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A collection of Longstay Winter Experiences

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GREAT VALUE VACATIONS FOR ONE MONTH OR MORE
ARIZONA • TEXAS • FRANCE • PORTUGAL • SPAIN • ITALY
HOSTED VACATIONS, CRUISE & STAY PACKAGES
TUSCANY, Italy: Discover the towns and countryside of this richly picturesque region of Italy, famous for its culinary traditions. The wine of Tuscany’s Chianti region is famous around the globe. Tuscany’s capital, Florence, is a great art centre that remains closely linked to its medieval past.

**TUSCANY HOSTED LONGSTAY VACATION**

Back by popular demand! We invite you to live your dream for a month in the beautiful Tuscan region as you explore the rich history and traditions of Italy. Spend 21 nights near Florence and explore the local culture and charming historic towns of Siena and Pisa. Learn to cook amazing local dishes in a cooking class in San Gimignano. Then explore the Chianti area, famous for hilltop towns and popular wines. Then head to Rome for a three-night stay and visit the famous Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel.

- **Tuscany**: 21 nights at the Relais Villa il Palagio with buffet breakfast daily
- units include one bedroom, kitchen, living room, and wifi access
- four excursions to Florence, Pisa, Siena, wine tasting and lunch in San Gimignano
- **Rome**: three nights at the Una Hotel with breakfast and Vatican tour plus Rome city tour
- all transfers, service fees, and gratuities included
- local tourist tax in Italy
- Merit Tour Host

(depends on cruise)

**TUSCANY HOSTED LONGSTAY WITH MEDITERRANEAN CRUISE**

Winter in Tuscany!

Spend 14 nights in a Tuscan villa and explore the local culture and charming historical towns of Siena, Pisa and San Gimignano. Then embark on an 11-night Mediterranean cruise from Rome, calling upon Florence, Monte Carlo, Toulon, Barcelona, Valencia, Cagliari, Palermo and Naples. Complete your stay with two nights in Rome and visits to the Vatican and Sistine Chapel.

- **Tuscany**: 14 nights at the Relais Villa Pitiana with buffet breakfast daily
- accommodation includes one bedroom, kitchen, living room, and wifi access
- four excursions to Florence, Pisa, Siena, wine tasting and lunch in San Gimignano
- **Rome**: 11-night Mediterranean cruise onboard Norwegian Jade with all meals and shipboard entertainment
- two nights at the Una Hotel with breakfast, and Vatican and Rome city tour
- all transfers, service fees, and gratuities included** (except on cruise)
- local tourist tax in Italy
- Merit Tour Host

**Prices**


Departs March 1, 2015 • 24 nights
Departs March 13, 2015 • 27 nights

Prices are in CDN$ per person, double occupancy.

**Gratuities not included onboard NCL Cruise.**
COSTA DEL SOL, Spain: Discover beautiful landscapes, a rich cultural heritage, fabulous beaches, coastal sites, and charming villages in Costa del Sol. This stretch of Malaga coastline boasts an average of 300 sunny days per year and is a great base for nearby cultural excursions to Seville, Cordoba, Nerja and Gibraltar.

CANNES, French Riviera: Enjoy a glamorous Mediterranean getaway in Cannes, home of the famous film festival and elegant Cote d’Azur. Situated 30 minutes from Nice, this is a lively town boasting beautiful beaches, charming old quarters and the “Boulevard de la Croisette”.

TUSCANY, Italy: Discover the towns and countryside of this richly picturesque region of Italy, famous for its culinary traditions. Visit the world-renowned wine region of Chianti and sample fine wines and delectable Italian cuisine.

COSTA DEL SOL & ALGARVE, Spain & Portugal: Discover the best of Spain and Portugal. From sun drenched beaches, medieval hilltop towns, fascinating culture and architectural treasures, these two countries offer endless possibilities.

COSTA DEL SOL HOSTED LONGSTAY & CRUISE VACATION

A classic favourite, this complete hosted vacation starts with 14 nights in Costa del Sol in your marvelous beach-front hotel with breakfast and dinner daily. Located just a short walk from the charming harbor of Benalmadena where you can look out over the Mediterranean sea and explore the gorgeous beaches and local culture. Then embark on a 10-night Norwegian cruise sailing from Barcelona to the Canary Islands and Morocco. End your tour with two nights in Barcelona with a Flamenco show, a city tour, an artistic tour, a visit to the Sagrada Familia plus a tour to Montserrat.

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Prices are in CDN$ p.p., double occupancy, Hotel Amaragua with half board meal plan, 10 night NCL cruise based on inside stateroom category IF, including meals onboard plus transfers. Additional: Tax and Port Fees $790. Upgrade to outside stateroom: category OC or similar add $120. Upgrade to balcony stateroom category BD or similar add $400. Subject to availability. **Gratuities not included onboard NCL cruise.

