

TAILOR-MADE ITINERARY



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Itinerary for:	Dr Christopher Smith & Party
Departing:	02 November 2013
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Thank you for your enquiry/booking with TAS Travel

It is your responsibility to ensure that all passengers on this booking hold valid passports. Passports must be 6 months valid before departure. Your visa, unless otherwise specified, is already included in the cost of your tour.

Insurance is mandatory for all travel arrangements. Please contact us should you require a quotation for your insurance.

Below are the details of the itinerary. If anything is not clear or differs from what was agreed, then please contact us immediately.

Price Includes:

- * International Flights * Internal Flights
- * English Speaking Guides * Airport Taxes
- * Transfers and Transport * Visa Fees
- * Entrance fees to the sites * 4 star hotels
- * All meals as stated

Price Excludes:

- * Tips and Gratuities * Personal Spending
- * Flight Upgrades * Travel Insurance
- * Hotel Upgrades

Day 1 - Saturday 02 November 2013

Flight: Qatar Airways Manchester Airport to Doha flight QR024
This flight has a journey time of 09 hours 54 minutes
Departing from: Manchester Airport
Reporting time: 12:05
Departure time: 14:05
Arrival date: 02 Nov 2013

Day 2 - Sunday 03 November 2013

Flight: Qatar Airways Doha to Bangkok Suvarnabhumi flight QR828
This flight has a journey time of 10 hours 15 minutes
Departing from: Doha
Reporting time: 23:15
Departure time: 01:15
Arrival date: 03 Nov 2013

Flight: **Bangkok Suvarnabhumi to Siem Reap International flight PG913**

This flight has a journey time of 01 hours 00 minutes

Departing from: Bangkok Suvarnabhumi

Reporting time: 11:55

Departure time: 13:55

Arrival date: 03 Nov 2013

Accommodation: **Tara Angkor Hotel for 3 nights**



Tara Angkor Hotel



Tara Angkor Hotel_Room



Tara Angkor Hotel_Reception

Day 5 - Wednesday 06 November 2013

Flight: **Siem Reap International to Phnom Penh International flight K006**

This flight has a journey time of 00 hours 40 minutes

Departing from: Siem Reap International

Reporting time: 06:50

Departure time: 08:50

Arrival date: 06 Nov 2013

Accommodation: **La Maison D'Ambre for 2 nights**



La Maison D'Ambre



La Maison D'Ambre - Lobby



La Maison D'Ambre - Room

Day 7 - Friday 08 November 2013

Flight: **TBA Phnom Penh International to Noibai International flight TBA**

This flight has a journey time of 00 hours 00 minutes

Departing from: Phnom Penh International

Reporting time: 22:00

Departure time: 00:00

Arrival date: 08 Nov 2013

Accommodation: **Lan Vien Hotel for 2 nights**

The 4* Lan Vien Hotel is well-positioned in the Hoan Kiem District, an ideal point of departure for your excursions in Hanoi. Within easy reach are Museum Of Vietnamese Women, American Club and the Hanoi Opera House. The rooms offer a wide range of amenities such as air conditioning, mini bar, in room safe, internet access, hair dryer.



Deluxe Double Bedroom



Deluxe En Suite/Bathroom



Restuarant

Day 9 - Sunday 10 November 2013

Accommodation: **Bhaya Cruise for 1 nights**

Bhaya Cruises combine oriental style with contemporary luxury. Together these are the perfect recipe for an enchanting and relaxing experience. Embark on a voyage through time – on a vessel recreated from the original designs of 17th century junks with impeccable service fit for an Emperor.



