Discover Southeast Alaska

June 23-30, 2023

As we celebrate the 50th anniversary of Great St. Elias, the Statistical and Ecological Succession of (SES) model and international model with the same name, we offer an exclusive opportunity to see Alaska's natural world through the eyes of the experts. Join us on this special tour and experience the beauty and diversity of Southeast Alaska, including Denali National Park and Preserve, the Tongass National Forest, and Wrangell-St. Elias National Park.

**Special Alumni Rate:**

- Category A (Shared Quad) $5,199
- Category AAA (Shared Quad) $6,999
- Deluxe (Shared Quad) $9,199
- Category AAA (Shared Double) $6,495
- Deluxe (Shared Double) $8,695
- Deluxe (Private Double) $10,495
- Single $10,995

**Deposit Payment:**

- $850 per person to secure your reservation
- $500 per person for any pre-tour and/or post-tour

**Important Information:**

- All cancellations must be submitted in writing. If the cancellation notice is received by Orbridge:
  - (a) more than 90 calendar days prior to the program's scheduled departure date, all monies paid to Orbridge for the main program and for any pre-tour and/or post-tour will be refunded in full; (b) between 90 and 60 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 25% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program; (c) between 59 and 31 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 50% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program; (d) within 30 days prior to the scheduled departure date, a 100% cancellation fee will be applied to the full cost of the program.
- Participants must be at least 18 years old. Children under 12 years old are not recommended for this tour as it is a strenuous tour with physical demands.

**Pre-tour Options:**

- **Denali Pre-Tour:** June 18-23, 2023
- **Alaska Inside Passage:** July 3-9, 2023

**To reserve your space:**

- Reserve by Check: Made payable to Orbridge, LLC
- Reserve by Credit Card: American Express, Visa, Mastercard, Discover

**Contact Information:**

- Phone: (866) 639-0079
- Email: uconn.orbridge.com

**Special Group Rate; Limited Offer. Rates are per person based on double occupancy except where noted as Single, in U.S. dollars. Airfare not included.**
**Your 8-Day Itinerary**

**Day 1: Arrive in Juneau – Orientation**
- Welcome to the dynamic, breathtaking world of Alaska.
- Orientation and welcome by your guide.

**Day 2: Auke Bay / Juneau / College Fjord / Juneau**
- **Activity Level:** Level 2 (ability to hike, climb stairs, and stand for extended periods).
- **Focus:** Wildlife, glaciers, and glacial history.
- **Excursions:** Kayaking, fishing, wildlife viewing.

**Day 3: College Fjord / Tracy Arm / Taku Glacier**
- **Activity Level:** Level 4 (ability to hike, climb stairs with assistance, and stand for extended periods).
- **Focus:** Glacier collapse and tidal waves.
- **Excursions:** Hiking, kayaking, whale watching.

**Day 4: Juneau / College Fjord**
- **Activity Level:** Level 1 (ability to walk, climb stairs easily without assistance).
- **Excursions:** Kayaking, wildlife viewing, helicopter tour.

**Day 5: Juneau / College Fjord**
- **Activity Level:** Level 1 (ability to walk, climb stairs easily without assistance).
- **Excursions:** Kayaking, wildlife viewing, helicopter tour.

**Day 6: Juneau / College Fjord**
- **Activity Level:** Level 1 (ability to walk, climb stairs easily without assistance).
- **Excursions:** Kayaking, wildlife viewing, helicopter tour.

**Day 7: Juneau / College Fjord**
- **Activity Level:** Level 1 (ability to walk, climb stairs easily without assistance).
- **Excursions:** Kayaking, wildlife viewing, helicopter tour.

**Day 8: Juneau – Depart**
- **Activity Level:** Level 1 (ability to walk, climb stairs easily without assistance).
- **Excursions:** Kayaking, wildlife viewing, helicopter tour.

**What’s included**
- All meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner.
- All excursions and activities as described in the itinerary.
- Accommodations as described in the itinerary.
- All transportation as described in the itinerary.
- All transfers to and from the airport.
- All gratuities.

**Accommodations**
- **Chichagof Dream**
- Deluxe stateroom: One queen or twin bed, private bathroom with shower.
- King stateroom: One king bed, private bathroom with shower.
- Family stateroom: Two twin beds, a trundle bed, private bathroom with shower.
- **Chichagof Dream**
- Deluxe lounge cabin: One queen bed, private bathroom with shower.
- King lounge cabin: One king bed, private bathroom with shower.

**Highlights & Inclusions**
- **Arctic Circle Flight Tour:** View wildlife from above, including polar bears, caribou, and wolves.
- **Denali National Park:** Visit the highest peak in North America and the home of grizzly bears.
- **Glacier Bay National Park:** Explore the world's largest tidewater glacier.
- **Petersburg:** Experience the charming town of the Ketchikan Gateway.

**Pre-Tour Itinerary**
- **Day 0:** Departure transfer and hotel check-in.
- **Day 1:** Airport arrival and check-in.
- **Day 2:** Welcome reception.
- **Day 3:** Arctic Circle Flight Tour.
- **Day 4:** National Park visit.
- **Day 5:** National Park visit.
- **Day 6:** National Park visit.
- **Day 7:** National Park visit.
- **Day 8:** Departure transfer and airport check-in.

**Post-Tour Itinerary**
- **Day 1:** Airport arrival and check-in.
- **Day 2:** Welcome reception.
- **Day 3:** Arctic Circle Flight Tour.
- **Day 4:** National Park visit.
- **Day 5:** National Park visit.
- **Day 6:** National Park visit.
- **Day 7:** National Park visit.
- **Day 8:** Departure transfer and airport check-in.