



Dear Alumni and Friends,

Be among the first Americans to rediscover Cuba and the lively culture of this historical Caribbean gem, with its friendly, welcoming and inquisitive people, who are quick to laugh and talk honestly and compassionately about their complicated and lovely country. Unravel the epic sweep of Cuba's history during this extraordinary "people-to-people" exchange to interact with locals who will illuminate the traditions of the indigenous people; the lasting influence of Spain; the glamorous playground that drew celebrities, gangsters, movie stars, writers and heads of state; the legacy of Fidel Castro and the island's revolutionary past; and its emerging and idealistic future. Explore the vivid and mesmerizing landscape, which has lodged itself into the imagination of artists, dancers and writers, infusing all aspects of the culture with native island energy and an irresistible zest for life.

Discover the full portrait of Cuba on this intimate cultural exchange and experience the true character and traditions of the island. Explore Havana, with its vibrant spirit, iconic Malecón and beautifully restored Old City and fortifications, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Visit Matanzas, "the city of bridges," and Santa Clara, identified in particular with the last battle that marked the end of Fulgencio Batista's rule. Admire Cuba's misty valleys with lush green tobacco fields, striking karst formations and the azure sea along the island's stunning coastline.

This travel program offers a full schedule of events, all of which involve significant exchanges with Cubans from diverse walks of life who reflect this country's unique rhythm of daily life and are eager to share their life experiences with you.

Throughout this specially designed program, enjoy accommodations in Havana's historic Hotel Nacional de Cuba and in the Meliá Cohiba Hotel, in Meliá Las Americas in Varadero and in Santa Clara's Hotel America.

We do hope you will join us for this unforgettable experience!

Sincerely,

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PHYSICAL ACTIVITY RATING GUIDE

We have developed these three categories to assist you in selecting a trip that will be at the appropriate pace for your physical abilities. Please note that all programs require physical independence and mobility. Travelers requiring assistance should be accompanied on their

journey and should not anticipate wheelchair accessible facilities.

LEI:

LEISURELY

Easy pace, little walking and stair climbing.

MODERATE

Moderate pace, greater distances covered, walking over uneven surfaces and some stair climbing.

CHALLENGING Vigorous pace, frequent

Vigorous pace, frequent movement, extensive walking over uneven surfaces, hiking and stair climbing.



Vibrant batas cubanas (traditional dresses) reflect Cuba's Spanish and African roots.

ISLAND LIFE®

Cuba

An Extraordinary "People-to-People" Opportunity

Be among the first U.S. travelers to enjoy this unique exploration of Cuba. This exciting program provides an unprecedented "people-to-people" opportunity engaging local Cubans from all walks of life—artists, architects, tobacco farmers, tradesmen, cigar rollers, university students and professors, senior citizens, *paladar* and craft market entrepreneurs, musicians and dancers—and U.S. travelers with

People" entrepreneurs, musicians and dancers—and U.S. travelers with one another to openly share their values and interests. Experience firsthand the true character and traditions of residents of the Caribbean's largest and most complex island by special arrangement and U.S. Treasury-approved license. See the UNESCO World Heritage site of Old Havana, Matanzas, Santa Clara and Pinar del Río. Immerse yourself in an intimate travel experience that explores the Cuban people's history, art, culture, professions, trades and cuisine in order to understand how the Cuban people live and discover our shared interests.

The carefully planned People-to-People Cultural Enrichments are exclusive to this specially designed itinerary:

♦ Hear it from the Experts! Experienced, English-speaking Cuban hosts will accompany you throughout the program and discuss historical, cultural and contemporary Cuba. Interact with local Cuban experts including musicians, artists, farmers, academics and architects.

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- Meet lifelong residents of Cuba, who will share their perspectives on daily life.
- Enjoy three included meals each day while in Cuba.
- ◆ Savor authentic Cuban cuisine in a *paladar*—
 a family-run restaurant usually located in the family's home, a practice permitted only since the 1990s—and in fine restaurants.
- ◆ Experience a private concert of classical music at the Ermita (Hermitage) de Monserrate, a late-19th-century church turned spectacular music venue in Matanzas.
- ◆ Learn about preservation efforts in Old Havana, organic and tobacco farming and Cuba's social welfare system.

The Castillo de los Tres Reyes Magos del Morro, built in the 16th century under the control of Spain and named for the biblical Magi, dominates the entrance to Havana Bay. Inset above: Street performers in Havana.



Miami, Florida, U.S.

Day 1

Depart your home city for Miami. Upon arrival, check into the MIAMI AIRPORT MARRIOTT HOTEL.

