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# SAIL CUBA

*A Specialty Cuba Tour*



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HAVANA  
MARÍA LA GORDA  
CAYO LARGO

TRINIDAD  
CIENFUEGOS



8 DAYS

7 NIGHTS

DISCOVER CUBA IN A NEW WAY, ON A STATE-OF-THE-ART SAIL CRUISER. Our intimate vessels provide a truly unique way to experience Cuba tailored for the more discerning guest. With this gracious ship as your home, and our crew to attend to all your needs, you can bypass the packing and unpacking and simply enjoy your vacation as we sail to Cuba's most sought after destinations for eight delightful days.

On the S/C Panorama and S/C Panorama II, we can reach parts of Cuba few others have seen, to create a distinct and memorable experience. We'll visit "the Pearl of the South," Cienfuegos. The only Cuban city founded by French settlers, Cienfuegos projects its own special vibe. Overnight, we will make the short journey to Trinidad, one of the island's best-preserved cities, a UNESCO Heritage Site, and a stunning exemplar of traditional Spanish colonial architecture. The next few days will be spent off the beaten path, hopping from the keys to breathtaking nature preserves to get a feel for Cuba's rare flora and fauna. Then, it's off to Havana, Cuba's capital city, buzzing with life and culture. Havana's famous harbor offers an urban view few others have seen. We dock the sail cruiser in the midst of the old city, allowing you complete access for the next few days, your floating home just steps away. Here, we'll discover Hemingway's hangouts, meet famous artists, and salsa dance to fiery music!

It has never been so easy to feel as if you're traveling back in time to a place rooted in culture and history, where the people are as warm and welcoming as the climate.

## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- People-to-people interaction and meaningful exchanges with local people
- Old Havana and the renovation of its historic architecture
- Visit Finca Vigia, Hemingway's beloved home
- Visit one of Havana's most well known cigar factories
- Experience Trinidad, the meticulously well-preserved Spanish colonial city
- Cienfuegos, the Pearl of the South, with its cluster of Neoclassical structures





## SPECIALTY CUBA TOURS

### *Incredible Value*

#### SAIL CUBA TOUR INCLUDES:

- ▶ Eight days, seven nights aboard the S/C Panorama or S/C Panorama II
- ▶ Exclusive guided programming
- ▶ Expert Cuban guide
- ▶ Private Cuban driver
- ▶ Experienced tour leader
- ▶ All meals while in Cuba
- ▶ insightCuba travel guidebook
- ▶ Evening entertainment and lectures while aboard the S/C Panorama or S/C Panorama II
- ▶ Certification of travel to Cuba under the U.S. Department of the Treasury general license
- ▶ All in-country ground transportation and airport transfers via luxury motor coach
- ▶ Travel health insurance, emergency medical evacuation, and trip cancellation coverage (up to \$1,000)
- ▶ 24-hour emergency customer service hotline
- ▶ Fresh bottled water while touring

*Not included: flight package, baggage fees, domestic flight, gratuities, and port tax.*



#### BASE PRICE FOR DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

**CAT A**  
**\$5,999**

Per person double-occupancy.  
For single-occupancy, add \$1,000.

**CAT B**  
**\$5,499**

Per person double-occupancy.  
For single-occupancy, add \$900.

**CAT C**  
**\$4,899**

Per person double-occupancy.  
For single-occupancy, add \$800.

..... ADD PORT TAX OF \$395 .....

*Airfare not included in tour cost.*

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**for more information or to book your trip**  
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#### DEPARTURE DATES

Dec 6, 2015 – Dec 13, 2015	Feb 13, 2016 – Feb 20, 2016
Dec 12, 2015 – Dec 19, 2015	Feb 20, 2016 – Feb 27, 2016
Dec 19, 2015 – Dec 26, 2015	Feb 27, 2016 – Mar 5, 2016
Dec 26, 2015 – Jan 2, 2016	Mar 5, 2016 – Mar 12, 2016
Jan 2, 2016 – Jan 9, 2016	Mar 12, 2016 – Mar 19, 2016
Jan 9, 2016 – Jan 16, 2016	Mar 19, 2016 – Mar 26, 2016
Jan 16, 2016 – Jan 23, 2016	Mar 26, 2016 – Apr 2, 2016
Jan 23, 2016 – Jan 30, 2016	Apr 2, 2016 – Apr 9, 2016
Jan 30, 2016 – Feb 6, 2016	Apr 16, 2016 – Apr 23, 2016
Feb 6, 2016 – Feb 13, 2016	Apr 23, 2016 – Apr 30, 2016

Space is limited and departure cities are based on availability.



