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BALKAN MOSAIC

from Bulgaria to Slovakia

EUROPEAN *Indulgence* TOUR

24 OR 27 DAYS

DEPARTING 27 MAY 2026

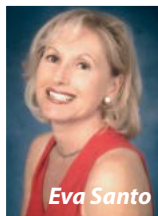
**Journey through the heart of the Balkans.
A Mosaic of Cultures, Landscapes & History.
Unwind in Europe's Premier Wellness Spa Hotel
Optional: Vienna – Majestic & Musical**



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Welcome to BALKAN MOSAIC from Bulgaria to Slovakia EUROPEAN *Indulgence* TOUR



For almost three decades, I've been creating and escorting unique, personalised tours designed to offer truly enriching experiences. Fluent in five languages, I accompany every group to ensure a hassle-free, all-inclusive journey with exceptional inclusions.

From guided sightseeing and cultural events to expert guides, portage, most meals—and handpicked luxury hotels in central locations with spa treatments included—every detail is thoughtfully arranged.

It's a genuine joy to welcome back so many of our travellers, year after year.

Eva Santo,

Director and
Tour Leader



Alexander Nevsky Cathedral in Sofia, Bulgaria



Balkan Mosaic: A Luxurious Journey Through Europe's Hidden Gems. Experience the rich tapestry of the Balkans in comfort and style on this fully escorted 24-day tour from Bulgaria to Slovakia. Stay in handpicked 4 and 5-star hotels, with meals included. Enjoy guided sightseeing in every destination, from the cultural heart of Sofia to the spa town of Piešťany, while exploring Kosovo, Montenegro, Bosnia, Serbia and Hungary. With seamless

logistics, elegant accommodation, and a price that's hard to beat, this 24 day tour offers exceptional value without compromising on quality. Let us take care of every detail while you soak in the beauty, history, and hospitality of Eastern Europe.

Optional Extension: Vienna why not end your adventure on a high note? Add a 3-night stay in Vienna, Austria's imperial capital, where grand architecture, classical music and café culture await.

Itinerary

27 MAY – WEDNESDAY: AUSTRALIA TO SOFIA, BULGARIA

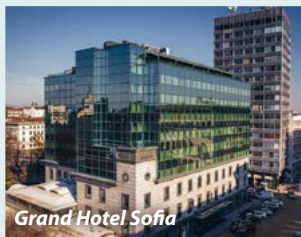
20:45 – Depart Sydney with Qatar air for Sofia via Doha.

28 MAY – THURSDAY: SOFIA, BULGARIA

12:30 – Arrive in Sofia and transfer to the Grand Hotel Sofia, one of the city's most prestigious hotels, perfectly located in the heart of the capital.

In the afternoon relax, refresh, or take a stroll through the nearby City Garden.

In the evening enjoy dinner at the hotel.



29 MAY – FRIDAY: SOFIA, BULGARIA

10 AM – Meet our local guide for half day bus and walk tour. Discover the city's most iconic landmarks; the majestic Alexander Nevsky Cathedral, the Presidency with its ceremonial guards, and the ancient Roman ruins of Serdica. See the historic Sveta Nedelya Church, and the magnificent Sofia Synagogue—one of the largest and most beautiful in Europe.



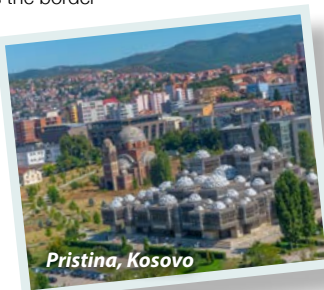
Afternoon at leisure. Dinner at the local restaurant.

30 MAY – SATURDAY: SOFIA, BULGARIA

After breakfast, enjoy a day at leisure. You can browse local crafts and delicacies at the Central Market Hall, visit the Museum of Socialist Art, or simply relax in the nearby City Garden. If you enjoy shopping Vitosha Boulevard offers a lively mix of boutiques, cafés, and street life. Dinner at the hotel.

31 MAY – SUNDAY: SOFIA – PRISTINA, KOSOVO

9 AM – Depart for a scenic journey across the border into Kosovo one of Europe's youngest and most intriguing nations, rich in history and cultural diversity. We'll drive 4 to 5-hours through the picturesque Balkan countryside, passing through charming rural villages, forested hills, and historic towns along the way. Upon arrival in Pristina, the vibrant capital of Kosovo, check in for a 2-night stay at Hotel Prishtina, in the city centre—perfect for exploring local attractions, shops, and cafes on foot. Dinner at the hotel.



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1 JUNE – MONDAY: PRISTINA, KOSOVO

10 AM, meet our local guide for a half-day walking tour of Pristina. Explore key landmarks; the Newborn Monument, Mother Teresa Square, and the striking National Library, followed by a stroll through the lively Bazaar area. Free afternoon for you to explore on your own. Dinner at the hotel.