Miami/Havana, Cuba

Day 2

Fly aboard charter aircraft to Havana. Upon arrival, meet your experienced, English-speaking Cuban hosts, who will guide your immersion into their way of life.

Havana's downtown district of Vedado is a mix of old and new, including the University of Havana; the pre-revolutionary Capitolio reminiscent of the U.S. Capitol; the iconic Malecón (oceanfront promenade); the legendary HOTEL NACIONAL DE CUBA; the popular Cuban Institute of Music; historic Revolution Square; the stunning sculpture and architecture of the Colón Cemetery; and many gracious, sometimes grandiose manses and townhouses of the 19th and early 20th centuries. See Revolution Square, where Fidel Castro gave his famous eight-hour May Day speeches. Then, check into the iconic Hotel Nacional de Cuba.

PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE CULTURAL ENRICHMENT:

◆ Enjoy an introduction to student life at the University of Havana during an interactive walking tour led by a university scholar.

Havana

Day 3

The Spanish colonial core of Habana Vieja is a maze of cobblestone streets and picturesque squares—like the bayside Plaza de Armas, the site where San Cristóbal de la Habana was founded in 1514—which have been largely restored and designated a UNESCO World Heritage site. Here, the lively street life is a testament to the flourishing artistic and social lives of the Cubans. Visit the Depósito del Automóvil, an antique automobile museum in Old Havana. Enjoy lunch in one of the city's premier restaurants.

PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE CULTURAL ENRICHMENTS:

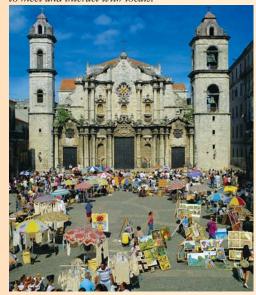
- Discover the inspiring Muraleando ("mural-making") community art project in the nearby Lawton neighborhood.
- Local architects and architectural restoration scholars discuss the preservation and evolution of art and architecture on a walk through Old Havana.
- Enjoy dinner in a *paladar*, a family-run restaurant in a private home.



Havana/Santa Clara Day 4

The gateway to Cuba's historically and agriculturally rich central region in the province of Villa Clara, Santa Clara is a culturally active town that embodies the true essence of authentic Cuba. Long associated with Ernesto "Che" Guevara, this city, in the geographic center of the country, harbors new trends, unique attitudes, endless creativity and a lively youthful culture that has been shaped by the most prestigious university outside Havana. It also features one of the country's most spectacular grand colonial theaters constructed in 1885. Visit the impressive Che Guevara Monument and the History Museum of the Revolution. Check into the HOTEL AMERICA. En route to dinner in a local restaurant, visit the beautiful Teatro La Caridad, one of the Eight Grand Theaters of the Cuban Colonial era, where famed musicians such as Enrico Caruso once performed.

The bustling artisans' market spread before Havana's 18th-century Cathedral San Cristóbal is an ideal venue to meet and interact with locals.





Inspired by Picasso and Gaudí, Cuban painter and sculptor José Rodríguez Fuster transformed his house and others in his Havana neighborhood, Jaimanitas, with kaleidoscopic sculptures and mosaics.

PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE CULTURAL ENRICHMENT:

 Special guided tour with an expert inside Santa Clara's grand colonial Teatro de la Caridad.

Santa Clara/Varadero Day 5

Visit a typical Cuban *Casa de Abuelos* for a unique opportunity to learn more about social welfare in Cuba from the active senior citizen residents and staff. Afterwards, transfer to the beautiful town of Varadero located on the Hicacos Peninsula. Here, visit the Du Pont mansion, built in 1930 by chemical magnate Alfred Irenee du Pont. Check into the deluxe Hotel Meliá Las Americas.

PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE CULTURAL ENRICHMENT:

• In a typical community Casa de Abuelos, enjoy conversations with the elder Cubans and staff, who will introduce you to a longtime Cuban dance tradition, the danzón.

Varadero/Havana Matanzas

Day 6

Transfer to Matanzas, called "the city of bridges" and the "Venice of Cuba" for its many pedestrian, auto and rail bridges crossing two major rivers, and the proud moniker "Athens of Cuba," reflecting a legacy of poets, writers, painters and musicians.

The nearby charming fishing town of Cojímar is best known for Ernest Hemingway, affectionately called "Papa" by locals, and his hilltop farmhouse, Finca Vigía, where he wrote *The Old Man and the Sea* based on a local fisherman.

Check into the Meliá Cohiba Hotel.