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#### FLIGHT PACKAGE

**\$675**

Includes:

- Air from Miami to Havana & Cienfuegos to Miami or reverse
- Priority check-in at Miami International Airport
- Cuban visa
- Cuban airport departure tax

*Add \$150: departures Dec 19-Jan 7. Flight Package Prices are subject to change unless accompanied by confirmed booking*



## SAMPLE ITINERARY

### DAY 1 : MIAMI : CIENFUEGOS

Take a short flight to Cuba from Miami International Airport. After clearing immigration and customs, attend a brief meeting, receive any necessary assistance, and get ready for your first day in Cienfuegos. Once settled in, you'll participate in a walking tour of the city center, visiting the Graphic Arts Workshop for discussions with local artists. Stop in at the farmers market to get a taste of buying fresh produce in a lively setting where residents use Cuban pesos. Afterwards, you'll visit a Cuban Convertible Peso (CUC) supermarket to better understand the workings of Cuba's two-currency system. (Please note that Cuba is currently in the process of phasing out this system.)

We'll stop for lunch at Los Laurelos, where you will enjoy not only excellent food but also Cuban music and salsa lessons. Hear the Chorus of Cienfuegos, awarded many prestigious honors, then partake in an exchange with its musicians and singers. Back aboard ship, you'll participate in an emergency boat drill and a welcome orientation and briefing with your tour leader. Dinner tonight will be onboard the Panorama. Later, we set sail for Trinidad.

*Meals | Lunch, Dinner*

### DAY 2 : TRINIDAD

After a relaxed breakfast onboard, we'll head into Trinidad, a meticulously preserved Spanish colonial city, sometimes called "the museum city of Cuba" because of its stately architecture, cobblestone streets, palaces, and plazas. Explore the town with a representative of the Office of the City Historian, and interact with inhabitants along the way. We'll visit resident artists in their studios, the Museo Romántico or the Architecture Museum, and enjoy lunch at a local eatery.

Onboard the Panorama, we will enjoy a "bon voyage" cocktail and panoramic sail around the Bahía de Casilda, (Bay of Casilda), followed by dinner together before we set sail for Cayo Largo.

*Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*

### DAY 3 : CAYO LARGO

After a leisurely breakfast onboard, we'll disembark and head toward our people-to-people activities. First, we'll visit the local clinic to discuss Cuba's medical system with doctors and nurses. Visit a sea turtle breeding center and learn about the country's endangered species protection program. Meet residents and discuss their way of life on this isolated key.

After an early lunch at the marina, experience one of Cuba's magnificent coral reefs, followed by a guided visit to Playa Sirena, one of the island's most coveted beaches.

Return to the Panorama for dinner, and depart for María La Gorda in the province of Pinar del Río.

*Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*

### DAY 4 : MARÍA LA GORDA

After breakfast onboard, you'll travel by small boat to the little community of La Bajada. We'll visit the local school to learn about education in the country's rural areas, and meet Cuban children and their teachers. Afterwards, join naturalists and residents at Guanahacabibes National Park, one of the country's largest nature reserves on the westernmost tip of the island. Learn about the peninsula's fascinating history. For lunch, you'll enjoy a barbecue on a picturesque beach amidst this beautiful preserve.

Later this evening, dine onboard the Panorama and set sail for Havana.

*Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*

### DAY 5 : HAVANA

Enjoy breakfast and lunch onboard the Panorama as we sail into Havana Harbor. In the early afternoon, we disembark for a people-to-people exchange with the Havana Compas dance group. Under the instruction of choreographer Lillet Riviera, dancers perform using anything they can get their hands on, including drumsticks, slippers, chairs, claves, castanets, heels, and drums to integrate into flamenco gestures and Cuban folkloric dance moves. Afterwards, we'll engage in an exchange with an emerging artist, Daymi, at her studio.

Dinner will be served onboard the Panorama in the harbor. This evening, explore the city at your leisure.

*Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*

### DAY 6 : HAVANA

After breakfast onboard, take a full-day tour of Havana and surrounding areas, to follow in the footsteps of Ernest Hemingway. We'll drive by luxury motor coach to Finca Vigía, Hemingway's beloved home, where he lived for 21 years and wrote some of his most famous literary works.

Lunch will be served at the Finca El Divino, one of the area's finest restaurants and best examples of Cuban urban agriculture. Enjoy a short presentation and exchange with the locals on sustainable urban agriculture, then take part in a cooking demonstration.

Next, we continue to Jaimanita to see the neighborhood artwork of Jose Fuster, one of Cuba's best-known modern artists, whose art has spread from his studio into the surrounding neighborhood, lovingly called "Fusterlandia." Next, you'll visit one of Cuba's largest cigar factories to get a firsthand look at cigar making. Then, you'll visit the San Jose art market.

In the evening, we will visit the El Guajirito to meet artists from the Buena Vista Social Club and linger over a late dinner and show at the site.

*Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*





#### DAY 7 : HAVANA

This morning, you'll explore Habana Vieja (Old Havana), strolling the streets between the four main colonial squares. Enjoy local delicacies and Cuban music at paladar Moneda Cubana (privately owned restaurant), in the heart of Old Havana.

Later, special guests, Cuban trio "Carpe Diem," will board the Panorama to dazzle you with their dynamic music. Following the performance, participate in a people-to-people exchange with the young artists.

After dinner onboard, the evening is yours to spend as you wish.  
*Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner*

#### DAY 8 : HAVANA : MIAMI ¡Adios Cuba!

After a final farewell breakfast onboard the Panorama we will disembark and travel to the airport for the return flight to Miami.  
*Meals | Breakfast*

(Please note the days will be reversed for our Havana To Cienfuegos departures.)



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\* A significant portion of your in-country programming is customized for each group to maximize your cultural experience. Many of the places we visit are not tourist destinations and are thus not always available. Therefore, this program should be considered a sample only—please keep in mind that your particular tour may vary. Final itineraries are sent to guests one-to-two weeks prior to departure.





S/C Panorama exterior



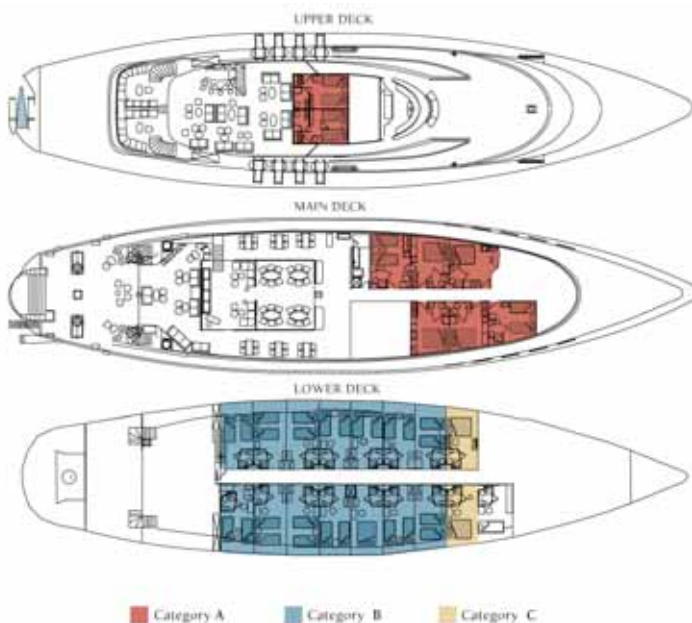
Twin Cabin (Cat A)



Bar Area

## Accommodations – S/C Panorama

Discover our three-masted motor sail cruiser which can accommodate up to 49 passengers in 24 cabins. This state-of-the-art sail cruiser offers the highest standard of accommodation, comfort and safety. During the day, life on board centers around the outdoor areas, including the two bars and sun deck. In the evening you can relax in one of the ship's two lounges or the library, and have a drink while you listen to the piano music. The swimming platform on Panorama stern enables you to swim when weather and anchorage conditions permit. The Panorama cabins are located on all 3 decks and are finished with wooden furniture and light fabrics. The fully equipped bathrooms are finished with marble. All cabins are air-conditioned and fitted with TV, telephone (for internal use), hairdryers, mini-fridge, central music, public address system and safe boxes.



