

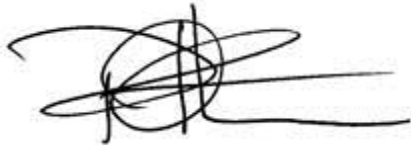
Dear Mr. & Mrs. Giampoli,

Your A&K journey is almost here, and we are pleased to enclose your detailed itinerary as well as other important information to assist in your final preparations.

This spiral-bound booklet contains all the information you need, including a full itinerary, accurate as of this writing (you will receive notice of any changes on arrival); a checklist of essential things to attend to before your departure; and additional material related to your journey and destination. Please review this carefully as you prepare for your journey.

On behalf of all of us at Abercrombie & Kent, we wish you a journey of inspiring experiences that will remain with you for a lifetime. Thank you for travelling with us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Phil Otterson', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Phil Otterson
President
ABERCROMBIE & KENT USA, LLC

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Mr. Roy & Mrs. Debra Giampoli

TAILOR MADE CAMBODIA & VIETNAM

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2017
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS / SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA

Korean Air 38

Departure

Thursday, Feb 2 2017 11:30 AM
ORD Chicago, IL (O'Hare International
Airport) United States of America

Arrival

Friday, Feb 3 2017 4:30 PM
ICN Seoul (Incheon International Airport) South
Korea

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3
SEOUL / PHNOM PENH, CAMBODIA

Korean Air 689

Departure

Friday, Feb 3 2017 6:30 PM
ICN Seoul (Incheon International Airport)
South Korea

Arrival

Friday, Feb 3 2017 10:25 PM
PNH Phnom Penh (Phnom Penh International
Airport) Cambodia

Your adventure begins this evening as you arrive into Phnom Penh, Cambodia. As capital of Cambodia, Phnom Penh was long considered the fairest of France's overseas colonial cities and in spite of its recent troubles; the city retains a large measure of this appeal. Wide boulevards, ramshackle buildings in the French style and lush stands of shady trees are prominent features of Phnom Penh's cityscape.

Upon arriving into arrival lounge you are met by an A&K representative and assisted through the entrance formalities in obtaining your Cambodia visa on arrival, expedited through immigration, baggage collecting and customs. Your A&K representative collects your passport and photo and complete all necessary forms and apply Cambodia visa on arrival on your behalf (1 passport-sized photo is required for each person).

After clearing formality you are met by your local guide and thereafter transferred approximately 45 minutes to your hotel for check-in. Set in the heart of the capital city, Raffles Hotel Le Royal combines history and style. First established in 1929, it entertained an international clientele of globetrotters and adventurers, authors and journalists, dignitaries and royalty. Following careful restoration, this historic hotel combines colonial charm with world class facilities, including a spa and fitness center, two swimming pools, a trio of restaurants and a choice of bars and lounges for afternoon tea or other libations. All the hotels rooms and suites are elegantly decorated in a cool, neutral palette, with art deco furnishings and Cambodian objets d'art.

Accommodation: Raffles Hotel Le Royal (Personality Suite)

This morning at approximately 8:00 a.m. you are met by your guide and embark on a sightseeing tour of Phnom Penh. You begin with a visit to the Russian Market, also known as Psah Tuol Tom Pong. The Russian Market is a wonderful place to shop for hand-woven silk, sarongs, handicrafts and jewelry. So called because of its popularity among Russians expatriates in the 1980s, the market is very popular with local Cambodians and also has stalls selling drinks and cooked food as well as everyday household goods.

Afterwards at approximately 9:30 a.m. you visit the Royal Palace which was built in 1866 by King Norodom to serve as the residence of the King of Cambodia and the royal family. The architecturally incongruous Napoleon III pavilion was a gift of the French Empress Eugenie in the early 20th century and is often used for entertaining. Outside the southeast wall of the palace is the house of the white elephant, traditionally used for special regal occasions including Royal births, deaths or weddings.

You then venture inside the Palace's Silver Pagoda which is a dazzling sight with its floor covered by over 5,000 silver tiles, each weighing about two pounds. The site provides a stunning glimpse at the glories of Khmer civilization.

Next at approximately 10:45 a.m. you continue to the Wat Ounalom, the headquarters of the Cambodian Buddhist patriarchate. Located in the southwestern part of Phnom Penh, the temple was heavily damaged during the years of strife under the Khmer Rouge. First constructed in 1443, the temple complex included 44 buildings housing 500 monks. Today there are just twenty monks who live and worship in the temple, which is said to house a sacred relic of the Lord Buddha (an eyebrow) in a stupa situated behind the main worship hall.

Then at approximately 11:15 a.m. you visit Phnom Penh's Central Market (also known as Psah Thmei or 'New Market'), housed within a unique, art-deco style building which was completed in 1937. One of the largest and busiest markets in Phnom Penh, the bazaar's entrance is lined with souvenir merchants hawking everything from T-shirts and postcards to kramas (traditional Cambodian scarves). Move inside with your guide to discover a dazzling display of jewels and gold. Electronic goods, stationery, secondhand clothes and flowers are also in ample supply.

This afternoon at approximately 12:00 p.m. you enjoy lunch at a local restaurant (*payable locally*).

Following lunch you enjoy a final visit at approximately 1:30 p.m. to Phnom which sits on top of a forest knoll, approximately 90 feet high, visible from across the city. This is one of the most popular of Phnom Penh's many Wats (Buddhist temples) with crowds of faithful coming each day to pray for good luck in school and success in business. The main entrance to the wat is a magnificent staircase flanked by a ferocious balustrade depicting guardian lion and Naga images. There is a small zoo within the temple grounds, but the most popular animals, the temple monkeys, roam freely through the trees, which shade visitors to the temple.

Upon conclusion of your sightseeing at approximately 2:00 p.m. you are transferred directly to the airport to board your flight to Siem Reap.

Cambodia Angkor Air 111

Departure

Saturday, Feb 4 2017 4:05 PM
PNH Phnom Penh (Phnom Penh
International Airport) Cambodia

Arrival

Saturday, Feb 4 2017 4:45 PM
REP Siem Reap (Siem Reap Airport)
Cambodia

The town of Siem Reap is your gateway to some of the most fabulous monuments ever built by mankind, the Khmer temples of Angkor – a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Angkor was built at the beginning of the 12th century, being 930 yards wide and 1,150 yards long, and it took 37 years with more than 25,000 laborers to complete. Angkor Wat is a symbol of the Cambodian state: its five towers are depicted on the flag and state emblem of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

Upon arrival you are met and then transferred to your hotel. First established in 1929, Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor is one of the grand historic hotels of the world with its elegant accommodations, award winning services and state of the art facilities – all in a relaxed atmosphere with Cambodian hospitality and Angkorian overtones. The hotel's guest rooms and suites are each tastefully appointed with art deco furnishings and Cambodian object d'art, which reflects the period architectural theme. During your stay, indulge in aromatherapy at the "Spa at the Grand"; exercise in the lap pool or splash in the family fun pool; plan a set of tennis; or stroll through the beautifully tended Independence Gardens.

Accommodation: Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor (Personality Suite)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4
SIEM REAP

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Today is free for independent exploration.

