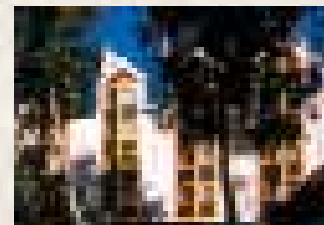
The comfortable hotel with an unusual name “Staryj Doktor” (“Old Doctor”) is waiting for you in the park zone of Svetlogorsk. The building is more than 100 years old. In 1997-1999 it was completely reconstructed. A great restoration work was done and as a result, the house not only kept its style, but recovered its attractive charm of antiquity and cosines. The hotel has 21 rooms: 1 SGL, 14 DBL, 6 suites.



“Baltica” ***

8, Vereshagina st.,
Svetlogorsk
te/fax: + 7 40153 21458
www.baltma.ru

Located in green area of Svetlogorsk in 150 meters from Baltic Sea coast. At the moment there are 34 DBL rooms, 12 SGL rooms and 8 De-Luxe rooms at guests disposal. Would you like to combine pleasure with use – it's the right hotel! To your disposal there is a conference hall for 80 seats, bar, restaurant, billiard, tennis court, sauna, fitness hall, guarded parking.



“Dom Skazochnika” ***

4, per Gorkogo,
Svetlogorsk
tel: + 7 01153 22 396
fax: + 7 0112 326 965
www.albertina.kaliningrad.net

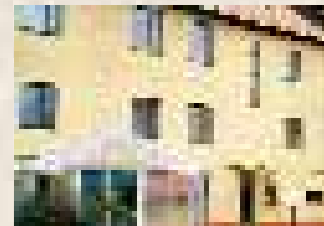
“Dom Skazochnika” (Hoffman House) – a really fair house with 15 rooms located in the woods of Svetlogorsk 600 m away from the sea. The rooms are very comfortable, including 4 suites. At the hotel you can feel cozy atmosphere. There is parking, cafe-bar at your disposal.



“Baltic Pearl” ***

15, Baltiyskaya str.,
Svetlogorsk
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fax: + 7 40153 21 351
www.holiday.39rus.ru

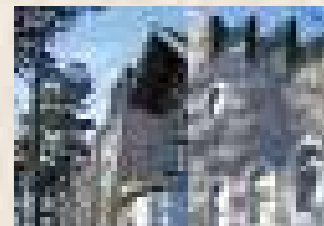
Opened in 1998 the hotel has 15 rooms: 2 SGL rooms, 7 DBL rooms, 2 Suites and 4 Apartments. All the rooms are equipped with shower, WC, TV. For the guests restaurant, sauna, barbecue, parking etc are available.



Guest House “Lazurny Bereg”

1a, Dinamo st.,
Svetlogorsk, 238560
tel: + 7 01153 21523
fax: + 7 01153 21522
www.baltma.ru

Hotel “Lazurny Bereg” is situated in central zone of the Svetlogorsk city, in close vicinity of seacoast. There are cozy and comfortable rooms in hotel, parking, sauna, summer terrace etc. There are 6 rooms at the guests' disposal: 2SGL, 2 DBL, 2 suites.



Guest House “Uyut”

8a or 14, Lenina St.,
Svetlogorsk, 238058
Tel: + 7 4012 743 651
Fax: + 7 4012 743 653
www.baltma.ru

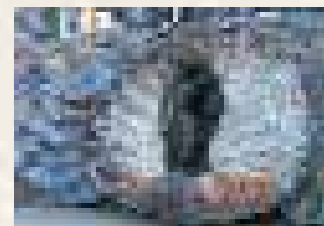
The complex of guest houses “Uyut” is displaced in a picturesque place of Svetlogorsk. At our guests' disposal there are 6 two-room suits in two new buried in verdure cottages located in 300m from the steps to the beach.



Guest House “Tri Devyatki”

30, Kaliningradsky pr.,
Svetlogorsk, 238560
tel: + 7 9062 379 997
fax: + 7 9062 379 992
www.hotel999.ru

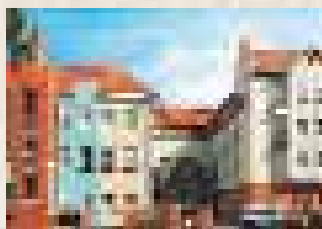
This is new hotel complex in a marvelous resort town of Svetlogorsk. Splendid living conditions allow thinking only about rest. Marine air, gorgeous nature, Baltic coast amenities – all these things will help you to spend your time with a great pleasure far from the noise and dust city streets. There are 8 rooms at the guests' disposal: 4 DBL, 2 semi-suits, 2 suits.



KALININGRAD REGION

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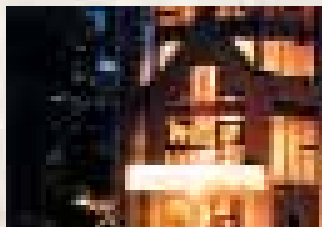
ZELENOGRADSK



“Sambia” ***

20, Vologradskago st.,
Zelenogradsk, 238530
tel: + 7 40150 36221
fax: + 7 40150 36331
www.sambiahotel.ru

You will be met with a nice and originally designed building of the tourist complex “Sambia”. At your disposal: 87 comfortable rooms, restaurant with a view of the sea, lobby- bar, business center, club area, fitness and health complex, aqua park, billiard, children's playground.



“Baltiyskaya Korona” ***

8, Vologradskago st.,
Zelenogradsk, 238530
tel: + 7 40150 31268
fax: + 7 40150 32490
www.korona.39rus.ru

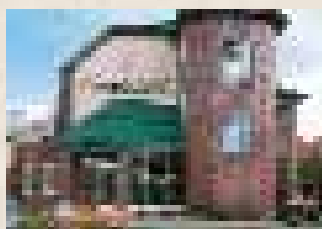
The hotel was built in 1995. Located in the downtown it has 24 rooms: 18 DBL rooms and 6 Suites. Restaurant, pool, souvenir shops and exchange office are also available for the guests.



“Villa Lana” ***

3a, Gagarina str.,
Zelenogradsk
Tel/fax: + 7 40150 33410
www.baltma.ru

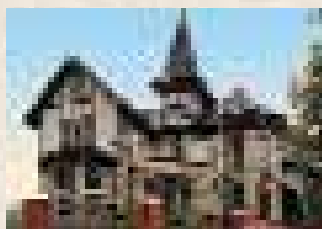
Guest house is located close to the public beach of Zelonogradsk. It consists of two blocks and totally has 7 DBL rooms. The second block of the hotels can offer accommodation for max 5 persons. For its guests the hotel can offer: guarded parking, barbecue area, cozy restaurant for breakfast and dinner.



“Renaissance” ***

17b, Gagarina str.,
Zelenogradsk
Tel: + 7 4012 729304
Fax: + 7 4012 729303
www.baltma.ru

Comfortable place for your stay on the beach of Baltic sea. Guest house is located 50m from the beach. There are 16 rooms at the hotel: 6 DBL Suites, 6 DBL Junior Suites, 4 DBL of standard class. For your comfortable stay we can offer: guarded parking, barbecue area, summer terrace of our restaurant, heated outdoor pool in the garden, sauna with whirlpool, massage room, SPA procedures.

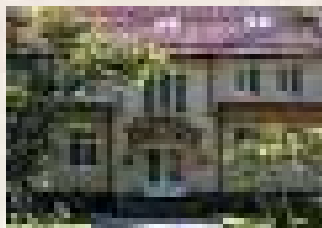


“Koshkin Dom” ***

1a, Gagarina str.,
Zelenogradsk
Tel/fax: + 7 40150 33546
www.baltma.ru

Guest house is centrally located, in few meters from public beach of the city. For our guests we can offer 9 cozy and well equipped rooms: 1 SGL, 4 DBL and 4 DBL Junior Suites. At the hotel there is restaurant, lobby with fire-place, pool, sauna, billiard room, guarded parking. From the windows of junior suites you can see Baltic Sea.

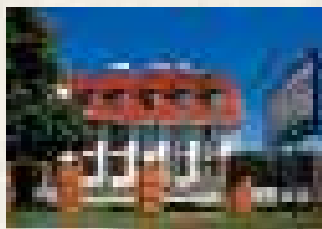
CURONIAN SPIT



Guest House “Altrimo”

11, Pogranichnaya str.,
p. Rybachy, ds. Zelenogradsk
tel. (+7) 40150 41139
www.altrimo.ru

The motel is located in Morskoye village at the Curonian Spit directly at the Curonian lagoon coast. There are 34 rooms: 15 DBL, 3 Junior-Suites, 5 Suites, 11 apartments. The motel consists of 4 two-storey cottages. Each cottage has a kitchen and shower/WC. Some cottages have SAT/TV. There is a restaurant, bar, sauna and sport facilities.



“Kurshskaya Kosa” ***

17, Tsentralnaya st., s. Lesnoye,
ds. Zelenogradsk, 238534
tel: + 7 40150 41396
fax: + 7 40150 41290
www.holiday.39rus.ru

Hotel “Kurshskaya Kosa” (“Curonian Spit”) was built in 1999. The hotel has 14 rooms: 6 DBL rooms, 3 Suites and 5 Apartments. At the hotel you can find: restaurant, bar, in-door pool, sauna, guarded parking, barbecue area.

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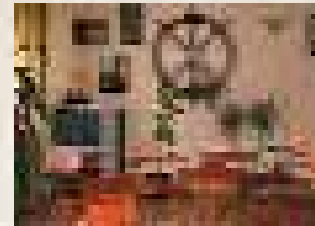
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CURONIAN SPIT

“Morskoe” ***

6, Dachnaya str., p. Morskoe,
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www.baltma.ru

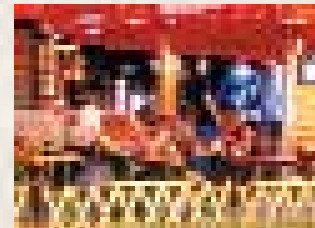
The hotel was opened in 2004 in the center of village. At the moment there are 13 rooms available: 10 DBL, 1 TRPL and 2 Suites. All rooms have: bathrooms with shower, TV. The territory around is quite big. Summer café offers barbecue and fresh cocktails for its guests. Guarded parking is also available.



Traktir “U dorogi” **

1, Lesnaya str., p. Rybatchy,
ds. Zelenogradsk
tel: + 7 40150 41296
fax: + 7 40150 41290
www.baltma.ru

Wooden traktir is located on the main street of the village. Very popular restaurant is on the ground floor of the complex, the first floor is equipped for comfortable rooms with shower, WC, TV and lovely bird's songs from the forest around. Totally there are 14 rooms. Most of them are for DBL occupancy.



YANTARNYI

“Anna Maria” ***

10, Sovetskaya str.,
p. Yantarnyi
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www.baltma.ru

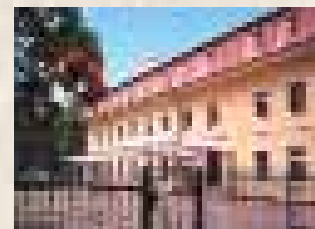
The hotel was opened in 2008 in restored old German building very close to the wonderful sandy beach. There are totally 14 rooms of different categories at the hotel. Some of the rooms has sea view.



“Bekker” ***

72, Sovetskaya str.,
p. Yantarnyi
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www.baltma.ru

In summer 2008 the hotel opened its doors for the guests. The building of the hotel is historically old and now completely restored for the hotel. Just around the corner you can find famous park of the village by name of M. Bekker. The widest beach of the region is located in 200 meters from the hotel. At the hotel there are 16 rooms, all are cozy and well equipped for the comfortable stay. Old European cuisine is served at the two halls of the hotel restaurant.

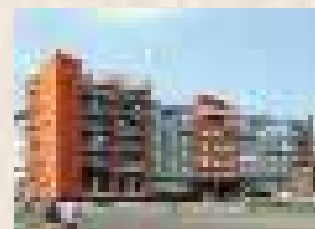


SOVIETSK

“Rossia” ****

2, Lunacharskogo str.,
Sovietsk
Tel: + 7 40161 34900
Fax: + 7 40161 34950
www.kronushotels.ru

The hotel Rossia is located in the business and cultural centre of the town. It has 121 comfortable rooms equipped in accordance with international standards. «Sovok» – Soviet times Restaurant. It can have about 100 people; there is a banquet room which houses up to 30 people. The «Sovok» menu is made in the style of «Fusion» (the combination of the classic Russian and European cuisines).

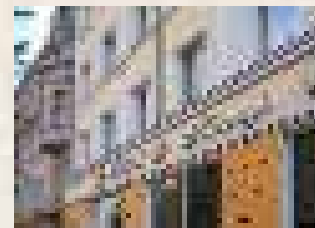


CHERNYAKHOVSK

“Kochar” ****

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Chernyakhovsk
Tel: + 7 40141 52489
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www.hotel-kochar.com

The comfortable hotel is of Premium class, opened in 2007. This is only 4 Stars hotel in our region. The hotel is located in the historical center of the city. There are 50 rooms available at the hotel: 7 SGL rooms, 25 DBL rooms, 14 Junior Suites, 4 double de Luxe rooms.



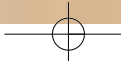
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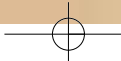
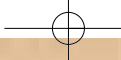
Guest House “Muschkino”

Mushkino Guest House
Bagrationskiy district,
Kaliningrad Region, Russia
www.baltma.ru

Restored manor house in 2008 welcomes you to stay at its 9 rooms away from everyday city life. You'll enjoy the wild forest around, cozy environmental, Russian hospitality. The Mushkino Guest house offers the guests: hunting, Russian wooden sauna, billiard, game menu at the restaurant, rent of cycles, car parking.







KALININGRAD REGION

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KALININGRAD CITY TOUR – 3 HOURS

The half-day tour begins with a visit to the Cathedral – the symbol of modern Kaliningrad which keeps the history of Königsberg. Immanuel Kant the most famous resident of Königsberg and the world known philosopher was buried by the walls of the Cathedral. Two museums are opened here: the Knaiphof history museum and the museum of I. Kant. The biggest on Eastern Europe organ is located at the main hall of the Cathedral, it's really nice! Then we take you to the remains of the city walls and stop to look at some of the surviving gates such as the King Gate – formerly the main gate of Königsberg, Rosgarten gate, Branderburg gate and some others. Amber museum will present you the exposition of amber industry of the region from the past to present days, it's a good chance to buy amber souvenirs here. Luisen Church (now a Puppet theatre), State drama theater, the Holy Family church, as well as statues of I. Kant and Schiller, the former stock exchange building on the banks of the Pregel River, green and quite streets of old Königsbers – you'll see all these sights and places.

