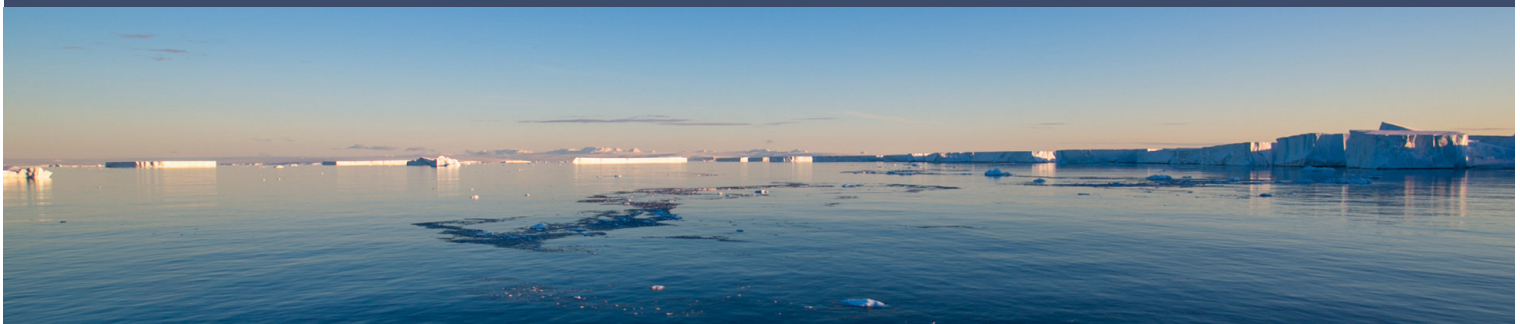


## EMBLEMATIC ANTARCTICA - WITH NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC

20/02/2021 | 11 Days - 10 Nights | from Ushuaia to Ushuaia | LE BOREAL



### STOPOVER ITINERARY

- 1 Ushuaia (Argentina)  
Embarkation 20/02/2021 from 16h00 to 17h00  
Departure 20/02/2021 at 18h00
- 2 Crossing the Drake Passage  
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- 3 Crossing the Drake Passage  
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- 4 Antarctic Peninsula (Antarctica)  
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- 6 Antarctic Peninsula (Antarctica)  
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- 7 Antarctic Peninsula (Antarctica)  
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- 8 Antarctic Peninsula (Antarctica)  
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- 9 Crossing the Drake Passage  
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- 10 Crossing the Drake Passage  
01/03/2021
- 11 Ushuaia (Argentina)  
Disembarkation 02/03/2021 at 08h00

### YOUR CRUISE

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PONANT invites you on a polar expedition cruise to the heart of the icy realm that is the Antarctic Peninsula and the Weddell Sea. Embark on an unforgettable 11-day voyage and succumb to the enchantment of the breathtaking landscapes inhabited by astonishing wildlife.

The start of your cruise will be marked by the crossing of the mythical Drake Passage, during which you will probably be escorted by several albatrosses and Cape petrels, the sentinels of these often-choppy waters.

Your ship will then reach the White Continent, realm of the unexpected. Weather and ice conditions permitting, this extreme environment where nature reigns supreme will reveal to you its most beautiful secrets through numerous discoveries.

On this uninhabited land, which wasn't explored until the 19<sup>th</sup> century, your encounters with the wildlife will no doubt be one of the highlights of your experience. The Gentoo, Adelie and chinstrap penguins, humpback whales, seals and seabirds will provide you with cherished lifelong memories.

Highlight of your cruise: sailing on the Weddell Sea. *Le Boréal* will take advantage of a time of year when it is relatively free of ice to sail amid the free-floating pack ice in a magical setting. A top spot for polar exploration in the Antarctic, the Weddell Sea offers spectacular, unrivalled scenery. If luck is on your side, you may even get to see some emperor penguins.

Each day, whether on land, aboard your ship or during a Zodiac<sup>®</sup> outing, you will be surrounded by a grandiose decor ranging from icebergs to ice floe and ancient glaciers.

*We are privileged guests in these extreme lands where we are at the mercy of weather and ice conditions. Landings on certain sites and the observation of certain wildlife cannot be guaranteed. They vary from day to day, making each PONANT cruise a unique experience. The Captain and the Expedition Leader will make every effort to ensure that your experience is as rich as possible, while complying with the safety rules and instructions imposed by the IAATO.*