Accommodation: Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5
SIEM REAP

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Today you enjoy a full day of sightseeing in and around the site of one of Asia's most magnificent archeological ruins - the religious citadels of Angkor Thom and Angkor Wat, which were part of one of the most powerful kingdoms to rise in Southeast Asia. *Please note: visitors are required to have their photo taken on-site before being allowed admittance into the Angkor Wat complex.*

You begin your sightseeing at approximately 8:30 a.m. with a visit to Angkor Thom, a heavily fortified city built in the 10th century by the greatest of the Khmer rulers, King Jayavarman VII (1181 – 1201). With a population in excess of one million inhabitants, Angkor Thom was larger than any city in Europe at the time.

Proceed to the Bayon Temple, also constructed during the reign of King Jayavarman VII. This temple complex marks the exact center of Angkor Thom, making it the most venerated of the city's temples. The structure is considered by most Angkor specialists to be one of the finest examples of classical Khmer architecture. Situated in front of the east entry tower of the enclosing wall at the Royal Palace is the Terrace of the Elephants. It has three platforms and shows signs of having been rebuilt and added to. The Terrace of the Leper King is supported by a base 80 feet long. The sides are faced in sandstone and decorated with bas-reliefs, which are divided into several registers. The original statue of the Leper King can be found in the courtyard of the National Museum in Phnom Penh.

Go on to see the once grand Baphuon, a vast temple built in the mid-11th century, which was once the largest temple mountain but is now in a state of ruin. The French were in the process of restoring the temple when they were forced by war to leave Angkor in 1972. Baphuon is inside the royal city of Angkor Thom, but was built before the city was established. A fascinating feature of the temple are the bas-reliefs, scenes of mythology and daily life carved in small, bordered panels, however, only a few of these are still visible.

After taking a break for lunch (*payable locally*), you explore at approximately 2:30 p.m. the archaeological treasures of Angkor Wat, seat of the once mighty Angkor Empire. Angkor's hundred or so temples constitute the sacred skeleton of a spectacular administrative and religious center whose houses, public buildings and palaces were constructed of wood -- now long decayed -- because the right to dwell in structures of brick or stone was reserved for the gods. Your expert guide shows you the best spots for taking photos of this massive temple complex as you walk amid the moss-peppered cobbled pathways, gazing up at the intricately carved tower tops, or climb the steep, narrow temple steps that lead to wide courtyards. Lose yourself in contemplation as you catch the rays of sun dancing off the bas relief carvings, the chatter of monkeys reverberating off the temple walls.

Then at approximately 4:30 p.m. you partake in an Angkor Gondola tour. Angkor Gondola is a unique Khmer traditional boat service located by the South Gate of Angkor Thom on a small baray, a type of reservoir typical of ancient Khmer water management. Enjoy gliding gently along, as the sun sets over the gate of Angkor Thom. If you like to, there will be a bit of trekking up to the top of the gate to the historical ruins of Prasart Chrung and here is also the sunset viewpoint where the rest of the trip can be enjoyed just chilling out.

Afterwards at approximately 6:00 p.m. you look around Artisans d'Angkor, a school for underprivileged youth where they are taught the ancient crafts of wood and stone carving, creating lacquerware, painting and silk weaving. Stroll through the school to watch young Cambodian artisans learning a trade and continuing age-old traditions. Many of the students' crafts are offered for sale in the school store, ranging from beautiful silks and stunning lacquerware to elegant stone and wood carvings. All the proceeds go towards the running of the school.

You return to your hotel at approximately 6:45 p.m./7:00 p.m.

Accommodation: Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6
SIEM REAP

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Early this morning at approximately 4:45 a.m. you watch the sunrise over the main temple of Angkor Wat, an unforgettable and quintessential Southeast Asia experience. Then walk amid the moss-peppered pathways, gazing up at the intricately carved tower tops, or climb the steep, narrow temple steps that lead to wide courtyards. Contemplate the temple's spiritual power while you walk in the cool shade of its hallways, stopping to take in the perfume of burning incense. Once the seat of the mighty Angkor Empire, it was from here that kings ruled over a vast territory that extended from the tip of what is now southern Vietnam, northward to Yunnan in China, and westward to the Bay of Bengal.

You return to your hotel at approximately 7:00 a.m. and enjoy breakfast.

Afterwards you spend the day exploring the temples around Siem Reap. You begin at approximately 9:00 a.m. at Banteay Srei, which in some obvious aspects, stands apart from the other monuments of the Angkor region.

Relatively isolated, 13 miles northeast of the main temple group, Banteay Srei is built in pink sandstone rather than the more usual gray and is one of the very few temples that was not endowed by royalty. It was, in fact, built by Yajnavaraha, a Brahmin priest and key figure at court in the 10th century.

Tucked away at the eastern edge of the Angkor complex, is the small, and somewhat isolated, temple of Banteay Samre which you visit at approximately 10:00 a.m. Named after the Samre, a tribe that lived around Phnom Kulen, the temple's distinctive, lotus-flower tower gives immediate notice that it is from the Angkor Wat period of the early 12th century. Although it is one of the most completely restored temple complexes, Banteay Samre is nevertheless more peaceful than many.

You then stop at approximately 10:30 a.m. to visit an A&K Philanthropy project that endeavors to provide clean drinking water to rural villages.

Afterwards at approximately 2:30 p.m. you continue on to Ta Prohm, which is for many visitors, the romantic experience of Angkor. One of the most spectacular effects of the forest's encroachment of Ta Prohm is the way trees have grown into and around the towers and galleries. Seeds carried by birds and dropped onto the temple roofs sprout aerial roots that trail to the ground; having reached the soil, they then grow and expand in the cracks between stones.

Later this afternoon at approximately 4:00 p.m. you visit Siem Reap's oldest traditional markets, Psah Chas (Old Market) is the most tourist-oriented. The riverside has dozens of souvenir stalls offering a fairly wide range of souvenirs. Many of these stalls stay open past 8:00 p.m. The opposite side of the market carries items of interest primarily to locals, and also harbors dozens of small food stalls serving various inexpensive local foods that hygienically and gastronomically adventurous visitors may find inviting. The central aisle, where fruits, vegetables and meat are sold, is colorful and potentially very photogenic. The Old Market is also an important landmark as several restaurants, hotels, bars and shops are in the area.

This evening at approximately 7:30 p.m. you enjoy a Cambodian Circus show. Rising to new heights with the young, energetic and talented artists from Phare! After successful tours around the world, Europe, Australia, Japan, USA, Singapore, the Philippines to just name a few, famous Phare Cambodian Circus young and talented artists now come to Siem Reap / Angkor with even more energetic and unique performances in the very heart of the Cradle and Civilization of Cambodia!

Upon conclusion of the show at 9:00 p.m. you return to your hotel.

Accommodation: Raffles Grand Hotel d'Angkor

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

SIEM REAP / PHNOM PENH / EMBARKATION / UNDER OWN ARRANGEMENTS

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This morning at approximately 9:30 a.m. you are met and transferred to the airport to board Cambodia Angkor Air flight #104 departing at 11:30 a.m. to Phnom Penh. As capital of Cambodia, Phnom Penh was long considered the fairest of France's overseas colonial cities and in spite of its recent troubles; the city retains a large measure of this appeal. Wide boulevards, ramshackle buildings in the French style and lush stands of shady trees are prominent features of Phnom Penh's cityscape.