AMBER COAST – 4 HOURS

We offer a half-day tour to the most beautiful resort of Kaliningrad region – Svetlogorsk (Rauschen) is the pearl of the Baltic coast. There you can enjoy the town's tree-lined streets, pine woods and beaches as well as visiting a former Catholic church where



organ concerts are held daily in summer, the XIXth century Water Tower and Art Nouveau bathhouse, you can take a walk along the promenade and buy amber souvenirs from local traders. Svetlogorsk is really beautiful, it still keeps the spirit of Prussian resort, many of tourists and Kaliningrad citizens arrive daily to this town. The nearby village Otradnoe contains Brakherth's former house, now a museum.

CURONIAN SPIT – 6 HOURS

We offer a one-day trip to one of the most unique areas in Europe. The Curonian Spit is an area of wooded sand dunes, which separates Baltic Sea from the freshwater of the

Curonian Lagoon. The spit, a national park, offers unparalleled opportunities to see migrating birds at the Ornithological station in Rybachy (Rossiten) founded by professor Thinemann and the nearby museum tells the history of the spit's formation and the stories of its inhabitants. You can take a walk to the dune Efa, the second highest sand dune in Europe where you can hear the 'singing sands' and beautiful nature of the area around.

ZAMLAND PENINSULA – 8 HOURS

A one-day trip along the Zamland Peninsula offers tourists the chance to visit Svetlogorsk (Rauschen) – the most beautiful



KALININGRAD REGION

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resort of Kaliningrad region – town's tree-lined streets, pine woods and beaches as well as visit a former Catholic church, the XIXth century Water Tower and Art Nouveau bathhouse, you can take a walk along the promenade; Yantarny (Palmniken) – the site of the world's only amber mine, you'll see both old and working mines, visit Amber private work-shop and the beautiful park of Bekker; Baltiysk (Pillau) – the most western point of Russia and home of the Russian Baltic Fleet, you'll see the harbor, most of the German architecture has survived, including the lighthouse, the court and the secondary school (please note, that special permission is needed).

EAST PRUSSIAN PROVINCES

Sovetsk (Tilsit) – Neman (Ragnit) – Cherniakhovsk (Insterburg) – 8 hours

This tour starts with a drive to the North-East, visiting the ruins of the XVth century church in Gross Legitten. It was not damaged during the War, but was immediately abandoned and is now in poor condition. The drive to Labiau is through several villages whose German past is clearly visible in their architecture. Labiau itself has been largely rebuilt but the ruins of the XIII century Teutonic castle remain, as do several large XIX century town houses. Tilsit, the next town to be visited, has held onto more of its German past with many streets still as they were originally built. The Queen Louise Bridge across the Neman River is now a border with Lithuania. Visitors can get close enough to take photographs. Cherniakhovsk (Insterburg) was the third city of East Prussia and is now equally important in Kaliningrad region. Buildings from each of the last eight centuries testify to its long history and through generous support from Germany there is a hope that many will be restored. Neman (Ragnit) is still dominated by its Teutonic Castle which now lies in ruins.

MARINE KALININGRAD – 3 HOURS

Kaliningrad is the western gates of Russia to Baltic Sea and one of the biggest ports of Russia. This tour offers you to see the city from the river side. Taking a boat you'll enjoy the views of Knaiphof Island, Fish village, old joint-stock building, and ports of Kaliningrad and finally, the World Ocean Museum.

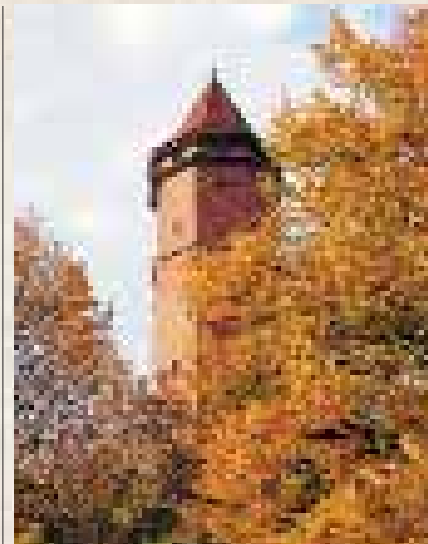
BOAT TRIP TO MATROSOVO (GILGE) – 6 HOURS

This tour takes you to the north-west part of Kaliningrad region to Polesk (Labiau). The area around was used before by the Teutonic and it's still possible find the ruins of the old castle there. In Matrosovo (Gilge) you take the boat trip among the canals of the old East

Prussian dam (Gross Friedrichsgraben) where the picturesque views of wild nature is opened for you. After the trip the fish lunch is ready for you at the tavern in Gilge.

HUNTING

Kaliningrad region is unique place with reach nature and deep forests where you can find many of places for hunting. We offer individual tour to take a part in hunting in Kaliningrad region for different games like moose, wild boar, roe, wolf, beaver, fox and etc. You'll be accommodated at comfortable hunt lodges based on full board, sauna, and dinner after hunting with Russian vodka. We will assist you for getting special permission for hunting, rent the weapon, make up the trophy and etc.



INCENTIVE PROGRAMMES



IN SEARCH OF "THE AMBER ROOM"

Yantarny is a nice small town known all over the world due to the largest deposit of amber. Walking along its narrow cobbled streets, looking at the red-tiled roofs of the old German houses you can feel the atmosphere of Northeast Prussia. The main point of the program is sport orienteering in the marvellous Becker park "In Search of the Amber Room".

Lunch is an open air picnic in a stylish galley restaurant. Fish soup cooked of the famous Baltic pike-perch with fish delicacies will be served. After lunch enjoy bathing in the sea, playing sand volleyball, football, paintball.

IN THE KINGDOM OF BIRDS AND SANDS

Visiting the Curonian Spit is a perfect opportunity to enjoy its unique nature. Tourists from all over the world are attracted by its pine-tree forests, sandy beaches, silence and solitude. You'll visit the Bird station, climb the dunes, listen to the famous "singing sands"!

Lunch is an open air picnic. You'll taste the fish soup cooked of the famous Baltic pike-perch and fish delicacies. After lunch enjoy bathing in the sea, playing volleyball and football.

"Team-building" is ringing the birds under the guidance of the ornithologists at the oldest bird station in Europe.

Mojito party: while walking along the dunes you'll try alcoholic cocktails.



RIVER AND SEA FISHING

The route starts in Polesk area (50 km off Kaliningrad). The rivers of Kaliningrad region have always been rich in fish - there are more than 60 different kinds in all: pike perch, bream, trout, pike, perch, crucian, burbot, cat-fish, salmon, eel.

Lagoons, lakes and numerous rivers are a real paradise for fishermen. For those who like trolling fishing boat is available.

The specialists of spinning, trolling and ground-fishing will be a success.

The Gilge and the Deima are the rivers connected by the canal of Frederic the Great which was dug by hand. The excavation of the canal started in 1698.



INCENTIVE PROGRAMMES

KOENIG OFF-ROAD EXTREME

A picturesque route Koenig off-road EXTREME includes almost all places of interest of the region: the Baltic coast, lakes, forests, historical monuments.

The route starts in the village of Hmelevka in the suburb of Baltiysk (40 km off Kaliningrad) near the tank testing area.

The first tourist trial is going through the Baltic dunes and the Baltic coast.

A short break in the village of Russkoye at the memorial on the ruins of the Teutonic castle of 1270. Then reach the forests with numerous streams, marshes and other obstacles, everything is so exciting for adventures.

A forest road will bring us to the churches of XIV-XV centuries in the villages of Kumatchevo and Salskoye. At the end of the tour there is an unforgettable barbecue party on the shore of the lake in the village of Klukvennoye.



RAFTING IN THE PRUSSIAN WAY

If you are active this program suits best. The Ozyorsk area creates an amazing landscape for the Angrapa River rafting trips. The Angapa River, whose source is in Masuria, Poland features crystal clear water.

While traveling from Kaliningrad to Ozyorsk you are going to experience the seven-century history of East Prussia and to learn about the past and the present of towns of Kaliningrad region.

You will enjoy the fascinating stories about the order castles, the Napoleonic wars, and the rare horse species which are bred near Chernyakhovsk. Trip is 8 km long and takes about 2, 5 hours. After rafting you'll move to one of the best hotels of Kaliningrad region - hotel "Kochar" in Chernyakhovsk.

Lunch will be offered to you. As an extra option to be chosen is the visit to the stud farm in the village "Mayovka" located near the order castle "Georgenburg".

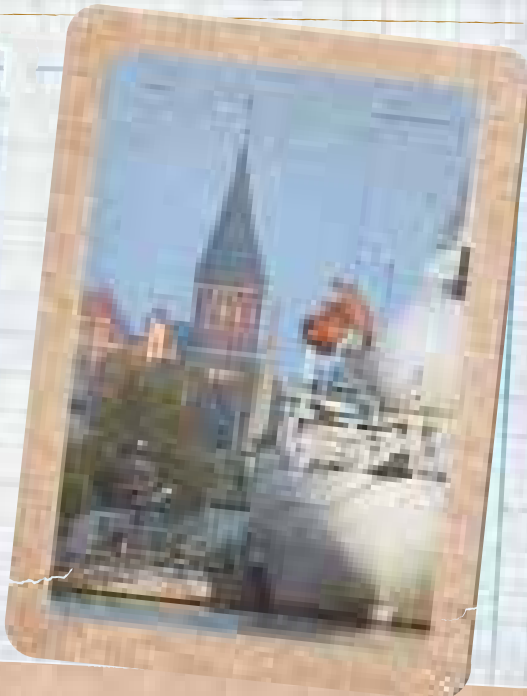


MARITIME KÖNIGSBURG

Kaliningrad is the most western sea gate of Russia. During the tour the guests will enjoy the views of the city from the river. On board a cutter the guests will sail the Pregolya river passing the beautiful building of the Stock Exchange, stylish Fishing village, watching the fishermen. They'll go round the island with the Cathedral dominating it and land at the World Ocean Museum where they are supposed to have team-building on board the Submarine.

The goal of the game is to learn about submariner's job and their life while in the sea.

The main idea is to create real situations during your stay on board the submarine.



BALTMA TOURS INVITES YOU

EVENTS, HOLIDAYS IN KALININGRAD

Jazz Festival «Don Chento Jazz»

International jazz festival «Don Chento Jazz» is held in Summer Theatre in the Central Park of Culture and Leisure in Kaliningrad. The Festival provided the citizens and visitors to Kaliningrad with an international cultural experience through music.

The Baltic seasons

are the annual art festival, which has become an integral part of the Kaliningrad cultural life. Yuri Temirkanov, Denis Mazuev, «Gelikon-Opera» Lenkom theatre, Evgeny Grishkovez, Aleksandr Tsekalo, Yuri Bashmet and Vladimir Spivakov have participated in the festival.

Day of the Navy

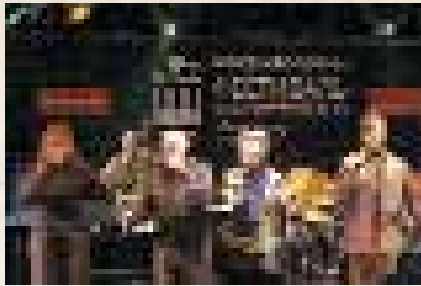
is an annual holiday, which is held in the most western city of Russia in the naval base Baltiysk. Military review, gala-concert, salute and firework. The holiday takes place on the last Sunday of July.

The herring day

is a national holiday and is held annually in April in the Museum of the World Ocean. Folk dance, fish soup for guests, herring sale.

International show jumping CSI****

Starting from the 2002, one of the best show jumping of the East Europe takes place in the restored base of the East-Prussian stud farm «Georgenburg». The tournament, held in September has given a new life to the lost traditions of the famous equestrian sport of Insterbourg. Welcome everyone to this show!



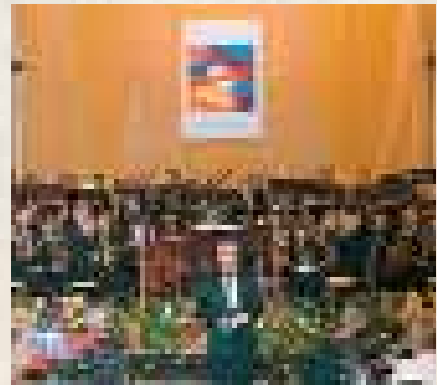
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SERVICES FOR CRUISE PASSENGERS



SHORES EXCURSIONS

TOURS FROM KALININGRAD AND BALTIYSK PORTS	Number of participants	Duration of excursion
SIGHTSEEING KALININGRAD TOUR		
The tour includes: – visit to the Cathedral and Immanuel Kant tomb – the old ring wall of the fortification – the old city gates – Amber Museum – former St.Catharine Church, nowadays Concert Hall with an organ recital and Orthodox Choir (about 15-20 min)	Unlimited	3 – 3,5 hours
SIGHTSEEING TOUR TO SVETLOGORSK (RAUSCHEN)	Unlimited	3 – 3,5 hours
SIGHTSEEING TOUR TO THE CURONIAN SPIT WITH A PICNIC	Unlimited	Full day
COMBINED TOURS		
SIGHTSEEING KALININGRAD + SVETLOGORSK	Unlimited	6 hours
SIGHTSEEING KALININGRAD + CURONIAN SPIT (with a picnic at the Curonian Spit)	Unlimited	Full day 7 – 9 hours
ADDITIONAL PROGRAMMES		
RUSSIAN FOLKLORE CONCERT ON BOARD	Unlimited	1 hour
ORTHODOX CHOIR CONCERT AT THE CONCERT HALL	Unlimited	1 hour
TOURS FROM KLAIPEDA PORT		
SIGHTSEEING KLAIPEDA TOUR	Unlimited	2 hours
SIGHTSEEING KLAIPEDA + CURONIAN SPIT	Unlimited	Full day
SIGHTSEEING KLAIPEDA + PALANGA	Unlimited	4 hours

**REGULAR FERRY LINE BALTIYSK (KALININGRAD) – SASSNITZ (GERMANY)
ON THE BOARD “VILNIUS” (DFDS LISCO)
(2 TIMES A WEEK. DURATION – 16 HOURS).**



