



THE NATIONAL
WWII MUSEUM
TRAVEL

EAST MEETS WEST

Prague, Berlin, and the Link-Up on the Elbe

April 29 – May 9, 2027 | Starting at \$9,599



featuring
Saul David, PhD



Church of our Lady in Old Town Dresden

ABOUT THE TOUR

The National WWII Museum's Travel Program is dedicated to providing the highest quality educational content by creating custom-curated itineraries, arranging the finest boutique hotel accommodations, procuring local menus, and touring aboard premium motor coaches.

East Meets West traces the dramatic final chapters of World War II in Europe. Led by acclaimed historian Saul David, PhD, this immersive all-new journey from Prague to Berlin allows time for deep exploration at the sites that defined the war's final phase.

Starting in Prague, examine the Nazi occupation and the story of Operation Anthropoid, the mission to assassinate Reinhard Heydrich, and the retaliatory massacre at Lidice. In Terezín, uncover the realities of the ghetto for Czech Jews at Theresienstadt, infamously deemed a "model" concentration camp through deceptive propaganda disseminated by the Nazis.

Continue into Germany to explore Colditz Castle, the Renaissance hilltop fortress that was transformed into a prisoner-of-war camp during World War II. Visit "Florence on the Elbe" during a walking tour in Dresden, known for its remarkable postwar reconstruction. The tour culminates in Torgau, where American and Soviet forces linked up on the Elbe in April 1945. Conclude in Berlin with visits to pivotal sites including Treptower Park and Karlshorst.

This powerful journey offers a deeper understanding of the events, decisions, and human experiences that shaped the end of the war in Europe. Traveling with The National WWII Museum offers a unique and enriching experience that goes beyond typical group tour itineraries—it provides a meaningful journey that honors the past while inspiring future generations.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

KÖNIGSTEIN FORTRESS



Handshake on the Elbe

STS. CYRIL AND METHODIUS CATHEDRAL PRAGUE



RECEPTION FEATURING THE MUSIC OF COMPOSERS IN TEREZÍN



ITINERARY

OPTIONAL 1-NIGHT PRE-TOUR EXTENSION PROGRAM: TREASURES OF PRAGUE

\$1,699 per person double occupancy, \$2,199 single occupancy
Jewish Quarter and Old Town Walking Tour / Prague Castle /
Strahov Library | *Accommodations: Augustine, a Luxury Collection
Hotel, Prague (B, R)*



DAY 1 ARRIVE IN PRAGUE

Individual arrivals into Václav Havel Airport Prague (PRG) /
Welcome Reception, Lecture, and Dinner

Accommodations: Augustine, a Luxury Collection Hotel, Prague (R, D)

DAY 2 HEYDRICH & THE OCCUPATION OF PRAGUE

Panenské Brežany / Former Villa of Reinhard Heydrich / Lunch
on own in Prague / Petschek Palace and Memorial Peckárna

Accommodations: Augustine, a Luxury Collection Hotel, Prague (B)

DAY 3 OPERATION ANTHROPOID

Sts. Cyril and Methodius Cathedral / Kubiš and Gabčík Safehouses /
Lunch at Hoffmeister / Lidice

Accommodations: Augustine, a Luxury Collection Hotel, Prague (B, D, L)

DAY 4 TEREZÍN

Theresienstadt Ghetto / Lunch at Kotlina / Small Fortress /
Reception featuring classical musicians playing music from
composers who were prisoners at Terezín

Accommodations: Hotel Taschenbergpalais Kempinski Dresden (B, L, R)

DAY 5 COLDITZ AND MEISSEN

Colditz Castle / Lunch on own in Meissen / Schloss Proschwitz and
wine tasting

Accommodations: Hotel Taschenbergpalais Kempinski Dresden (B)

DAY 6 PIRNA AND KÖNIGSTEIN FORTRESS

T4 Euthanasia Center at Sonnenstein / Lunch on own in Pirna /
Königstein Fortress

Accommodations: Hotel Taschenbergpalais Kempinski Dresden (B)

