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ALASKA’S GLACIERS
AND THE
INSIDE PASSAGE

JUNEAU  •  TRACY ARM  •  SITKA  •  WRANGELL  •  KETCHIKAN

ALASKA’S MAGNIFICENT GLACIERS AND
INSIDE PASSAGE  •  VANCOUVER

A voyage aboard the
Exclusively Chartered, Five-Star, All-Suite

STAR LEGEND

Featuring William C. Dudley,
President of Washington and Lee University

June 28 to July 5, 2018
Dear W&L Alumni, Parents, and Friends,

To sail among the Southeast Islands of Alaska in high summer is a truly magical experience. The lingering glow of the season’s longest days lends a special aura to landscapes and seascapes alike. In the immense panorama of the Northwest Passage, we’ll behold arctic-blue glaciers, the deep green of pristine forested islands, and the glassy surface of the sea reflecting the colors of the sky. Below that surface linger whales and orcas; eagles soar from their nests high in the pines; and from their dens deep in the woods, brown bears venture with their cubs to frolic on the flats near the shore. Our voyage from Vancouver, British Columbia, to Juneau, Alaska—surely one of the loveliest and most fascinating cruise itineraries in the world—will realize the full promise of these memorable days.

Along the way, we’ll call at the historic towns of Sitka, a cultural fusion of Tlingit and Russian heritage; Wrangell, one of the oldest settlements in Alaska; and Ketchikan, rich in Alaskan art and tradition. We’ll glide through the serene Inside Passage and into remote inlets in search of whales, porpoises, sea lions, sea otters and puffins in their natural habitat. We’ll cruise the scenic Tracy Arm Fjord, where we’ll survey myriad waterfalls misting against cliffs below snowcapped peaks, to the face of the majestic Dawes and South Sawyer Glaciers. Amidst that spectacular silence, a sharp report will signal the shearing of another mass of ice as it calves into the sea.

Our home for this journey is the five-star Star Legend, an elegant small ship that will make cruising the picturesque inlets and coves of our itinerary as well as the unfolding grandeur of the Northwest Passage an experience in luxury and comfort. Our ship offers an exceptional wildlife-viewing experience—from sheltered observation decks, during Zodiac excursions (weather permitting), and from the comfort of ocean-view suites, most with private balconies.

“Alaska’s Glaciers and the Inside Passage” will also introduce W&L alumni, parents, and friends to Will Dudley, President of Washington and Lee. This will be President Dudley’s inaugural W&L Traveller adventure and his first visit to Alaska. A lecture program staffed by faculty from select universities will help to enhance our understanding of the history and natural history of the region. Optional extensions (Fairbanks/Denali and Vancouver) are available.

If you wish to cruise and explore one of North America’s most beautiful and unspoiled regions in extraordinary style, we invite you join fellow W&L travelers on this unforgettable journey.

We look forward to traveling with you,

Rob Fure, Director
W&L Traveller

William C. (Will) Dudley became Washington and Lee University’s 27th president on January 1, 2017. He was formerly provost and professor of philosophy at Williams College. A Virginia native, born in Charlottesville and raised in Arlington, President Dudley received his B.A. in mathematics and philosophy, magna cum laude, from Williams in 1989, and an M.A. and a Ph.D., both in philosophy, from Northwestern University. He joined the Williams faculty in 1998. His area of expertise is German idealism, from Kant to Hegel. He is the author of two books and editor of volumes on Kant and Hegel and has published numerous scholarly articles.
Exploring the Inside Passage

Shaped by the Ice Age and sheltered from the Pacific Ocean by one thousand miles of islands along the Pacific coast of North America, the Inside Passage embodies snowcapped mountains, arctic-blue glaciers and a wilderness more beautiful than you could imagine. Stand on the deck of your Five-Star small ship, surrounded by stunning scenery, as you cruise the secluded coves and inlets of these protected waters. Watch for bald eagles, humpback whales, harbor seals and brown bears. Listen to the thunderous calving of the Dawes and South Sawyer Glaciers. Venture into the heart of narrow Tracy Arm and Endicott Arm, and explore the Inside Passage’s hidden treasures, including the secluded Inian Islands and seldom-visited Elfin Cove. Along the way, encounter the indigenous culture of the Tlingit, onion-domed churches built by Russian fur traders, hearty fishing villages, historic trading outposts settled by American pioneers and gold rush settlements built over a century ago.