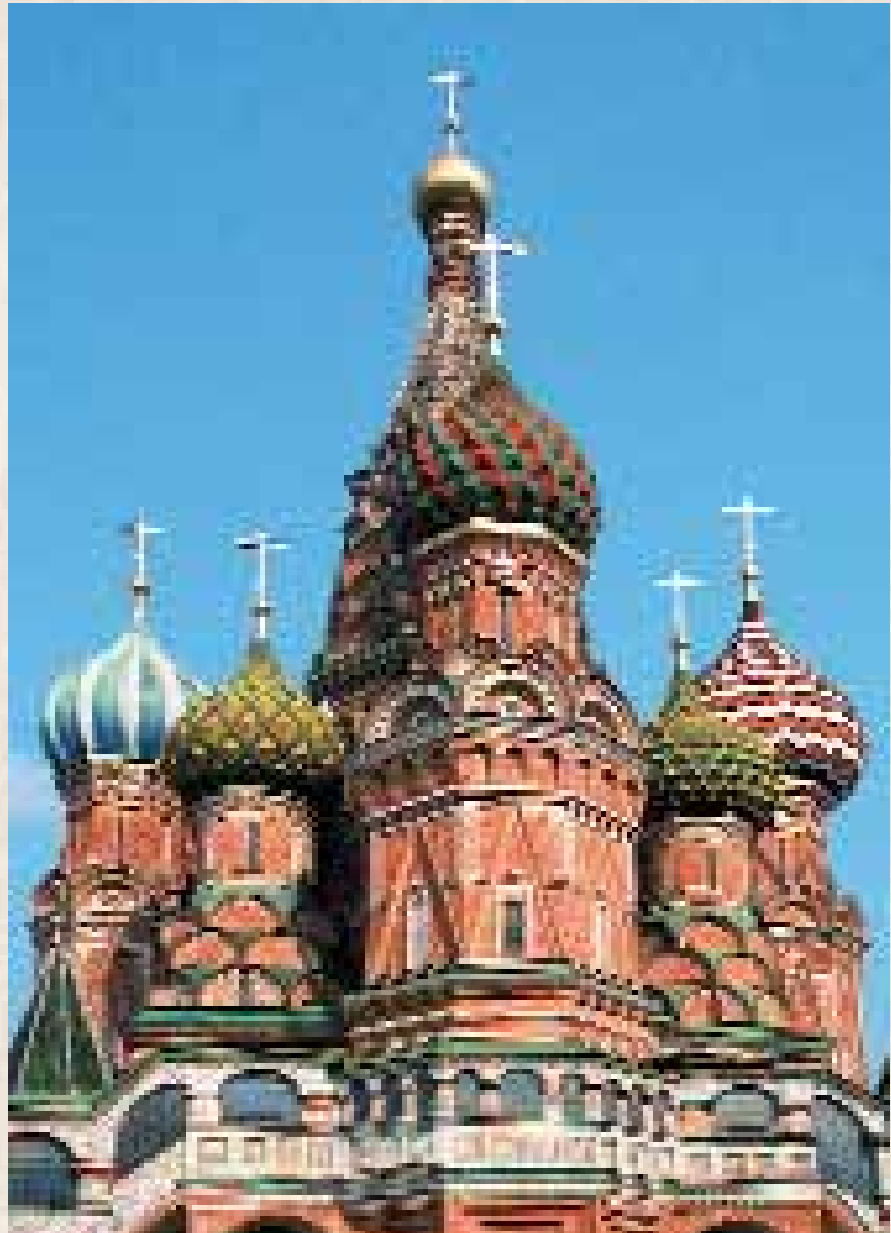
MOSCOW

EXCURSIONS

There is hardly one person in the world who has never heard about Moscow. A great city, the capital of independent Russia, during more than 850 years of its existence (the city was founded in 1147 by Prince Yuri Dolgorukiy), grew from a small town on the banks of the calm Moskva river into a thriving and dynamic capital city.

First mentioned in the twelve century, Moscow has long been the centre of political and religious power in Russia and nowhere is this better seen than in the Kremlin, with its 15th century cathedrals (the coronation, wedding and bury place of Russian rulers), bell-tower, Patriarch's Palace, Grand Kremlin Palace and of course the richest museums – Armory and Diamond Fund. The Armory has a fantastic collection of insignia of Imperial power, precious clothes, ceremonial harness and unique collection of imperial carriages. Diamond Fund possesses unique collection of diamonds, among them – "Orlov Diamond" (186.62 carats).

The ancient citadel and the near-by sixteen-century St. Basil Cathedral on Red Square harmonize remarkably well with such diverse modern architecture as the Lenin Mausoleum, Stalinist skyscrapers, ultra-modern shopping centres, restaurants and super de luxe hotels. This unique combination of past and present, historical and contemporary combined with such cultural gems as the Tretyakov gallery, which owns a unique collection of Russian art, comprising 6000 canvases, 3000 icons, 1000 sculptures, 30000 drawings, water colors and engravings. The famous Pushkin museum of Fine Arts is worth seeing. After the Hermitage in St Petersburg the museum possesses the finest collection of non-Russian art. High-



lights include the Impressionists and post-Impressionists collections, with works by Monet, Renoir, Gauguin, Cezannes, Picasso and Matisse.

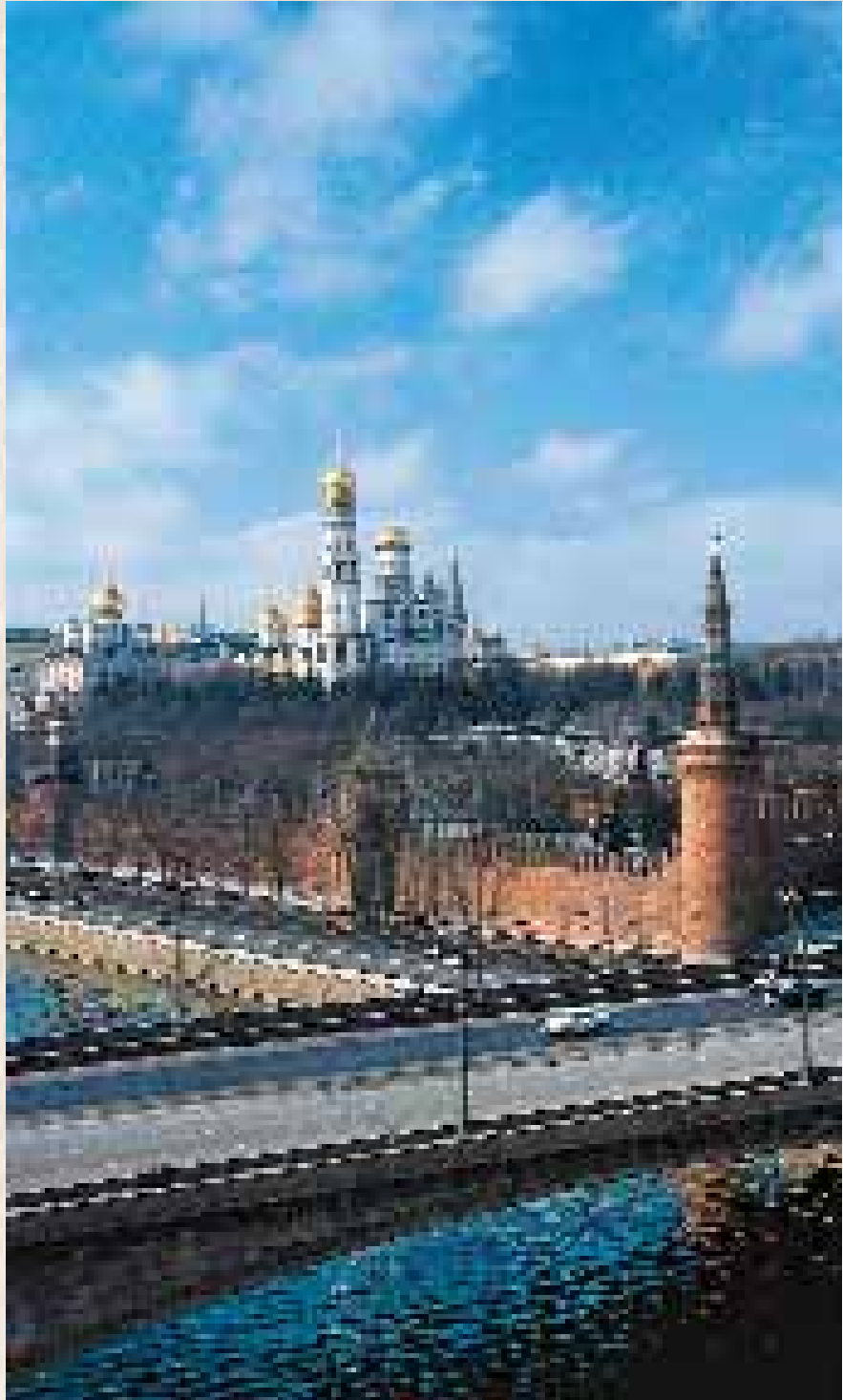
All the stages of the complex, diverse history of this huge country, which spreads from Baltic Sea to the Pacific Ocean, left their traces in Moscow's appearance. The calm and stately ancient monasteries are situated close to the awkward bulks of the "Stalin Gothic". For example Novodevichy Convent of the most famous places in Moscow. It still functions as a convent belonging to the Russian Orthodox Church. On its territory, one can see beautiful monuments, the Bell Tower, which was built in 1690, and Smolensky Cathedral (Cathedral of the Holy Virgin of Smolensky), decorated with frescoes depicting episodes from Russian history.

MOSCOW

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If you are really interested in orthodox architecture, we would recommend you to join the full day trip, visiting Serigev Posad (70 km from Moscow). It is the town around the Trinity Monastery of St Sergius and one of Russia's most important religious and historical landmarks, and still a place of spiritual pilgrimage. Dating back to 1340, the monastery is steeped in state and religious history and visitors today still get a real feeling of Medieval Russia! The monastery is an operating one, so the dress code is a must. The excursion is led by one of



the monks or novices, some of them speak excellent English.

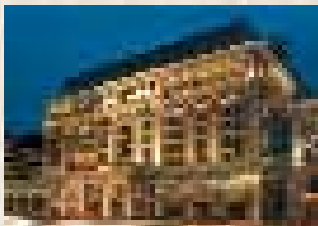
There is one more sightseeing that makes Moscow city quite unusual. It is its metro. Moscow's famous metro survives in all its constructional glory, walled in marble and decorated with chandeliers. Most of its stations have been designed as architectural landmarks. We recommend to you a special tour of the Metro.

Now Moscow has become even more interesting for tourists: only now, only in this city you can see with your own eyes how the history of a great country is being created.

And, certainly, the doors of all hotels, restaurants and cafes, casino and sport clubs, numerous museums, galleries and theatres (the Bolshoy Theatre is what makes Moscow so attractive) are open for you, and their staffs are happy to welcome you.

MOSCOW

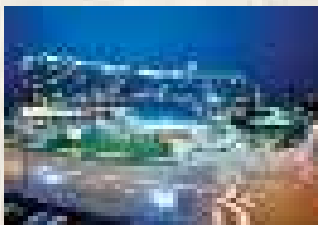
HOTELS



“The Ritz Carlton Moscow” *****

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Fax: + 7 495 225 8400
www.ritzcarlton.com

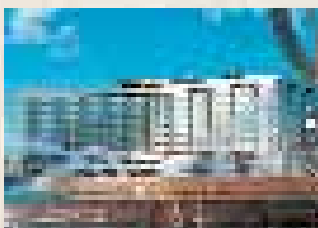
The “Ritz-Carlton Moscow” lies at the edge of the famed Red Square - site of countless coronations, conflicts and celebrations. Today, this symbolic space serves as a cultural epicenter of one of the world's great cities and invites visitors to share its many wonders. Among hotels in Moscow, The Ritz-Carlton, Moscow offers 334 of the largest guestrooms and suites in the city and features: 11-story grandeur next to The Kremlin and the Red Square.



“Renaissance Moscow” *****

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Fax: + 7 495 931 9076
www.marriott.com

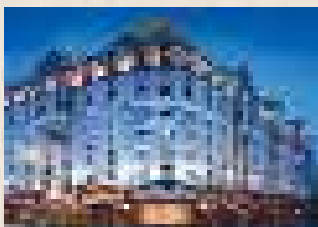
The Renaissance Moscow Hotel is a modern and stylish 5-star property located near the Sadovoye Ring. Now the hotel operates under the auspices of Marriott's Renaissance brand. The hotel's impressive curving glass facade houses 475 comfortable and tastefully decorated guest rooms and restaurants. Excellent meeting and conference facilities make the Renaissance an obvious choice for business travelers, while leisure travelers will also enjoy the 5-star fitness facilities and convenient central location.



“Radisson SAS Slavyanskaya” *****

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Moscow, Russia
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fax: + 7 495 941 8000
www.radisson.com

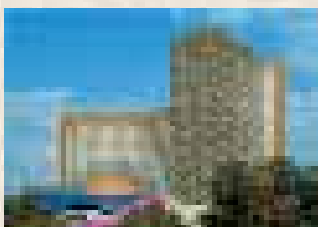
One of the most prestigious luxury hotels in Moscow, the Slavyanskaya offers spacious, equipped accommodation and a full range of top-class services, including a large business center, and a luxurious fitness centre with 25-meter pool. The Slavyanskaya also has four luxury restaurants on-site, giving guests the choice of Japanese, Mediterranean, or traditional Russian cuisines. The 410-room Radisson SAS Slavyanskaya Hotel is a modern 5-star property with a riverside location just opposite the International Expo-Center.



“Marriott Grand” *****

26/1, Tverskaya str.,
Moscow, Russia
tel: + 7 495 937 0000
www.marriott.com

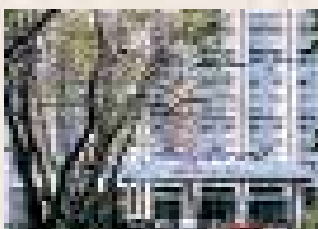
Moscow's Marriott offers all the luxuries and services that we have come to expect from the Marriott chain. The hotel boasts 387 modern and comfortable guest rooms with excellent technical amenities, as well as a full range of 5-star leisure and business facilities. After a long day guests can relax and make the most of the Grand's leisure center, featuring a gym, indoor swimming pool, sauna and solarium. Dining options are also numerous, with 3 separate restaurants offering French, European and Russian specialties.



“Cosmos” ****

150, Mira pr.,
Moscow, Russia
tel: + 7 495 234 1000
fax: + 7 495 215 8880
www.hotelcosmos.ru

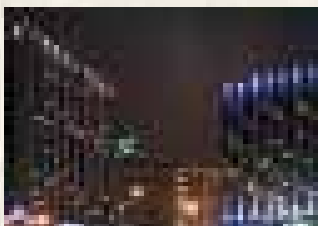
Situated in the northern part of Moscow, the enormous 25-storey Cosmos Hotel looms impressively next to VDNKh Metro Station and the Soviet Space Obelisk monument. In the hotel are 1767 rooms. However, most rooms come with standard amenities and the service, while hardly faultless, is adequate. Although not centrally located and quite a distance from the capital's major tourist attractions, the Cosmos stands just across from the All-Russian Exhibition Centre.