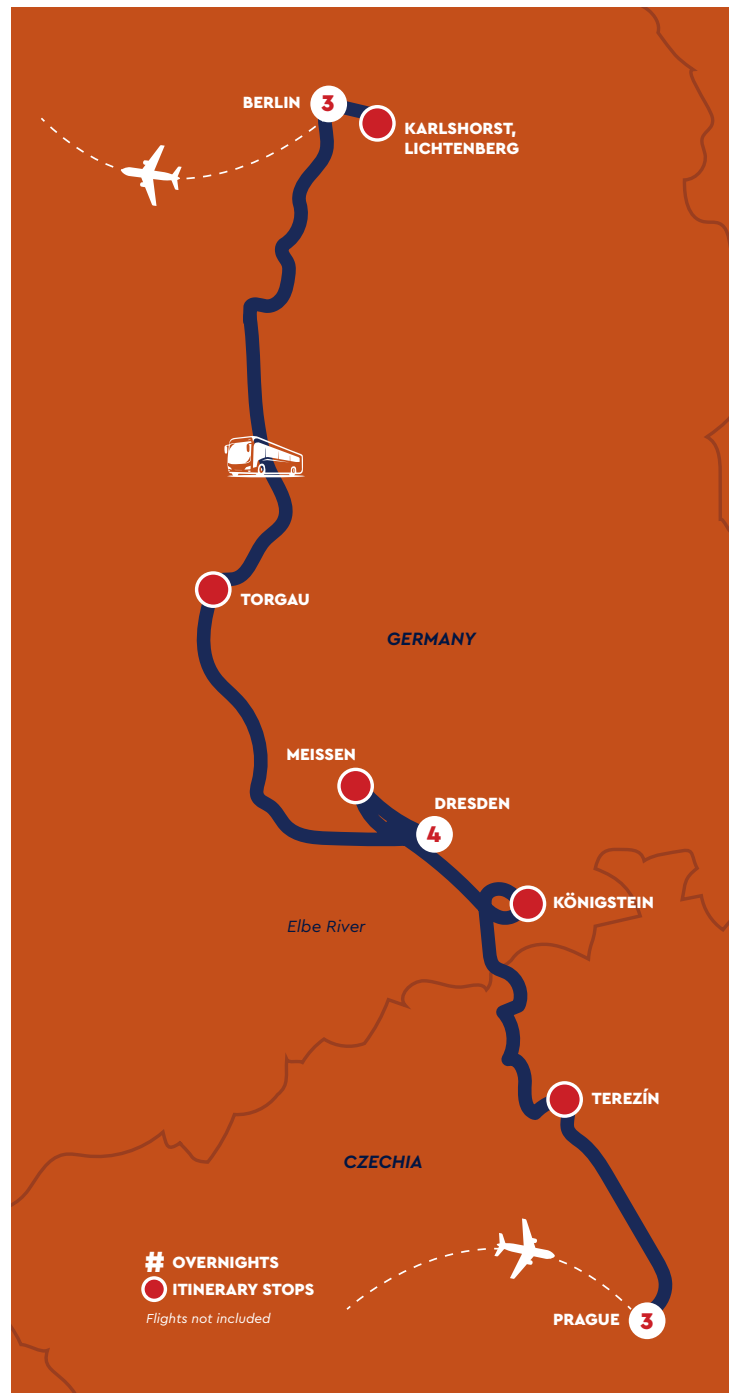
DAY 7 THE BOMBING OF DRESDEN

Dresden Old Town Walking Tour / Bundeswehr Military History
Museum / Münchner Platz / Group Dinner at Hotel

Accommodations: Hotel Taschenbergpalais Kempinski Dresden (B, D)

DAY 8 THE LINK-UP ON THE ELBE

Torgau / Hartenfels Castle / Lunch with Lecture in Torgau Town



Hall / Berlin in WWII Walking Tour

Accommodations: Hotel de Rome Berlin (B, L)

DAY 9 THE FALL OF BERLIN

Seelow Heights / Group lunch / Treptower Park / Dinner at Käfer
on the Reichstag

Accommodations: Hotel de Rome Berlin (B, L, D)

DAY 10 KARLSHORST

Karlsborst Museum / Lunch on own / Optional afternoon tour
to Museum Island (includes Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church) /
Farewell Reception and Lecture

Accommodations: Hotel de Rome Berlin (B, R)

DAY 11 DEPARTURES

Transfer to Berlin Brandenburg Airport (BER) for individual
flights home (B)

PRICING

\$9,599 PER PERSON BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY | \$10,599 PER PERSON SINGLE OCCUPANCY

\$399 taxes and fees are additional.

ACCOMMODATIONS

AUGUSTINE, A LUXURY COLLECTION HOTEL, PRAGUE

3 nights



HOTEL TASCHENBERGPALAIS KEMPINSKI DRESDEN

4 nights



HOTEL DE ROME BERLIN

3 nights



INCLUSIONS

- Travel with expert historian Saul David, PhD
- Full-time logistical Tour Manager
- Expert local guides
- Roundtrip airport transfers (when arriving & departing on scheduled group tour dates)
- Luxury 5-star hotel accommodations throughout the itinerary
- Private, first-class, air-conditioned motor coach transportation
- VIP access to sites and hand-tailored experiences not offered on other tours
- Entrance fees to all sites, museums, and historic attractions in itinerary
- Video oral history presentations from the Museum's collection
- Gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, and servers
- Personal listening devices on all included touring
- 10 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 3 Receptions, and 3 Dinners
- Beer, wine, and soft drinks with included lunches and dinner
- Informative map book including useful battlefield maps and archival images to be used throughout your journey

For tour questions or for more information, the Travel Sales Team is available Monday-Friday, 9:00 am-5:00 pm Central.

Call: 1-877-813-3329 x 257

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