Vancouver, British Columbia

Originally built as a small 19th-century timber milling settlement, today dynamic Vancouver is the cultural and financial heart of Canada’s Pacific Northwest.

Please note that the ship's cruising pattern and positionings are dependent on weather, ice and water conditions and are subject to change.

Cruising the Inside Passage

Aboard our Five-Star ship, experience up close the natural wonders of the fabled Inside Passage, one of the most scenic waterways in the world, cruising amidst countless islands, lush forests, secluded bays and coves, sandy beaches and lofty waterfalls cascading from mountain cliffs inaccessible to larger ships. While cruising the Inside Passage’s placid waters, watch from the ship’s spacious decks, private balconies and the observation lounge for cavorting sea lions and breaching orcas in the deep waters and brown bears, Sitka black-tailed deer, mountain goats, beavers, mink, foxes and river otters roaming the shores and mountainsides.

Ketchikan, Alaska

In the colorful fishing town of Ketchikan—“salmon capital of the world”—stroll the historic boardwalks of Creek Street and watch salmon swimming upstream through the middle of town along the well-known “Salmon Ladder.” Visit a typical Tlingit village and see the fascinating art of Potlatch Totem Park, where a master craftsman demonstrates the ancient technique of hand-carving a totem pole.
Wrangell
One of the oldest towns in Alaska, picturesque Wrangell is the only Alaskan town to have flown the flag of three nations—Russia, Great Britain and the United States. Walk through its quaint downtown to Kiks.ádi Totem Park and hear a compelling interpretive narration of the history of these intricately carved totem poles. Admire traditional historic churches dotting the landscape en route to Petroglyph Beach, designated a state historic beach and home to rock carvings created 8000 years ago.

Sitka
Nestled on the edge of Baranof Island and well known for its stunning beauty, Sitka is laden with the art and history of its aboriginal and Russian past. First settled by the Kiks.ádi clan of the Tlingit, the “capital of Russian America” flourished as a Russian fur trading hub until its 1867 transfer to the United States. Visit the impressive Alaska Raptor Center, Alaska’s foremost bald eagle habitat, where more than 100 injured eagles are rehabilitated and released back into the wild each year.

Explore the rich Tlingit culture while conversing with local artisans in Sitka National Historical Park, whose trails are lined with towering totem poles, a lasting memorial to an ancient heritage. Marvel at the priceless collection of icons in the onion-domed St. Michael’s Cathedral, the first Russian Orthodox church built in North America.

Point Adolphus/Inian Islands/Elfin Cove
Your small ship allows you to look for humpback whales feeding in the nutrient-rich waters surrounding Point Adolphus. Cruise through Icy Strait to the wild Inian Islands,
around which flow unspoiled tidal waters teeming with marine life. From aboard a Zodiac, watch for hunting sea lions and swooping bald eagles, along with other predators, drawn by the abundance of salmon and other prey. Cruise to pristine Chichagof Island, where you will tender ashore to visit remote Elfin Cove. Walk the boardwalks of this tiny fishing community (year-round population: 20), surrounded by the majestic conifers of the Tongass National Forest.

Tracy Arm Fjord/
South Sawyer Glacier/
Endicott Arm/Dawes Glacier
Cruise into the deep and narrow fjord of Tracy Arm, where waterfalls cascade from dramatic cliffs, lush forest fades to spectacular sheer rock and icebergs glint in the sunlight. At the remote end of Tracy Arm, approach South Sawyer Glacier and watch and listen as it calves chunks of ice that become floating platforms for hundreds of harbor seals. On a Zodiac outing in the pristine, seldom-visited Endicott Arm, see Dawes Glacier and look for Arctic terns, pigeon guillemots and even mountain goats.