### SHIP SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Sun Deck:</b>	2 Cabins (all with windows), Indoor/Outdoor bar lounge area. Sundeck with chaise-lounges and bridge.
<b>Main Deck:</b>	6 Cabins (all with windows)  Dining Room & Indoor/Outdoor lounge area
<b>Lower Deck:</b>	16 Cabins (all with portholes)
<b>Length Overall:</b>	177 ft
<b>Beam:</b>	39 ft
<b>Draught:</b>	16 ft
<b>Stabilizers:</b>	2,700 ft sq sails
<b>Crew:</b>	16–18 members

### SHIP HIGHLIGHTS & DETAILS

Cabins: 24. All cabins are located on upper, main (windows) and lower (portholes) deck. They all have a bathroom with shower, individually controlled A/C, piped music, TV, telephone for internal use, mini safe, mini fridge, hairdryer, and adapters (220V).

Public areas: Indoor dining area and bar, separate indoor lounge, reception, sundeck with loungers and chairs.



S/C Panorama II exterior



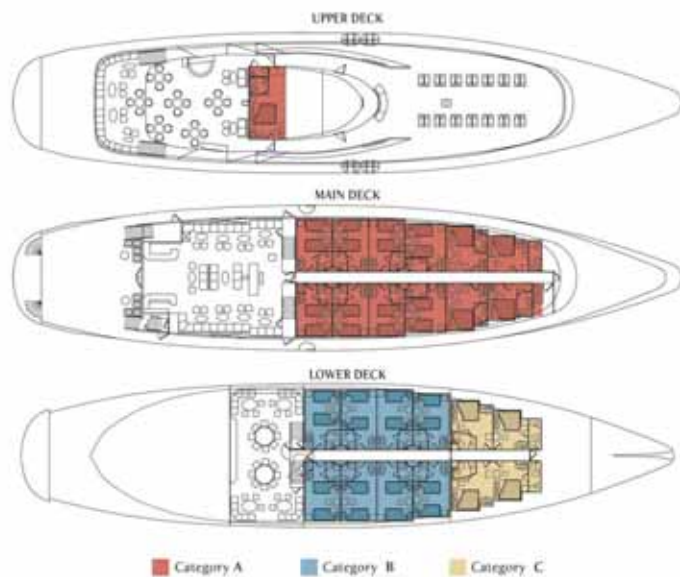
Double cabin (Cat A)



Alfresco dining area

## Accommodations – S/C Panorama II

The two-masted Panorama II, a state of the sail assisted vessel carries 49 passengers. The public areas include a main lounge with deep pile carpet and comfortable sofas. The aft area at the upper deck provides generous semi covered or sun exposed areas where passengers can enjoy meals "al fresco" with magnificent views of each destination visited. The restaurant area at the lower deck is the perfect setting for any of your meals, with generous buffet space and seating. The swimming platform on Panorama II stern enables you to swim when weather and anchorage conditions permit. All cabins are handsomely designed, finished with lustrous wood trims and warm fabrics. The fully equipped bathrooms are finished with marble. All cabins are air-conditioned and fitted with TV, telephone, hairdryers, mini-fridge, central music and public address system and safe boxes.



### SHIP SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Sun Deck:</b>	Open air observation, sun bathing area, a double cabin, and bridge. Outdoor bar lounge & dining area.
<b>Main Deck:</b>	12 Cabins (all with windows), main indoor lounge, bar & reception. Outdoor aft sitting area.
<b>Lower Deck:</b>	12 Cabins (all with portholes), Indoor dining room.
<b>Length Overall:</b>	164 ft
<b>Beam:</b>	36 ft
<b>Draught:</b>	11.5 ft
<b>Stabilizers:</b>	2,690 ft sq sails
<b>Crew:</b>	16-18 members

### SHIP HIGHLIGHTS & DETAILS

Cabins: 25. All cabins are located on main, upper and lower deck and feature windows and portholes (lower deck). They all have a bathroom with shower, individually controlled A/C, piped music, TV, telephone for internal use, mini safe, mini fridge, hairdryer, and adapters (220V).

Public areas: Outdoor/indoor dining area and bar, separate indoor lounge, reception, sundeck with loungers and chairs.



