MYSTICAL INDIA
With Ranthambore Tiger Preserve

November 9-25, 2017

17 days from $4,987 total price from Boston, New York, Wash, DC
($4,095 air & land inclusive plus $892 airline taxes and fees)

An Exclusive Small Group Tour for Alumni, Family, & Friends of Dartmouth College
Featuring Professor David Kotz, Champion International Professor in the Department of Computer Science, Dartmouth College
Dear Alumni, Family, and Friends of Dartmouth,

Travel with us off the beaten tourist path on an exciting, distinctive journey to colorful, mystical India. Enjoy visits to sites steeped in art, history, and architecture, revealing domestic and foreign influences on India’s culture. Professor David Kotz, of Dartmouth College, will enrich our tour of India with lectures and commentary.

Highlights of the 17-day tour include the historic cities of Old and New Delhi, one ancient and the other built by the British Agra, stronghold of the medieval Mughal Empire and home to the Taj Mahal; and Jaipur, the “pink city” in the princely state of Rajasthan. Enjoy a two-night stay at the Ranthambore Tiger Preserve, home to the elusive Bengal tiger. Visit Kalakho and embark on a camel cart safari to meet local Meena tribespeople. Finally, explore Varanasi, India’s holiest city, experiencing life along the Ganges. An optional 5-day/4-night post-tour extension to Nepal is also available.

Space on this exclusive Dartmouth tour is limited to 24 guests; please call today to reserve your place!

Sincerely,

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DARTMOUTH COLLEGE RESERVATION FORM: MYSTICAL INDIA

Enclosed is my/our deposit for $______ ($500 per person) for ____ person/people on Mystical India departing November 9, 2017. I/We understand the final payment is due at least 95 days prior to departure. Payment may be made by American Express, Discover, MasterCard, VISA, or by personal check. Please make check payable to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., and send, along with completed reservation form, to: Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., Attn: Special Interest Groups, One Newton Place, 275 Washington St., Suite 300, Newton, MA 02458. For reservations and information, please call Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. toll-free at 888-370-6765. You may also fax your reservation to 617-454-9199.

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Post-Tour “Nepal” Extension: Please sign me/us up ☐

Please Note: The undersigned has read the schedule of activities for Mystical India, November 9-25, 2017, and agrees that their signature below represents their acceptance of the General Terms and Conditions.

Signature(s) ________________________________________________________________ Date___________________

Method of Payment ☐ Check ☐ American Express ☐ Discover ☐ MasterCard ☐ VISA

Account # ______________________________________ Security Code _________ Exp. Date _______________

Name of Cardholder ____________________________________________________________________________

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Final invoicing will be sent by the tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. The balance of the program price must be paid to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. Final payment is due 95 days prior to departure, and is payable by check or credit card.
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Mystical and spiritual, chaotic and confounding, India overflows with riches.  
While staying at excellent hotels, we travel the classic Golden Triangle: bustling  
Delhi; Agra, home of the sublime Taj Mahal; and Jaipur, great city of the Rajput.  
We also search for elusive Bengals at Ranthambore Tiger Preserve; and absorb the  
holiness of Varanasi.

Day 1: Depart U.S. for Delhi, India

Day 2: Arrive Delhi  
We arrive in India’s hyper-active capital late evening and transfer to our hotel.  
**B,D**

Day 3: Delhi  
After a morning briefing with our tour director, this afternoon we tour Delhi,  
including the 16th-century Tomb of Humayun; Qutab Minar, the 379-step tower dating to 1192;  
and India Gate, honoring the 90,000 Indian soldiers who died in World War I. Tonight we  
enjoy a welcome dinner at our hotel.  
**B,D**

Day 4: Delhi  
Today we explore Old Delhi,  
beginning with the Gandhi Memorial, the simple  
black marble slab honoring Mahatma Gandhi; and  
Smriti, a museum dedicated to the Indian icon.  
Next, two renowned 17th-century landmarks: Lal  
Qila, the Red Fort palaces where we stop for photos; and  
the red sandstone and marble Jama Masjid,  
India’s largest mosque. Then we ride rickshaws  
through Chandni Chowk market and later visit a  
Sikh temple.  
**B,L**

Day 5: Delhi/Jaipur  
Today we travel by coach  
to the “pink city” of Jaipur, one of the great cities  
of the Rajput, with historic forts, palaces, and gar-  
dens. We reach our hotel late afternoon.  
**B,L,D**