“Aerostar” ****

37/ 9, Lenigradsky pr.,
Moscow, Russia
tel: + 7 495 213 9000
fax: + 7 495 213 9001
www.aerostar.ru

The Aerostar offers 271 rooms, decorated in a plain but attractive style. Catering primarily to business travellers, the hotel has a convenient and professional business centre and a very good range of meeting space, with 12 well equipped rooms and halls for up to 330 people. Leisure facilities at the hotel are also of a high standard, with a modern fitness centre and two luxurious restaurants as well as a 24-hour lobby bar. A full range of concierge services is also available.



“Izmailovo Vega” ***

71/3V, Izmailovskoe shosse,
Moscow, Russia
tel: + 7 495 956 0506
www.hotelizmailovo-vega.ru

The Izmailovo Vega is one of the four hotels that make up the Izmailovo Hotel Complex. The hotel offers 1,000 guest rooms, from basic budget accommodation with ageing furniture to smart, new VIP Class rooms with modern technical amenities and fresh interiors. Rooms in all categories represent excellent value for money by Moscow standards, and the hotel also offers a good range of business facilities, including a large conference center with 11 different spaces for corporate events of any scale.

ST. PETERSBURG

EXCURSIONS

St. Petersburg is the former capital of the Russian Empire and the 2nd biggest city of contemporary Russia with close to 5 million inhabitants. Located on the banks of the Neva River, which flows into Baltic Sea, St. Petersburg spreads over the mainland and 42 river islands and is divided by more than 60 river branches and 20 canals. St. Petersburg was founded by Peter the Great on the Neva River delta during a very stormy period of Russian history in 1703. Russia, totally cut off Baltic Sea in the beginning of the 17th century, regained the outlet to it during the Northern war. Due to its convenient geographical location St. Petersburg played a special role in the development of economic and cultural relations with Western Europe. For Russia, a vast and partly Asian country, the city became an outpost of Europeanized culture. St. Petersburg has changed a lot over the past fifteen years. Extensive reconstruction work is helping to restore the natural beauty of St. Petersburg, like it was a hundred years ago, when the city stood at the heart of the Russian Renaissance, known as the Silver Age. New comfortable hotels, opulent restaurants and modern office buildings are helping St. Petersburg to become a thriving and bustling center of trade and business. The Annual White Nights Festival organized by the world-famous Maryinsky Theatre Company brings music lovers together with internationally acclaimed stars of opera and ballet.

THE PETER AND PAUL'S FORTRESS

St. Peter and Paul's Fortress is the heart of St. Petersburg. It was laid out by the order of Peter the Great in 1703. The Fortress forms an irregular hexagon stretched from West to East with six pentagonal bastions at the corners. Since its first days, Peter and Paul's Fortress has always had more than military functions. The Fortress was never besieged. It was destined instead to become the main political prison of the tsarist Russia. It was the city's foremost architectural ensemble and contained St. Peter and Paul's Cathedral. The Cathedral is the pantheon of the Romanov Royal House and all Russian Emperors from Peter the Great to Nicholas II were buried here.

THE STATE HERMITAGE MUSEUM

The State Hermitage Museum is one of the oldest and largest museums in the world. It is located in 6 historical buildings of St. Petersburg, including the Winter Palace – the former residence of the Russian emperors, the Small Hermitage, The Old Hermitage, the New Hermitage, the Hermitage Theatre and the General Staff Building. The buildings of the museum, by themselves, are architectural chef-d'oeuvres. The collections of the Hermitage number over 3 million items from prehistoric to modern times. Magnificent works of art embracing prehistoric culture, Egyptian art, the art of Antiquity, Scythi-

an gold, and great collections of Western-European paintings (Leonardo da Vinci, Titian, Raphael, Rembrandt, Poussain, Manet, Renoir and others) and sculptures are displayed in the 400 halls of the museum.

ST. ISAAC'S CATHEDRAL

One of the finest architectural monuments of the 19th century (architect A. Montferrand), the former principal cathedral of the Russian capital took forty years to build, from 1818 to 1858. St. Peterburgers consider Isaac of Dalmatia, one of the patron saints of the city, especially as his saint day, May 30, fell on the birthday of Peter the Great. The cathedral is really quite amazing. It is 101,5m high and can seat 14 000 people. It is graced with 112 slid granite columns weighing up to 14 tons each, and about 400 relieves and bronze sculptures. Religious services are held in the Cathedral on the days of the Russian Orthodox Christmas, Epithany and Easter. The observation platform on the colonnade provides a magnificent view of the city.

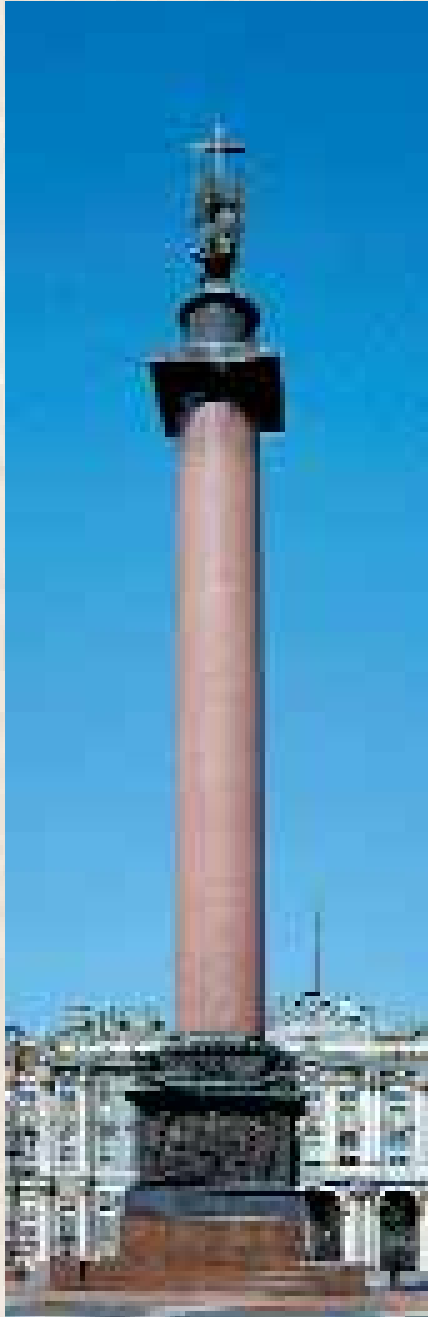
PETERHOF

Peterhof is a jewel of Russian art, a town of parks, palaces, and fountains. It was built by Peter the Great to rival Versailles. In the past it used to be an exquisite summer residence of the Russian Tsars. Peterhof is a kingdom of fountains: the magical lay of water will bring



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you back to the epoch of Peter the Great. It is famous also for the brilliant interiors of the Grand Palace. Three monumental cascading fountains (one of them comprising the famous Samson) lead us from the Great Palace of Peterhof to the lower park, a real masterpiece in itself, with 173 fountains on its ground.

PUSHKIN/TSARSKOE SELO

The Palace-and-Park of Tsarskoe Selo – a former country residence of Russian emperors – is a fascinating monument to the world's architectural and gardening arts of the XVII-XIX centuries. Its three parks occupy an area of 60 ha, on which over 100 architectural gems rise from magnificent palaces and grand monuments to intimate pavilions and park sculptu-



res. The main feature of the Tsarskoselsky ensemble is the Catherine's Palace, containing exquisite decorative objects, furniture, Russian and Western European paintings, unique collections of porcelain, amber, arms, decorative bronze, sculptures, etc.

BOAT TRIP ALONG THE RIVERS AND CANALS

A relaxing by cruise boat along the main rivers is one of the unique ways to discover St. Petersburg. Starting on the Moika river, the tour will take you to see the palaces and mansions on the banks of some of the 66 rivers and canals of "Northern Venice" – the Winter Palace, Sheremetiev's, Stroganov's, the Marble Palace and Michael's Castle, the spire of Peter

and Paul's Fortress, Yusupov Palace, and the Mariinsky Theater. All the St. Petersburg embankments have their own distinctive character. Some are formal and grand. Some, spreading along the twisting rivers and canals, have a quiet, romantic air.

PAVLOVSK

This is a superb palace and park, dating from the late 18th century to the beginning of the 20th, it served a summer residence for the Russian emperor Paul I and his family. The landscaped park, one of the largest in Europe, covers an area of 600 ha. The work of creating the palace and park lasted for 50 years. The main architect was Charles Cameron.

ST. PETERSBURG

HOTELS

“Rocco Forte Hotel Astoria” *****

39, Bolshaya Morskaya str.,
St.-Petersburg, Russia
Tel: + 7 812 494 5757
Fax: + 7 812 494 5059
www.roccofortecollection.com

The Astoria is probably St. Petersburg's most famous hotel. Opened in 1912, it was a byword for luxury in the last years before the October Revolution, and has recently been restored to its former glories as part of the Rocco Forte Collection. Enjoy a fantastic central location right opposite the golden dome of St. Isaac's Cathedral. The Astoria offers 211 luxurious rooms and suites furnished in an elegant and homely style. The Astoria Hotel's main Davidoff Restaurant is one of the finest places in St. Petersburg.



“Grand Hotel Emerald” *****

18 Suvorovsky Prospect,
St.-Petersburg, Russia
Tel: + 7 812 140 5000
Fax: + 7 812 140 5001
www.grandhotelemerald.com

Opened in 2003 in time for the city's tricentennial celebrations, the Grand Hotel Emerald combines neoclassical design and decor with state-of-the-art technical amenities. The Grand Hotel Emerald has 90 elegant rooms and suites, all fully equipped with hi-tech amenities including independent climate control systems and complimentary WiFi Internet access. Guest can also enjoy the hotel's luxurious Spa and fitness centre, and the up-market Gzhel Restaurant, serving traditional Russian haute cuisine.



“Novotel St. Petersburg Centre” *****

3a, Mayakovskogo str.,
St.-Petersburg, Russia
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Fax + 7 812 335 1180
www.novotel.com

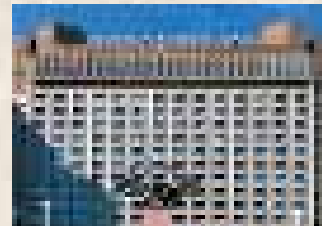
Opened in 2005 and located just off Nevsky Prospekt, the city's majestic central thoroughfare, the building that houses the Novotel St. Petersburg is sleek and modern, but blends in pleasantly with its attractive historical surroundings. The hotel's interiors are bright and welcoming, and the 233 stylishly designed rooms and suites are equipped with comfortable, ergonomic furniture and excellent technical amenities.



“Park Inn Pribaltiyskaya” *****

14, Korablestroiteley str.,
St.-Petersburg, Russia
tel: + 7 812 356 0263
fax: + 7 812 356 0094
www.hotelpribaltiyskaya.ru

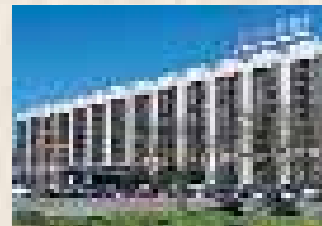
One of St. Petersburg's largest hotels, the 1200-room Park Inn Pribaltiyskaya has long been popular with business travelers and tour groups thanks to its high professional standards. Located on the shore of the Gulf of Finland at the western tip of historic Vasilevskiy Island, the Pribaltiyskaya Hotel offers beautiful sea views from many of its smartly decorated and comfortable rooms and suites. The Pribaltiyskaya also offers numerous leisure amenities including the Roman Holidays SPA Centre and etc.



“Park Inn Pulkovskaya” *****

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St.-Petersburg, Russia
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fax: + 7 812 264 5122
www.pulkovskaya.ru

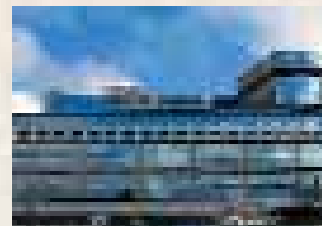
Built in 1982 and fully refitted in 2003-4, the modern four-star Park Inn Pulkovskaya Hotel is one of the most popular in St. Petersburg. Offering 840 elegantly decorated and very comfortable rooms and suites, the Park Inn Pulkovskaya provides excellent facilities for travelers. The hotel has a great selection of bars and restaurants, among them its very own German beer hall. Guest can also relax and enjoy the Pulkovskaya's SPA centre with Turkish bath, Finnish sauna, and swimming pool.



“Moscow” *****

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St.-Petersburg, 143167, Russia
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fax: + 7 812 274 21 30

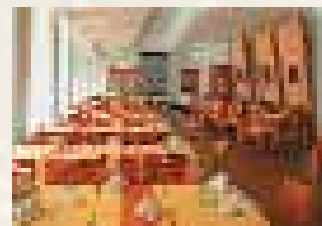
One of St. Petersburg's best known and biggest 3-star hotels, the 735-room Hotel Moscow is a large modern property in the centre of the city with excellent transport links. The Moscow is one of the few three-star hotels in St. Petersburg to have its own fitness centre with gym and swimming pool, and the hotel also offers extensive facilities for business travelers, including conference and meeting venues, and a reasonably well equipped business centre.



“Andersen” *****

4, Chapygina st.,
St. Petersburg, 197022, Russia
tel: + 7 812 140 5140
fax: + 7 812 140 5140
www.andersenhotel.ru

The hotel located in historical city center, “Petrogradskaya” subway station is within walking range. Here is a well-groomed green zone in the yard of the hotel which is a fine place for relaxation. The hotel has the restaurant for up to 120 people, which open since morning till late at night. The various menus a la cart, including Russian and European cuisine, will please even the most demanding taste. The hotel has also the modern conference hall for up to 60 people and a cozy bar.



POLAND

EXCURSIONS

Poland lies in the heart of Europe – the geometric center of the continent is right here. Half a million places to stay, thousands of restaurants, hundreds

forms of leisure and entertainment – they're all waiting for visitors. Poland is a country that is safe and friendly for visitors from abroad, a statement confirmed by official international statistics. You can find more or less everything in Poland: alpine mountains, wide beaches, clean lakes, deep forests, world-class historic monuments, and friendly people. The climate is temperate, and the people is warm and hospitable. Polish cities with a thousand-year history invite their visitors to encounter with culture, and Poland's villages and small towns offer the opportunity to get away from the bustle of modern life. In addition, all this comes with a backdrop of breathtaking natural landscapes, because Poland's greatest attraction is nature. Wild, untouched, more diverse than in most countries either in Europe or the world and, what is more, easily accessible. Tourists value this greatly and their number is constantly increasing.

Warsaw

The story of Warsaw can be divided in two: before August 1, 1944, and after. 2004 marked the 60th anniversary of the Warsaw Uprising, a battle which has come to define the spirit of the city and its people. Brutalized and butchered it was effectively wiped from the map – blown to smithereens by the Nazis. The city has gone to pains to rebuild itself, but even so, the reminders are visible – from the execution memorials on every street corner, to the 50's tenements slowly sinking into the rubble they were built on.

