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## Incentive trip in Bordeaux: wine and gourmet experiences

**Come with us to the wine city on the Garonne! The capital of the Gironde department seems doubly impressive by its situation on the banks of the Garonne and by the majestic splendour of the 18th century buildings dominating the cityscape. Bordeaux has been since long a center of trade for wine and brings out some of the best wines in the world. During our stay we will show you not only beautiful wineries in the Bordeaux wine region, but also enjoy a Catamaran ride on the Bassin d'Arcachon, with the Dune du Pilat, one of the most famous site of the Gironde. We will also visit Gujean-Mestras, the oyster capital of the Arcachon basin with an exclusive tasting and will indulge ourselves in a gourmet restaurant with fine food and food lovers.**

### Day 1: Bordeaux

Welcome at the Bordeaux airport and transfer to the hotel. Early afternoon, we will start a **combined sightseeing tour of Bordeaux**. Evening transfer to a gourmet restaurant. There, welcome with a **champagne reception** followed by a **gourmet dinner** during which a wine expert will give explanations about the harmony between wines and food. Overnight at hotel.



### Day 2: The Medoc

Breakfast in the hotel. This day is dedicated to some of the big names of the Bordeaux wines which you will get to know from a professional guide. We drive through the Medoc first to **Château Kirwan**. The Chateau - Grand Cru Classé - is one of the most famous winery in the vineyard of Bordeaux. Upon arrival, a guided tour and wine tasting will take place. Then we invite you to attend a **lunch in a typical restaurant in the vineyard**. In the afternoon we proceed to **Château Lynch Bages** in Pauillac, which has kept until now a collection of Bordeaux's old, traditional drums, vats and equipment for the production of wine. Visit and wine tasting in Lynch Bages. Then we drive back to the hotel. The evening is at leisure. Overnight at hotel.



### Day 3: The Bay of Arcachon

After breakfast departure from the hotel and drive to **Arcachon**, fashionable seaside resort, where we first have a short guided tour. Then we have time for a stroll along the beach promenade before we proceed to **Gujean Mestras**, the oyster capital of the Bassin d'Arcachon, a large bay of 200km<sup>2</sup> in south-western France. We visit the oyster port and enjoy an **exclusive oyster tasting**. Following a catamaran is waiting for us on the yacht port for embarkation. Our journey takes us across the bay past the **Cap Ferret** and **the Dune du Pilat** the largest sand mass of Europe, which lies at the entrance to the Bassin d'Arcachon. Near the **bird island** with its famous **stilt houses**, we drop the anchor and enjoy on board a delicious **seafood picnic**. Then back to Arcachon and return by bus to the hotel. Evening at leisure.

### Day 4: Saint Emilion

Breakfast in the hotel. Departure by bus to **Saint-Emilion**, world famous wine growing area 35 km east of Bordeaux. First trip to the vineyard **Clos de la Madeleine** on the outskirts of the city. There, visit of the cellar and **wine tasting**. We then take a walk in the center of Saint Emilion. The city and the surrounding vineyards were declared a **UNESCO World Heritage** site. After a guided walk, we have some free time. Afterwards, we drive to a well-known winery, where a **lunch with wine tasting** is prepared for us. Then we drive back to Bordeaux. The rest of the day is at leisure.



**Day 5: return home:** After breakfast drive to the airport and departure.

### Our services: (price on request)

- 4 nights' accommodation including breakfast in a good 4 star hotel in Bordeaux
- Sightseeing in Bordeaux
- Champagne reception and dinner in a gourmet restaurant with wine expert commentary
- Day excursion to the Medoc wine tasting and tour of the wineries of Chateau Kirwan Chateau Lynch Bages including lunch
- Day trip to Arcachon with a short city tour. Oyster tasting. Catamaran ride incl. seafood picnic and drinks on board
- Day excursion to visit the wineries of Clos de la Madeleine in Saint Emilion and lunch in a famous winery.
- Drinks at the advertised meals
- Bus transfer and admission fees according to program
- Bus transfer from the airport and back
- Number of participants: min. 25 max. 50 people

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