Upon arrival at 12:15 p.m. you are met by your local guide and set off on a sightseeing tour. You begin with a visit at approximately 2:00 p.m. to the Killing Fields of Cheung Ek is situated nine miles southwest of Phnom Penh and made famous by the film of the same name "Killing Field". It was a place where more than 17,000 civilians were killed and buried in mass graves. This place is a chilling reminder of the brutalities of the genocidal Khmer Rouge regime.

Then at approximately 3:30 p.m. you continue to the Tuol Sleng Museum, known as the Museum of Genocidal Crimes was used by the Khmer Rouge as a detention and torture center in the late 1970. Today the building houses exhibits, paintings and photographs of many of the victims. Visitors can see the crude cells built in the classrooms and the torture devices used to extract confessions in Stalinesque purges of the regime.

Following your sightseeing you are transferred at approximately 4:30 p.m. to the pier where you embark on your Aqua Mekong cruise (*arranged independently of A&K*).

Accommodation: Aqua Mekong (Under Own Arrangements)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 – THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9
UNDER OWN ARRANGEMENTS

Accommodation: Aqua Mekong (Under Own Arrangements)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10
ARRIVE MY THO, VIETNAM / HO CHI MINH CITY

Your journey continues today as you arrive into My Tho, Vietnam.

Upon disembarkation you are met by your local A&K guide and driver and travel overland to Ho Chi Minh City. Formerly known as Saigon, Ho Chi Minh City is a city of wide boulevards and French colonial architecture. It is the bustling and vibrating economic center of the south, and the commercial center of the country. One of the liveliest cities in Southeast Asia, the energetic pace here is unlike any other city in Vietnam.

Today you enjoy a half day sightseeing tour of the city. You begin with a visit to the War Remnants Museum, housed in the former U.S. Information Service building. Over the years, the museum has held a number of colorful names, primarily as it contains exhibits relating to the American phase of the Vietnam War. Among the items on display are an American tank, infantry weapons, war photographs, the original French guillotine brought to Vietnam in the 20th century, and even a once-operational UH-1 "Huey" helicopter.

You then continue on to the Reunification Hall (the Presidential Palace under the Ngo Dinh Diem regime), seat of the former South Vietnamese regime. One of the many attractions within is the underground Command Post of the now exiled president, which has been recently opened to visitors.

You end the day with a stop at the Ben Thanh Market. First opened in 1914, Ben Thanh Market (Cho Ben Thanh) is a thriving, bustling market in central Saigon. With narrow aisles, the market has stalls selling everything from everyday items such as vegetables and detergent, to silk, bamboo, lacquer work and clothes.

Following your sightseeing you are transferred to your hotel and enjoy the evening at your leisure. The elegant Park Hyatt Saigon, offering 259 luxurious rooms and suites, is centrally located near the elegant Opera House in downtown Saigon and within walking distance to shopping, entertainment and the main tourist attractions. The hotel's amenities include a full spa facility, steam room, outdoor pool and fitness studio.

You may enjoy Vietnamese and Western cuisine in the Square One Restaurant or casual Italian in the Opera Restaurant. The Park Lounge offers floor-to-ceiling windows looking out at the bustling city.

Accommodation: Park Hyatt Saigon (Park Garden View Double Room)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11
HO CHI MINH CITY

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This morning you are met by your guide and travel outside of the city and into the countryside to explore the expansive Cu Chi Tunnel network, a key Vietcong resource during the Vietnam War. These tunnels, which reach hundreds of miles in total length, housed storage rooms, make-shift hospitals and sleeping quarters that accommodated rebel fighters for up to two weeks at a time. Heavy bombing by U.S. forces did not halt movement through the tunnels making this an unusually successful defense against the superior weaponry of the American troops.

During your visit have the opportunity to shoot a war-era rifle, and squeeze into and crawl through the small tunnels once traversed by Vietcong guerrillas, experiencing for yourself life here as it once was.

After a lunch of flavorful local cuisine you return to your hotel and enjoy the afternoon at leisure.

This evening you experience the nightlife of Ho Chi Minh City the way locals do, all from the back of a vintage Vespa scooter. Your first stop is at a traditional *quan*, where locals congregate for their evening meal with friends and family. Here try a sampling of street food, and enjoy a visit to a Vietnamese-style coffee shop. Wrap up the evening at one of the city's local clubs where excellent live acoustic music is played.

Accommodation: Park Hyatt Saigon

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12
HO CHI MINH CITY / DANANG / HOI AN

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Today you are met and transferred to the airport where you are welcomed at the entrance of the International Departure Terminal by an Airport Representative who assists you with flight formalities at the security check counter, Immigration and Customs area. After all formalities are complete, you are accompanied to the waiting lounge until boarding begins for your flight to Danang.

Upon arrival in Danang you are met by an Airport Representative in front of the Immigration counter and ushered through the express line for Immigration formalities. Your representative assists you with collection of your luggage before you are met by your local A&K representative and transferred to your hotel in Hoi An.

Situated on the white sands of China Beach, the Four Seasons Resort The Nam Hai is one of Asia's newest luxury resorts. Its close proximity to a variety of historical locations makes the Four Seasons Resort The Nam Hai not only a wonderful place to relax, but also a place where one can fully experience the culture of Vietnam. Each of its suites and villas has an en-suite bathroom with rain shower, large bedrooms, and views of the China Sea and nearby Cham Island. The property has several restaurants which feature both local and international cuisine. Located within the resort are three swimming pools, a spa, and a variety of athletic courts in addition to the coconut lined private beach.

This afternoon, enjoy a visit to the ancient town of Hoi An, which is nestled on the banks of the Thu Bon River, three miles inland from the coast. This charming old town was once a flourishing port and meeting place of eastern and western cultures in central Dai Viet under the Nguyen Lords.

Stroll through Hoi An's ancient winding streets, marveling at the tile-roofed wooden buildings and losing yourself in the potpourri of vendors selling colorful handmade lanterns (a Hoi An specialty), tailor shops with local fashions on display and the intoxicating aroma of Vietnam's undeniable cuisine.

Next you travel by foot to visit the Old House of Tan Ky, Fukien Assembly Hall and the 400-year-old Japanese covered bridge. You can also visit a local farm where residents raise silkworms and produce silk for Hoi An's burgeoning textile industry.

Accommodation: Four Seasons Resort The Nam Hai (One Bedroom Double Villa)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13
HOI AN

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This morning you embark on a farming & fishing life tour which provides you with a close-up and intimate exposure to both the local farming and fishing communities. You commence the day with a leisurely cycling trip along country roads, witnessing local Vietnamese rural life first hand and discovering all manner of photo opportunities.

Along the way you visit a beautiful organic vegetable village where you have the opportunity to water and plant vegetables, hoe the soil with local farmer and perhaps even witness a water buffalo plough a rice paddy field. You may see ducks swimming across the rice paddies, or farmers tending their crops; the photo opportunities are endless. You also have the chance to experience the friendliness of the local people greeting you along the way.

Later, you board a Hoi An eco-tour boat for a river cruise to meet and engage with local fishermen and enjoy a hands-on experience of traditional net fishing. You also take a paddleboat trip in a unique Vietnamese bamboo basket boat down the waterways of coconut palm paradise before returning to Hoi An this afternoon.

