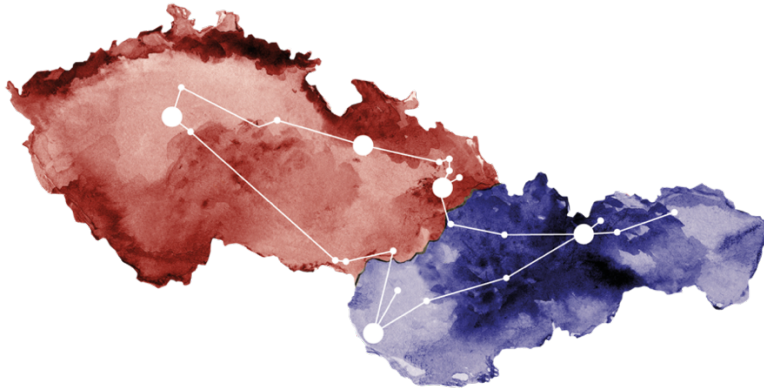


# ITINERARY

## AROUND THE CZECH REPUBLIC & SLOVAKIA

WITH THE T. G. MASARYK CZECH SCHOOL

JULY 27 – AUGUST 9, 2020



The tour cost is **\$2,550** per person (the minimum number of participants is 15, the maximum 24). Accommodation is available in double rooms (single room available for an additional \$660).

Roundtrip airfare is not included and will cost approximately **\$1,200** per economy seat if flying as a part of the group. The final cost will be determined based on the number of participants enrolled after the registration deadline (the minimum number of passengers is 10). This year we will take advantage of the new direct flight operated by American Airlines.

The registration deadline is **Sunday, March 22, 2020**. Non-refundable \$700 deposit is due at registration, the rest of the payment is due on **Friday, May 22, 2020**.

To request the registration form and for any additional questions contact Klára Moldová at [klara@czechschoolchicago.org](mailto:klara@czechschoolchicago.org) or call **+1(773)-543-9255**.

The tour price covers: double room accommodation including buffet breakfasts, 5 nights in Prague and 7 nights outside of Prague. Big bus with AC, English speaking tour guide, welcome lunch and farewell dinner cruise in Prague, 2 dinners and 2 lunches outside of Prague, all the entrance fees.

The tour price doesn't cover: dinners in Prague (except the welcome and farewell ones), extra fees (room service, phones etc.), drinks in the restaurants and on the bus.

*See the reverse side of the flyer for a detailed tour itinerary.*

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**Monday, July 27**

Departure for PRAGUE.

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**Tuesday, July 28 – ROKOKO ★★★★★, Prague****Lunch**

Arrival to PRAGUE, airport pick up, walking tour of the city center followed by a welcome lunch, free evening.

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**Wednesday, July 29 – ROKOKO ★★★★★, Prague****Breakfast**

Czech Schools in the World Conference (optional). Visit to the Museum of Communism. City tour including the VYŠEHRAD church and cemetery. Free evening.

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**Thursday, July 30 – ROKOKO ★★★★★, Prague****Breakfast**

Morning walking tour of the ŽIŽKOV district (Prague 3) including a private tour of the city hall and a visit to the Bethlehem Chapel – one of a few religious cubist buildings in the world. Exhibition at the DOX – Centre for Contemporary Art.

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**Friday, July 31 – DIANA WELLNESS HOTEL ★★★★★, Velké Losiny****Breakfast & Dinner**

Departure for the JESENÍKY mountains with a stop at Jan Palach's monument in VŠETATY. PARDUBICE city tour. Fire-hose factory excursion in TÝNIŠTĚ NAD ORLICÍ.

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**Saturday, August 1 – EROPLÁN HOTEL ★★★★★, Rožnov pod Radhoštěm****Breakfast & Dinner**

Paper manufacture in VELKÉ LOSINY. Onto the BESKYDY Mountains with a stop at the unique hydro power plant DLOUHÉ STRÁNĚ. Visit of the town of KOPŘIVNICE known for its iconic Tatra cars and trucks factory. Stop at HUKVALDY – Leoš Janáček's birth place, and FRENŠTÁT POD RADHOŠTĚM – Albín Polášek's birth place. Arrival to ROŽNOV POD RADHOŠTĚM in late afternoon. Typical regional dinner at "koliba".

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**Sunday, August 2 – GRANDHOTEL KEMPINSKI ★★★★★, Štrbské pleso****Breakfast**

Relaxing morning before departure for SLOVAKIA. Ride through the picturesque KYSUCE region onto TERCHOVÁ known for its local hero Juro Jánošík. Arrival to the TATRA Mountains.

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**Monday, August 3 – GRANDHOTEL KEMPINSKI ★★★★★, Štrbské pleso****Breakfast & Lunch**

Eastern Slovakia full day excursion. Rafting at the Dunajec River in PIENINY Hills, followed by a lunch at the typical restaurant. Continuing to KEŽMAROK to see two unique evengelic churches, one of them made entirely of wood.

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**Tuesday, August 4 – GRANDHOTEL KEMPINSKI ★★★★★, Štrbské pleso****Breakfast**

Full day tour to LEVOČA town and its UNESCO monument – wooden medieval church altar. Continuing to the town of BARDEJOV.

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**Wednesday, August 5 – TATRA BUSINESS HOTEL ★★★★★, Bratislava****Breakfast**

Morning departure for BRATISLAVA via BANSKA BYSTRICA and NITRA.

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**Thursday, August 6 – TATRA BUSINESS HOTEL ★★★★★, Bratislava****Breakfast**

BRATISLAVA city tour with a local guide, LITTLE CARPATHIANS afternoon excursion – visit of the town of MODRA famous for its blue-and-white porcelaine.

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**Friday, August 7 – ROKOKO ★★★★★, Prague****Breakfast & Lunch**

South Moravian wine region – LEDNICE, VALTICE. Quick stop at Josef Lada's birthplace HRUSICE if time permits. Return to PRAGUE.

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**Saturday, August 8 – ROKOKO ★★★★★, Prague.****Breakfast & Dinner**

Free day. Glass of wine at the Lucerna Palace rooftop. Private boat cruise with farewell dinner.

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**Sunday, August 9****Breakfast**

Transfer to the airport, departure for CHICAGO.

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