



ESSENTIAL INDIA: UDAIPUR POST-TOUR EXTENSION

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Tailor-Made Journeys



India, Indian Subcontinent



3 days, from AU\$1,085pp

Journey Overview

Udaipur is one of Rajasthan's most beautiful cities, built around shimmering, clear blue water lakes which reflect the green hills of the Aravalli ranges. Recognised as the location of a well-known James Bond film, Octopussy, this charming city is filled with Rajput palaces, winding lanes and wonderful handicrafts.

Journey Highlights

Stay in luxury Taj resort positioned on a dramatic landscape in the Aravalli Hills

Explore the City Palace including the crystal room

Cruise on Lake Pichola and be treated to a breathtaking view

Mingle with locals, stroll hidden quarters on a curated walking tour



Itinerary

Day 1: Jaipur - Udaipur

Fly from Jaipur to Udaipur, India's City of Lakes. Receive a warm A&K welcome before you are privately transferred to your luxury accommodation in the surrounding Aravalli Hills.

After some time to relax, join a heritage expert on a walk to discover the hidden quarters of this historic city. Mingle with the locals and watch artisans at work as they create beautiful jewellery, pottery and bamboo craft. Witness the living traditions of the city as your carefully curated tour immerses you in the diverse culture of the area.

Later, take a boat ride on the shimmering waters of Lake Pichola where you are treated to a breathtaking view of the City Palace stretching along the east bank, and Jag Mandir, a marble palace on an island in the middle.

Taj Aravali Resort & Spa (Deluxe Room)

Day 2: Udaipur

Begin with a morning visit to the stunning City Palace, a marble complex that offers unforgettable views of the lake and its surroundings. Continue to the Crystal Gallery in Fateh Prakash Palace and spend time in Jagdish Temple, a lively Hindu temple built by the Mewar dynasty in the Indo-Aryan style. Guarded by two massive stone elephants, the three storied temple is the perfect place to observe the many pilgrims who come to worship here daily.

Spend the afternoon at leisure or partake in an optional activity. Step inside a gallery for an intimate miniature painting workshop where you will under the guidance of an expert learn the basics to this ancient art form. Alternatively, for the more active cycle into the surrounding countryside and meet local famers in the nearby villages (additional charge).

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Day 3: Udaipur - Depart Mumbai or Delhi

Spend a relaxing morning before your transfer to the airport for your onward flight to Mumbai or Delhi.

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Journey Details

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