



Itinerary

Alpine Lakes & Scenic Trains featuring cruises on Lake Como & Lake Maggiore and scenic trains in Switzerland & Italy
Sep 29, 2020 - Oct 6, 2020

Pre Night: Ameron Hotel Flora Lucerne



The Ameron Hotel Flora is a recently remodeled hotel that offers a friendly atmosphere and excellent service. The rooms are designed to be relaxing and offer a modern and unique design. The restaurant offers traditional Swiss dishes using the finest ingredients from the region.

Day 1: Lucerne, Switzerland - Tour Begins



Breathtaking Alpine vistas await as you travel through Switzerland and Italy. Experience dramatic views whilst aboard railways and lake cruises, and enjoy cultural experiences in charming villages in the heart of Europe. Arrive in Lucerne and take some free time to explore this lakeside town on your own. Tonight, join your fellow travellers for a welcome dinner in the city.

Hotel

Ameron Lucerne Hotel Flora
Lucerne

Culinary

Dinner

Weather

High 21°
Low 11°
Rain 2"

Day 2: Lucerne



Today, explore this "Swiss Paradise on the Lake." Enjoy an Altstadt (Old Town) walking tour that follows the ancient pathways of the city. See the covered Chapel Bridge (1333); the famous Water Tower that once served as a prison; the watchtower and treasury; the Renaissance-style Town Hall; the Baroque Jesuit Church; and the Lion Monument, carved from sandstone to commemorate the heroic soldiers who were protecting King Louis XVI in 1792.

Hotel

Ameron Lucerne Hotel Flora
Lucerne

Culinary

Breakfast

Weather

High 21°
Low 11°
Rain 2"

Day 3: Lucerne - GoldenPass Train - Montreux - Zermatt



This morning, travel to Gstaad and climb aboard the GoldenPass panoramic train to enjoy breathtaking Alpine views along the route to Montreux. Upon arrival, enjoy some free time in this legendary town on the shores of Lake Geneva. Then continue on to the pedestrian village of Zermatt.

Hotel

Ambassador Hotel

Culinary

Breakfast & Dinner

Weather

High 11°

Day 4: Zermatt



Today, Zermatt is at your fingertips. It's your choice! Explore on foot during a guided walking tour -OR- experience Zermatt independently before visiting the Matterhorn Museum; learn more about the triumph and tragedy behind the first ascent of this imposing peak. The remainder of your day is at leisure.

Hotel

Ambassador Hotel
Zermatt

Culinary

Breakfast

Weather

High 11°
Low 2°
Rain 2"

Day 5: Zermatt - Glacier Express Train - St. Moritz



Traverse bridges and tunnels whilst aboard the world-renowned narrow gauge Glacier Express, the most charming express train in the world. Enjoy the natural beauty of this route through the heart of the Swiss Alps. Filled with forests, fragrant meadows, gurgling streams and deep valleys, it's a mountain dream come to life. Relax and enjoy a three-course lunch whilst onboard. Arrive in St. Moritz and enjoy the evening at leisure to relax or stroll the lakeside boulevard.

Hotel

Hotel Steffani
St Moritz

Culinary

Breakfast & Lunch

Weather

High 11°
Low -3°
Rain 2"

Day 6: St. Moritz - Bernina Pass Train - Lake Como, Italy - Lago Maggiore



Embark on a journey through the Bernina Pass whilst Travelling along one of the most scenic railway lines in the world en route to Tirano, Italy. Take in striking views of the Swiss and Italian Alps throughout your adventure, including the famed Morteratsch Glacier. Then drive along the picturesque shores to the town of Como. You will have free time to explore this famous resort and take in the magnificent views of Lake Como before continuing to Lago Maggiore, a tranquil resort area with crystal clear waters against the backdrop of the Alps.

Hotel

Zacchera Hotels
Lago Maggiore

Culinary

Breakfast

Weather

High 19°
Low 14°
Rain 7"

Day 7: Lago Maggiore



Travel to an ancient village nestled in the mountains. Stop at a family farm where you will learn about the artisan cheeses they produce. Then sample their delicious creations and learn how to pair them with the region's local wines. Return to your hotel for a free afternoon. Your evening begins with a wine tasting before boarding a lake boat for a cruise to Isola dei Pescatori, the most beautiful of the Borromean Islands. There you savour a traditional farewell dinner.

Hotel

Zacchera Hotels
Lago Maggiore

Culinary

Breakfast & Dinner

Weather

High 19°
Low 14°
Rain 7"

Day 8: Lago Maggiore - Tour Ends



Your thrilling Alpine journey ends today in Lago Maggiore.

Post Night: Zacchera Hotels



Zacchera Hotels Group offers a choice of high quality hotels in Baveno, Stresa Lago Maggiore, Italy.