• Costa Del Sol: 14 nights at the Hotel Amaragua with two meals daily
• four full day excursions to Granada, Cordoba, Gilbraltar and Nerja
• 10 night NCL Canary Islands onboard Norwegian Spirit with meals on board
• Barcelona: two nights at the H10 Casanova Hotel with breakfast, dinner & Flamenco show, half day artistic tour, and half day Montserrat tour with lunch.
• all transfers and gratuities**
• Merit Tour Host

* Average temperature.
SPAIN & PORTUGAL HOSTED LONGSTAY VACATION

Your complete hosted Mediterranean vacation starts with 14 nights in Costa del Sol, in a luxury beach-front hotel, with breakfast and dinner daily. Experience the local culture with four guided excursions. Transfer to Portugal for 14 nights at a lovely beach-side apartment resort located between Albufeira and Vilamoura, in the Algarve. End your stay with two nights in Lisbon — one of Europe’s most fascinating cities.

- **Costa Del Sol:** 14 nights at the Hotel Amaragua with two meals daily
- four full day excursions to Granada, Cordoba, Gibraltar and Nerja with lunch
- **Algarve:** 14 nights at the Grand Santa Eulalia Apartments with two meals daily
- units include one bedroom, kitchen, living room, private balcony, housekeeping once per week, free wifi, and free shuttle to Albufeira
- two culture excursions to explore the Moorish heritage
- **Lisbon:** two nights at the Turim Lisbon Hotel with breakfast and full day Sintra plus Lisbon city tour
- all transfers, service fees, and gratuities included
- Merit Tour Host

**All hosted packages include:**
- return air
- accommodation
- cultural excursions
- english speaking guide
- Merit tour host
- premium lounge pass

**COSTA DEL SOL & ALGARVE (Spain & Portugal):** Discover the best of Spain & Portugal. From sun drenched beaches, medieval hilltop towns, fascinating culture and architectural treasures, these two countries offer endless possibilities.

**Prices:**

- **$4,895 p.p.**
  - **Departs Feb 27, 2015 • 30 nights**
  - Departs from Toronto

**Additional:**
- Prices are in CDN$ p.p., double occupancy. Additional: Tax $650.
- Add ons available from various Canadian gateways, please enquire.

**FEB**
- **17°C**

**MAR**
- **19°C**

* Average temperature.
FRENCH RIVIERA: Enjoy a glamorous Mediterranean vacation in Cannes, home of the famous film festival and the jewel of the Cote d’Azur. Situated 30 minutes from Nice, this is a lively town boasting beautiful beaches, charming old quarters and the “Boulevard de la Croisette”. Walk through cobblestone streets, visit charming towns and discover why so many impressionist painters came to the French Riviera for inspiration.

CANNES HOSTED LONGSTAY VACATION
Stay for a month in a Mediterranean-style resort with spectacular sea and mountain views and within minutes from the lively Cannes-la-Bocca shopping quarter. Explore the local culture along with your tour host Cindy Taylor, a professional photographer who will help you capture a lifetime of memories. From your residence in Cannes, enjoy fabulous excursions to nearby Monaco, Nice, St Paul de Vence and St Tropez.

- 28 nights at Villa Francia in a one bedroom apartment with kitchen, private balcony and housekeeping twice per week
- bar and restaurant with terrace, tennis court, mini market, shuttle to Cannes shopping quarter
- four cultural excursions: Monaco & Monte Carlo, Nice and tickets to Carnival, St Paul de Vence, and St. Tropez
- Merit Tour Host and transfers
- two photo workshops


Departs Feb 28, 2015 • 28 nights
Departs from Toronto

NICE HOSTED LONGSTAY VACATION
New this year we are introducing a property in Nice with a prime location close to the Promenade des Anglais and the Bay of Angels. These comfortable apartments have inviting living areas and are conveniently located near shopping and restaurants.

- 28 nights at the Adagio Access Nice Magnan Aparthotel
- studio apartment with fully equipped kitchen
- complimentary Wi-Fi in your room
- safety deposit box, swimming pool
- four cultural excursions: Monaco and Monte Carlo; Antibes and Cannes; Ephrussi de Rothschild’s Villa and Grasse, Gourdon and St. Paul de Vence

Price is CDN$ p.p. double occupancy. Upgrade to one bedroom suite $300. Additional: Tax $650

Departs Feb 28, 2015 • 28 nights
$2,995 p.p., studio suite
Departs from Toronto
PORTUGAL
LONGSTAY VACATIONS

With an average temperature of 18°C, fabulous beaches and affordable accommodation, it’s no wonder winter-weary Canadians return to Portugal year after year.

PORTUGAL: This lovely country has expansive beaches that are wild and wind-swept, charming coves etched into two hundred foot high cliffs and stunning seascapes.

ALBUFEIRA LONGSTAY
FORTE DO VALE

This modern resort is situated in a quiet residential area and offers spacious one bedroom accommodation located just 500 metres from Forte Beach in Albufeira. Many restaurants and shops in Albufeira are within walking distance. Explore the area by foot, bicycle, or local transportation. Your local representative will be available for suggestions on local excursions.

