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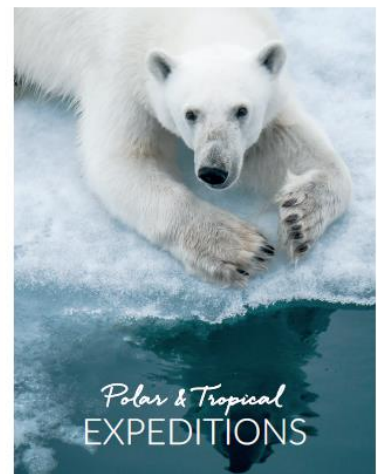
Expedition cruises to the heart of the Arctic Far North, sailing to the mythical White Continent, along the Amazon River, or to the idyllic beaches of the islands of Oceania and Polynesia, along the wild coastline of Kimberley or Papua New Guinea, or discovering the Bissagos Islands. PONANT has published its new Polar and Tropical Expeditions brochure for September 2020 to October 2021.

BRAND NEW | Six new itineraries can be found in this brochure.

Polar Expeditions: the Northeast Passage to discover the treasures of the Russian Arctic; the parks and nature reserves of Svalbard or Greenland in an attempt to reach the mythical region of Thule.

Tropical Expeditions: the natural wonders of the Scattered Islands and Madagascar; the discovery of the picture-postcard landscapes of the Marquesa Islands and Tuamotu in French Polynesia; the agricultural and winegrowing riches of Tasmania and the wild southern coast of Australia.

[Discover the 2020-2021 Polar and Tropical Expeditions brochure](#)



SEPTEMBER 2020 - OCTOBER 2021 CRUISES
ANTARCTIC • ARCTIC • LATIN AMERICA • ATLANTIC • INDIAN OCEAN • OCEANIA



Gastronomy, Vineyards and Ocean cruise With Jocelyn Herland and Cédric Grolet, chefs at Le Meurice

From Lisbon to Lorient via Leixoes, Bilbao and Pauillac, PONANT is offering an exceptional gastronomic and oenological cruise in partnership with Ducasse Paris, Château Latour and Le Point.

A unique experience showcasing the expertise of Alain Ducasse's teams, with the exceptional presence of **Jocelyn Herland** and **Cédric Grolet**, chefs at Le Meurice. Guests will sail aboard *L'Austral* and discover UNESCO World Heritage sites such as the Tower of Belem in Lisbon, Vizcaya bridge in Bilbao, the Port Of The Moon in Bordeaux and Fort Liédot on Ile d'Aix.

Highlights:

- Dinner moored opposite Château Latour, with the menu designed by Jocelyn Herland, holder of two Michelin stars.
- Afternoon tea proposed by Cédric Grolet, the head patisserie chef at Le Meurice
- A tasting session of Grands Crus wines and oenology workshops led by the sommelier Eric Beaumard.
- Cheese sampling session led by the cheesemonger Bernard Antony

Gastronomy, Vineyards and Ocean cruise

From Lisbon to Lorient

11 - 19 April 2020

9 days/8 nights aboard *L'Austral*

From €4 060

[Find out more about the cruise](#)

An exceptional programme for the inaugural season of the new ship *Le Bellot* in Norway

PONANT is celebrating the inaugural season of *Le Bellot*, one of the latest additions in its PONANT EXPLORERS series, with a brand-new 9-day cruise through the magical landscapes of snow-covered Norway.

From Bergen, this itinerary will take guests beyond the Arctic Circle as far as the Sami region, to discover the local traditions of this indigenous people.

Hunting for the aurora borealis, crossing the Arctic tundra in a sled pulled by dogs or reindeer, visiting an ephemeral ice hotel or going ice fishing are just some of the activities that will allow guests to discover the region.

Two departure dates are available and PONANT has a special offer for both of them: the single supplement is waived*

Far North and Arctic Cruise

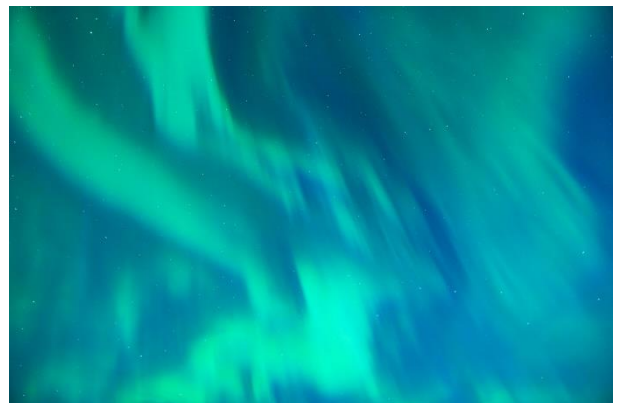
From Bergen to Tromsø

22 - 30 March 2020

9 days / 8 nights aboard *Le Bellot*

From €3 490

[Find out more about the cruise](#)



*supplement for single occupancy of a double stateroom is waived on a limited number of staterooms and according to the category of the staterooms.

ABOUT PONANT

Established in 1988 by Jean Emmanuel Sauvé and a dozen officers from the French Merchant Navy, PONANT has led the way with a new style of luxury cruising through a unique concept of sea travel which combines exceptional itineraries with luxury hotel services aboard smaller-scale ships. In 2018, going further in its commitments for a sustainable tourism, PONANT has created a Foundation whose goal is to preserve the oceans and the polar regions and to encourage exchanges between peoples. For more information, visit www.ponant.com

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