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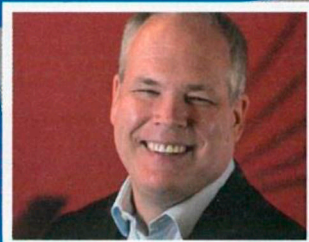
GREAT SCOTS

Scotland's travel providers are ready to 'build the Scottish market', SPAA president tells agents at its annual dinner page 9

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river cruise guide 2014-15



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ASIA	
MEXICO	Amadeus River Cruises
APR River Cruises	Amadeus
Asia Explorer	Asia Explorer
LineEurope	LineEurope
France Voyages	France Voyages
United River Cruises	United River Cruises
HALDING BAY AND RED RIVER	Halving Bay and Red River
AVEYRONNAIS	Aveyronnais
Switzerland	Switzerland
WANGTZE	Wangtze
GAZANGES	Gazanges
BRAN-MAH/TIRA	Bran-Mah/Tira

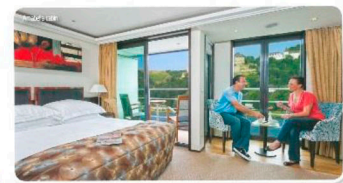
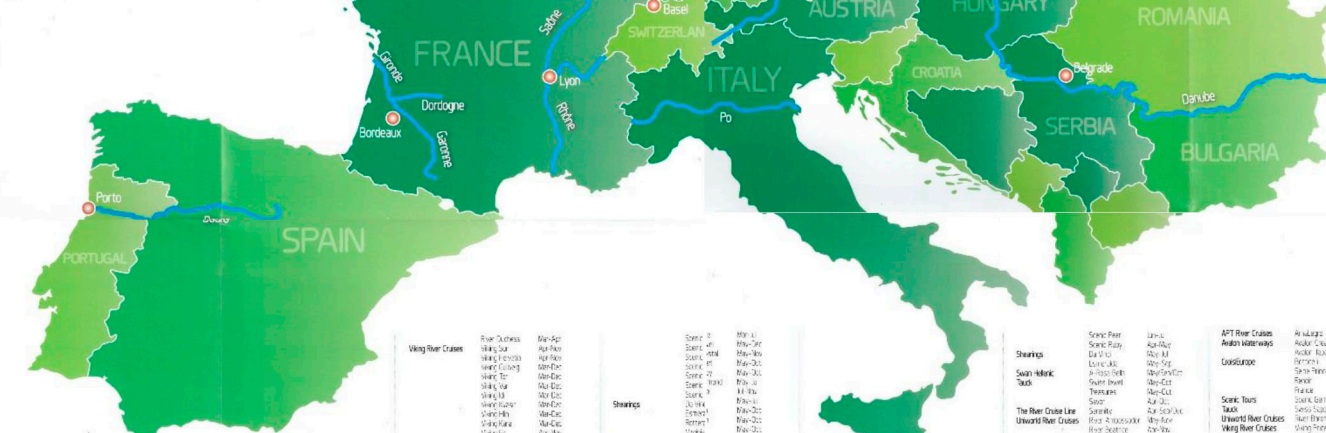
ABOUT THIS GUIDE

The River Cruise Guide lists the companies that sell through the trade in the UK, and own river cruise vessels, plus key operators of their own vessels. A number of other operators also take allocations on the vessels listed.

For a list of UK UK & Ireland river cruise members and associated members, visit the UK website at cruisereport.org

This guide does not offer an exhaustive list of river or vessels, but focuses on the main waterways popular with UK customers. Where appropriate, rivers have been grouped to reflect the make-up of itineraries and programmes on them.

Every effort has been made to ensure this list is accurate, with all cruise information as supplied by the river operators and correct as of October 2014.



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THE US	
MEXICO	Amadeus River Cruises
APR River Cruises	Amadeus
COLUMBIA RIVER	Columbia River
LATIN AMERICA	Latin America
AFRICA	Africa
CHINA	China
THE NILE	Nile

EUROPE

RHINE AND ITS TRIBUTARIES	Amadeus River Cruises
Aveyronnais	Aveyronnais
APR River Cruises	Amadeus
Switzerland	Switzerland
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REST OF THE WORLD