2 JUNE – TUESDAY: PRISTINA – PODGORICA, MONTENEGRO

9 AM depart for Podgorica, the lively capital of Montenegro, enjoying a 240 km scenic drive through picturesque countryside, gentle mountain landscapes, and charming villages.

Upon arrival in Podgorica, we check in for 2 nights at the centrally located Crown Plaza Hotel, offering easy access to shops, cafés, and city highlights. The remainder of the day is at leisure. Dinner at the hotel.



3 JUNE – WEDNESDAY: PODGORICA, MONTENEGRO

10 AM meet our local guide for a 3-hour walking tour. Discover the city's highlights; the Independence Square, the iconic Millennium Bridge, the historic Clock Tower in the Old Town, and the charming Bokeška Street, beloved spot where locals gather for coffee, conversation, and all-day relaxation. Dinner at the hotel.



4 JUNE – THURSDAY: PODGORICA – SARAJEVO, BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA

9 AM depart on a breathtaking journey through Montenegro's serene mountain landscapes. Enjoy the ever-changing views of rivers, meadows, and timeless countryside. With a relaxing break en route, we arrive in Sarajevo a living mosaic of cultures, where Ottoman minarets rise near Austro-Hungarian facades, and mosques, synagogues, and churches share the same skyline. We stay 2 nights at the elegant Swissotel. Dinner at the hotel.



5 JUNE – FRIDAY: SARAJEVO, BOSNIA

10 AM meet our local guide for a half-day walking tour. Explore the cobbled streets of Baščaršija, a living museum of Sarajevo's Ottoman past. Visit the Gazi Husrev-beg Mosque, and stand at the historic Latin Bridge, where the assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand sparked World War I. Discover the city's rich blend of Ottoman, Austro-Hungarian, and modern influences. Dinner at the hotel.



6 JUNE – SATURDAY: SARAJEVO – BELGRADE, SERBIA

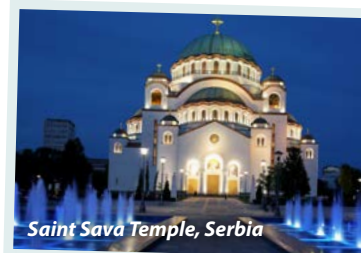
9 AM Today we travel to Belgrade, covering approximately 290 km through scenic mountain landscapes and along the Drina River valley.

Upon arrival, we check in for a 2-night stay at the legendary Hotel Moskva, one of Serbia's most iconic and historic hotels. Located in the heart of Belgrade, the hotel is housed in a magnificent Empire-style building dating back to 1908. A protected cultural monument and architectural gem. Dinner at the hotel.



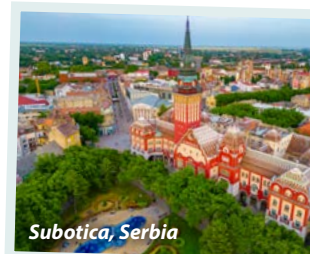
7 JUNE – SUNDAY: BELGRADE, SERBIA

10 AM Meet our local guide to explore Belgrade's most iconic landmarks; the historic Kalemegdan Fortress, the striking Victor Monument, a proud symbol of Serbia's triumphs in the Balkan Wars and World War I. The lively Republic Square, the cultural heart of the city, and the Saint Sava Temple, one of the largest Orthodox churches in the world. Afternoon at leisure – You may wish to visit the Nikola Tesla Museum, celebrating the genius of one of history's greatest inventors. Dinner at the hotel.



8 JUNE – MONDAY: BELGRADE – SUBOTICA, SERBIA

12 noon departing we enjoy a comfortable 2.5-hour journey to Subotica, a vibrant multicultural town in northern Serbia. With a history shaped by the Ottoman Empire, the Habsburg Monarchy, Austria-Hungary, Yugoslavia, and modern-day Serbia, Subotica has changed its name over 200 times—each era leaving its mark on the city's rich cultural tapestry. We'll stay 2 nights at Artist hotel, a gem that beautifully blends Art Nouveau heritage with modern elegance. Dinner at the hotel.



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9 JUNE – TUESDAY: SUBOTICA, SERBIA

10 AM meet our local guide for a half-day walking tour through Subotica's elegant streets and multicultural heritage. See the breathtaking Subotica Synagogue, one of Europe's finest examples of Art Nouveau architecture and a powerful symbol of the city's Jewish legacy. We'll also visit the grand City Hall, Raichle Palace, and other historic landmarks that reflect Subotica's rich blend of cultures and architectural styles. This immersive experience offers a deeper understanding of the city's vibrant past and enduring charm. Dinner at the hotel.



10 JUNE – WEDNESDAY: SUBOTICA – SZEKESFEHERVAR, HUNGARY

10 AM we depart for a 3-hour drive to Szekesfehervar, one of Hungary's oldest and most historically significant cities, once the coronation and burial site of Hungarian kings. Its charming Baroque and medieval architecture, pedestrian-friendly old town, and vibrant cultural scene make it a wonderful one-night stop.