Krakow

A city forged in battle, war, conquest and fate, Kraków is in many respects the most Polish of all this great nation's cities. The ancient seat of the kings and intelligentsia comes steeped in legend and myth, and evokes the most fanciful of images, from dragons occupying the catacombs of Wawel, to Tartar hordes repelled at the gates, to an earnest Vladimir Lenin plotting revolution while sitting in the city's cafes. Kraków's history is the stuff of fantasy.

Gdansk

The capital of Poland's "Pomorze" province, the city of Gdansk is located at the mouth of the Vistula River on Baltic Sea. Gdansk is part of the Trojmiasto, or Three-City, urban area, made up of the towns of Gdansk, Gdynia, and Sopot. The city center, known as Stare Miasto, or Old Town, lies on the Motława, a river that runs into the Vistula 3 kilometers inland. Noteworthy buildings in Old Town include St. Catherine's Church, sections of which date back to the XIVth century. Its interior is in the Gothic style. The



town hall was built between 1587 and 1595. The entrance hall has a bronze bas-relief of the XVIIth century Gdansk astronomer Hevelius. Greatly damaged during World War II, the city's buildings were later restored. Gdansk was first mentioned as a Polish city in 997 or 999. It has been called by the German name Danzig at various periods of its history. It was granted municipal autonomy in 1260 and developed as a trade center. In 1308 the Teutonic Knights seized the city. Under their rule the city became a wealthy member of the Hanseatic League. In 1772 Gdansk was seized by Prussia, and in 1793 it became part of that country.

Malbork

1-hour drive south of Gdansk takes you to Malbork (Marienburg) – a seat of Teutonic Order Grand Master, dating back to the 13th century, an outstanding example of medieval defensive construction. The fortification consists of three parts: Lower Castle (armoury, chapel, Gothic houses), Middle Castle (guest apartments, hospital, knights' chamber, Grand Master's apartments) and High Castle (treasury, sleeping

rooms, refectory, convent room). Admire unique Gothic ornaments and smart traps, which Teutonic brothers created to get silently rid of inconvenient guests and members.

Mazur Lakes region

Drive through breathtaking landscape of the Thousand Lakes Land. Visit in Wolf Liar in Gierloz – Hitler's headquarters during World War II to see imposing ruins of thick walls of former bunkers. Visit in Swieta Lipka with beautiful Baroque church dating back to the XVIIth century. The temple is famous for a silver figure of Virgin Mary in linden tree. According to the legend an ancient linden tree with a wooden figure was placed here and started local cult. Beautiful frescoes on the ceiling and 44 Baroque sculptures in the courtyard gallery. Visit in Olsztyn Castle, dating back to the XIVth century, where Nicolaus Copernicus used to live. Beautiful Gothic castle includes crystal ceilings and sun clock designed by the great astronomer. On the way back, stop in monumental Gothic castle in Lidzbark Warminski, dating back to the XIVth century with beautiful inner gallery.

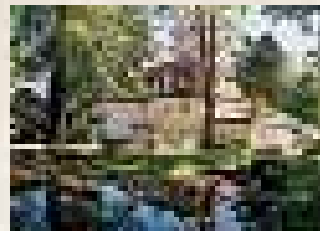
POLAND

HOTELS

“Dwor Oliwski” *****

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fax: + 48 058 554 7010
www.dwor-oliwski.com.pl

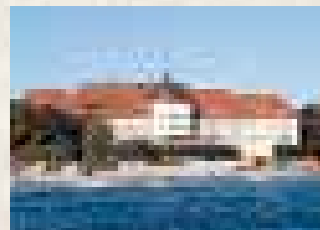
The Dwor Oliwski is located in Gdansk Oliwa. There are 40 rooms in the hotel: 3 SGL, 33 DBL, 3 Suites and 1 apartment. The rooms are elegant and stylish. All guest rooms include a private bath, individually controlled air conditioning, satellite television, period furniture, broadband Internet connection, direct – dial telephone, mini – bar, a safe, bathrobe and toiletries. Dwor Oliwski SPA provides a range of relaxation facilities including: pool, saunas, Jacuzzi baths, solarium.



“Sofitel Grand Sopot” *****

12/14, Powstancow Warszawy st.,
Sopot, Poland
tel.: + 48 058 520 6000
fax: + 48 058 520 6099
www.orbis.pl

Built in 1927 in art-nouveau style, this beachfront edifice certainly lives up to its name - its aura of old fashioned elegance unique to the Tri-City. Beautifully restored interiors turn your stay into an unforgettable experience, while 127 air conditioned, comfortable and elegant rooms with sea and park view build a unique spirit of the hotel. The hotel's casino is an extra attraction for guests. There are SPA and wellness center with swimming pool and also conferences facilities.



“Sheraton Sopot” *****

10, Powstanców Warszawy,
Sopot 81-718, Poland
tel: + 48 058 767 1000
fax: + 48 058 767 1001
www.sheraton.pl/sopot

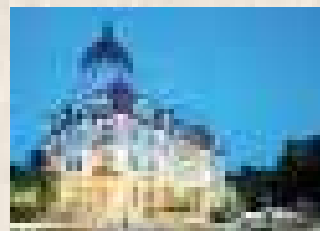
The Sheraton Sopot Hotel, Conference Center & Spa, located next to the beach of Baltic Sea and just beside famous longest wooden pier in Europe, offers 189 guest rooms, bar and restaurant, conference center and spa. Announcements: the swimming pool, spa, fitness center and conference center will be available 1st of June 2009. Hotel offers a complete children program "Kids Club" and babysitting services delivered by a certified and bilingual staff.



“Rezydent” *****

3, Konstytucji 3 Maja str.,
Sopot, Poland
tel: + 48 058 555 5800
fax: + 48 058 555 5801
www.hotelrezydent.com.pl

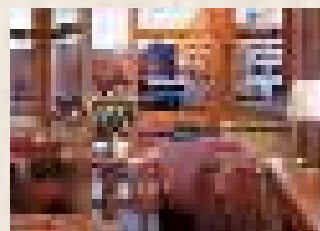
A grandiose art-nouveau structure lying in the very heart of Sopot. The hotel has 64 rooms. In the classic interiors, the most up-to-date equipment was installed in each room: air-conditioning, satellite TV, pay TV, radio channel, telephone, free wired Internet access, minibar, safe. The conference room can comfortably accommodate 80 persons. Character, class and convenience rolled into one.



“Hanza” ****

6, Tokarska str.,
Gdansk, 80-888, Poland
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fax + 48 058 305 3386
www.hanza-hotel.com.pl

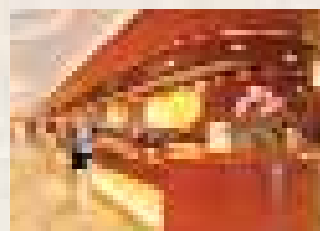
Built in 1997. The hotel has 16 single and 7 double rooms. All rooms are equipped with air-conditioning, IDD-telephones, tv, mini-bars, shower/ bath and WC. Hotel has a restaurant, bar, conference room for 70 persons, banquet room for 30 seats. fitness center and sauna. Located in city center.



“Golebiewski” ****

34 Mragowska str.,
Mikolajki, 11-730, Poland
tel: + 48 58 300 6000,
fax: + 48 58 300 6003
www.golebiewski.pl

The hotel is located direct at Talty See. At guests' disposal there are single, double rooms and apartments with full sanitary knot, Telephone, TV-SAT, bath/WC, 4 restaurants, bar, swimming pool, sauna, solarium, billiards, fitness club, tennis courts, a kid's playground, night club, 30 conference rooms.



“Totu” ***

26, Jaszczurcza Gora st.,
11-700, Mragowo, Poland
tel.: + 48 089 741 3977
fax: + 48 089 741 8604
www.hoteltotu.neostrada.p/

The hotel is located at Lake and has 50 comfortable rooms, the restaurant offers delicious dishes. High standard of the object – this is the motto of the family-hotel. All rooms are with SAT-TV, shower/WC, and balkons.



LITHUANIA

EXCURSIONS

Lithuania is a small country located on the Eastern shore of Baltic Sea. It emerged as a state in the early XIIIth century and became one of the most powerful states in Eastern Europe. Today, recovering from the past Lithuanians are building a modern and democratic society based on their historic traditions. Nature has been generous to Lithuania. This is a place of rolling hills and gentle plains, of quietly flowing rivers and of lakes which reflect the blueness of the sky. The largest river, the Nemunas carries the waters to Baltic Sea.

Vilnius

Lithuanians capital city is built at the confluence of the Neris and Vilnia rivers and surrounded by picturesque wooden hills. The city has an enormous architectural diversity with many churches and towers, fortifications, secluded medieval courtyards and narrow and curved streets. It is a city with a rich history, it is a place where Gothic, Renaissance, Baroque and Classical styles stand side by side and

complement each other. Don't miss the symbols of Vilnius – the Gediminas Castle, the Gothic masterpiece of Saint Ann's church, the old Vilnius University, the gem of Baroque – the St. Peter and Paul's Church and the classical St. Stanislav's Cathedral.

Trakai

Only a short trip west of Vilnius and you explore the former medieval capital of the Grand Duchy of Lithuania and the majestic countryside. The red brick Gothic castle situated on a tiny island in the middle of the Galve Lake and rising straight out of the water will leave for you unforgettable memory.

Kaunas

Country's second largest city is the geographical centre of Lithuania. The city's Old Town is a fascinating combination of archeology, architecture and history. Here one finds the remains of the Medieval Kaunas castle, the Old Town Hall, the reconstructed Cathedral Basilica.



Klaipeda

The city which was the German city of Memel until it became a part of Lithuania only in 1923 is known for the characteristic quays and warehouses of the busy port and for the Old Town with clusters of old German Fachwerk buildings. Around the city you will find sandy beaches as well as the city is only 25 km from Palanga, Lithuania premier health and beach resort.

Neringa

The unique sand spit which encloses the Curonian Lagoon from the Baltic and stretches down to the Kaliningrad features some of the most beautiful nature around Baltic Sea. The spit is unique phenomenon with its sand dunes formed by wind and water. The main fishermen's settlements of the Curonian Peninsula: Nida, Preila, Pervalka and Juodkrante, are built in an architectural style unique to this coast by the ethnic Curonian balts. Nida is a favorite summer resort and bring in people from all over the world.

Palanga

Palanga has over the years been of major strategic importance, no importance whatsoever, part of Latvia, and up until the mid-19th century and subsequent invention of the seaside holiday, a small fishing village. Modern Palanga is a year-round health resort, but is famed more for what happens during the short summer period between the beginning of June and September.

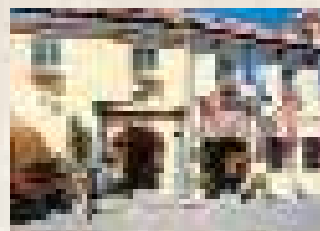
LITHUANIA

HOTELS

“Stikliai” *****

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Vilnius, LF2001, Lithuania
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fax: + 370 5 212 3870
www.stikliaihotel.lt

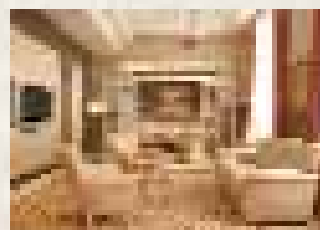
Elegant five stars hotel, located in the heart of the Old Town by the famous Stikliai catering and hospitality company. The hotel has 10 SGL, 8 DBL, 8 DBL de luxe and 3 Suites. All rooms have air condition, IDD-telephone, SAT-TV, bath/WC. The hotel has a conference room for 20 people, bar, tavern, and a fine dining restaurant, sauna, gym, relax-pool and 24-hour room service.



“Ramada Vilnius” ****

2, Subaciaus str.
Vilnius LF01127
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fax: + 370 5 2553 311
www.ramada.lt

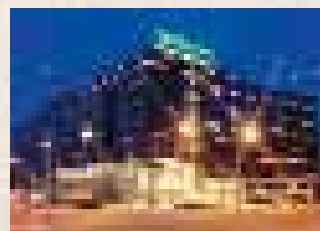
The hotel is located in the very heart of the old town of Vilnius opposite National Philharmonic. Ramada Vilnius opened as a franchised hotel in July 2005. The fast growing Ramada brand is part of Wyndham hotel group which is one of the world largest hotel companies with worldwide around 6800 hotels of which close to 1000 Ramada branded hotels. 55 rooms - 9 SGL, 24 DBL, 15 TWN, 7 Suites. All rooms have Free WIFI, air condition, mini-bar, safe, satellite TV, wellness centre and two conference hall.



“Holiday Inn Vilnius” ****

1, Seimyniskiu str.,
Vilnius, LF2600, Lithuania
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fax: + 370 5210 3001
www.holiday-inn.com

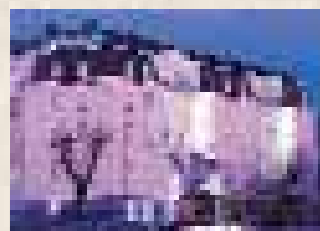
The hotel was opened in May 2002. It is located at a distance of 1 km from the city centre. It offers 134 rooms, equipped with Sat-TV, telephone, mini-bar, hair dryer, shower/bath, WC. There are also 4 conference halls for up to 220 people, 2 guest elevators, fax, photocopying, and business centre. The hotel offers a restaurant, lobby bar, guarded parking, fitness club, sauna, mini-safes, car rental, money exchange, in-house laundry services.



“Radisson SAS Klaipeda” ****

25, Sauliu st.,
Klaipeda, LF5800, Lithuania
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fax: + 370 464649 0815
www.radissonsas.com

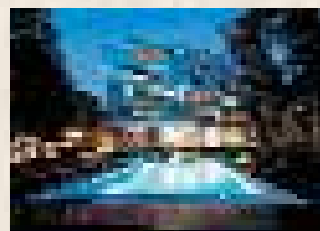
Opened in 2001 the hotel is located in city center, a stone's throw from the Old Town. This is the historical building decorating in fabulous turn of the century New England maritime style. The hotel features 75 well appointed rooms, 42 standard rooms, 14 superior rooms, 14 business class rooms and 5 suites. The rooms have SAT-TV, phone, and private bath room, air-condition. The hotel will have 60 seats all day dining restaurant, lobby bar, fitness studio and 2 conference rooms.



“Palanga” *****

60, Birutes st.,
00135, Palanga, Lithuania
tel: + 370 4604 1414
fax: + 370 4604 1415
www.palangaotel.lt

There are 40 double rooms, extra class rooms and suites, one- and two-room apartments. The hotel has taken into consideration special needs of allergic and disabled people. At your service is a conference hall seating 120 people and having all modern equipment, a session room, a spacious restaurant with a summer terrace, a guest room with a fireplace, an elevator, and a complex of baths, an outdoor swimming pool and a secure car park.