Day 6: Jaipur  
Our first stop is the stunning  
Hawa Mahal, the elaborately carved pink sandstone  
“Palace of the Winds.” We continue on to Amber  
Fort, built by the Kachhawah Rajputs as their  
capital from 1037 to 1728; Jantar Mantar, the  
open-air observatory; and City Palace Museum,  
housing the magnificent art collections of the  
Maharajahs of Jaipur.  
**B,L**

Day 7: Jaipur/Sanganer  
This morning we visit  
the village of Sanganer to see traditional block  
printing and handmade paper industries. Later we  
see local life up close as we explore an outdoor  
market. Tonight we are dinner guests in the home  
of a multi-generational Rajasthan family.  
**B,D**

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Ratings are based on the Hotel & Travel Index, the travel industry  
standard reference. Unrated hotels may be too small, too new,  
or too remote to be listed.

Cover photo: We visit the Taj Mahal, a UNESCO site considered one of the world’s most beautiful buildings.
We visit Amber Fort, a UNESCO World Heritage site, on Day 6.

Day 8: Jaipur/Ranthambore  We travel today to Ranthambore National Park, the former hunting ground of the Maharajah of Jaipur and now a 512-square-mile natural preserve that is home to hundreds of species of birds, reptiles, mammals, and of course, Bengal tigers. This afternoon we take our first game drive through the park.  \( B,L,D \)

Day 9: Ranthambore  We take both morning and afternoon game drives today to see not only game (though tiger and leopard sightings are not guaranteed), but also picturesque ruins of forts and palaces.  \( B,L,D \)

Day 10: Ranthambore/Kalakho  We depart early for Kalakho, where we embark on a camel cart safari to meet local Meena tribespeople in their homes: huts of mud, with walls decorated with floral and animal designs. Tonight we enjoy a traditional folk dance performance.  \( B,L,D \)

Day 11: Kalakho/Agra  En route to Agra today, we stop in the ancient village of Abhaneri to see the fortified Chand Baori stepwell (c. 800), whose 3,500 steps descend some 13 stories into the ground. Continuing on, we reach the ancient Mughal stronghold of Agra early this afternoon. After lunch on our own, we visit Itimad-ud-Daulah, the two-story marble “Baby Taj” that inspired the Taj Mahal. Dinner tonight is at our hotel.  \( B,D \)

Day 12: Agra  This morning we visit the Taj Mahal, the magnificent tomb built by Emperor Shah Jahan in memory of his beloved wife Mumtaz. Then we take an Indian cuisine cooking lesson and enjoy the results for lunch. Later: imposing Agra Fort.  \( B,L \)

Day 13: Agra/Delhi/Varanasi  We depart by coach this morning for Delhi, where we board a late afternoon flight to Varanasi, the holiest city in Hinduism. We dine tonight at our hotel.  \( B,L,D \)

Day 14: Varanasi/Sarnath  Before breakfast today, those who wish can join in a private yoga session. Then we visit nearby Sarnath, where

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Post-Tour Extension

November 24-29, 2017  
Nepal  
5 days/4 nights for $995 total price  
Single Supplement: $295  

Absorb the beauty of the Himalayan kingdom— and the warmth of its people— on this special journey featuring sacred shrines, royal cities, and indigenous lifestyles.

Your Tour Price Includes

- Air transportation Varanasi/Kathmandu inclusive of airline taxes and fees
- 4 nights’ accommodations: 2 nights in Kathmandu at Crowne Plaza Soaltee (Superior First Class); 2 nights in Nagarkot at Club Himalaya Nagarkot (Superior First Class)
- 8 meals: 4 breakfasts, 1 lunches, 3 dinner
- Extensive sightseeing, including Pashupatinath shrine (UNESCO site); Boudhanath monument; colorful Bhaktapur, “city of Devotees;” Swayambhunath Temple; royal city of Patan; and Kathmandu and environs
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation
- Gratuities for dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

Please note that guests on this extension will leave the India tour on Day 16 at the conclusion of the Varanasi stay.
the Buddha first taught after achieving enlightenment. One of Buddhism’s four holiest sites, Sarnath draws pilgrims from the world over. We see some of the temples and stupas then tour Sarnath Museum, housing a superb collection of Buddhist artifacts from excavations here. Mid-day we return to our hotel; lunch is on our own. Late afternoon we attend a traditional aarti ceremony: as we cruise along the Ganges, we watch as devout Hindus offer their lit lamps to the deities. Following this moving experience, dinner tonight is at our hotel. B,D

Day 15: Varanasi
Early this morning we return to the Ganges where Hindu pilgrims perform their rituals along the ghats (steps) leading to the river. We visit several ghats by boat as we experience for ourselves the spiritual aura of the hallowed Ganges waters. Then we return to our hotel with time to rest before this afternoon’s walking tour and private performance of classical sitar. Tonight we celebrate our journey at a farewell dinner at our hotel. B,D

Day 16: Varanasi/Delhi
We fly this afternoon to Delhi, where the evening is at leisure. B

Day 17: Return to U.S.
We transfer to the airport early today for our return flight to the U.S.