People-to-People Cultural Enrichments:

- Meet local classical musicians and hear them perform in the late-19th-century Ermita de Monserrate, a quaint colonial church with spectacular acoustics—an awe-inspiring experience.
- Visit the over-130-year-old
 Triolet Pharmacy, opened in 1882, and interact with the staff and the museum curator, who will explain the apothecary's tools that were used to make medicines.
- Visit a local school of arts and meet some of the young adults refining their talents toward a profession in music, painting, sculpture, drawing or print.

Havana Pinar del Río/Viñales Valley Day 7

Cuba's westernmost province, Pinar del Río, has a pleasant capital city surrounded by expansive farmlands famously spread over the Cordillera de Guaniguanico, one of the island's three main mountain ranges.

Pinar del Río's striking Viñales Valley—designated a UNESCO World Heritage site for its natural beauty and the preservation of its traditional architecture, crafts and way of life—is a much photographed and painted 270-square-mile plain surrounded by distinctive limestone karst hills the locals call *mogotes*. The farmland here is among Cuba's richest, and the ancient agricultural practices produce robust coffee and some of the world's best tobacco, products central to Cuban history and identity. Visit the community art therapy program in Pinar del Río.

PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE CULTURAL ENRICHMENTS:

 Experience why Cuban cigars are so celebrated throughout the world—meet

HOTEL NACIONAL DE CUBA

Centrally located with sweeping views of Havana, Cuba's most historic and iconic grande dame hotel has played a key part in the city's history and identity since the 1930s, having hosted world leaders such as Winston Churchill and Kofi Annan and Cuban and international luminaries.

HOTEL AMERICA

Located in the heart of Santa Clara, this small hotel has a distinctive Cuban feel.

HOTEL MELIÁ LAS AMERICAS

In the Melia Las Americas, located near culturally rich Matanzas in Varadero, your guest room will feature a balcony.

MELIÁ COHIBA HOTEL

Located on the waterfront in Havana's downtown Vedado district, the Melia Cohiba Hotel provides comfortable amenities and service.



a traditional tobacco farmer and cigar-roller in Vuelta Abajo, the country's tobacco heartland. Spend time with his family as he welcomes you into his home to sample Cuban coffee.

- ◆ Tour an organic farm and enjoy a discussion with the farmer on the growth and sale of crops as you explore his gardens. Afterward, share a homestyle lunch with his family, an enriching opportunity.
- In the historic town of Pinar del Río, visit a community project where creativity is fostered to enable young people with Down syndrome to flourish as individual artists.

Havana Jaimanitas

Day 8

Cuba's capital, the early-20th-century "Paris of the Caribbean," remains arguably one of a kind, mixing impressive urban architecture and culture with an earthy, informal vibe and an energetic arts and music scene. Today, the cityscape has retained a distinctly vintage feel, sometimes nearly cinematically so, which is bolstered by the prevalence of 1950s American-made automobiles, fondly called "Yank tanks" by the locals who painstakingly maintain them.

Jaimanitas, a beach community in the Havana suburb Playa, is home to the Hemingway Marina and one of Cuba's best known artists, José Rodríguez Fuster, a sculptor and painter whose elaborate and distinctive works of art are in a style inspired by Barcelona's Antoni Gaudí.

PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE CULTURAL ENRICHMENTS:

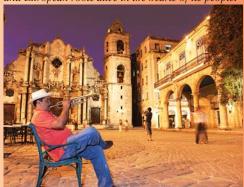
- ◆ Interact with members of José Rodriguez Fuster's community.
- Discuss a music performance with members of the Cuban Institute of Music.
- Cruise along in a private antique American-made car on the Malecón in Old Havana.

Havana/Miami, Florida, U.S./ Home City

Day 9

Board the charter flight to Miami. Connect with your flight home.

Traditional Cuban music—streetside rumba in particular—keeps the country's distinctive African and European roots alive in the hearts of its people.



Included Features

In Miami

- One night in the MIAMI AIRPORT MARRIOTT HOTEL.
- Breakfast.
- Welcome briefing.

Round-trip Miami, Florida/Havana, Cuba, charter flights.

Accommodations and Meals in Cuba

- Two nights in the historic
 - Hotel Nacional de Cuba, Havana.
 - One night in the HOTEL AMERICA, Santa Clara.
 - One night in the HOTEL MELIA LAS AMERICAS, Varadero.
- ◆ Three nights in the Meliá Cohiba Hotel, Havana.
- Welcome Reception in Havana.
- All meals included while in Cuba, featuring:
 - "People-to-people" homestyle lunch to be shared with an organic farmer's family.
 - Dinner in an authentic paladar, a family-run private home restaurant.
 - Farewell dinner in Havana.
- Wine or beer and soft drinks included with lunch and dinner; coffee and tea with all meals.