- 45 minutes from Faro International airport
- large, bright one bedroom apartments with floor to ceiling windows, kitchen and balcony
- one outdoor pool, one restaurant, sauna and spa/wellness centre
- complimentary wifi access in the lobby, cleaning six times per week
- 500 metres from Forte beach, 1.2 km from Modello shopping centre
- half day Loule Market excursion plus services of a local representative

Departs Feb 10, 2015
28 nights
$1,949 p.p.
Departs from Toronto

Departs Feb 24, 2015
28 nights
$2,010 p.p.
Departs from Toronto

Price is in CDN$ per person double occupancy. Additional: Tax $476. Single supplement $925. Subject to availability.

ALBUFEIRA LONGSTAY
PARAISO DE ALBUFEIRA

This popular resort offers a central location in Albufeira, and is located only a few meters from the town hall, market and shopping! Spacious one bedroom accommodation with south facing views.

- 35 minutes from Faro International airport
- one block to the Modello shopping centre and minutes to the beach
- one bedroom southview unit with kitchen and balcony or terrace
- two pools, restaurant, bar, wifi access in lobby
- half day Loule Market excursion plus services of a local representative

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28 nights
$1,999 p.p.
Departs from Toronto

Departs Feb 24, 2015
28 nights
$2,059 p.p.
Departs from Toronto

Price is in CDN$ per person double occupancy. Additional: Tax $476. Single supplement $925. Two bedroom upgrade $475. Subject to availability.

* Average temperature.
ALGARVE LONGSTAY
ALTO DA COLINA

This charming hilltop hotel has an unbeatable location overlooking the sea. In the exclusive Balaia area, just 5km east from the centre of Albufeira, it’s close to the famous casino and marina in Vilamoura. Conveniently located near San Joao for shopping and entertainment.

- 40 minutes from Faro International airport
- direct access to famous Santa Eulalia beach via the Alfagar Village
- spacious one bedroom with kitchen and balcony
- indoor heated pool, shuttle to Albufeira daily (1 euros each way), cleaning 5 times per week, supermarket, elevator
- gym, sauna steam bath (free)
- half day Loule Market excursion plus services of a local representative


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28 nights
$1,995 p.p.
Departs from Toronto

Departs Feb 24, 2015
28 nights
$2,059 p.p.
Departs from Toronto

ALGARVE LONGSTAY
GRAND SANTA EULALIA APARTMENTS

This luxurious hotel boasts lush gardens and spacious pool areas. Located across from San Eulalia Beach and just east of Albufeira in the exclusive Balaia area. Close to restaurants and lounges and a complimentary shuttle to Albufeira.

- 40 minutes from Faro International airport
- one bedroom apartment with kitchen, living room, and private balcony
- outdoor heated pool, restaurant, spa
- free wifi, free use of safety box, free shuttle to Albufeira
- half day Loule Market excursion, plus services of a local representative

Price is in CDN$ per person double occupancy. Two bedroom upgrade: $950. Additional: Tax $476. Subject to availability.

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28 nights
Departs from Toronto

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ADD A CAR RENTAL TO YOUR PORTUGAL VACATION! ONLY $345†

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† Based on Auto Jardim, Hyundai i20, Nissan Micra or similar (manual) including unlimited mileage, full insurance (zero deductible for the duration), airport service charge, and taxes. CDN$ per car, per week.
USA HOSTED LONGSTAY VACATIONS
Stay for a month in well appointed condos in popular sun destinations and explore the local culture and attractions with the convenience of your car rental.

TEXAS: Galveston Island boasts 32 miles of pristine Gulf Beaches, a relaxed island atmosphere, pleasant weather year-round, as well as excellent medical facilities, numerous attractions and a vibrant historic downtown. A perfect base for exploring nearby Houston or San Antonio with your car rental!

GALVESTON, TEXAS HOSTED LONGSTAY & CRUISE VACATION
Enjoy a month long stay in a beautiful resort style condo with views of the Gulf and pools. Then embark on a Royal Caribbean cruise to Jamaica, Grand Cayman and Cozumel.

• located in a gated community across the street from the beach
• one month accommodation in a modern, one bedroom well equipped condo
• compact car rental for the duration of your stay
• 7 night RCI Western Caribbean cruise onboard Royal Caribbean Navigator of the Seas
• airport and cruise ship transfers

Price is in CDN$ p.p. double occupancy. Cruise interior stateroom category M including meals onboard plus transfers. Additional: Tax and Port Fees $550. Upgrade to two bedroom: $200. Upgrade to outside stateroom: category G or similar add $220. Upgrade to balcony stateroom category E2 or similar add $600. Subject to availability. Add-ons available from various Canadian Gateways, please enquire.

ARIZONA: Mesa is a fascinating destination surrounded by the Sonoran Desert and the beauty of the Tonto National Forest. This modern, desert retreat boasts a thriving art and cultural community.

MESA, ARIZONA HOSTED LONGSTAY VACATION
Enjoy a month of Arizona warm sunshine in your studio suite where shopping, dining and golf are all within walking distance.

• 28 nights in a studio suite with fully equipped kitchen
• complimentary Hot Breakfast Daily
• complimentary evening social with food and beverages scheduled each week
• complimentary use of resort amenities
• compact car rental for the duration of your stay

Price is in CDN$ per person double occupancy. Upgrade to one bedroom suite for $200. Additional: Tax:$260.

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