Accommodation: Four Seasons Resort The Nam Hai

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14
HOI AN / HANOI

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Today you are met and transferred to the airport where you are welcomed at the entrance of the International Departure Terminal by an Airport Representative who assists you with flight formalities at the security check counter, Immigration and Customs area. After all formalities are complete, you are accompanied to the waiting lounge until boarding begins for your flight to Hanoi.

Upon arrival in Hanoi you are met by an Airport Representative in front of the Immigration counter and ushered through the express line for Immigration formalities. Your representative assists you with collection of your luggage before you are met by your local A&K representative and transferred to your hotel.

Upon arrival you are met and transferred to your hotel. A French colonial-style property built in 1901; the Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi boasts a rich history and a century-long tradition of hospitality for ambassadors and writers, statesmen and entrepreneurs. Following extensive refurbishment, visitors today enjoy the charm of an impeccably restored turn-of-the-century hotel.

The Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi is located right in the heart of the capital, within walking distance of the administrative, business, and retail centers and close to the prestigious Opera House and the most beautiful lake of Hanoi city. Restaurants, art galleries and handicraft shops can be found within easy reach.

Later on, after 5:00 p.m., you visit an air raid shelter used in the Vietnam War located under your hotel! *Please note: you will need to be divided into 2 groups. Maximum 10 persons per group. Alternatively, the visit may also take place on February 15th or 17th.*

The balance of the evening is at leisure to relax or explore Hanoi at your own pace. Hanoi is a city of surprising charm. It is the cultural heart of Vietnam and still bears the traces of centuries of changing cultures and dynasties. Its French heritage is clearly visible in its many colonial buildings and tree-lined boulevards while Chinese influence is evident in the city's temples and gardens - though a modern café culture also flourishes.

Accommodation: Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi (Grand Premium Double Room)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15
HANOI

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Your day of intriguing day of sightseeing begins with a photo-op outside of one of the city's most recent monuments, the Mausoleum of the late Ho Chi Minh, Father of the Revolution. The vast tomb stands just over 70 feet tall and 135 wide and contains the embalmed body of the revolutionary leader who played a key role in the foundation of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam and with the Viet Cong during the war with anti-communist forces.

Next you visit Ho Chi Minh's House, built of the finest wooden materials in 1958. It is next to a carp-filled pond. The simple two-story wooden house in which Ho Chi Minh lived (just how much time Ho actually spent here is questionable) is situated among banyan, frangipani, poinciana and milkweed trees. The lower level of the house served as a conference room. There are two simple rooms upstairs, a bedroom and a study area.

Continue on to the lotus-shaped One Pillar Pagoda (the Chua Mot Cot), dating back to the first Vietnamese empire independent from China in the 11th century. This miniature pagoda, once called the Temple of Love, was built on a pillar constructed of a single large tree trunk.

You then proceed to the Quan Thanh Temple (Temple of the Northern Spirits), also known as "Tran Vo" or "Tran Vu" and often incorrectly called the "Pagoda of the Grand Buddha". Located between the two lakes, the temple was established during the Ly Dynasty (1010 to 1225 AD) and was dedicated to Tran Vo (God of the North), whose symbols of power are the tortoise and the snake.

Afterwards you pay a quick visit to the Hoa Lo Museum, called the "Hanoi Hilton" by the American pilots held during the war. Other buildings within the compound were called "New Guy Village" where new prisoners were kept, "Heartbreak Hotel" and "Las Vegas" which were interrogation rooms, and "Camp Unity" where prisoners were released in 1970.

This afternoon you set off on a four hour gastronomic adventure that provides you with a fascinating insight into local culinary scene in Hanoi's Old Quarter. Your local expert guide takes you on a walk through backstreets, passing food vendors selling myriad delicacies releasing alluring aromas that surely awaken your appetite. Your first stop is to sample bun thang, a dish famous for being a favorite amongst the wealthy Hanoian elite due to the time taken to source, prepare and cook the required ingredients.

Next your gastronomic guide takes you to a pho noodle shop in Hang Trong Street, which features a wide array of aromatic dishes whipped up right in front of your eyes. Sit on your low stool and enjoy eating like a local for an extra touch of authenticity.

After enjoying your fabulous pho you visit Hang Be market, the largest of its kind in the Old Quarter. A walk around this vast maze of stalls shows you a glimpse of the exotic fruits and vegetables available in Vietnam.

You continue to Dong Xuan, lovingly nicknamed “Food Street”, a famous destination for locals to enjoy a wide variety of snacks and treats. Be sure to save room for a cold beer as your guide then takes you to taste bia hoi, a locally brewed fresh beer that’s casually enjoyed from low plastic stools on sidewalks and roadsides around the city.

Leaving the Old Quarter you take a ride to Truc Bach Lake where you discover another range of delectable bites. Your guide helps you pick out a treat from a range of appealing snacks, such as a beef wrap and roll which you can enjoy along with a wonderful view of the peaceful lake.

You then make one final stop to enjoy an Egg Cappuccino - a unique drink that dates back to 1946 that no foodie should miss.

Later you travel the way a local would — by *cyclo* — through the Old Quarter. The Old Quarter is characterized by numerous narrow streets, which date from the 15th century, each bearing a name that reflects the business once conducted there: Silk Street, Rice Street, Paper Street, Jeweler’s Street, and so on.

Your tour concludes with a visit Hoan Kiem Lake, an enchanting body of water situated in the middle of Hanoi. Many families visit this site to see the large tortoises living in the lake. In the center of the island in the lake is Ngoc Son Pagoda, which was built in the 19th century and dedicated to Van Xuong, the spirit of all intellectuals.

Accommodation: Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16
HANOI / HALONG BAY

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Please note: *you will be traveling on a Seaplane tomorrow. As space for luggage on Seaplanes in Vietnam is very limited, the bulk of your baggage is going remain at the Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi this evening. Please prepare a small overnight bag for your evening on board Indochina Sails Premium.*

This morning you travel overland to Halong Bay, the launching point for your cruise. Your drive takes approximately three and a half hours. Upon arrival at the pier you board your luxury vessel, Indochina Sails.

This afternoon you enjoy a multi-course Vietnamese and Western set menu lunch.

During lunch, cruise through the Bai Tu Long Bay, the most beautiful and quiet area in Bai Tu Long Bay and Halong Bay to visit Cua Van Fishing Village. At the village, which has a population of about 600 residents living in about 150 floating houses, you can choose between kayaking through the village or visiting on small bamboo boats (sampans) rowed by the villagers.

Back on board you enjoy a Cooking Class held by the Chef in which he demonstrates the methods of preparing various traditional Vietnamese dishes. Sample the creations and enjoy a pre-dinner cocktail before dinner, a sumptuous buffet featuring an array of salads, seafood, meat dishes, seasonal fresh fruits and deserts.

After dinner, relax in the lounge or on the upper deck, enjoy massage services, or try your luck at squid fishing from the boat with help from the crew.

Accommodation: Indochina Sails Premium (Chartered)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17
HALONG BAY / HANOI

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Early this morning coffee, tea and breakfast pastries are on offer as well as Tai Chi lessons led by the master.

Afterwards you depart the boat for a walking tour of Titov Beach Island, which culminates in a climb up the steps to the peak for a breathtaking 360 degree view of the Bay (there is also an expansive viewing deck half way up). After the climb there is time left to relax on the beach and have a swim.