ASIA

MEKONG

Amadeus River Cruises	Mekong Navigator	Jan-Apr/Sep-Oct
AmaWaterways	AmaLotus	Year round
	AmaDara	Aug-Dec
APT River Cruises	AmaLotus	Jun-Apr
	AmaDara	Jun-Apr
Travelmarvel by APT	La Marguerite	Jun-Apr
Aqua Expeditions	Aqua Mekong	Year round
Avalon Waterways	Avalon Siem Reap	Jan-Mar/Jun-Dec
CroisiEurope	Indochina	Jan-Apr
Mekong River Cruises	Mekong Sun*	Jul-Apr
	Mekong Explorer*	Nov-Mar
Pandaw Expeditions	Mekong Pandaw	Jul-Mar
	Bassac Pandaw	Jul-Mar
	Tonle Pandaw	Jul-Apr
	Angkor Pandaw	Jun-Mar
	Laos Pandaw*	Nov-Jan
Uniworld River Cruises	River Orchid	Jan-Mar/Jul-Dec
Viking River Cruises	Viking Mekong	Jan-Apr/Jul-Dec

* Sails the Mekong in Laos

HALONG BAY AND RED RIVER

Pandaw Expeditions	Angkor Pandaw	Jun-Mar
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AYEYARWADY

Amadeus River Cruises	Irrawaddy Explorer	Mar/Nov-Dec
AmaWaterways	AmaPura	Jan-Apr/Aug-Dec
Avalon Waterways	Avalon Myanmar	Sep-Dec
Belmond	Road to Mandalay	Jan-Apr/Aug-Dec
	Orcaella	Jan-Apr/Jul-Dec
Pandaw Expeditions	Katha Pandaw	Jul-Mar
	Orient Pandaw	Jul-Apr
	Indochina Pandaw	Jul-Apr
	Pandaw 2	Jul-Mar
	Kalay Pandaw	Jul-Mar
	Kindat Pandaw	Jul-Mar
	RV Kalaw Pandaw	Jul-Apr
	RV Kha Byoo	Jul-Mar
Sanctuary Retreats	Sanctuary Ananda	Jan-Apr/Jul-Dec
Viking River Cruises	Viking Mandalay	Jan-Apr/Sep-Dec

* Travelmarvel by APT has announced that it will offer the Ayeeyarwady onboard RV Princess Panhwar from Jan 2016-March 2017

YANGTZE

APT River Cruises	Sanctuary Yangzi Explorer	Mar-Jun/Aug-Dec
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Travelmarvel by APT	Victoria Jenna	May-Jun/Aug-Oct
Century River Cruises	Century Diamond	Year-round
	Century Emerald	Year-round
	Century Legend	Year-round
	Century Paragon	Year-round
	Century Sky	Year-round
	Century Star	Year-round
	Century Sun	Year-round
Sanctuary Retreats	Yangtze Explorer	Mar-Nov
Victoria Cruises	Victoria Anna	Year-round
	Victoria Grace	Year-round
	Victoria Jenna	Year-round
	Victoria Katarina	Year-round
	Victoria Lianna	Year-round
	Victoria Sophia	Year-round
	Victoria Selina	Year-round
Viking River Cruises	Viking Emerald	Mar-Oct

GANGES

APT River Cruises	Ganges Voyager	Jan-Mar/Sep/Nov
Travelmarvel by APT	Rajmahal	Jan-Mar/Sep/Nov

BRAHMAPUTRA

Far Horizons India	Mahabaahu	Jan-May/Oct-Dec
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THE US

MISSISSIPPI

American Queen	American Queen	Feb-Dec
Steamboat Company	Queen of the Mississippi	Feb-Dec
American Cruise Lines	American Eagle	Mar-Dec
APT River Cruises	Queen of the Mississippi	Apr-Jun/Sep

COLUMBIA RIVER

American Queen	American Express	Apr-Nov
Steamboat Company	Queen of the North	Mar-Nov
American Cruise Lines	Queen of the North	Mar-Nov

LATIN AMERICA

AMAZON

Aqua Expeditions	Aqua Amazon	Year-round
	Aria Amazon	Year-round
Avalon Waterways	Aria	Jan-May/Jul-Nov

AFRICA

CHOBE

AmaWaterways	Zambezi Queen	Mar-Nov
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THE NILE

The Foreign and Commonwealth Office has lifted its advisory against travel to Egypt and Nile cruises are again operating but many companies are waiting for long-term stability to return before relaunching their Nile river cruise programmes. Discover Egypt, Sanctuary Retreats, Kuoni, Thomson Holidays, Bales Tours and Uniworld Boutique River Cruises are among operators who have relaunched their programmes.