Juneau
The sole American state capital accessible only by air or sea, picturesque Juneau is where The Call of the Wild author Jack London set forth to join the Klondike Gold Rush in 1897.

Vancouver
Surrounded by water on three sides, Vancouver is a coastal jewel of the Pacific Northwest. Its ideal setting combines a diverse ecosystem and a vibrant cosmopolitan atmosphere, rich in art and culture culled from the indigenous peoples of the Pacific Northwest and Alaska, to form a spectacular city. Visit Vancouver Island and Butchart Gardens, a National Historic Site of Canada that was once a private estate and today is one of the most beautiful gardens in North America. Tour elegant Victoria, a former British Empire port that still retains a charming English accent as well as wonderfully restored 19th-century architecture. In Vancouver, see historic Chinatown, famous Stanley Park and the 19th-century Gastown District and explore the Public Market and native artisans’ studios at Granville Island. Accommodations for two nights are in the deluxe Westin Bayshore hotel.

The Pre-Cruise Option is available at additional cost. Details will be provided with your reservation confirmation.

Vancouver is one of the world’s most livable cities and is surrounded by breathtaking natural scenery.

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VANCOUVER • VICTORIA
Pre-Cruise Option
1 Depart home city/
   Arrive VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA,
   CANADA/Embark STAR LEGEND
2 CRUISING THE INSIDE PASSAGE
3 KETCHIKAN, ALASKA, U.S.
4 WRANGELL
5 SITKA
6 POINT ADOLPHUS/INIAN ISLANDS/
   ELFIN COVE
7 ENDICOTT ARM/DAWES GLACIER/
   TRACY ARM FJORD/SAWYER GLACIER
8 JUNEAU/Disembark ship/
   Return to home city
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DENALI NATIONAL PARK • FAIRBANKS
Post-Cruise Option
Five-Star, All-Suite, Small Ship
Enjoy intimate, Five-Star cruising at its finest aboard the Star Legend, renovated and relaunched in 2015. Among Travel + Leisure magazine's “World's Best Cruise Lines,” this small ship can dock in ports inaccessible to larger vessels and celebrates traditional “sail aways” on deck.

With Our Compliments
A host of complimentary indulgences awaits you—flowers and fruit in your Suite to welcome you aboard, all alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages throughout the cruise and in your Suite minibar, specialty coffees and light snacks in the Yacht Club, and 24-hour room service. And, shipboard gratuities are included.

World-Class Dining
The elegant dining room serves contemporary international cuisine and accommodates all guests in a single seating. You may enjoy breakfast and lunch in the indoor-outdoor restaurant or reserve a table for alfresco evening dining.

Only 106 Spacious Luxury Suites
Ideal for private viewing of passing landscapes are the Classic Suites, each with a private, furnished veranda, and the French Balcony Suites, with an expansive sliding glass door and wooden railing. Ocean-View Suites have one picture window. Each of the Five-Star Suites features individual climate control, one queen bed or two twin beds, a private bathroom with shower (most with full bathtub), sitting area and luxurious amenities, including flat-screen television, Wi-Fi access, safe, walk-in closet, plush robes and slippers.

Life On Board
Offering educational presentations, panoramic views, nightly entertainment and quiet retreat, the ship’s tastefully appointed public areas include a large lounge, two bars, library with computers, spa, fitness center, casino and outdoor whirlpool and counter-current pool. The ship has two elevators.

Award-Winning Service
With a ratio of one crew member for every 1.5 guests, you will enjoy personal and attentive service. There is a physician and medical facility on board.
Included Features

On board the exclusively chartered, Five-Star, All-Suite, Small Ship STAR LEGEND

◆ Seven-night voyage from Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, to Juneau, Alaska, U.S., through the magnificent Inside Passage, featuring Ketchikan, Wrangell, Sitka, Elfin Cove, Inian Islands, Point Adolphus, Tracy Arm Fjord, South Sawyer Glacier, Endicott Arm and Dawes Glacier.