Back on board it's time for final packing and freshening up before enjoying a full breakfast buffet, including traditional Vietnamese Noodles (Pho). After breakfast you may relax in the dining room and lounge or on the deck enjoying the last Bay views.

Upon disembarkation you are met and board a Seaplane for your transfer to Hanoi and on to the Sofitel Legend Metropole.

The rest of the day and evening are free for independent exploration.

Accommodation: Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi (Grand Premium Double Room)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18
HANOI / SEOUL

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Please note: one room has been confirmed for late check-out after 6:00 p.m.

This morning your tour begins at approximately 8:00 a.m. when you are met by your local guide, Mr. Dan and travel together until you reach the outskirts of the city. Here you discover the small villages that line the left bank of the Red River, stopping at Bac Bien Village where you visit the local guide's house to receive a briefing on the cycling tour ahead.

You then take to the saddle and cruise through the narrow alleyways of Bac Bien Village to the riverbank of the Duong River where you hop on board a ferry across to the other side. Once across, you ride along the country lanes passing villages where you can see many traditional Vietnamese houses; pagodas, temples, local market and have your breath taken by the beautiful rice paddy fields and vegetable gardens.

After a couple miles you arrive at a local traditional house where you can enjoy a conversation with villagers to understand more about their lives and work. Peddling further, you come to the confluence of two rivers where you make a stop in the shade of a grand old tree to refresh with drinks and snacks. You then glide back to the ferry crossing and return to the opposite side of the river.

On your way you make a stop at a local temple located near the Red River. If fortune favors, there may be a chance to see a unique Vietnamese ceremony called “Len Dong” which translates as “going into a trance”. This ceremony is very interesting, and unique to foreigners. While in the village you have the chance to share a drink and bowl of bun cha (grilled pork with vermicelli) and nem (spring rolls) with a local family before transferring back to your hotel arriving at approximately 12:30 p.m.

Later this evening your journey comes to an end as you are met and transferred to the airport where you are welcomed at the entrance of the International Departure Terminal by an Airport Representative who assists you with flight formalities at the security check counter, Immigration and Customs area. After all formalities are complete, you are accompanied to the waiting lounge until boarding begins for your homebound flight.

Korean Air 680

Departure

Saturday, Feb 18 2017 11:10 PM
HAN Hanoi (Noibai Airport) Vietnam

Arrival

Sunday, Feb 19 2017 5:05 AM
ICN Seoul (Incheon International Airport) South Korea

Accommodation: Sofitel Legend Metropole Hanoi
(One Grand Premium Room for Late Check-out after 6:00 p.m.)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19
SEOUL / CHICAGO

Korean Air 37

Departure

Sunday, Feb 19 2017 10:40 AM
ICN Seoul (Incheon International Airport)
South Korea

Arrival

Sunday, Feb 19 2017 8:30 AM
ORD Chicago, IL (O'Hare International Airport)
United States of America

TERMS & CONDITIONS

These Abercrombie & Kent USA, LLC ("A&K") Terms & Conditions apply to Signature Series and Tailor Made journeys.

A&K PRICE ASSURANCE

The A&K Price Assurance applies to all Signature Series journeys available through A&K excluding international and internal air and extra services. The A&K Price Assurance applies only to 2016 advertised rates on abercrombiekent.com for the same program, travel date and accommodation classification. A&K reserves the right to modify or cancel the A&K Price Assurance for future bookings without prior notice.

INCLUDED IN JOURNEYS

All accommodations, meals and guides (English speaking), private sightseeing (including park and entrance fees) as noted in the itinerary; arrival and departure transfers; coffee/tea/soft drinks/water at included meals; local bottled water during sightseeing; portage of two (2) pieces of baggage; and hotel taxes. Africa Journeys Additional Inclusions: Medical evacuation service, when available, including air transportation to medical care facilities, within Kenya, Tanzania, Botswana, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Hospitalization and medical expenses are at an additional cost.

NOT INCLUDED IN JOURNEYS

A&K's Guest Protection Program; international and internal airfares, unless otherwise noted; costs associated with obtaining passports or entry visas; reciprocity and other border fees; airport departure taxes, unless otherwise noted; excess baggage charges; all gratuities; meals other than those specified in the itinerary; beverages other than those noted in inclusions above or specified in the itinerary; any meals for your guide if you invite him/her to dine with you; sightseeing not included in the itinerary; and personal expenses such as laundry, communication charges, Internet access; and optional activities (which are subject to availability).

HOTEL CHECK-IN

Most hotels allow check-in to take place during the midafternoon. Should you wish to have a guaranteed room ready for your immediate check-in upon arrival, it can be arranged for an additional charge. Please ask A&K for details and prices.

SPECIAL REQUESTS

Specific requests such as adjacent or connecting rooms, types of beds, smoking rooms and special dietary needs should be advised at time of booking. Please note that while every effort will be made to secure a special request, it cannot be guaranteed.

ITINERARIES

A&K reserves the right to modify program itineraries, including arranged sightseeing, and substitute accommodations, including vessels and trains, at any time due to unforeseen circumstances or those beyond A&K's control. Every effort will be made to operate itineraries as planned, but alterations may occur after the final itinerary has been issued. All scheduled sightseeing has been confirmed in advance, but venues including wildlife reserves, museums and other points of interest can change their hours of operations at short notice. If this occurs, your guide will offer alternative arrangements.

AIR TRANSPORTATION

International airfare (to the journey starting point and from the ending point) is not included in program pricing. A&K USA, LLC, has special agreements with many air carriers and can offer quotations from any gateway. Some journeys require internal flights as specified in the itinerary. This airfare is typically not included and must be purchased from A&K in addition to the journey. In the instance where charter flights are used and seating is limited, A&K reserves the right to substitute and confirm air reservations on a suitable alternative scheduled air flight. All internal air is based on economy class seating and is 100% non-refundable at time of air purchase. All international and internal air quotes are subject to change until final payment has been received by A&K. Flight confirmation is based on availability. Air reservations cannot be confirmed until a passport copy is received by A&K.

All air carriers are independent contractors and are not owned, managed, controlled or operated by A&K. Your airline ticket constitutes a contract between yourself and the airlines (and not A&K), even if purchased through A&K. A&K is not liable for, and does not assume responsibility or accept claims with regard to, seat assignments, name changes, schedule changes, flight changes and/or cancellations. Should you change or cancel your air transportation arrangements before or after your travel begins, all airline change and cancellation fees will apply.

BAGGAGE

A&K provides portage of two (2) pieces of baggage per person. Please note should your journey include internal/domestic or charter flights, your luggage allowance may be less than two (2) pieces of baggage and weight/size restrictions may apply. Details will be provided in your Pre-Travel Documentation. Baggage and personal effects are at the owner's risk throughout the travel program, and A&K assumes no liability for lost or damaged baggage. Please check with your international carrier for other baggage restrictions and fees applicable to your international flights.

PRICES AND ARRANGEMENTS

Quoted program prices are per person, double occupancy except where indicated. Although not expected, published prices may be modified due to unexpected significant external factors not forecasted. A&K is under no obligation to give a breakdown in costs of any journey. Any modifications to a Tailor Made itinerary including dates or number of people travelling will require a revised proposal.

CHILD POLICY

No minimum age is required unless noted on the itinerary and all children under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Some activities contained within an itinerary may have a different age restriction than the overall minimum age requirement. Details will be provided at the time of booking.