“Vanagupe” *****

31, Vanagupes str.
Palanga, LF00169, Lithuania
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www.vanagupe.lt

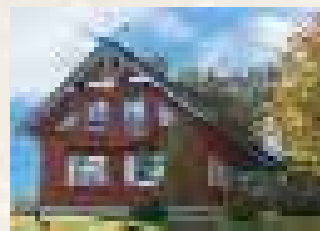
Vanagupe hotel is a first class property with 98 beautiful rooms of 5 different categories to meet your requirements. The rooms are well attuned to the individual needs of all the guests. At your disposal the hotel offers 98 well equipped and comfortable rooms of 5 different categories where all your wishes will come true.



“Nidos Pushinas”, Nidos Smilte” ***

3, Purvynes str., LF5870,
Nida, Neringa, Lithuania
tel: + 370 59 52221
fax: + 370 59 52762

The hotel-cottage complex consists of 3 cottages with singles, double and doubles de luxe rooms. All the rooms are equipped with SAT-TV, shower/WC. The complex has a breakfast room, fireplace guest hall.



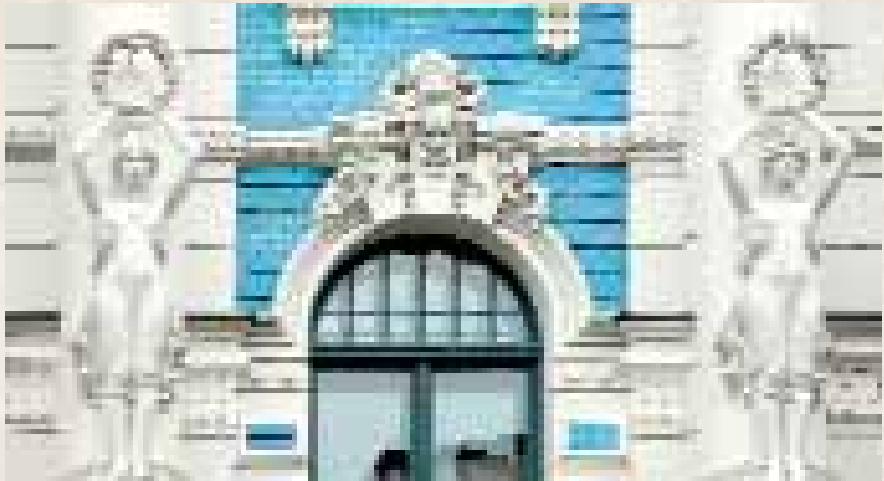
LATVIA

EXCURSIONS

Latvia is located on the shores of Baltic Sea in north-eastern Europe. It is the heart of the three Baltic States. With 12,310 rivers and 3,000 lakes the country has many opportunities for boating and walking and just enjoying the outdoors. There are many small medieval towns, country castles, museums and folk parks to be visited. Check out Riga – the capital of Latvia, superb architecture, from the medieval to the Art Nouveau, an old city that rivals Prague, operas and concerts, an active artistic life, smart shops and intimate restaurants, all testify to her being once again a major European capital.

Riga

From most European cities Riga is close both time-wise and geographically. Within Riga too, everything is close and compact – next to the medieval Old Town you will find the New Town built in the XIXth century after the city fortifications were taken down with green parks and broad boulevard and the Art Nouveau districts. Riga is the capital of Art Nouveau. No other city in Europe can boast such fine examples of Art Nouveau and buildings in this particular style occupy more than one third of downtown Riga. Miraculously the medieval Old Town has been neither badly damaged by war nor disfigured by high rise development. You'll fall in love with these cobbled narrow streets. Wherever you turn you'll find a wealth of historic buildings such the Dome Cathedral with its world famous organ, St. Peters Church built back in 1209 with first clock in the city or Guild Square with the Large and the Small Guild that represent a former glory of Riga as a Hanseatic City. Today vast reconstruction works, new comfortable hotels, modern office buildings,



cozy restaurants and fashionable shops help makes Riga to recapture its former beauty and to become the New Baltic Metropolis.

Jurmala

Jurmala, a resort town possessing 150-year-old resort traditions, occupies approximately one-tenth part of the Latvian coastal line. Its 30 km of the finest sandy beaches, with safe bathing, warm waters in summer, and elegant residences nestling among scented pine woods certainly make it the Riviera of the Baltic. Jurmala with its romantic wooden houses in Art Nouveau style, its spacious beaches, forests, and calmly flowing Lielupe river is especially attractive in the modern world, for it has not lost its tranquility. Add to this the numerous spa and curative facilities, a "micro-climate" of its own, and easy access to Latvia's capital Riga, and you have a very special resort destination.

Rundale Palace

Head south from Riga and explore the XVIIIth

century grandeur of the Rundale Palace, summer residence of the Duke of Courland Ernest Johann von Biron and designed by the architect of the St. Petersburg Winter Palace Francesco Bartolomeo Rastrelli. Thanks to restoration you would hardly believe that the Germans used it as a granary in World War 2. At present 40 rooms on the first and second floors with original interior and furniture are open to the public.

Cesis

Cesis is a charming ancient town, located at a distance of 87 km from Riga. This small town boasts a beautiful nature, medieval castle ruins and wooden Old Town with medieval splendour. Today it also is a very popular place for various annual festivals and concerts, for instance, the Medieval Festival, Beer Festival and World Music Festival Venene. Cesis also is famous for the oldest beer brewery in Latvia, which still produces one of the best beers in Latvia.



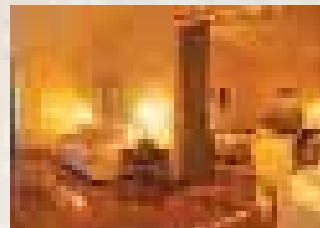
LATVIA

HOTELS

“Ridzene Park” *****

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Riga, LV-1050, Latvia
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www.revalhotels.com/eng/ridzene

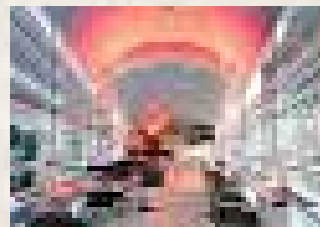
The hotel was built in 1984 and after a complete renovation it was re-opened in August 1999. It has 95 well-appointed rooms, 13 single and 64 double rooms, 14 double de luxe and 4 suites. The hotel has a fine dining restaurant, bistro, bar, 24-hours room service, sauna and relaxation center, also 5 conference rooms for max of 100 persons. The hotel is located in the commercial center of Riga, within 5 min. walk from the Old Town.



“Reval Latvija” *****

55, Elizabetes str.,
Riga LV-1010, Latvia
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fax: + 371 777 2221
www.revalhotels.com

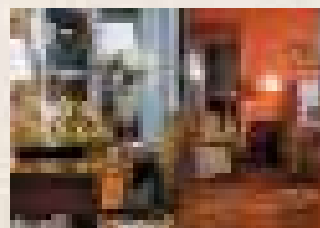
The hotel Latvija has undergone a complete 4 star renovation and re-opened. The hotel has 354 DBL and TWN rooms and 37 DBL de luxe rooms. The rooms have IDD-telephone, sat-TV, mini-bar, air-conditioning and private bath rooms with shower or bathtub. The hotel has a all day dining restaurant, a lobby bar, a panorama bar, a conference hall for 230 persons, a banquet hall for 270 persons and 5 smaller meeting rooms, fitness center with saunas and relax-pool, a disco, a night club and a casino.



“Europa Royale” *****

12, Kr. Barona str.
LV-1050 Riga, Latvia
tel: + 371 6 707 9444,
fax: + 371 6 707 9449
www.hoteleuropa.lt

Europa Royal Riga Hotel is located in the heart of the capital of Latvia, in the luxurious 19th century building overlooking a quiet, picturesque park. The Old Town of Riga and National Opera House can be reached in few minutes. The hotel has 60 rooms and suites including: 47 DBL; 6 De-luxe rooms; 6 Suites; 1 Royal Suite. Guestroom facilities: A/C system; handicap facilities; safe deposit box; cable television; mini-bar & refrigerator, direct line telephone, hair dryer, internet connection.



“Gutenbergs” *****

1, Doma sq.,
Riga, LV-1050, Latvia
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www.gutenbergs.lv

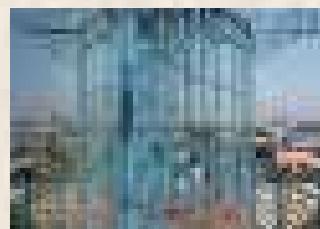
A stylish but yet cozy hotel opened in June 2001. The hotel has 34 double rooms and 4 junior suites. All rooms and suites are equipped with SAT-TV, IDD-telephones, mini-bar and private bathrooms with showers or bathtubs. The hotel also has a restaurant, a bar, 2 conference halls seating 50 and 150 persons and a roof terrace. Located in the center of the Old Town near the Dome Cathedral.



“Maritim Park” *****

1, Slokas str.,
Riga, LV-1048, Latvia
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fax: + 371 706 9001
www.maritim.lv

The hotel has been completely reconstructed and opened in 2000 with 241 rooms including 156 DBL, 45 Superior DBL rooms, 26 Suites and 14 Apartments. The rooms have private bathroom with showers, sat-TV, IDD-telephones, the superior rooms and suites have mini-bars, and the hotel has room service, 2 restaurants, bar, sauna, beauty salon and 6 conference rooms. The hotel is located next to a park 5-10 min drive from the Old Town.



“Baltic Beach” *****

23/25, Juras str., Majori,
Jurmala, LV-2015, Latvia
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+ 371 777 1403
fax: + 371 777 1410
www.balticbeach.lv

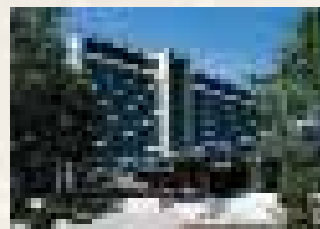
It's a modern hotel in Jurmala. The hotel satisfies the requirements of all the guests and kindly offers 146 spacious rooms: from single to presidential suite, 11 modern conference rooms, restaurant “Caviar Club” and 2 bars, business center, guarded parking place, spa swimming pool with the sea water, sauna and Russian steam bath, spa doctor consultation, solarium.



“Jurmala SPA” *****

47/49, Jiomas str.,
Jurmala, LV-2015, Latvia
tel: + 371 7490 311
fax: + 371 7490 310
www.hoteljurmala.com

The Hotel Jurmala Spa and Conference Centre were opened in 2005. The hotel offers its guests: 114 TWN, 66 TWN deluxe, 4 Junior Suites, 4 Suites. The romantic restaurant featuring a dance floor and seating 330 people; lobby bar for up to 90 people; café offering seating for 85 people as well as a scenic panorama of Jurmala town and the sea are at guests disposal. Open Air Cafe on the terrace opening up to the promenade; SPA & Health centre.



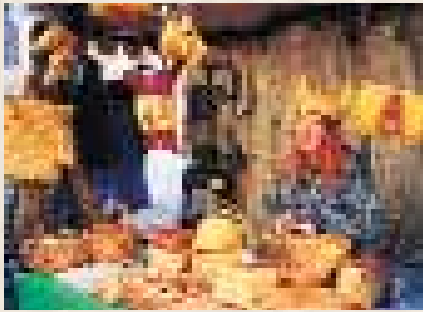
ESTONIA

EXCURSIONS

Breathtaking Hanseatic charm in our medieval capital Tallinn and in other old Hansa towns, large areas of almost virgin nature - pine forests, deserted sandy beaches, bogs and wetlands, which have nearly disappeared from the rest of Europe, big and small islands with wooden windmills and juniper fields – that's all just some of the attractions of Estonia, the most northern of three Baltic Countries, lying around the Baltic Sea coast.

Tallinn

Kilometers of winding cobblestone streets, red roofs, watchtowers in the Old City walls that surrounds the Old Town, a whole storybook of medieval houses – that's all Tallinn, one of the oldest cities of Northern Europe. Don't miss the Tallinn's famous Gothic Town Hall and the lively Town Hall square, the heart of the Old City with outdoor cafés, shops and never-ending activity. Wandering on the original medieval street net-



work, discover hidden courtyards, churches, Hanseatic period guild and citizen's houses.

Tartu

A historic and young city, the second-largest town, a landscape of almost untouched nature, rounded hills and little lakes. This charming old university city is cozily small, yet big enough to offer a traveler a lot – the glory of once well known Hansa-town, the ancient Dome Hill, academic atmosphere with old University buildings and merry student festivals, a rich cultural life of concerts, theatre and exhibitions.

Pärnu

Today's Pärnu is Estonia's chic summer capital and offers a great number of various summer activities on the ground, and of course, on the water. Pärnu is also famous for its curative mud and mineral water cures, that keep sanatoriums and health centers busy year-round.

Saaremaa

The biggest and the most famous of Estonia's more than 1500 islands. Wind whistling over the juniper fields and white cliffs, wooden windmills and thatched roofs, fortified stone churches on the countryside, nature reserves, ancient hill forts... The capital city of Saaremaa is Kuressaare, where one of the island's main attractions is situated – the XIVth century Bishop's Castle, one of the best preserved medieval fortresses in the Baltic's.

Lahemaa National Park

Park, situated on the Estonian northern coast is only short ride away from Tallinn. You can enjoy scenic coastal views, beautiful walks through pine woods and peat bogs with open pools, and old fishing villages. Not only peaceful nature scenes, but also nicely restored manor house complexes, once belonging to Baltic-German noblemen can be seen and visited in Lahemaa National Park.



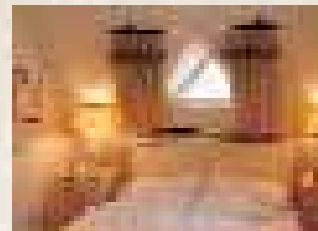
ESTONIA

HOTELS

“Schlössle” *****

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www.schlössle-hotels.com

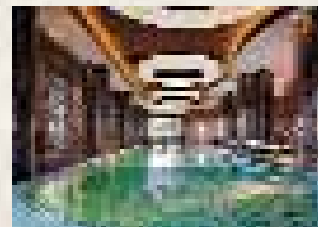
A new, exclusive hotel with 23 rooms as 4 singles, 15 doubles, 13 double deluxe, 2 junior suites and 2 senior suites. All rooms are equipped with mini bar, IDD- telephone, SATV and bath/WC. The hotel has restaurant, bar, conference room for 14 persons, fitness club and sauna. Located in the Old Town.