Upon arrival, we check in to the elegant Mercure Magyar Király Hotel, housed in a beautifully preserved 200-year-old classicist palace. Dinner at the hotel.

11 JUNE – THURSDAY: SZEKESFEHERVAR – PIESTANY, SLOVAKIA

10 AM depart for Piestany the picturesque spa town, known for its healing thermal springs and serene riverside setting. Upon arrival, we check in at the luxurious Thermia Palace Spa Hotel, a historic Art Nouveau gem renowned for its therapeutic treatments and elegant ambiance.



11 -18 JUNE: THERMIA PALACE SPA HOTEL, PIESTANY, SLOVAKIA

We spend 7 nights at the world-renowned Thermae – Piešťany, a spa town celebrated since the 19th century for its healing thermal springs and therapeutic mud. Our 5-star hotel is nestled on tranquil Spa Island, where historic charm meets modern luxury—an oasis designed to rejuvenate both body and spirit.



Thermia Palace, Slovakia

Throughout your stay, enjoy daily breakfast, lunch, and dinner, and unwind with three spa treatments each day, (each lasting 20 minutes) to promote relaxation and vitality. We'll also venture out on an excursion to Trenčín a vibrant town with medieval charm and Trenčianske Teplice a historic spa town.



Irma Corridor

16 JUNE – TUESDAY: PIESTANY, SLOVAKIA

Our traditional and joyful private party at Café Alexander

18 JUNE – THURSDAY: PIESTANY – VIENNA – AUSTRIA

6 AM departure for Vienna airport for your 9:55 AM Qatar flight

19 JUNE – FRIDAY: AUSTRALIA

Arrive in Australia



OPTIONAL: 3 NIGHTS IN VIENNA - A GRAND FINALE IN AUSTRIA'S CULTURAL CAPITAL

Stay at the centrally located Hotel City Central, with daily breakfast, two dinners, and a sightseeing tour that reveals the city's imperial charm. One evening is free—perfect for attending a Strauss & Mozart concert in one of Vienna's historic venues. With airport transfer included, this final chapter is your chance to revel in the magic of Vienna before heading home.



Vienna, Austria

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COST

24 Day Tour: \$12,950 PP Twin share Single Sup. \$2,150

Optional: 3 Nights Vienna \$1300 Twin share Single Sup. \$200 (includes 4 star hotel, daily breakfast, 2 dinners, sightseeing tour, airport transfer)

Included in the 24 Day Balkan Mosaic from Bulgaria to Slovakia Fully Escorted European Tour...

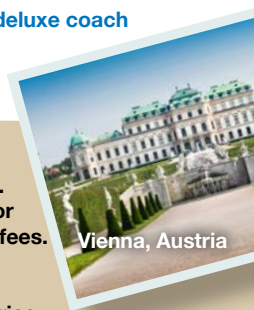
- **FLIGHTS:** Return Economy class with Qatar Air. (Business class available upon request). Depart 27 May Australia to Sofia, Bulgaria and return 18 or 21 June from Vienna to Australia
- **SOFIA, BULGARIA:** 3 Nights at the 5 star Grand Hotel Sofia with Daily Breakfast, Dinners and Sightseeing Tour
- **PRISTINA, KOSOVO:** 2 Nights at the 5 star Hotel Prishtina with Daily Breakfast, Dinner and Sightseeing Tour
- **PODGORICA, MONTENEGRO:** 2 Nights at the 4 star Crown Plaza with Daily Breakfast, Dinner and Sightseeing Tour
- **SARAJEVO, BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA:** 2 Nights at the 5 star Swissotel with Daily Breakfast, Dinner and Sightseeing Tour
- **BELGRADE, SERBIA:** 2 Nights at the 4 star landmark Hotel Moskva with Daily Breakfast, Dinner and Sightseeing Tour
- **SUBOTICA, SERBIA:** 2 Nights at 4 star Artist hotel with Daily Breakfast, Dinner and Sightseeing tour
- **SZEKESFEHERVAR, HUNGARY:** 1 Night at the 4 star Mercure hotel with Breakfast and Dinner
- **PIESTANY, SLOVAKIA SPA HOTEL THERMIA PALACE:** 7 Nights at the luxurious 5 star hotel with Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner daily; 3 spa treatments daily except Sunday
- **Sightseeing Tour**
- **All European Transfers with the group by deluxe coach**
- **Guide assistance throughout**
- **Porterage, City and Spa Tax**

BOOKING CONDITIONS

The cost is not guaranteed until paid in full. Prices quoted are based on cash, cheque or direct debit payment as Credit cards incur fees.

CANCELLATION

- 90 or more days loss of deposit
- 61 – 89 days loss of 50% of the full Tour price
- 60 days or less loss of 100% of the full Tour price



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