Your Tour Price Includes
- Round-trip air transportation from listed cities; all flights within India
- 15 nights’ accommodations in Deluxe, Superior First Class, First Class, and unrated hotels
- 32 meals: 14 breakfasts, 8 lunches, 10 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation throughout your trip
- Luggage handling for one bag per person
- Gratuities for local guides, dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

Prices include international airfare and all taxes, surcharges, and fees.

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Please call if your city is not listed. Prices are per person based on double occupancy and include airline taxes, surcharges, and fees of $892, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Single travelers please add $1,395. All tour prices above (excluding airline taxes, surcharges, and fees) are guaranteed.

Business Class upgrade on round-trip Trans-Atlantic flight: $4,995 per person in addition to the above costs (upgrade is subject to availability and pricing is subject to change).

Please note: This trip involves full days of sightseeing and a significant amount of walking, as well as some lengthy coach rides. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to its fullest.

For reservations and information, please call Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. toll-free at 888-370-6765 Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM-7:00 PM, Eastern Time
GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please read this information carefully, as payment of a $500 deposit per person represents your acceptance of the following Terms and Conditions.

Cancellations, Refunds, and Changes

If you must cancel your trip, the effective date of cancellation will be upon Odysseys Unlimited, Inc.'s receipt of your written notification. Refunds for cancellations are subject to the following per person charges:
- Cancel 95 days or more before departure: $200 charge
- Cancel 94-65 days before departure: 25% of tour price
- Cancel 64-45 days before departure: 50% of tour price
- Cancel 44-30 days before departure: 75% of tour price
- Cancel 29-0 days before departure: no refund

If you make any changes to your reservation from 94 to 30 days prior to departure, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. will apply a $100 per person administrative fee, in addition to any fees or penalties imposed by third parties. Changes are subject to availability and cannot be guaranteed. If your reservation changes from double occupancy to single occupancy for any reason, you will be charged the single supplement.

No changes are allowed within 30 days of departure.

Upon making your reservation you must provide your full legal name as it appears on your passport, as well as date of birth and gender. In the event an airline ticket is issued with incorrect information you have provided, you will be responsible for charges associated with the ticket's reissue.

Responsibility

The liability of Dartmouth Alumni Continuing Education & Travel, as sponsor, and Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., as tour operator, is strictly limited. Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. purchases transportation, hotel accommodations, and restaurant and other services from independent suppliers not under our control. We serve only as agents for these suppliers in securing tour...will not accept responsibility for wrongful, negligent, or arbitrary acts or omissions of these independent control, including, without limitation, acts of terrorism, war, strikes, defects, or the negligence or default of any third party. All coupons, receipts, and tickets issued are subject to the terms and conditions specified by the air carriers, cruise lines, and other independent suppliers. We will make every effort to operate our tours as planned, but we reserve the right to make itinerary changes as necessary. If unforeseen circumstances require us to change a hotel, we will select alternative accommodations of the same or better quality.

Health and Medical Issues

We request that you be in good health to participate in this Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. tour. There is a considerable amount of walking, standing, and physical activity required on this tour. It may not be suitable for pregnant women or individuals with chronic medical conditions. In such cases you must be accompanied by a companion who will assist you. Please note that our arrangements cannot accommodate individual assistance. In such cases you must be accompanied by a companion who will assist you. Please note that our arrangements cannot accommodate individual assistance. In such cases you must be accompanied by a companion who will assist you. Please note that our arrangements cannot accommodate

Air Transportation - Important Information

Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. includes in its tour price round trip economy air from designated gateway cities as shown, and contracts with those airlines the company feels provide the level of service, routings, and value necessary for your entire trip. Air transportation is subject to change at any time. We recommend that if you choose to make your own airline reservations, you do not purchase non-refundable tickets or those with high penalties for changes. If you choose to make your own air arrangements, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc. shall not have any liability for any loss resulting from cancellation of this tour or changes in this tour.

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