



# Vietnam

## Visiting Uncle Ho and Miss Saigon

Feel like the pirates who once took shelter among the many magical rocks and caverns in the emerald-green waters of Halong Bay. The modern façades and rattling mopeds of colonial Saigon are a fascinating contrast to this unique landscape. In the merchant town of Hoi An, we stroll through the narrow streets lined with tailors and artisans. Still have some time left to explore? Then extend your stay to discover the fascinating Angkor Wat temple complex.

- Hanoi and Saigon
- Sailing ship tour on Halong Bay
- Upon request: Phu Quoc extension

9 days

10. Jan. – 18. Jan. 2026

Share a room

**€1729,-**

Have a room all to yourself

**€2129,-**

# Vietnam: Visiting Uncle Ho and Miss Saigon

## Day 1, Sat, 10.01.2026: Arrival in Hanoi

Individual arrival in Hanoi (flights not included). Upon arrival, you are greeted by our representative and transferred to the hotel. In the evening we have a welcome dinner together. D

## Day 2, Sun, 11.01.2026: Xin chào, Vietnam

We explore the **Temple of Literature** where the first university of Vietnam has been founded in 1070.. We are captivated by the Hoan-Kiem-Lake as well as the Temple of Jade Mountain with its burning incense in the middle of the lake. The rest of the afternoon is at your leisure. B

## Day 3, Mon, 12.01.2026: To Halong Bay

In the morning, we set off for Halong Bay. Bizarre rock formations and over 3,000 limestone islands emerge from the crystal-clear waters of **Halong Bay**, creating one of the most beautiful landscapes in Asia. On a junk, a traditional Asian sailing ship, we cruise between the islands. We have lunch and dinner on board and spend the night in cosy simple cabins. B/L/D



## Day 4, Tue, 13.01.2026: Backdrop for adventure

Waking up on the water is like being in a Hollywood movie. Back on land, we make our way to the airport of Hanoi for a flight with Vietnam Airlines to Da Nang. Upon arrival, we continue our journey to Hoi An. B

## Day 5, Wed, 14.01.2026: Hoi An

If you wish, you can explore the area by bike with your Marco Polo guide (additional fee). First, we head to the vegetable village of Tra Que, where we learn about the various stages of rice cultivation. After lunch together, we return to Hoi An. In the afternoon, we explore the old town of Hoi An with its Chinese buildings, colourful lanterns and Japanese Bridge. We end the day with a boat trip on the Thu Bon River. B

## Day 6, Thu, 15.01.2026: Off to Hue

Today, our bus makes its way up the switchbacks to **Ocean Cloud Pass**, Vietnam's weather divide between the subtropical north and the tropical south. On the way to Da Nang, we make a stop at the Marble Mountains and arrive in Hue in the afternoon.



If interested, you can take part in a street food tour through Hue in the evening (additional fee). By cyclo (cycle rickshaw), you head out of the tourist zone and venture into the real Hue. You see many food stands here serving crispy Hue-style pancakes and delicious meat skewers. B

## Day 7, Fri, 16.01.2026: Imperial City of Hue

Hue has remained the cultural and religious centre of Vietnam to this day. Our discovery tour of Hue begins in the morning with a visit to the Thien Mu Pagoda. At the gates of Hue, we marvel at the impressive grounds of the tomb of Emperor Tu Duc. We visit the citadel and the imperial palace of the Nguyen emperors, parts of which have been restored. We are transferred to the airport for a flight to Saigon in the evening. B

## Day 8, Sat, 17.01.2026: Colonial Saigon

The 300-year-old multicultural metropolis is considered Vietnam's boomtown. A tour of the "secret capital" awaits us. We see the cathedral dating back to the French colonial period as well as the Chinese quarter of Cholon. We end the city tour at Ben Thanh Market, where we can pick up a few souvenirs. Over dinner we say goodbye to Vietnam and to our fellow travellers. B/D

## Day 9, Sun, 18.01.2026: Farewell

Transfer to the Ho Chi Minh City Airport to board your flight home (flights not included). B

## PHU QUOC EXTENSION

### Day 9, Sun, 18.01.2026: To Phu Quoc

Transfer to the airport and flight to Phu Quoc. B

### Day 10-11, Mon, 19.01.-Tue, 20.01.2026: Beachlife

Enjoy the amenities of the hotel and spend your time as you wish. B

## Day 12, Wed, 21.01.2026: Farewell

Transfer to the airport and flight home (flights not included). B

B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner



## Flights

International flights not included.

## Hotels

| Place      | Nights | Subject to change<br>Hotel Local classification |      |
|------------|--------|-------------------------------------------------|------|
| Hanoi      | 2      | T Boutique                                      | ***  |
| Halong Bay | 1      | Junk                                            | -    |
| Hoi An     | 2      | Ahoy Boutique<br>Resort and Spa                 | ***  |
| Hue        | 1      | Thanh Lich Royal                                | **** |
| Saigon     | 2      | Central Palace                                  | **** |
| Phu Quoc   | 3      | Green Bay<br>Resort and Spa                     | **** |

## Entry requirements and vaccinations

All foreign nationals entering Vietnam must be in possession of a valid international travel document in the form of a national passport with a valid visa obtained from a Vietnamese Mission or Vietnamese Post abroad (not included). Vaccinations are not required.



## Included in the tour price

- Domestic flights (economy) with Vietnam Airlines from Hanoi to Da Nang and from Hue to Saigon
- Flight/Security fees
- Transfers, excursions, and round trip in standard local air-conditioned coaches
- 7 nights in a shared or single room, 1 night in a shared or single cabin on a junk
- Breakfast, 1x lunch, 1x dinner
- Welcome dinner at a local restaurant
- Farewell dinner at a local restaurant
- Entrance fees according to itinerary
- English-speaking, alternating Marco Polo tour guides in Vietnam

## Included in the tour price/extension

- Flight (economy) from Saigon to Phu Quoc
- Transfer to airport – hotel – airport
- 3 nights in a shared or single room
- Breakfast

## Extras (booked separately)

- Street food tour of Hue 75 €
- Cycling tour in Tra Que incl. lunch 55 €

## Price per person from €

| 9 days          | Main tour |      | Extension |     |
|-----------------|-----------|------|-----------|-----|
|                 | DBL       | SGL  | DBL       | SGL |
| 10.01.-18.01.26 | 1729      | 2129 | 649       | 999 |

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