ACTIVE ELEMENTS & CONDUCT

Some active elements have been incorporated into select itineraries. To enjoy the trip as intended, a minimum level of fitness is required. A&K will require notice if any participant has any physical or other condition or disability that could create a hazard to him or herself. A&K reserves the right to decline acceptance of anyone whom it considers unsuitable due to fitness level. A&K also reserves the right to remove from the trip, at the participant's own expense, anyone whose physical condition or conduct negatively impacts the enjoyment of the other guests.

A&K'S GUEST PROTECTION PROGRAM

Our Guest Protection Program, which provides cancellation coverage, medical coverage and protection against lost or damaged luggage, is not included in the program price and is recommended. The plan must be purchased within 14 days of deposit in order to waive the pre-existing medical condition exclusion. Call A&K for details.

PASSPORTS AND VISAS

It is the guest's sole responsibility to obtain, and have available when necessary, the appropriate valid travel documents. All guests are advised to check with the appropriate government authority to determine the necessary documents. A valid passport is required for U.S. citizens travelling to all international destinations. Passports must be valid for six (6) months after the return of your journey and should also have sufficient blank pages for visas and immigration stamps. Many destinations also require a visa for U.S. citizens; this will be indicated in your Pre-Travel Documentation. Non-U.S. citizens should contact the appropriate consular office for entry requirements pertaining to their journey. If you do not have proper documentation, you may be refused boarding or disembarked from a vessel, without A&K being liable for refund, payment, compensation or credit of any kind. You will be subject to any fine or other costs incurred by A&K, which result from improper documentation or non-compliance with applicable regulations.

RESERVATION AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Deposit per person required at time of booking:

A deposit of \$1,000 per person for Signature Series and 25% of the program price for Tailor Made is required at the time of booking. Final payment is due 120 days prior to departure. If your reservation is made within 120 days of departure, the entire cost of the trip must be paid at the time of the request in order to secure confirmation. Additional deposits may be required for planes, vessels and trains, including private charters; exclusive, private use of accommodations or venues; and groups of 15 or more. An additional nonrefundable permit fee is required at the time of booking for gorilla trekking in Uganda (\$1,350 per person) and Rwanda (\$1,575 per person).

CANCELLATION CHARGES

Cancellations must be received in writing and will become effective on the date of receipt, fax or email. Cancellations received by A&K are subject to the following:

CANCELLATION FEES PER PERSON

121 days prior to departure or more	Signature Series: \$500 Tailor Made: 10% of the program price to a maximum of \$2,500 per person. Additional cancellation penalties may apply to planes, vessels and trains including private charters; exclusive private use of accommodations or venues; and groups of 15 or more.
120-91 days prior to departure	20% of program price (<i>Signature Series and Tailor Made</i>)
90-61 days prior to departure	50% of program price (<i>Signature Series and Tailor Made</i>)

60 days prior to departure or less *100% of the program price (Signature Series and Tailor Made)*

Changes to the Itinerary:

The guest will be responsible for any changes or cancellations made to the itinerary at their request or beyond their control, before or during travel, including expenses incurred due to a change, delay or cancellation of any flights. If guest cancels or leaves a journey and a roommate remains, an additional supplement may apply to the price for the remaining guest.

CANCELLATION CHARGES FOR EXTRA SERVICES

Additional hotel nights and other extra services booked in connection with A&K programs are subject to specific cancellation penalties. These will be provided at the time of booking and noted on the invoice.

CLAIMS AND REFUNDS

Refunds are not made for any missed services, except for verifiable, extenuating circumstances. Please see our Limits on A&K's Responsibility clause below. For verifiable claims to be considered, they must be received in writing within 30 days of the termination of the program and be accompanied by supporting documentation and/or a statement from the local destination company verifying the claim. Any adjustment consideration will be based on the actual price of the services involved and not on a per diem basis. Adjustments will not be made for unused sightseeing trips or meals. A&K will not accept any liability for any claims that are not received within 30 days of the termination of your travel program.

PHOTOGRAPHY DURING TRAVEL

A&K reserves the right to take photographs during the operation of any program, or part thereof, and to use them for promotional purposes. By booking a program with A&K, guests agree to allow their images to be used in such photographs. Guests who prefer that their images not be used are asked to identify themselves to their Tour Director at the beginning of their program.

LIMITS ON ABERCROMBIE & KENT'S RESPONSIBILITY

A&K, its employees, shareholders, officers, directors, successors, agents and assigns, does not own or operate any property or entity which is to or does provide goods or services for your trip. It purchases transportation (by aircraft, coach, train, vessel or otherwise), hotel and other lodging accommodations, restaurant, ground handling and other services from various independent suppliers (including from time to time other affiliated A&K companies). All such persons and entities are independent contractors. As a result, A&K is not liable for any negligent or willful act of any such person or entity or of any third person. In addition and without limitation, A&K is not responsible for any injury, financial or physical loss, death, inconvenience, delay or damage to personal property in connection with the provision of any goods or services whether resulting from but not limited to acts of God or force majeure, illness, disease, acts of war, civil unrest, insurrection or revolt, animals, strikes or other labor activities, criminal or terrorist activities of any kind, overbooking or downgrading of services, food poisoning, mechanical or other failure of aircraft or other means of transportation or for failure of any transportation mechanism to arrive or depart on time.

There are many inherent risks in adventure travel of the type involved here, which can lead to illness, injury, or even death. These risks are increased by the fact that these trips take place in remote locations, far from medical facilities. Guest assumes all such risks associated with participating in these trips.

If you decide to participate in any activities including, but not limited to, any excursions involving animals, riding on animals, SCUBA diving, snorkeling, hot air ballooning, ziplining, high altitude treks, climbing, whitewater rafting, primate tracking and any activity which A&K considers to carry inherent risk of serious illness, injury or death ("Activities"), then you fully understand and acknowledge that Activities carry with them various inherent risks, including serious illness, injury or death and you take complete responsibility for your own health and safety and agree to assume all risks of injury, illness or death, whether foreseen or unforeseen, that may befall you as a result of participating in any Activities and agree to release A&K and its affiliates, their agents, employees and representatives from any liability whatsoever related thereto.

Further, as consideration for being permitted to participate in the Activities, you release A&K, whether known or unknown, from, and agree not to sue or make claim against A&K for, property damage, cancellation of any Activities for any reason, illness, negligent rescue operations or procedures, personal injury, or death arising out of your participation in the Activities, and any activity related thereto, including transportation to and from the site of the Activities, regardless of whether such property damage, illness, personal injury, or death results from the negligence of A&K (but not its reckless, willful, or fraudulent conduct), and/or from any defect in equipment.

You further agree to indemnify and hold A&K harmless with respect to any claim made against A&K by anyone else which (a) related to your participation, or (b) which would be subject to the above release and covenant not to sue if you had made the claim directly yourself.

TRAVEL ADVISORIES AND WARNINGS

It is the responsibility of the guest to become informed about the most current travel advisories and warnings by referring to the U.S. State Department's travel website at travel.state.gov or by phone at 888 407 4747. In the event of an active State Department Travel Warning against travel to the specific destination location(s) of the trip, should the guest still choose to travel, notwithstanding any travel advisory or warning, the guest assumes all risk of personal injury, death or property damage that may arise out of the events like those advised or warned against.