“Swiss Hotel” *****

3, Tornimäe,
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www.tallinn.swissotel.com

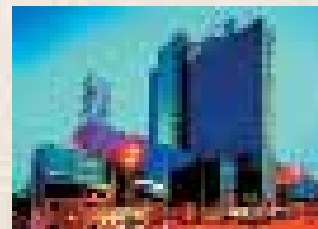
A new deluxe hotel. 238 rooms and suites are equipped with state-of-the-art technology. The Horisont Restaurant & Bar is certain to develop into one of Tallinn's culinary highlights. Estonia's largest ballroom (455m²), two meeting rooms and a boardroom guarantee successful events of every possible nature at a central location. When it comes to rest and relaxation, the Amrita Spa & Wellness is available with a swimming pool, fitness room, gym, sauna, and steam bath and treatment rooms.



“Radisson SAS Tallinn” *****

5, Rävåla Puiestee,
Tallinn, Estonia
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www.radissonsas.com

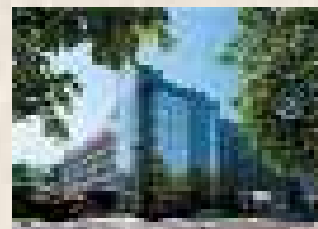
25-storey landmark building and the first 5 star hotel in Tallinn opened February 1st 2001. The hotel has 277 well-appointed rooms and suites decorated in Scandinavian, Oriental, Maritime and Italian style. The hotel has a 140-seat restaurant, a piano bar, a pub, a health club with swimming pool, sauna and gym and a conference and banqueting center with a large banqueting room and 11 smaller meeting rooms. The hotel is located in the city center.



“Meriton Grand Hotel Tallinn” *****

27, Toompuiestee,
Tallinn, Estonia
tel: + 372 66 77 111
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www.meritonhotels.com

Hotel has 164 double rooms, including 157 executive rooms, 4 junior suites, 2 suites with sauna and Presidential suites. All rooms are equipped with WC/bath/shower, mini-bar, safe, air-conditioning, SATV, tea/coffee making facilities, hairdryer, Wi-Fi internet connection. Located in the centre of Tallinn within walking distance from Parliament House and the Old Town.



“Reval Olympia” ****

33, Liliiväja str.,
Tallinn, 10118, Estonia
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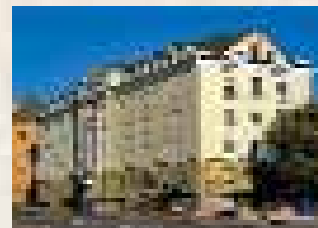
Constructed in 1980, completely renovated last time 1999-2001. The hotel has total of 385 rooms as 110 SGL, 55 DBL, 174 TWN, 34 DBL deluxe, 6 Junior Suites and 6 Senior Suites. Rooms are equipped with IDD telephone, SATV, mini-bar, and private bathroom with bathtub or shower. The hotel has a large conference center with 12 conference rooms for 6-400 people, fine dining restaurant, bistro, a lobby bar; free WiFi, cafe, nightclub, health club with swimming pool and saunas and shops.



“Uniquestay Mihkli” ***

23, Toompuiestee
Tallinn, 10137 Estonia
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www.uniquestay.com

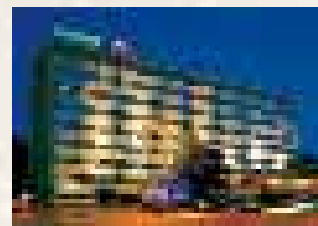
The hotel has a total of 75 naturally calming bedrooms with computers and free internet, 5 conference rooms up to 150 people- all with natural daylight, adjoining sauna for 8 people, the U-café “young at heart and utterly cool”, a lively Estonian style dining experience with interactive entertainment, Tricky-Ants farm located in the original barn in the courtyard of the hotel.



“Reval Park” *****

23, Kreutzwaldi str.,
Tallinn, 10147, Estonia
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www.revalhotels.ee

Constructed in 1969, completely renovated and reopened in 1997. The hotel has 24 single, 91 double and twin rooms and 5 suites. All rooms have IDD-telephone, SATV, mini bar, WC/bath or shower. The hotel has a lobby bar, restaurant for 100 persons, conference rooms for 15, 30 and 75 persons and the largest casino in the Baltic's with 700 sq m of playground. The hotel is located next to the Kungla Park, in walking range from the Old Town.



PACKAGE TOURS

THE BEST OF KALININGRAD REGION – 8 DAYS



Day 1. Kaliningrad

Arrival to Kaliningrad. Accommodation at the hotel in Kaliningrad.

Day 2. Sightseeing in Kaliningrad

The tour includes visiting the main sights of the city: the Drama Theater, Amalienau district of old Koenigsberg, formerly main city gates, Castle lake and of course the Cathedral – the symbol of Kaliningrad fully restored from ruins. The tomb of Immanuel Kant and the largest organ in Eastern Europe is located at the Cathedral now. In the afternoon, boat trip by the Pregolya River. Accommodation at the hotel in Kaliningrad.

Day 3. Samland Peninsula

During this tour passing through the Germau village you'll see the famous place Yantarny (Palmnicken), in the company with "knits" you'll see the amber mines and hear the story of this stone. The main point of this day is the visit to the most beautiful resort of Kaliningrad region – Rauschen (Svetlogorsk). Accommodation at the hotel in Svetlogorsk.

Day 4. Baltysk

In the morning you will have an opportunity to enjoy the seaside. Then you'll be offered to visit Baltysk (Pillau). In the afternoon we will take you to Baltysk – the most western part of Russia and NAVY base of the Russian fleet. Accommodation at the hotel in Svetlogorsk.

Day 5. Curonian Spit

Leaving Svetlogorsk we go straight to the north of the region to the unique place in Europe – the Curonian Spit, the land between fresh gulf and Baltic Sea. The ornithological station in Rybachyi (Rositten) which we visit en route is on the way to the highest sandy dune of the spit – dune Efa which lets you discover a picturesque view on Baltic sea and the Curonian gulf surrounding the spit from both sides. Back transfer to Svetlogorsk. Accommodation at the hotel in Svetlogorsk.

Day 6. Polesk – Sovetsk – Cherniakhovsk

A Full day trip to former East Prussian provinces. During this day you will visit and hear the history of the main cities in our region: Polesk (Labiau), Sovetsk (Tilsit), Cherniakhovsk (Insterburg). Accommodation at the hotel Kochar in Cherniakhovsk.

Day 7. Majovka – Gusev – lake Vishtyneckoe

Majovka (Georgenburg) was well known as stud farm in German times. At the present time it's one of the biggest stud farms in Russia. You'll see the wild nature of this area, surrounding Gusev (Gumbinen) where short tour will be organized for you. Return to Kaliningrad where dinner and Russian folk show is waiting for you. Accommodation at the old manor house in Kaliningrad.

Day 8

Departure after breakfast.

WATER ITINERARIES OF CURONIAN SPIT – 8 DAYS



Day 1. Kaliningrad

Arrival to Kaliningrad. Accommodation at the hotel in Kaliningrad.

Day 2. Kaliningrad – Polesk – Svetlogorsk

During the city tour, you are likely to enjoy the history of old Koenigsberg. After the city tour you'll depart to Polesk (Labiau) where we would suggest you a boat trip to Matrosovo (Gilge). Wild nature, unique places below sea level and etc. After this trip we depart to Svetlogorsk (Rauschen). Accommodation at the hotel in Svetlogorsk.

Day 3. Svetlogorsk – Zelenogradsk – Curonian Spit – Nida

Walking tour in Svetlogorsk in the morning will give you an opportunity to see the most beautiful resort of Kaliningrad region. Leaving Svetlogorsk we go straight to the north of the region to the unique place in Europe – Curonian Spit, the land between fresh gulf and Baltic Sea. The Border with Lithuania is situated at the Spit. Arrival to Nida (LT) and overnight there.

Day 4. Nida

Fish village Nida has its unique charm – small wooden houses with reed roofs and blue windows. A visit to the house-museum of Thomas Mann, the famous poet of East Prussia is included to the program. Afternoon is free. Overnight in Nida.

Day 5. On board of "Forelle": Nida – Minija – Klaipeda

Boarding in the morning we'll take you to the delta of the Neman River. In 30 minutes Minija – the small Venice of Lithuania will be reached. The crew of Forelle will take care of your nice stay on board. The picnic with fish menu is served for you. Arrival to Klaipeda. Accommodation in Klaipeda (Memel)

Day 6. Klaipeda – Palanga

The Klaipeda city tour is in the morning. You'll see and visit the most interesting sights of this city, formerly known as Memel (Klaipeda): the Drama Theater in which R. Vagner was a bandmaster; old post office; famous Aennchen von Tharau is still on the main square of Klaipeda old town. In the afternoon we'll visit to the resort Palanga and visit Amber Museum en route. Accommodation at the hotel in Klaipeda.

Day 7. Klaipeda – Juodkrante – Nida – Kaliningrad

We offer you a boat trip from Klaipeda to Nida by the Curonian gulf with short overview stop in Juodkrante. After our journey we suggest you a comfortable coach to cross the border and the Curonian Spit. Arrival to Kaliningrad. The overnight at old manor house, now the hotel Usadba where dinner in Russian style with folk band makes a splendid finale to your tour.

Day 8

Departure after breakfast.

PACKAGE TOURS

Day 1. Kaliningrad

Arrival to Kaliningrad. Coach city tour with a visit to the Cathedral – the symbol of modern Kaliningrad and former Königsberg, the tomb of Immanuel Kant, Amber Museum, old fortified walls, city gates and monuments made by German sculptors. In the evening we visit the church of the Holy Family for an organ recital or a choral concert of Orthodox Church music. Accommodation at the hotel in Kaliningrad.

Day 2. Svetlogorsk – Yantarniy

A Full day tour, started in Svetlogorsk (Rauschen) – resort city, the pearl of the Baltic coast of the region. There you will take a walking along the town. After lunch at the restaurant we will visit the Brakhert museum in Otradnoje (Georgensvalde), and Yantarniy (Palmniken) where the amber mines are located. Accommodation at the hotel in Svetlogorsk or Kaliningrad.

Day 1. Gdansk

Arrival to Gdansk (Danzig). Accommodation at the hotel in Gdansk.

Day 2. Gdansk – Frombork – Kadyny

To see the Cathedral you go to Frombork. The next aim for today is Kadyny. The construction of the country house was started in 1720 which Kaiser Wilhelm turned into his residence in 1899. Today this castle is the four star hotel where we'll stay for this night to feel the real history of its place. Accommodation in famous hotel Kadyny Palace.

Day 3. Balga – Kaliningrad

We cross the border Poland – Russia and arrive to Balga, present Russian name is Veseloe village. The ruin of the oldest castle is located in Kaliningrad region which is in 35 km South-West of Kaliningrad city. Arrival at Kaliningrad and accommodation in old manor house, hotel Usadba.

Day 4. Kaliningrad – Yantarniy

The start is the old capital of East Prussia – now the city Kaliningrad located on the banks of the Pregolya River, where the route makes its way through the town-resort Svetlogorsk – the most beautiful place, and comes to an end in Yantarniy where 90% of world amber is mined. Accommodation at the hotel in Yantarniy.

Day 5. The Curonian Spit

A full day trip to the Curonian Spit – the unique place of nature, narrow land among the fresh Curonian golf waters and Baltic Sea. Visit to the Ornithological station the oldest in Europe founded by professor Johannes Thinemann in Rybachyi where there is chance to see the hundreds of migrating birds. On the way back to Svetlogorsk a picnic with famous fish soup made of the Baltic eel can be served for you. Accommodation at the hotel in Svetlogorsk.

Day 6. Sovetsk – Cherniakhovsk

In Sovetsk there are sights for you to see in the morning: the famous bridge of Queen Luisa, Tilsit

Day 3. Nida

We depart to Curonian Spit – the national park and unique place in Europe. We visit the museum of the Spit and the ornithological station "Rossiten" – the oldest in Europe founded by professor Thinemann. We cross the border with Lithuania and arrive to Nida where we will stay for an overnight.

Day 4. Nida – Klaipeda

In Nida we'll visit Thomas Mann's summer house and climb the dunes. We continue our trip going to Klaipeda. Stop en route in Juodkrante (Schwarzort) and the "Hill of Witches" and before taking a ferry to Klaipeda we'll visit a sea museum "Aquarium". Overnight stay in Klaipeda.

Day 5. Klaipeda

Morning Klaipeda city tour. After lunch we'll depart for Vilnius or for Kaliningrad.

Court, Tilsit Theater, Hohestrasse. In the afternoon departure to Insterburg with en route visit to the stud farm in Maiovka the well known farm of famous Trakenen horse race. Arrival to Cherniakhovsk and accommodation at the hotel Kochar.

Day 7. Mazur lakes

We cross the border in Gusev – Goldap (Poland) arriving to the region of Mazur lakes. Visit to the ruins of "Wolfsschanze", baroque church in Swieta Lipka, arrival to Mragowo. Overnight at the hotel in this area.

Day 8. South Mazur lakes

Rafting by the Kruttinna river. Visit to the Russian Orthodox monastery in Wojnowo. Accommodation at the hotel in Mragowo.

Day 9. Mragowo – Malbork – Gdansk

We depart to Malbork to visit the Malbork Castle. Formerly it was the most defended castle in old Europe before the XIIIth century also this castle was the residence of Grossmeister of German knights. Your excursion to the castle will be very detailed. We'll continue our journey by going to Gdansk, the ancient Hanseatic town. Accommodation at the hotel in Gdansk.

Day 10. Gdansk

Gdansk begins its history from the 14th century as the main Hansa city. During WWII the city was completely destroyed and rebuilt after from the ruins. In the morning you'll take the tour over the old town of Gdansk and visit: Rathaus, Lange Markt, Gold Tower, Artushof and etc. In the afternoon you'll see the Gothic church in Oliwa, the part of Gdansk, and the organ which has 8,000 pipes; Sopot – the resort, walk among the longest in Europe wooden moll and take a pause drinking a cup of coffee at the Sofitel Grand Hotel Sopot located right on the beach. Accommodation at the hotel in Gdansk.

Day 11

Departure after breakfast.

SMALL ROUND TOUR: AMBER COAST – CURONIAN SPIT – 5 DAYS



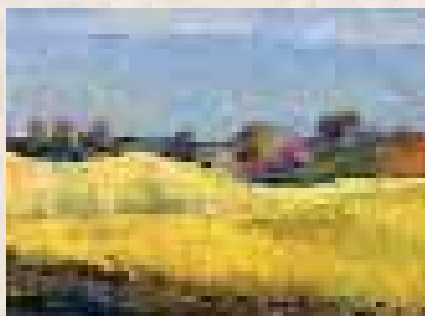
WEST&EAST PRUSSIAN ROUND TRIP – 11 DAYS



PACKAGE TOURS

BICYCLE TOUR: MEMELLAND AND NORTH PART OF EAST PRUSSIA – 8 DAYS

NOTE: POSSIBLE ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE TO KALININGRAD



Day 1. Klaipeda (Memel) – Juodkrante (Schwarzort) (16 km by bicycle)

Arrival to Klaipeda by ferry, transfer to the Curonian Spit – the national park which is under the protection of UNESCO since 2000. There is already a bicycle prepared for you to ride to Juodkrante. Accommodation in Juodkrante.