Exclusive Local "People-to-People" Hosted Excursions and Cultural Enrichments

- Informative introduction to student life in Cuba at the University of Havana.
- Interaction with local artists in the Muraleando Community Project, an art district in Havana.
- Walking tour of Old Havana, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and discussion with local architects and architectural restoration scholars to learn about the preservation and evolution of art and architecture in Havana.
- Visits to the 16th-century Plaza de Armas and the Antique Automobile museum in Old Havana.
- Hosted tour of Santa Clara's grand colonial
- Teatro de la Caridad. Visit to the Che Guevara Monument where the revolutionary was interred in 1997.
- Visit to the History Museum of the Revolution, Santa Clara.
- Conversation with elder Cubans in a typical community senior citizens' center, Casa de Abuelos, in Santa Clara.
- Visit to the impressive Du Pont Mansion, built in 1930 by the chemical magnate, Alfred Irenee du Pont.
- Visit to a school of arts in Matanzas to meet students.
- ♦ In Matanzas, visit to the 19th-century Triolet family pharmacy.
- Classical music concert in Ermita de Monserrate and opportunity to meet musicians and directors.
- Excursion into the UNESCO World Heritage-designated Viñales Valley for a discussion with a tobacco farmer, including a cigar-rolling demonstration and refreshments with his family, and to a farm for an interactive tour of organic crops.
- Visit to a community project for young people with Down syndrome to interact with volunteers.
- Visit to the home and studio of renowned Cuban artist José Rodríguez Fuster.
- Music performance by and discussion with musicians from the Cuban Institute of Music.
- Cruise in a private, antique American-made car along the Malecón in Old Havana.
- Spanish language introduction of Cuban-dialect basic phrases and pronunciation.

Enhanced Travel Services

- ◆ Taxes and visa fees.
 ◆ Medical insurance as required by the Cuban government and only valid in Cuba.
- The services of an experienced Gohagan & Company Program Director throughout the program.
- Travel document wallet, name badge and pre-departure information.
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Whether bolero, mambo or danzón, dance expresses the quintessentially Cuban flair for living in the moment.

"People-to-People": an Extraordinary Opportunity When Christopher Columbus landed in Cuba

When Christopher Columbus landed in Cuba in 1492 he was met by native Arawak Indians. Diego Velázquez de Cuéllar followed and settled the island, using deep Havana Harbor for a transit point back to Spain. It became a smuggler's haven during the heyday of seafaring pirates, and when the sugarcane industry boomed in the early 1800s, mass numbers of slaves were imported and eventually left their indelible mark on the history of the Caribbean's largest island. Visiting Cuba today, it is easy to see that the culture is still steeped in its rich history, which blends European, African, Asian and Middle Eastern influences. Along with the more recent historical events, including being a protectorate of the United States and the revolutionary lightning rod for 20th-century politics, Cuba is a lively and artistic tropical island filled with a native population said to be amongst the most welcoming and charming people in the world, who have myriad ways of revealing the secrets of their proud country to you.

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Enjoy a walking tour led by a University of Havana professor on university and academic life in Cuba today and engage local architects to learn about preservation efforts in Havana. Meet musicians who will perform a classical music concert in the historic Ermita (Hermitage) de Monserrate. Travel into the agricultural core of the country to interact with local organic and traditional tobacco farmers. Converse with elder Cubans in a typical community Casa de Abuelos. Try rolling your r's during a Spanish language lesson, learn more about local customs and enamorarse con la gente de Cuba (fall in love with the people of Cuba).

Linger in Old Havana and observe the distinctive Cuban rhythm of this UNESCO World Heritage site.





The agricultural province of Pinar del Río is home to the fertile Viñales Valley, a UNESCO World Heritage site, where farmers notably grow much of the world's premium cigar tobacco.

LAND TARIFF	Early Booking Price through March 31, 2016	Regular Price after March 31, 2016
Per person, based on double occupancy	\$5495	\$5995
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- Singles are available upon request for an additional \$700.
- Taxes are included.

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Gohagan & Company is required by law to keep records concerning this trip. It is possible OFAC might ask any individual traveler about activities undertaken during the trip. We also recommend retaining a copy

of this document with your records.

Gohagan & Company has selected hotel accommodations that are ideally located and provide the

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I/we understand that this travel program is rated CHALLENGING and I/we possess the physical capabilities

Signature

Date

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necessary to complete a program with this rating.

Signature



The streets of Cuba are a treasure trove of American classic cars lovingly and innovatively preserved.

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