ARBITRATION AGREEMENT

Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to these **Terms and Conditions**; to the **Limits on A&K's Responsibility** clause; to any A&K brochure; to any information regarding any A&K trip, service or package; or to any A&K-related trip, activity, service or package shall be submitted exclusively to and resolved in binding arbitration in Chicago, Illinois under the CPR International Non-administered Arbitration Rules (which can be found at cpradr.org), before a single arbitrator appointed by CPR. Any party or their representative may appear for the arbitration by telephone or video conference. Each party shall bear its own fees, costs and expenses and an equal share of any arbitrator and administrative fees.

GUESTS' REPRESENTATIONS

The guest represents that neither he nor she nor anyone travelling with him or her has any physical or other condition or disability that could create a hazard to himself or herself or other members of the tour. A&K reserves the right to decline to accept anyone on a trip, and to remove from the trip, at his or her sole expense, anyone whose condition is such that he or she could create a hazard to himself or others, or otherwise impact the enjoyment of other guests on the trip.

ANY PAYMENT TO A&K CONSTITUTES YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET OUT HEREIN AND IN MORE SPECIFIC PRE-TRAVEL DOCUMENTATION, INCLUDING THE GUEST INFORMATION FORM.

A&K accepts all major credit cards.

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CHECKLIST

We have prepared the list below as a helpful reminder as you make final preparations for your journey. You can find more details on these and other topics in the Destination Information section in your booklet.

PASSPORT & VISA

- Check the **validity date** on your passport. Many countries require that your passport is valid at least six months following your visit.
- Make sure you have enough **blank visa pages** in your passport for every country you will visit.
- Confirm that you have the necessary **visas** for all the countries on your itinerary. See the Destination Information section for details on visa requirements.

MEDICATIONS/VACCINATIONS

- If you received any vaccinations in preparation for your journey, pack your **vaccination certificates** in your personal carry-on baggage in case you are asked to show them on arrival.
- Make sure that any **medications** you pack, as well as **copies of your prescriptions**, are also packed in your carry-on luggage and not in your checked baggage.

GRATUITIES

- Set aside some currency for **gratuities**. We have included guidelines at the end of the Destination Information section. Remember that these are only suggestions — any decisions involving tipping rest entirely with you.

BAGGAGE

- Confirm baggage limitations with your international carrier before packing. Remember that airlines can change their baggage restrictions at any time.
- Note that baggage allowances on internal flights can be much more restrictive than on international flights. Refer to the Destination Information section for packing guidelines.

YELLOW LUGGAGE TAGS

- Included in this package are yellow A&K tags to aid our local staff in handling your luggage. Fill in your **personal information** on the inside and write your **last name** on the strip provided on the back.

FLIGHTS

- Be sure to **reconfirm** your international flights 24 hours prior to your departure.
- Tickets for any internal flights, if included on your itinerary, will be issued by A&K representatives at your destination and presented to you on arrival.

WHO TO CONTACT

- We have provided a duplicate Contact List for you to leave with someone at home should you need to be reached while travelling. You will find it behind the Contacts tab.
- Should you encounter a problem on Journey, please **contact your local representative** at the number provided on that list.

DESTINATION INFORMATION FOR CAMBODIA & VIETNAM

What You Need to Know Before You Go

PASSPORT AND VISAS INFORMATION

In order to enter Cambodia and Vietnam as a citizen of the United States, you will need:

A signed, valid passport. Your passport must remain valid for at least 6 months beyond the completion of your trip. It is also imperative that your passport has at least 1 blank visa page available for entry and exit stamps for each country visited on your specific tour. Additional blank pages are always a prudent precaution.

Please contact our partner, VisaCentral for easy, efficient passport and visa processing. Call 844 823 1224 and reference A&K's account number 73001 or visit our Travel Store at www.abercrombiekent.com/travel_store.

If you are not a citizen of the United States, your entry requirements may vary. Please consult your nearest diplomatic or consular office of the country or countries you will be visiting.

You will also need a tourist visa to enter **Cambodia** and **Vietnam**.

Tourist visas for **Cambodia** are available in advance or on arrival. We request that all guests obtain their Cambodian visa on arrival. The current cost for obtaining a single-entry Cambodian visa on arrival is USD \$30 (subject to change without notice) and 2 passport sized photos are required.

Tourist visas for **Vietnam** must be obtained prior to arrival in country.

Please be aware that Cambodia and Vietnam both require a valid visa for each entry into the country. Therefore, if your itinerary has you entering/leaving/re-entering either country, you will need to obtain multiple entry visas.

CONSULAR INFORMATION

The U.S. State Department provides Country Specific Information sheets for every country in the world, as well as Travel Alerts and Warnings. Find this information by calling 888 407 4747 or 202 501 4444 or online at travel.state.gov.

CURRENCY

Cambodia's unit of currency is the Riel. U.S. dollars are widely accepted. Major credit cards can be used at some hotels and shops and service fee of about 3.5% may be charged.

Vietnam's unit of currency is the New Dong. U.S. dollars are widely accepted for payment. Major credit cards can be used for most transactions in hotels with an international affiliation, though a service charge of up to 3% may be imposed. There are ATMs in Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City, but international access is limited and undependable.

In all of these countries exchange money only at authorized outlets such as currency exchange kiosks, banks and hotels. Only exchange what you feel you will need while visiting. Save all receipts from any currency transaction. You may be asked to produce them when you exit the country, and they are required if you intend to reconvert local currency.

We suggest travelling with some U.S. dollars to be exchanged for local currency and at least two major credit cards. Notify your credit card company of your travel plans prior to your departure to avoid any fraud concerns.

We do not recommend traveller's checks as they are not as widely accepted as in previous years.

HEALTH

It is important to familiarize yourself with any potential health issues or concerns related to your destination, and so we strongly recommend consulting the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) for up-to-date information on required and recommended vaccines and medications. Visit them online at wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel or call 800 232 4636. Plan to visit your doctor or local travel clinic at least 4-6 weeks before departure to allow time for any vaccinations to take effect or to fill any prescriptions.

Required Vaccination

A yellow fever vaccination is required to enter Cambodia and Vietnam only if you are arriving from or have transited through a yellow fever endemic area in South America or Africa. The CDC provides a current list of all affected countries. If vaccination for yellow fever is necessary, you must carry an International Certificate of Vaccination provided by your physician; without it, you may be denied entry. If your physician advises against receiving the vaccination because of your personal medical history, he or she can provide you with the necessary documentation for the country(ies) that you are visiting.

WEATHER

Southeast Asia is tropical: the weather is generally very warm throughout the year, humidity is high and it rains often. The seasons can be broken down into hot, wet and dry, with the relatively cool dry season from November to February. Southeast Asia is also home to many mountains, and conditions are generally cooler in the highlands.

Use a website such as weather.com to find average temperatures and rainfall during your travel times.

ELECTRICITY

The Cambodia and Vietnam supply electricity at 220 volts / 50 hertz. To protect your electronic devices, we recommend that you carry an electrical adapter set.

Please refer to the "Electrical Adapter Guide For Global Travel" included in your pre-tour materials.

WHAT TO PACK

Comfortable, casual clothing in natural, "breathable" fabrics. Choose versatile styles that can be layered if the weather (or level of air-conditioning) requires. In most areas, long, loose Bermuda-style shorts are becoming increasingly acceptable for both sexes, but women may feel more comfortable in a skirt or long trousers.