Day 2. Nida – Morskoe (29 km by bicycle)

On this day your route leads out of Juodkrante over Preila across fascinating scenery of the forests to Nida. In Nida the visit to the house-museum of T. Mann is included into the program, overview excursion in Nida. Crossing the border Lithuania – Russia. Accommodation in Morskoe (Pillkopen).

Day 3. Rybachyi – Lesnoe – Zelenogradsk – Svetlogorsk (40 km by bicycle)

After breakfast a walking tour is provided in Morskoe (Pillkopen) by the dunes. During this trip you will enjoy the beautiful views from the top of one of the highest dunes in Europe while your bicycles are waiting for you to continue the way to our next destination, to Zelenogradsk (Cranz) through Rybachyi (Rossiten) and Lesnoe (Sarkau). In Rybachyi short visit to the oldest ornithological station in Europe is included to the program. Transfer by coach from Zelenogradsk to Svetlogorsk (Rauschen), overnight.

Day 4. Svetlogorsk – Yantarnyi (bicycle – 30 km)

We start our journey by bicycle to Otradnoe (Georgenswalde) in the morning, firstly visiting

the house-museum of the famous sculptor Hermann Brachert. We continue to Yantarnyi where the amber mines are located. Picnic on the beach. Transfer to Svetlogorsk by comfortable coach. Accommodation in Svetlogorsk.

Day 5. Kaliningrad (0 km by bicycle)

In the morning we take walking tour in Svetlogorsk. In the afternoon we're leaving Svetlogorsk for Kaliningrad by 3.5 hours city bus tour. Transfer by coach to Sosnovka (Gross Baum). Accommodation at the hotel ex. manor house.

Day 6. Matrosovo ("Elk reserve") – Sovetsk (42 km by bicycle)

Today you'll visit famous area around Matrosovo (Gilge) – "Elk reserve". Wild nature and canals of the Curonian Golf are widely presented here. Cycling along the Grand Canal. At the end you return to Polesk (Labiau) by coach and where you will be transferred to Sovetsk (Tilsit). Accommodation at the hotel in Sovetsk.

Day 7. Sovetsk – Silute – Klaipeda (50 km by bicycle)

We cross the border Russia – Lithuanian in Sovetsk by the historically famous bridge of the Queen Louise, cycling to Silute. Coach is waiting there to take us back to Klaipeda. Accommodation at the hotel in Klaipeda.

Day 8

Departure after breakfast.

FROM KALININGRAD TO THE PEARLS OF THE BALTIC – 11 DAYS



Day 1. Kaliningrad

Arrive Kaliningrad. Accommodation at the hotel. Free time. Overnight in Kaliningrad.

Day 2. Kaliningrad-Nida

Sightseeing tour of Kaliningrad which includes the 13th century Cathedral, the tomb of Immanuel Kant, old fortified walls and gates, the Amber Museum and monuments of German sculptors. Continue to the Curonian Spit via Rybachyi to Nida. Overnight in Nida.

Day 3. Nida – Kaunas

Walking along Nida, visit to T. Mann museum and the big dune. Depart to Kaunas via Klaipeda (Memel). Walking along old Kaunas streets. Overnight in Kaunas.

Day 4. Kaunas – Shaulaj – Riga.

Morning departure for Shaulaj, stopping at the "Hill of Crosses", then – to the border and through former capital of Kurland dukedom Mittau (Elgava), to Riga. Overnight in Riga.

Day 5. Riga

The sightseeing tour of Riga. Walking along old city – Cathedral (XIII century), Peter Church (XIII century), famous "Three brother's house" (XV century), Swedish gate (XVII century) visits. Overnight in Riga.

Day 6. Riga – Tallinn

Transfer to Tallinn along the seacoast through Pjarnu. Walking along "Hanseatic League" city Pjarnu (XIV century), then – departure to Tallinn. Overnight in Tallinn.

Day 7. Tallinn

Walking along old part of the city with its narrow streets, medieval apartment houses, attics and walls of the fortresses. In the afternoon – bus tour to Kadriorg and Pirta. Overnight in Tallinn.

Day 8. Tallinn – Tartu – Valga – Valmeria – Cesis

Morning departure from Tallinn to Tartu. Walking along Tartu with main sights visits. Continue to "Little Switzerland" – Cesis. National park Gauja visit. Overnight in Cesis.

Day 9. Cesis – Riga – Vilnius

Morning transfer from Cesis past Riga with a stop in Bauska, where we visit Teutonic Order fortress ruins (XIV century) directly to Vilnius.

Day 10. Vilnius

The round up city tour with Peter-Paul church, Cathedral, St. Anne church visit. Bus excursion to Trakai. In the evening – a folklore concert. Overnight in Vilnius.

Day 11

Departure for Vilnius

PACKAGE TOURS

Day 1. Kaliningrad

Arrival to Kaliningrad and we start our sightseeing tour including visit to the Cathedral – the symbol of modern Kaliningrad where the largest organ in Eastern Europe, and the tomb of Immanuel Kant is located at the moment. You will also see the gates of old Königsberg, the Drama Theater, main monuments of the city and visit the Amber museum. Accommodation at the hotel in Kaliningrad.

Day 2. The Amber coast

Full day tour in Svetlogorsk – the pearl of Amber coast of Kaliningrad region; transfer to Yantarnyi where the amber mines are located. Accommodation at the hotel in Kaliningrad.

Day 3. St. Petersburg

After breakfast we will take you to the airport for the flight to St. Petersburg – northern capital of Russia. The city which is famous for its architectural ensembles of 18th-19th centuries. Nevsky prospect – the city's thoroughfare, Palace square, Neva embankments with Tsar Palaces, Decembrists' and Theater squares and many

Day 1. St. Petersburg

Arrival to St. Petersburg. Check in on board.

Day 2. St. Petersburg

City tour in St. Petersburg. The tour includes a visit to Peter and Paul's Fortress, the first structure in St. Petersburg. Inside the Peter and Paul's Cathedral you will see tombstones of all Russian Emperors from Peter I to Nicholas II. Also visiting the Isaac's Cathedral, Nevsky Avenue. Pushkin – It is a fascinating monument of the world's architectural and gardening arts. The compositional center of the whole ensemble is Catherine's Palace. The interior decoration. Ballet performance in the evening.

Day 3. St. Petersburg

During the day we take you to the Hermitage – one of the largest and oldest museums in the world. The collections of the museum are located and displayed in 5 historical buildings in St. Petersburg, including The Winter Palace – the former residence of the Russian tsars. Ship sails at 20.00

Day 4. Cruise day.

Day 5. Kizhi

Arrival to the Island of Kizhi. The small island of Kizhi is a unique quarter of the Russian land in the Onega Lake where the famous ensemble of Kizhi temples is located, including over 80 monuments of Russian wooden architecture.

Day 6. Goritzky

Arrival to Goritzky. Excursion to Kirilo-Belozersky Monastery.

Day 7. Yaroslavl

Arrival to Yaroslavl – the oldest city on the Volga,

other sights are included in the tour. Accommodation at the hotel in St. Petersburg.

Day 4. Pushkin

Transfer to Pushkin "Tsarskoe Selo" (25 km from St. Petersburg). It is a fantastic place! You will see the Majestic Catherine Palace former home of the famous Amber Room. A walk along the park will really impress you. Lunch at the restaurant with traditional Russian cuisine "Podvorye". Transfer back to St. Petersburg. Accommodation at the hotel.

Day 5. St. Petersburg

The State museum Hermitage is one of the oldest and largest museums in the world. It's located in the former Tsar's palace – The White Palace containing five buildings of different periods. The greatest art museum keeps more than 3 million pieces of collection including personal possessions of the Romanov's dynasty. Accommodation at the hotel in St. Petersburg.

Day 6

Departure after breakfast.

founded by Yaroslav-the-Wise at the beginning of the X cent. The highlights of this tour are the Monastery of the Savior and the church of Elijah the Prophet.

Day 8. Uglich

Arrival to Uglich – one of the oldest towns of Russia, was founded in 937 year by Jan Pleskovich. We offer for you a walking tour through this city.

Day 9. Moscow

Arrival to Moscow at 1.30 pm. Moscow city sightseeing tour – during the tour you will get to know the history of the city and see the main places of interests – the Red Square, the Moscow State University, the Bolshoi Theatre. You will drive along the main Moscow streets: Tverskaya, Novy Arbat Avenue, Kutuzovskiy Avenue, Sadovoye and Bulvarnoye Rings. Also you will visit the metro of Moscow, which is famous all over the world. We offer circus performance in the evening as an option.

Day 10. Moscow

Visit to Kremlin, the historical centre of the city, the heart of Moscow. Kremlin is located on a hill washed from one side by the Moscow-river and from the other by its inflow – river Neglinnaya. On the Kremlin grounds you will see the Tsar Bell and the Tsar Cannon and visit several cathedrals – the wonderful monuments of Russian church architecture with unique richly decorated interiors. You can see the Russian, Eastern, Western art works of the XIV – XX centuries, the tsar's thrones, the tsar's garb (clothes) and armor, the unique silver and golden dishes.

Day 11

Departure from Moscow.

AMBER – THE GOLD OF THE BALTIC – (KALININGRAD – ST. PETERSBURG) – 6 DAYS



ST. PETERSBURG – MOSCOW – RIVER CRUISE – 11 DAYS



PACKAGE TOURS



GOLDEN RING OF RUSSIA – 10 DAYS



Day 1. St.Petersburg

Arrival to St.Petersburg. Meeting with a guide at the airport. Transfer to the hotel in St.Petersburg. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 2. St.Petersburg

City sightseeing tour in St.Petersburg. During the tour you will be acquainted with architecture, history and present day life of the former capital of Imperial Russia, the history of the Romanov dynasty. City sightseeing tour includes a visit to Peter and Paul's Fortress, the first structure in St. Petersburg. Inside the Peter and Paul's Cathedral you will see tombstones of all Russian Emperors from Peter I to Nicholas II. Also visiting the Isaac's Cathedral, Nevskiy Avenue. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 3. Pushkin – Pavlovsk

Pushkin – It is a fascinating monument of the world's architectural and gardening arts. The compositional center of the whole ensemble is Catherine's Palace. The grandeur of the artistic décor of the façades, the whimsical moulded decoration, the gilding of architectural and sculptural details, all echoes the majesty and elegance of the interior decoration. Lunch at the restaurant Lunch is served not far from the Pushkin in the restaurant «Podvorye» – the most Russian out of all restaurants in Russia. It is well known in many countries all over the world (option). After the lunch one more suburb palace – and – park ensemble, Pavlovsk, is waiting for you. Pavlovsk was used as a summer residence of the Russian emperor Paul I and his family. The formation of the rich collection of items of the Pavlovsk Palace was closely connected with the trip of Paul I and his wife over Europe. Back transfer to St.Petersburg. Theater performance in the evening is recommended. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 4. St.Petersburg

After breakfast we invite you to visit the Hermitage – one of the largest and oldest museums in the world. The collections of the museum are located and displayed in 5 historical buildings in St.Petersburg, including The Winter Palace – the former residence of the Russian tsars. Leisure time in the afternoon time. Departure by train to Kostroma. Dinner – lunch box.

Day 5. Kostroma

Early arrival to Nerehta (50km away from Kostroma). Coach transfer to the Kostroma. Check in at the hotel. Sightseeing tour. The city is located on the banks of the Volga River 330 kilometers northwest of Moscow. Kostroma, like Moscow, was founded by Prince Yuri Dolgoruky in 1152. In 1778, Kostroma became the center of a province. Today Kostroma is the only city in Russia which has retained the layout and architectural ensemble formed in its central part during the XVIII – early XIX centuries. Kostroma's principal attraction is the Ipatiev Monastery, founded around 1330. The crowing glory of the Ipatiev monastery ensemble is the five-dome Cathedral of the Holy Trinity. Another treasure of Kostroma is the Church of the Resurrection-on-the-Debre built in the 17th century with the donations of some of the merchants. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 6. Yaroslavl

Coach transfer to Yaroslavl after breakfast. Sightseeing tour. The most ancient building in the city is the Spaso-Preobrazhensky ("Transfiguration of the Saviour") Cathedral of the Spassky (St Saviour) Monastery constructed in 1506-1516 on the foundations of the original edifice dating back to 1216-1224. In the 16th century, the first stone wall is built around the monastery. In 1787 the monastery was closed down and converted into a residence of the Yaroslavl and Rostov bishops. Apart from the Spaso-Preobrazhensky Monastery the oldest churches in the city date back to the 17th century and belong to the so called Yaroslavl type (built of red brick, with bright tiled exteriors). Those of St. Nicholas Nadein and Elijah the Prophet have some of the Golden ring's most impressive frescoes. Boat trip and lunch as option. Back transfer to Kostroma. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 7. Suzdal

Coach transfer to Suzdal. Sightseeing of Suzdal with the visiting of the Kremlin, Spaso-Yevfimiev monastery, the museum of Wooden Architecture. The Cathedral of the Nativity in Suzdal is a World Heritage Site. It is one of the eight White Monuments of Vladimir and Suzdal. It was built by Vladimir II Monomakh during the late 11th and early 12th centuries. Walking excursion over the Old town in Suzdal in the afternoon is provided for you. Arrival to the hotel in Suzdal. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 8. Sergiev Posad

Coach transfer to Sergiev Posad in the morning. Excursion to the Holy Trinity-St. Sergius Laura. Sergiev Posad (Zagorsk in the Soviet times) is one of most interesting towns in the Moscow Region. Undoubtedly, travelers are attracted to Sergiev Posad mainly by the Holy Trinity-St. Sergius Laura, which is responsible for the fame of the town as the capital of the Russian Orthodox Church. Transfer to Moscow. Arrival to the hotel in Moscow. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 9. Moscow

In the morning we invite you for full day city tour in Moscow. During the tour you will get to know the history of the city and see the main places of interests – the Red Square, the Moscow State University, the Bolshoi Theatre. You will drive along the main Moscow streets: Tverskaya, Novy Arbat Avenue, Kutuzovsky Avenue, Sadovoye and Bulvarnoye Rings. Also you will visit the metro of Moscow, which is famous all over the world. The palace-halls of the metro stations are considered to be the most beautiful and decorated in the world. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 10. Moscow

Leisure time in Moscow for buying souvenirs. Departure in the afternoon.

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