



PONANT EXPLORATIONS — LE CHAMPLAIN

Adventure in the Bissagos Islands

DEPARTS 29/12/2026

8 NIGHTS

FROM DAKAR

Day by Day Itinerary

DAY 1	Dakar, Senegal Tuesday, 29/12/2026 Departs 18:00 Dakar, set at the tip of the Cape Vert peninsula, is West Africa’s westernmost point and the capital of French-speaking Senegal. Although it was not founded until 1857, it is West Africa’s oldest European city and one of the most westernised. The opening of th...
DAY 3	Carache, Bissagos Islands, Guinea-Bissau Thursday, 31/12/2026 Arrives 13:00 · Departs 18:30 Situated just off the west African coast of Guinea-Bissau is Carache Island. The lush green island that is surrounded by turquoise seas was declared a Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO in 1996. Boasting a string of islets, the island has a rich and diverse landscape...
DAY 3	Caravela Island, Bijagos, Guinea-Bissau Thursday, 31/12/2026 Departs 12:00 Caravela is the northernmost island of the Bijagós Islands of Guinea-Bissau. Landscaped by white sandy beaches and black rock, Caravela Island is a magnificent location as you begin to round up your expedition cruise. The island is heavily forested with mangro...
DAY 4	Bissagos Islands, Guinea-Bissau Friday, 01/01/2027 Arrives 07:00 · Departs 20:00 Enjoy this paradisiac and quiet beach out of the crowds. The contrast of its turquoise waters with its golden sand and the palm trees make this an unbeatable scenery.
DAY 5	Bolama, Guinea-Bissau Saturday, 02/01/2027 Arrives 14:30 · Departs 19:00

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DAY 6	Caravela Island, Bijagos, Guinea-Bissau Sunday, 03/01/2027 Arrives 14:00 · Departs 20:30 Caravela is the northernmost island of the Bijagós Islands of Guinea-Bissau. Landscaped by white sandy beaches and black rock, Caravela Island is a magnificent location as you begin to round up your expedition cruise. The island is heavily forested with mangro...
DAY 7	Carache, Bissagos Islands, Guinea-Bissau Monday, 04/01/2027 Departs 12:00 Situated just off the west African coast of Guinea-Bissau is Carache Island. The lush green island that is surrounded by turquoise seas was declared a Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO in 1996. Boasting a string of islets, the island has a rich and diverse landscape...
DAY 7	Kere Island, Bijagós, Guinea-Bissau Monday, 04/01/2027 Arrives 13:00 · Departs 21:00
DAY 8	Dakar, Senegal Tuesday, 05/01/2027 Dakar, set at the tip of the Cape Vert peninsula, is West Africa's westernmost point and the capital of French-speaking Senegal. Although it was not founded until 1857, it is West Africa's oldest European city and one of the most westernised. The opening of th...
DAY 9	Dakar, Senegal Wednesday, 06/01/2027 Arrives 07:00 Dakar, set at the tip of the Cape Vert peninsula, is West Africa's westernmost point and the capital of French-speaking Senegal. Although it was not founded until 1857, it is West Africa's oldest European city and one of the most westernised. The opening of th...

Cruise only — Prices From (per person)

INSIDE	OUTSIDE / OCEANVIEW	BALCONY	SUITE
POA	POA	£5,970	£10,110

Cabin Grades & Prices

Balcony

GRADE	PER PERSON
Lower Decks Balcony Stateroom	
DEL Deluxe Stateroom	£5,970
Upper Decks Balcony Stateroom	
PR6 Prestige Stateroom Deck 6	£7,300

Suite

GRADE	PER PERSON
Deluxe Suite	
DS5 Deluxe Suite Deck 5	£10,110
Prestige Suite	
PS6 Prestige Suite Deck 6	£14,310
Privilege Suite	
PV5 Privilege Suite Deck 5	£15,000
PV6 Privilege Suite Deck 6	£15,000
Owner's Suite	
SA Owner's Suite	£17,290