Conservative dress is suggested when visiting temples and other religious sites. We suggest that you pack clothing that covers knees, shoulders and upper arms. You may also be asked to remove your shoes and/or socks when entering certain religious buildings.

Somewhat smarter, but still casual, clothing is appropriate for evening dining in big-city or resort restaurants. Formal clothing is not necessary.

A lightweight (preferably non-plastic) raincoat or poncho. A sweater or lightweight jacket for evenings and fiercely air-conditioned interiors.

Comfortable, soft-soled walking shoes with low or no heels. Sandals may not be comfortable for some sightseeing activities.

Sunglasses, sun block and a sunhat. Some hotels have pools, so you may wish to pack your swimming suit.

A small, powerful flashlight in case of a local power failure.

Lightweight binoculars, useful for sightseeing.

If you wear eyeglasses or contact lenses, be sure to pack an extra pair(s).

Simple first-aid kit. Prescriptions and medications (We recommend you carry these in their original bottles and/or packaging.)

Charging cables for electronics.

Note: Laundry service is available at most hotels; dry cleaning is available in larger cities.

Baggage Restrictions

Domestic flights within Southeast Asia limit Economy Class luggage to approximately 44 pounds of checked baggage per passenger, and Business Class luggage to approximately 66 pounds per passenger.

Domestic flights within Cambodia and international flights on Bangkok Airways allow approximately 11 pounds for carry-on bags. All other flights allow approximately 15 pounds for carry-on bags.

As a preventative measure, it is recommended that all luggage be secured with a TSA approved lock.

What You Need to Know When You Arrive

TIME ZONES

Cambodia and Vietnam operate on Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) + 7 hours.

At 9:00 a.m. in these countries, it is:

EST	9:00 p.m. the previous day
CST	8:00 p.m. the previous day
MST	7:00 p.m. the previous day
PST	6:00 p.m. the previous day

Note that these countries do not observe daylight savings time, so adjust the above times accordingly.

LANGUAGE

The national language of **Cambodia** is Khmer. Though simple in construction, Khmer sentences achieve high levels of specificity through an extensive and very precise vocabulary. Among educated citizens of more than 40 years of age, French is often a second language, while younger people in urban areas tend to learn English. In rural areas, foreign language speakers are rare.

In **Vietnam**, the national language is Vietnamese, with northern (Hanoi), southern (Ho Chi Minh City) and central (Hue) dialects. Vietnamese is a tonal language, in which words derive meaning from one of six tones in which they are spoken. Among educated citizens of more than forty years of age, French is often a second language, while younger people in urban areas tend to learn English. In rural areas, foreign language speakers are rare.

AIRPORT INFORMATION

At international airports in Southeast Asia, passengers cannot be met inside secured areas. This includes Immigration, Customs halls and Baggage Claim. Your A&K representative will greet you as you exit these restricted areas; look for the person holding the distinctive A&K signboard.

Before departing, remember to tag your checked luggage with the A&K luggage tags provided. These brightly colored markers help identify you and your luggage quickly.

PROTECTION AND PRECAUTIONS

Use the safes where available in your accommodations to secure your valuables, especially passports, medications, jewelry, money and electronics. If you must carry valuables, keep them on your person at all times. Be mindful of your surroundings and take extra caution in crowds.

Photocopy the personal information pages of your passport; leave one copy with a family member or friend and pack another separately from the passport itself. You may want to scan and email a copy to yourself for easy, online access. This will help you to quickly secure a replacement should the need arise.

ETIQUETTE AND PHOTOGRAPHY

Unless you are shooting a crowded public scene, it is considered courteous to ask permission before taking pictures of local people, especially small children. Please be respectful of local people who do not care to be photographed.

Photography is not permitted at some locations, which may include government buildings, museums, art galleries, private houses, etc. These areas are usually clearly marked. If in doubt, please ask; this will avoid having your camera confiscated.

Be sure to pack ample amounts of batteries and memory cards or film for your camera and video equipment, along with the appropriate charging cables. A dustproof case or sealable plastic bags and lens brush are also recommended.

FOOD AND DRINK

Do not use tap water for drinking or brushing your teeth. Even "purified" water in open containers should be avoided. It is always preferable and safer to use only bottled water.

Regardless of precautions, changes in water and diet can result in mild abdominal upsets and nausea. To prevent serious illness, avoid suspect foods such as uncooked vegetables, peeled fruit, unpasteurized milk and milk products. Beware of any food or drink sold by street vendors.

SHOPPING

Many A&K guests enjoy the chance to purchase items that reflect their destination, and so as a courtesy, your guide may recommend a particular shop or arrange a shopping visit. Please note, however, that these recommendations should not be taken as A&K's endorsement of the shop, merchandise and/or pricing. You assume all responsibility for any transactions that take place, including shipping arrangements that are made.

The decision to shop while travelling is a personal choice and shopping is never compulsory. If at any point during your journey you feel pressured to shop or make purchases, please immediately discuss the matter with your Abercrombie & Kent representative.

In Southeast Asia, many stores offer fixed prices; in the free markets, bargaining is accepted and expected.

To avoid disappointment, we suggest the following guidelines:

- Compute the exchange rate and thoroughly review credit card receipts before signing.
- Take your purchases home with you whenever possible. Airfreight can take many months and actual shipping charges can be excessive. Customs delays, fees and regulations can further complicate the issue. If you choose to ship purchases, we suggest taking a picture of the item(s) and/or marking them in some way to ensure you receive what was purchased. For example, you could write your name on the backside of a rug. Determine if your shipment will be delivered door-to-door or to the nearest customs facility, as is often the case. Most goods shipped from other countries to the United States are subject to Customs duty.
- Duty taxes, if applicable, are paid as you re-enter the United States. Regardless of assurances by merchants, these cannot be prepaid on your behalf.
- Currently, each person is entitled to an \$800 duty-free exemption, however, may only bring one liter of alcoholic beverages, 200 cigarettes and 100 cigars.

- Keep all sales receipts for items purchased throughout your trip and try to pack all items that you will need to declare together. This will ease the Customs process upon re-entry into the U.S.

Consult the U.S. Customs and Border Protection website for more details.

<http://www.cbp.gov/>

COMMUNICATIONS

Contact your cellular telephone provider to determine if your phone operates on the Global System for Mobile Communications (GSM) and what, if any, activation may be required. If your phone is not GSM-enabled, you may find that renting a phone specifically designed for use overseas is the most practical option.

TIPPING GUIDELINES

While decisions regarding tipping rest entirely with you, we suggest the following gratuities (noted in U.S. dollars):

Local Guides	\$20 per person, per day (full day)
Drivers	\$10 per person, per day (full day)
Airport Transfer Drivers	\$5 per person, per transfer
Hotel Porters	\$2 per bag
Cruise Vessel	\$15 per person, per day – Gratuities are accepted on board and shared among the staff
Housekeepers	\$2 per person, per night
Included Meals	10-15%
Restaurants or Room Service on own	10-15%

CONTACTS

TAILOR MADE CAMBODIA & VIETNAM

The telephone numbers shown here are exact numbers to be dialed from the U.S. or when using a U.S. smartphone. For calls originating elsewhere, replace 011 with the “+” symbol on your smartphone keypad.

In case of an emergency, please contact:

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