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EVOLUTIONARY FIND: SILVERSEA INTRODUCES INCLUSIVE AIR AND LAND PACKAGES ON ALL SILVER GALAPAGOS VOYAGES

Silversea is making it easier than ever to discover the wonders of the Galápagos by introducing inclusive air and land package fares for *Silver Galapagos* expedition cruises

The program is available on new bookings made on or after 4 March 2015 on any of the ship's year-round Galápagos sailings.

The package includes: roundtrip economy class air between Ecuador and the Galápagos Islands; a two-night pre-cruise hotel stay with breakfast at the Quito JW Marriott; an evening tour of Quito's historic city highlights; transfer from the hotel to the airport in Quito; pre- and post-cruise transfers between the airport and *Silver Galapagos* in Baltra; a post-cruise hotel day room at the Hotel Oro Verde in Guayaquil (for guests with flights after 10 p.m.); transfer from the airport to the hotel, and from the hotel to the airport in Guayaquil; Galápagos National Park and Ingala Transit Card fees; and portage fees.

Silver Galapagos and her award-winning all-inclusive experience was recognised for "Best Shore Excursions" in the small-ship category of the "2015 Cruise Critic Cruisers' Choice Awards." The 100-guest, all-suite ship features complimentary exploration activities that include Zodiac tours, snorkeling, kayaking and nature hikes led by highly experienced guides certified by the National Park of the Galápagos. On board guests can enjoy the pampering attention of a butler, sumptuous gourmet cuisine, and complimentary champagne, wines and spirits served throughout the ship.

"With these new all-inclusive air and land packages, designed with the highest levels of comfort, convenience, and value for our guests, the award-winning Silversea experience continues to be the perfect choice for travellers seeking an enriching holiday in the exotic Galápagos," said Steve Odell, President EMEA and Asia Pacific.



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Silversea Cruises, which is chaired by Manfredi Lefebvre d'Ovidio, is recognised as an innovator in the luxury cruise line industry, offering guests large-ship amenities aboard its intimate, all-suite vessels: *Silver Cloud*, *Silver Wind*, *Silver Shadow*, *Silver Whisper* and *Silver Spirit* – all designed to offer an atmosphere of conviviality and casual elegance. With the inclusion of the expedition ships *Silver Explorer*, *Silver Galapagos* and *Silver Discoverer* Silversea Cruises' itineraries encompass all seven continents and feature worldwide luxury cruises to the Mediterranean, Caribbean, both polar regions and over 800 fascinating destinations in between.

In the U.K, Silversea has been voted:

- "Best Small Ship Cruise Line" by readers of Condé Nast Traveller (11 times including 2013 & 2014)
- "Best Luxury Cruise Line" from Travel Bulletin Star Awards (8 times, including 2014)
- "Best Luxury Cruise Line" Irish Travel Trade Awards (2014)
- "Best Luxury Cruise Line" at UK's Travel Weekly Globe Awards (9 times including 2015)
- "Best Specialist Cruise Line" at TTG Awards (2013)
- "Best Luxury Cruise Line" by Scottish Passenger Association Awards (2004-2009, 2011, 2013)
- "Best Cruise Line" by The Guardian and The Observer Travel Awards (2009, 2010)
- "World's Leading Luxury Cruise Line" from World Travel Awards (2009, 2010)