◆ Spacious, Five-Star, ocean-view Suite, with a private bathroom and individual climate control.

◆ Captain’s Welcome and Farewell Receptions.

◆ All meals—breakfast, lunch and dinner—featuring fine international cuisine, served at single, unassigned seatings.

◆ Complimentary alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages are available throughout the cruise.

◆ Six days cruising the protected and rarely traveled waters of the British Columbian and Alaskan Inside Passage, one of the most spectacular coastal waterways in the world.

◆ Onboard naturalist guides to help identify the natural wonders and incredible wildlife of the Inside Passage.

◆ Visit Potlatch Totem Park in Ketchikan to experience indigenous Alaskan Tlingit culture.

◆ Tour of historic Ketchikan, “salmon capital of the world,” and its famous gold rush-era Creek Street.

◆ Walking tour of Wrangell, a 19th-century trading town, including the Kiks.ádi Totem Park, Petroglyph Beach and the Wrangell Museum.

◆ Visit to picturesque Sitka, once the “capital of Russian America,” to see St. Michael’s Cathedral and its priceless Russian Orthodox icons and to tour the Alaska Raptor Center.

◆ Humpback whale watching near Point Adolphus.

◆ Zodiac excursion through the marine-life-rich waters of the captivating Inian Islands.

◆ Visit to the remote fishing village of Elfin Cove on pristine Chichagof Island, with time at leisure.

◆ Scenic cruise into stunning Tracy Arm Fjord featuring the South Sawyer Glacier.

◆ Zodiac excursion to the tidal Dawes Glacier and harbor seal watching in the seldom-visited Endicott Arm Fjord.

Enhanced Travel Services

◆ Transfers and luggage handling abroad for participants whose arrival(s)/departure(s) coincide with the scheduled group transfer(s).

◆ All excursions and visits, as outlined above, with experienced local guides.

◆ Gratuities to ship personnel, local guides, drivers and naturalist on included excursions and transfers.

◆ The services of experienced Gohagan & Company Travel Directors throughout the program.

◆ Hospitality desk aboard ship.

◆ Travel document wallet, name badge and pre-departure information.

◆ Automatic $250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.
Denali National Park • Fairbanks
Post-Cruise Option

Travel deep into Alaska’s Interior for the perfect conclusion to your Inside Passage voyage. Experience fully what Alaska has to offer at the best time of year, when summer days are long and a dreamlike dusk extends past midnight.

In Juneau, visit the mighty Mendenhall Glacier, one of 38 glaciers leading to the Juneau Icefield. Then, fly to Anchorage for one night in a city that balances urban comforts with the call of the wild.

Visit the Iditarod Trail Headquarters and enjoy the scenery en route to the pristine wilderness of Denali National Park, home to North America’s tallest peak at over 20,000 feet high. Spend two nights in a comfortable lodge just outside this splendid and unspoiled six-million-acre national park. Learn about Denali’s ecosystem and journey into its heart, where an expert from the Murie Science and Learning Center will guide and assist you in spotting and identifying the amazing wildlife—moose, bears, caribou, wolves, Dall sheep and raptors—in their protected natural habitat.

Traverse through rolling green tundra aboard a domed train offering stunning 360-degree views of the majestic landscape—mountains, gorges and spruce forests—to the “Golden Heart” city of Fairbanks. Spend two nights in this frontier city, founded upon the outbreak of gold-rush fever at the turn of the 20th century. Cruise the fabled Chena and Tanana Rivers aboard a traditional sternwheeler, see the incredible Trans-Alaska Pipeline and visit the galleries of the renowned Museum of the North.

Join us for this exclusive, specially arranged and comprehensive five-night opportunity to further explore America’s amazing last frontier.

