Essence of Iberia: Spain & Portugal Discovery

Itinerary: 06 Days/ 05 Nights

Program in Brief	
Day 01	SEVILLE
Day 02	SEVILLE
Day 03	SEVILLE — LISBON
Day 04	LISBON — SINTRA — CASCAIS — CABO DA ROCA — ESTORIL — LISBON
Day 05	LISBON — PORTO
Day 06	PORTO — AIRPORT

Itinerary day by day

Day 01: SEVILLE

Arrival at the airport, reception by the guide. Upon arrival, panoramic tour of the city where you will go through streets, avenues, squares, and monuments such as: María Luisa Park, site of the 1929 Ibero-American Exposition, where pavilions such as those of Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, and Mexico are still preserved, which today house different institutions. You will visit the beautiful Plaza de España, the Murillo Gardens, the famous Santa Cruz neighborhood, etc.

Accommodation	Seville Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 02: SEVILLE

Breakfast. Daytime: Boat Ride + Seville Cathedral + Santa Cruz Neighborhood:

Cruise the Guadalquivir River from Torre del Oro, passing landmarks like Isla de la Cartuja, Triana Bridge, and Plaza de España. Visit the majestic Seville Cathedral, then walk through the picturesque Santa Cruz Quarter with its narrow streets and elegant homes.

Evening: Flamenco Show with Drink – Andalusian Palace:

Enjoy a top-tier flamenco performance featuring singers, dancers, and guitarists from Cádiz, with scenes from the opera Carmen. Includes a drink. Return to hotel.

Accommodation	Seville Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

DAY 3: SEVILLE — LISBON

Breakfast. We will leave the hotel heading to Portugal, arriving in Lisbon.

Upon arrival, we will take a panoramic tour of the city, passing through its main avenues, squares, and monuments. We will visit the Jerónimos Monastery, the Alfama neighborhood, the Belém Tower, etc.

In the afternoon, Fado show with dinner:

We will enjoy a Fado show, a type of Portuguese folk music, in a unique atmosphere. Fado is melancholic singing with profound and heartbreaking lyrics accompanied by a guitar (dinner and drinks included).

Accommodation	Lisbon Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 04: LISBON — SINTRA — CASCAIS — CABO DA ROCA — ESTORIL — LISBON

Breakfast. Excursion to Sintra, Cascais, Cabo da Roca, and Estoril.

First, on the way to the historic city of Sintra, we will have the opportunity to see the magnificent view of the Sintra mountains accompanied by the romantic and colorful architecture of the 19th century. We will walk through the narrow cobbled streets of the historic center of Sintra, protected by UNESCO, visiting its imposing fountains and secret corners.

Then we will head to Cabo da Roca, the westernmost point of continental Europe, where we will enjoy breathtaking views along the rocky coasts. Next, we will continue along the scenic coastal road to Cascais, an old fishing village that began to attract aristocrats, artists, and writers in the 19th century for vacations. We will end our route in Estoril, known for its charm, located on the Iberian Peninsula and on the Portuguese Riviera. Estoril will fascinate you with its glamour, luxurious hotels, beaches, and the famous Estoril Casino. At the end, we will return to Lisbon.

Accommodation	Lisbon Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 05: LISBON — PORTO

Breakfast. Departure from Lisbon heading north, passing near Santarém, we will arrive in Fátima, where you will enjoy free time to visit one of the most well-known Christian pilgrimage centers, where the Virgin appeared to the shepherd children.

We will continue the trip to Porto. Once in the city, we will take a brief panoramic tour of the city, where we will visit the Porto Cathedral, Praça da Liberdade, Batalha Square, Clérigos Tower, Arrábida Bridge, Boa Vista neighborhood, Dom Luis I Bridge, Church of San Francisco, and the Stock Exchange Building, as well as São Bento Station.

Boat Ride on the Douro River: From the panoramic decks of the boat, you will enjoy the city of Porto through a pleasant cruise. Free time and return to the hotel.

Accommodation	Porto Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 06: PORTO — AIRPORT

Breakfast. At the scheduled time, transfer to the airport.

End of Program

Price Included:

- 5 nights' accommodation on HB basis
- Daily breakfast
- Daily dinner (including one with Fado show in Lisbon)
- Guided Tours & Activities:
  - Seville:
    - Panoramic city tour
    - Boat ride on the Guadalquivir River
    - Visit to Seville Cathedral
    - Walking tour of Santa Cruz Quarter
    - Flamenco show with drink
  - Lisbon:
    - Panoramic city tour
    - Visit to Jerónimos Monastery, Alfama, and Belém Tower
    - Fado dinner show
    - Full-day excursion to Sintra, Cabo da Roca, Cascais, and Estoril
  - Porto:
    - Panoramic city tour (Porto Cathedral, Clérigos Tower, Dom Luis I Bridge, etc.)
    - Douro River boat ride
  - Stop in Fátima:
    - Free time to visit the pilgrimage site
- All ground transportation between cities (Seville → Lisbon → Porto)
- Airport transfers on arrival and departure days
- English-speaking professional guide throughout the trip

Price excluded:

- Personal expenses and beverages
- Tips