

# 15D Spain & Portugal (2011)

Barcelona, Santiago de Compostella, Porto, Fatima, Lisbon, Seville, Cordoba, Toledo, Madrid, Segovia, Valencia



**FLY SQ  
TO BARCELONA**

**DAY 1: SINGAPORE → BARCELONA**  
Depart for Barcelona on Singapore Airlines.

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**DAY 2: BARCELONA → SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELLA**  
(Dinner)

Arrive Barcelona, connect a domestic flight to **Santiago De Compostella**. In medieval times, **Santiago de Compostella** was Christendom's third most important pilgrimage after **Jerusalem** and **Rome**. **Santiago**, is the final resting place of **Apostle Saint James**. His remains are said to be beneath the altar in the crypt of the **Santiago de Compostella cathedral**. Today it is classified a **UNESCO World Heritage Site**.

**DAY 3: SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELLA - PORTO**  
(Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner)

We travel south to **Porto**. Take in the sights of **Porto** during the city tour. See the "**Rebelos**", boats which carry Port Wines from the top of the mountains to the city on the meandering Douro River.

**DAY 4: PORTO – FATIMA – LISBON** (Breakfast / Lunch)

After breakfast, we travel towards **Lisbon**. Enroute, visit the shrine of **Fatima**, a world Catholic pilgrimage destination. Continue to **Lisbon** – capital of Portugal and host city of 2004 European Cup.

**DAY 5: LISBON CITY TOUR** (Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner )

**Lisbon** city tour includes a visit to the **Sintra Palace**, one of the most important examples of regal architecture in Portugal and a National Monument, the **Navigator's Monument** and the historic **Tower of Belem**, the sail off point of many ambitious Portuguese explorers. In the afternoon, you may wish to take an optional tour to **Cabo Da Roca** (the western most tip of the European Continent). Enroute passing by pretty coastal resorts of **Cascais** and the casino at **Estoril**.

**DAY 6: LISBON – SEVILLE**

(Breakfast / Lunch / Flamenco Show & Dinner)

This morning, cross the Spanish border to **Seville**, a romantic city deeply influenced by the Moors and also the setting for the famous opera, **Carmen**. The city tour takes you to the Spain's **largest Cathedral** with its **Giralda Tower** and the beautiful pavilions built for the 1929 Latin-America Expo.

**TOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

**Santiago de Compostella (UNESCO)**  
The Cathedral of Santiago de Compostella, Historical Centre

**Porto:** Sao Bento Railway Station, Zona Ribeirinha, Sao Francisco Church

**Fatima:** Chapel of Apparitions, Basilica, Monument to the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

**Lisbon:** Baixa, Alfama District, The monument to Christ the King, Belem Tower, Sintra Palace

**Seville:** Barrio de Santa Cruz, The Cathedral, Giralda Tower, Plaza de Espana, Maria Luisa Park

**Cordoba:** La Mezquita, The Cathedral, Alcazar

**Toledo:** The Cathedral, Alcazar, Puente de Alcantara

**Segovia (UNESCO):** Roman Aqueduct, The Cathedral

**Madrid:** Plaza Mayor, Royal Palace, Puerta del Sol, Plaza de Espana

**Valencia:** The Cathedral, Miguelete, Plaza Ayuntamiento

**Barcelona:** La Segrada Familia, Ramblas, Casa Mila, Montjuic Hill, Christopher Columbus Monument

**Meals: 11 Breakfasts, 9 lunch, 8 dinners**

Local meals, Chinese Meals

Flamenco Show, suckling pig, Seafood Paella, Tapas



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<p><b>Accommodations:</b> Tourist Class Standard  <b>Santiago</b> – 1 night      <b>Porto</b> – 1 nights  <b>Lisbon</b> – 2 nights      <b>Seville</b> – 1 night  <b>Cordoba</b> – 1 night      <b>Madrid</b> – 3 night  <b>Valencia</b> – 1 night      <b>Barcelona</b> – 2 night</p> <p><b>Travel Highlights</b>  Travel Insurance Inclusive</p> <p><b>Extension / Deviation</b>  Subject to confirmation and Airlines Surcharges.</p> <p><b>Minimum Group Size Applies</b></p>	<p><b>DAY 7: SEVILLE – CORDOBA</b> (Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner).  We travel to <b>Cordoba</b> – ancient capital of the Moorish kingdom of <b>El-Andalus</b>. Highlight is a visit to the “<b>Mosque-Cathedral</b>” or “<b>Mezquita</b>”, which – after several centuries of additions and enlargements became a Cathedral from a Mosque.</p> <p><b>DAY 8: CORDOBA – TOLEDO TOUR – MADRID</b>  (Breakfast / Lunch / Dinner)  Next, visit the beautiful city of <b>Toledo</b>, built on a rugged cliff and surrounded on three sides by the Tagus River. Dominated by the <b>Alcázar fortress</b> and 13th century <b>Gothic Cathedral</b> which contains many works of art including paintings by <b>El Greco, Goya</b> and <b>Van Dyck</b>. Arrive in Madrid for dinner and overnight.</p>
<p><b>DAY 9: MADRID: SEGOVIA – FACTORY OUTLET</b> (Breakfast / Suckling Pig Lunch)  Visit <b>Segovia</b> – a <b>World Heritage</b>. Opportunity to try Segovia’s famous suckling pig meal. Photo stop at the <b>Roman Aqueduct</b> and <b>Alcazar Castle</b>. Next, proceed to the factory outlet for some great bargains.</p> <p><b>DAY 10: MADRID</b> (Breakfast / Lunch)  Your city tour of <b>Madrid</b> includes <b>Puerta del Sol, Gran Via, Paseo de la Castellana, Cibeles Fountain</b> and the <b>Cervantes Monument</b> in the <b>Plaza de España</b>. Visit the <b>Royal Palace</b>, the official residence of the Spanish King. Some free time for souvenirs or to visit the <b>Prado</b> museum in the afternoon.</p> <p><b>DAY 11: MADRID – VALENCIA</b> (Breakfast / Seafood Paella Dinner)  Carry on the journey to <b>Valencia</b>, where the <b>Spanish rice, Paella</b>, originated. See modern <b>Valencia</b> with its futuristic <b>City of the Arts and Sciences</b>.</p> <p><b>DAY 12: VALENCIA – BARCELONA</b> (Breakfast/ Dinner)  Depart for the sophisticated city of <b>Barcelona</b> – second largest city and host of the 1992 Olympic Games. Time permitting you may catch an exciting football game at the famous <b>Nou Camp Stadium</b></p> <p><b>DAY 13: BARCELONA</b> (Breakfast / Lunch)  Admire the inspiring and unique architecture of <b>Gaudi’s Sagrada Familia</b> church. See the <b>Christopher Columbus Monument, Las Rambla</b> street with hundreds of cafes, bars and shops, the <b>Plaza de Cataluna</b>, historic buildings along <b>Paseo de Gracia</b> and <b>Montjuic Hill</b> for a magnificent view of the city and harbour.</p> <p><b>DAY 14: BARCELONA → SINGAPORE</b> (Breakfast)  Today, bid farewell to <b>Barcelona</b> and transfer to the airport for your flight home.</p> <p><b>DAY 15: ARRIVE SINGAPORE</b></p>	
<p><b>NOTE: Itineraries is subject to change without prior notice.</b>  <b>Flight schedule and timing is subject to confirmation</b></p>	