Bhaya Cruise



Bhaya Cruise - Cabin



Bhaya Cruise - Dining

Day 10 - Monday 11 November 2013

Flight: **TBA Noibai International to Da Nang International flight TBA**

This flight has a journey time of 00 hours 00 minutes

Departing from: Noibai International

Reporting time: 22:00

Departure time: 00:00

Arrival date: 11 Nov 2013

Accommodation: **Vinh Hung Resort for 2 nights**



Vinh Hung Resort



Vinh Hung Resort

Day 12 - Wednesday 13 November 2013

Flight: **TBA Da Nang International to Tan Son Nhat International flight TBA**

This flight has a journey time of 00 hours 00 minutes

Departing from: Da Nang International

Reporting time: 22:00

Departure time: 00:00

Arrival date: 13 Nov 2013

Accommodation: **Liberty Central Hotel for 2 nights**



Liberty Central Hotel



Liberty Central Hotel - Lobby



Liberty Central Hotel - Room

Day 14 - Friday 15 November 2013

Accommodation: **Ninh Keui Hotel for 1 nights**



Ninh Keui Hotel



Ninh Keui Hotel

Day 15 - Saturday 16 November 2013

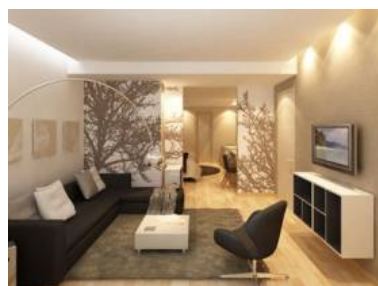
Accommodation: **Liberty Central Hotel for 2 nights**



Liberty Central Hotel



Liberty Central Hotel - Lobby



Liberty Central Hotel - Room

Day 17 - Monday 18 November 2013

Accommodation: **Anantara Mui Ne Resort for 3 nights**



Anantara Mui Ne Resort



Luxurious Deluxe Suite



Superior Villa

Day 20 - Thursday 21 November 2013

Flight: **Qatar Airways Tan Son Nhat International to Doha flight QR965**

This flight has a journey time of 04 hours 20 minutes

Departing from: Tan Son Nhat International

Reporting time: 16:35

Departure time: 18:35

Arrival date: 21 Nov 2013

Day 21 - Friday 22 November 2013

Flight: **Qatar Airways Doha to Manchester Airport flight QR021**

This flight has a journey time of 04 hours 55 minutes

Departing from: Doha

Reporting time: 23:45

Departure time: 01:45

Arrival date: 22 Nov 2013

Further information regarding your itinerary:

ITINERARY

D1 Manchester - Bangkok

Depart Manchester on a flight to Bangkok.

D2 Bangkok Siem Reap

Arrive Bangkok, take a connect flight to Siem Reap. Upon arrival, met and transfer to your hotel.

D3 Siem Reap (B)

This morning, we start to discover the former capital Angkor Thom home to dozens of temples including the enigmatic faces of Bayon, the imposing Terrace of the Elephants, and the three-tiered Baphuon. Preah Khan is a huge, highly explorable monastic complex. Full of carvings, passages and photo opportunities. It originally served as a Buddhist monastery and school, engaging over 1000 monks.

In the afternoon, we visit the famous Angkor Wat, built for king Suryavarman II in the early 12th century as his state temple and capital city. The largest and best-preserved temple at the site, it is the only one to have remained a significant religious centre first Hindu, then Buddhist since its foundation. Bakheng Hill where a beautiful sunset is always be enjoyed.

D4 Siem Reap (B)

Today we will visit more Angkor Temples, Banteay Srey, Banteay Samre, Ta Prohm Temple, and Banteay Kdei.

D5 Siem Reap - Phnom Penh (B) flight K6 0850 - 0930

Breakfast at hotel, we will take a domestic flight to Phnom Penh. You will be welcomed by other local friendly guide and driver who will transfer to check in hotel. We process to visit Ta Moa Zoo which is a 1200 hectares zoo and wildlife rescue centre located 30 kilometres southeast of Phnom Penh in Tro Pang Sap village, Tro Pang Sap commune, Ba Ti district, Takeo province. Next, we come back to Killing Field now become the peaceful stretch of countryside where over 10,000 people were executed. The remains of some of them are stored in a memorial to remind people of the atrocities the Khmer Rouge inflicted on other Khmers.

D6 Phnom Penh (B)

Breakfast at hotel, our first site to visit will be the Royal Palace, the incredible solid silver-floored Silver Pagoda is the pagoda which in the Royal Palace campus, where have thousand of silver tiles on the floor of pagoda and have the biggest golden Buddha statue. Silver Pagoda is in the Royal Palace Compound made of 5000 silver tiles. Raung Damrei Museum. National Museum, a treasure chest of Angkorian and pre-Angkorian artifacts. Then continue to visit Independent Monument the Naga (total 100) or snake motif is one, which can be seen in historic, cultural and modern-day. Next, proceed to Wat Phnom pagoda a 15th century stupa. Wat Phnom, a small hill crowned by an active wat (pagoda) marks the legend of Phnom Penh City. Our last destination would be, Toul Sleng which was once a Tuol Svay Prey High School is now a frightening reminder of the horrors of Pol Pot regime. The school was used as a torture chamber and it was believed that 16,000 people died there. Shopping at the Russian market. In the evening, enjoy 01 hour boat cruise on Mekong River to explore night life of loc

D7 Phnom Penh Hanoi (B)

Catch an early flight to Hanoi. Upon arrival, met and transfer to your hotel.