The Post-Cruise Option is available at additional cost. Details will be provided in your reservation confirmation.

Denali is the tallest mountain in North America and the centerpiece of its namesake national park, renowned for its undisturbed natural ecosystem.
**LAND/Cruise Tariff** excluding taxes*

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**Classic Suite II**

| Large Suite with French-style glass doors and **Private Furnished Veranda**, two obstructed-view picture windows and living/dining room. Deck 6, midship. (limited availability) | $8995 | $9995 |

**Classic Suite I**

| Larger Suite with French-style glass doors and **Private Furnished Veranda**, full wall of front-view picture windows and living/dining room. Deck 5, forward. (limited availability) | $9395 | $10395 |

**Owner's Suite**

| Larger Suite with glass door onto **Private Furnished Veranda**, full wall of front-view picture windows, additional private powder room, larger living/dining room. Deck 6, forward. (limited availability) | $9795 | $10795 |

Singles are available in category 5 at $10595,* in category 4 at $11695* and in category 2 at $14295* on or before January 5, 2018. Add $1000 for reservations made after January 5, 2018.

*Taxes are an additional $305 per person and are subject to change.

*The Star Legend has been specially contracted for this tour, and the applicable deck plan is available on request from Gohagan & Company and reflects the only valid cabin categorization of the vessel.

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**ALASKA'S GLACIERS AND THE INSIDE PASSAGE Reservation Form**

**Send to:** Washington and Lee University  
The W&L Traveller  
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204 W. Washington Street  
Lexington, VA 24450  
Phone: (540) 458-8723  
Fax: (540) 458-8478  
Email: spclprog@wlu.edu

**Title** Full Name (exactly as it appears on your passport) Class Year

| Street Mailing Address (no P.O. Box number please) |
| City | State | ZIP Code |

**Telephone:** (Home) (Mobile)

**Email Address** (Business)

**Preferred Name(s) on Badge(s)** Tour No. 001-06/28/18-173

**Program Reservations** require a deposit of $600 per person and $200 per person Vancouver • Victoria Pre-Cruise Option and/or $200 per person Denali National Park • Fairbanks Post-Cruise Option. By reserving and depositing on this program, you agree to the Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Binding Arbitration Agreement as printed on the outside back cover of this brochure.

- Enclosed is my/our check(s) for $ as deposit.
- Make checks payable to Thomas P. Gohagan & Company.
- I/we authorize you to charge my/our deposit of $ to:
- Visa  
- MasterCard

**Card Number** Exp. Date

Signature as it appears on credit card

All FINAL PAYMENTS are required to be made by check or wire transfer by March 23, 2018.

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**Please make my/our reservation(s) in Suite Category:**

1st Choice 2nd Choice

- Double occupancy (two twin beds).
- Double occupancy (one queen bed).
- Single accommodations.
- I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

**Please make my/our reservation(s):**

- Vancouver • Victoria Pre-Cruise Option
  - Double at $1040 per person.
  - Single at $1490 per person.
  - I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

- Denali National Park • Fairbanks Post-Cruise Option*
  - Double at $2895 per person.
  - Single at $3695 per person.
  - I am reserving as a single but prefer to share accommodations and will allow you to select my roommate (shares cannot be guaranteed).

**Air from Juneau to Anchorage is an additional $325 per person and subject to change.**

- I/we want you to book my/our air from [fill in departure city] to Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, with return from Juneau, Alaska, U.S., at additional cost to be advised.†
- Economy Class  
- Upgraded Economy  
- Business Class  
- First Class

*Note: Airfare is subject to change and availability and is nonrefundable.

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Admire Alaska's magnificent mountainscape, a backdrop to its stunning glacial blue-colored waters.

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ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRACT: By forwarding of deposit, the participant certifies that he/she does not have any mental, physical or other condition of disability that would create a hazard for himself/herself or other participants and accepts the terms contained in this Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Binding Arbitration Agreement.

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