



### AN INTERCONTINENTAL ITINERARY

Welcome to Central Vietnam



## DAY 1 | DISCOVER CENTRAL VIETNAM WITH INTERCONTINENTAL DANANG

Enjoy rainforest adventures, fire-breathing dragons, historic laneways and rice fields – you and your group will unlock iconic and unforgettable experiences, especially created for you to share and discover.









#### YOUR ARRIVAL

#### A WOW Journey

Just 30 minutes from the airport, the transfer to InterContinental is jaw-droppingly beautiful. You'll pass over the Dragon Bridge – famous for its ability to breathe fire; you'll move along one of the most gorgeous beach promenades in Asia; and finally you'll traverse a stunning coastal road, where rainforest-clad cliffs meet the ocean below. Getting here is half the fun!

As the road winds through the lush, beautiful rainforest, you'll glimpse snippets of exotic rooftops; a preview of the captivating locally-inspired architecture of creative genius Bill Bensley.

Alighting at the lobby, this is just a teaser of what's to come.

#### AFTERNOON

#### Settling into Paradise

Your group will want to spend the afternoon exploring: our botanical garden-like paths, our postcard-worthy private beach... and everyone's favourite, our funicular railway that runs up and down the mountainside, inviting easy exploration and a great setting for selfie videos! We will also arrange a private Design Tour, showcasing the imaginative interiors of "starchitect" Bill Bensley. There is literally a surprise around every corner!

#### **EVENING**

#### A Long Welcome at Vietnam's Longest Bar

Bring the group together with welcome cocktails at our stylish beachside bar. With huge daybeds for relaxing and socializing, the bar is open air and also offers lawns and gardens for cocktails, entertainment and welcome festivities.

#### A Beachy Bonfire Vietnamese BBQ

As the sun sets, let your group gather for a lively lantern-lit Vietnamese beach barbeque party. We'll organize live entertainment or a DJ, and our chefs will offer up freshly caught delights from today's fishermen. You'll dance and celebrate under the stars with the sound of the surf and in the soft evening air.

# DAY 2 HOLAN WHERE ANCIENT STREETS COME ALIVE



#### MORNING

#### Discover the Secrets of My Son

A short drive away, My Son is a UNESCO Heritage Site dating from the 4th to 13th Centuries. An expert guide will explain the Champa culture which created this fascination temple complex, which is known as Vietnam's "Ankor Wat".

#### AFTERNOON

#### Hoi An Adventures

Then you'll move on to picturesque Hoi An, a town unlike any other in Vietnam. A bustling trading capital from the 15th to 19th centuries, is has been beautifully preserved and packed with things to see and do. Start with lunch at Vietnam's best banh mi stall!

#### Rice Paddy Riding

We'll organize either a bicycle or Vespa tour through the lush rice paddies which encircle the town. You'll get a glimpse of daily life, see water buffalœs and meet rice farmers – and enjoy a taste of Vietnam's famous coffee.

#### A Suit of Your Own (or a shirt, or a skirt...)

As one of Asia's tailoring capitals, Hoi An is the perfect place to perk up your wardrobe. We will introduce you to the town's top tailoring operation, and your group will be delighted with the quality, choice and affordability. No wonder people leave here so well-dressed!

#### **EVENING**

#### The Bamboo Circus

Enter the evening with the mesmerizing Bamboo Circus. These young performers captivate with an hour-long performance of music, song and acrobatics that transports you to a mystical time in Vietnam's past.

#### A Lantern Lit Fantasy

Hoi An becomes fantastical after dark, as hundreds of colourful lanterns line the streets and alleyways. After dining at a renowned riverside restaurant, your group can hop on board a traditional river boat festooned with lanterns. Truly enchanting!











## DAY 3 | A DIVE INTO NATURE & DESIGN





#### YOUR ARRIVAL

#### Private Nature Discovery

By now, your group will have become acquainted with our monkey neighbours at the resort. This morning our wildlife expert will take you out to spot the stunning Red-shanked Douc Langur, one of the rarest and most colourful monkeys in the world. You'll tour on foot and by buggy, and learn about the fascinating plants and animals that you encounter along with way.

#### A Chef's Food Tour

Zip to town with our Chef for a private exploration of Danang's main food market. Learn the names of fascinating ingredients you can only get in Vietnam. You'll discover vibrant displays of exotic tropical fruits, fresh herbs and sauces, and all sorts of unexpected delicacies that highlight the region's rich culinary traditions.



#### The Land of Giants

Prepare for an unforgettable adventure at Ba Na Hills, an exotic former "hill station" during French colonial times. A cable car will glide you over the rainforest canopy, taking you higher and higher into a misty, magical mountainscape. You'll witness astonishing architecture and Vietnam's most iconic views from the Golden Bridge, where giant stone hands elevate the bridge high into the sky.

#### **EVENING**

#### Dine Around the Resort

InterContinental Danang makes a dine around completely unique. It's a true journey with dining delights on every level of the resort: a Japanese teppanyaki show at Tingara, the Michelinstar creations by Chef Christian Le Squer at La Maison 1888, or gourmet beachside grills at Barefoot. And that's just the start!





# DAY 4 | CAVE SECRETS, SOUND THERAPY & A GALA CELEBRATION







#### YOUR ARRIVAL

#### Caving Exploration

Take a short trip to Marble Mountains, where secret caves house hidden pagodas and a maze of tunnels reveals statues of Buddha nestled in limestone formations. Rock stairways lead you past carvings of deities and up to openings offering beautiful views of the countryside.

#### AFTERNOON

#### Healing Sounds of the Mi Sol Spa

Nestled in nature, our Spa invites you to journey to the resort's lagoon, a hidden enclave at a far corner of the resort. There, with the use of tuning forks for sound therapy, you'll experience a transformation, realigning your energy to feel rejuvenated and refreshed - ready for the party tonight.

#### **EVENING**

#### Grand Gala Dinner

Tonight, we celebrate the end of your journey at the Summit, our multi-experience conference centre. First, you'll recap your incredible week at the Banana Cinema, and then move on to a most memorable dining celebration in the airy Reception Hall. Finish your night at M Club, a monkey-themed nightclub full of whimsy and surprise. You've never seen anything like it! It's the perfect end to an even more perfect week!





Let's make it happen!