D8 Hanoi (BLD)

We start our day with Temple of Literature the first university of Vietnam. The following is The Presidential Palace (formerly Palace of the Governor-General of French Indochina), Ho Chi Minh s house-on-stilt and nearby One Pillar Pagoda.

A short drive out of the city centre for a special lunch. It is not only a meal but cooking demonstration at a local house. We continue our trip with Vietnam History museum, Opera House. Have a walking tour in the afternoon in the old town. There is a water puppet Show.

D9 Hanoi - Halong Bay (BLD)

After breakfast, drive you to Halong Bay for your cruise. Stay overnight on the cruise.

D10 Halong Bay - Hanoi - Danang (B)

Disembark from the cruise at 11.00 am, drive you back to Hanoi airport for your flight to Danang. Upon arrival met and transfer you to Hoian

D11 Hoi An (BLD)

After breakfast, take a walking tour through the narrow streets, visiting a number of attractions in town: the Phuc Kien Assembly Hall, the Chua Ong Pagoda, the Japanese Covered Bridge, the hundred-year old merchant house and colorful local markets. Hoi An is also famous for its large number of tailor shops, so if you want to have a new wardrobe made up, this is the time to do it.

For something different in the afternoon, free to join in a fun cooking class, head to the nearby Cua Dai beach or observe local life on a sunset cruise on the peaceful Thu Bon River.

D12 Hoi an - Ho Chi Minh (BLD)

Free for leisure till we transfer to the Danang Airport for your flight to Saigon. Upon arrival, met and transfer to your hotel.

D13 Ho Chi Minh City (BLD)

The city tour starts in Chinatown to explore the markets and the Thien Hau Pagoda. Stroll through Ben Thanh Market full of fresh produce. In the afternoon visit the War Remnants Museum and the Former Presidential Palace. Take in colonial sights on foot like the Old Saigon Post Office and the Opera House.

D14 Ho Chi Minh City - Can Tho (BLD)

In the morning, travel overland into the beautiful countryside of the north-eastern Mekong Delta and Vinh Long province. On arrival, take a boat ride to visit a local orchard and the famous Cai Be floating market. Approximately 400-500 boats loaded to the gunnels with fruit, vegetables and other local produce anchor or moor along the banks of the river every day waiting to offload their goods to wholesale traders or local customers. Everybody here buys sells and barter their goods only from their boats. Leaving Cai Be, visit a local family producing coconut candy, a regional delicacy. After a lunch of local delights, drive on to Can Tho, the hub of the Mekong Delta and its largest city.

D15 Can Tho - Ho Chi Minh City (BLD)

After breakfast, cruise some of the narrow and picturesque canals and waterways by small boat. Visit the Cai Rang floating market with its hordes of small vendor boats. Take in the sultry scenery and witness the daily activities of the locals who live along these Mekong canals. After lunch, drive back to Saigon.

D16 Ho Chi Minh City (BLD)

Take the drive to Cao Dai Temple in Tay Ninh, which is referred to a Walt Disney fantasia of the East. The religion is a hybrid of Buddhism, Taoism, Confucianism and Christianity. Above the main entrance is the all-seeing Holy Eye, the symbol of the Cao Dai sect. The interior is just as engaging as statues of Jesus Christ, Buddha and the Hindu god Brahma stand side by side. Explore this fascinating site and attend the colorful noon mass held by the Cao Dai followers. It is an experience not to be missed.

Continue to Cu Chi.

Before entering Cu Chi Tunnels, we watch a short introductory video showing how the tunnels were constructed. Also on display are various mantraps and the remains of an American tank as well as numerous bomb craters made by 500 pound bombs dropped by B52 bombers. We then spend the next hour exploring the maze of tunnels to see the first-hand how the Viet Cong communists were able to survive in this underground network.

D17 Saigon - Phan Thiet (B)

After breakfast, transfer to Phan Thiet, Free for leisure.

D18 Phan Thiet (B)

Free for leisure, deluxe on the beach.

D19 Phan Thiet (B)

Free for leisure, deluxe on the beach.

D20 Ho Chi Minh City - Manchester (B)

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Manchester.