



## 8 DAY DESTINATION WEDDING EVENT & FAM TRIP TO ISTANBUL, CAPPADOCIA & ANTALYA



**Tour Start Date:** 20 October 2021, Wednesday

**Tour Route:** ISTANBUL - CAPPADOCIA - KONYA – ANTALYA domestic flight back to Istanbul.

**Summary:** Welcome to Destination Weddings and Romance Travel Industry Conference and Networking Event followed by Fam Trips to Istanbul, Cappadocia, Konya and Antalya. The conference will take place on 21 October, 2021. The B2B meetings among with hoteliers & hosted buyers will take place on 22 October, 2021. Have no doubt that you are to join one of the exclusive Fam Trips of the world and that you will share unique experiences of yours with all industry professionals and colleagues from around the world. We will get to visit Istanbul that sits right in the middle of Europe and Asia, authentic Cave hotels, Hot Air Balloon trips, biggest Open Air Museums of Cappadocia like none other on earth which is also known as the capital of proposals with a breathtaking scenery every step of the way. For the duration 8 days, you will take advantage of world's best speakers in Wedding Planning and Romance Travel Industry whom will relay their vast knowledge and share their unique experiences and that you will have a great opportunity getting up close and personal with leading Wedding Planners, Venues and other professionals on B2B sessions. In continuation, we will have a Fam Trip to the world's most beautiful destination of famous Cappadocia that contains historical and natural aspects where we will also be accommodated in Cave-like hotels only to be followed by Antalya Trip that hosts luxury wedding receptions and ceremonies throughout its world class venues at all-inclusive service level

**Day 1: Arrival to Istanbul and Welcome Dinner (20 October 2021, Wednesday)**

*(Dinner Included)*

Airport arrival transfer to Pullman Hotel between 07:00 and 22:00.

Welcome Dinner outside at the Lionel Hotel Istanbul from 20:00 to 22:00.

Overnight in Istanbul

**Day 2: Destination Wedding (IADWP) Guest Speakers (21 October 2021, Thursday)**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Coffee Breaks, Dinner Included)*

From 07:00 to 09:00 Breakfast

Registration Process from 09:00 to 10:00

10:00 Opening Ceremony

10:30 to 12:30 Guest Speaker Session

12:30 to 13:00 Lunch Break

13:30 to 15:30 Guest Speaker Session Resume

15:30 to 15:45 Coffee Break

15:45 to 17:00 Final Speaker Session

19:00 depart for dinner

19:30 – 22:30 dinner at Bosphorus Cruise

Overnight in Istanbul

**Day 3: Destination Weddings and Romance Industry Professionals B2B Meetings  
(22 October 2021, Friday)**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Coffee Breaks, Gala Dinner Included)*

From 07:00 to 09:30 Breakfast

10:00 - 11.30 Destination Weddings and Romance Industry Professionals B2B Meetings

11:30 to 11:45 Coffee Break

11:45 to 12:45 B2B Meetings Resumed

12:45 to 14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 to 15:30 Continue with B2B Meetings



15:30 to 15:45 Coffee Break

15:45 to 17:30 continue with B2B Meetings

19:00 – 23:30 Award Ceremony & Gala Dinner at Pullman Hotel

Overnight in Istanbul

#### **Day 4: Istanbul City Tour – Fly to Cappadocia (23 October 2021, Saturday)**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner Included)*

10:00 Pick up from hotel and visit Hagia Sophia, Blue Mosque, Ancient Hippodrome and shopping spree in Istanbul.

13:30 – 14:30 Lunch Break

14:30 Transfer to airport for Cappadocia flight. Upon arrival to Cappadocia dinner and overnight in Cappadocia.

#### **Day 5 - Cappadocia Underground City & Goreme Open Air Museum( 24 October 2021, Sunday)**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner Included)*

09:00 – 09:30 Cappadocia sightseeing tour

Drive to Ozkonak Underground City, one of the best preserved Underground cities in Cappadocia. Then, visit Uchisar Castle, the highest point of Cappadocia. After Uchisar, you visit Goreme Open Air Museum, the Heart of Cappadocia. Goreme Open Air Museum is famous for frescoes dating to 10th century describing the life of Jesus Christ and monks. Next stop is Cavusin which is an abandoned village with old cave Greek houses.

After Cavusin, you go to the restaurant in Avanos to have lunch.

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch Break

After lunch, we go to Love Valley. Love Valley Cappadocia is a hidden valley with scenic formations to say the least. Despite the resemblance to a man's hood, these amazing rock formations are far from man-made. After Love Valley, you visit a workshop to see Cappadocian hand-woven carpets and kilims. Next stop is Devrent Valley which is also called Imagination Valley where you can see all natural rock formations looking like animals. Then, you head to a wine shop in Urgup for wine tasting. Last stop is Three Beauties, three beautiful fairy chimneys with their hats which are the symbols of Cappadocia.

18:00 End of the tour, return back to the hotel

Dinner and Overnight in Cappadocia Hotel.

#### **Day 6 - Transfer Cappadocia - Konya – Antalya ( 25 October 2021, Monday)**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner Included)*

08:30 – 09:00 Check out from the hotel and transfer Konya.

This morning, we drive to Konya and see the imposing green-tiled Mausoleum of Mevlana, the mystic founder of the Islamic Sufi sect (Sufism is less an Islamic sect than a mystical way of approaching the Islamic faith. It has been defined as mystical Islamic belief and practice in which Muslims seek to find the truth of divine love and knowledge through direct personal experience of God. Whirling Dervishes).



12:30 – 13:30 Lunch Break

16:30 Check in to your hotel in Antalya.

The rest of the day is yours to discover Antalya.

Dinner and overnight in Antalya.

### **Day 7 –Antalya Old City Tour and Waterfalls (26 October 2021, Tuesday)**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner Included)*

09:00 – 09:30 Antalya city tour

We drive to Antalya old City (Kaleici) Marina, Clock Tower, Hadrian's Gate, Broken Minaret, Hıdırlık Tower: Kaleici is a small historic part of Antalya's modern city, also known as the Old City of Antalya. In history, it was once the sprawling modern Roman town, then the Byzantine Empire, then Seljuks, and finally the Ottoman Turkish town. The Hadrian's Gate (or Hadrian's Gate or The Three Gates is a triumphal arch which was built in the name of the Roman emperor Hadrian. Antalya's bizarre wonder is the Broken Minaret of the Korkut Mosque, which itself was built originally as a Roman temple in the 2nd century AD, and thus did not have a minaret at all. Hıdırlık Tower is a landmark tower of tawny stone in Antalya, Turkey where Kaleici meets Karaalioglu Park. It is believed to be built in Hellenistic era on a square plan and later turned into circular tower in 2nd century AD and was either used as a fortification or a lighthouse in the past.

12:30 – 13:30 Lunch Break

After the lunch depart for Duden waterfalls. All the streams of the region aim at finding their way into the Mediterranean and pour down the slopes of the Taurus, sometimes overland, sometimes underground and reaching their destination, result in lovely waterfalls, of which there are more than twenty of.

After the tour, return back to the hotel and rest of the day is yours. Dinner and overnight in Antalya in all-inclusive concept.

### **Day 8 – Antalya to Istanbul - End of the Tour ( 27 October 2021, Wednesday)**

*(Breakfast Included)*

09:00 Check out from the hotel and airport transfer

We hope you have a memorable time in Turkey and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another Destination Weddings and Romance Industry Conference and Networking Event and Fam Trip by WorkShopTravelShop organization. Have a safe trip back home and thank you for choosing WorkShopTravelShop.