Experience the serene in Venice, the unique city that floats amidst breathtaking canals. Marvel at the ornate architecture, immerse yourself in the elaborate tradition of carnival masks, and be inspired by one of the most elegant Italian theaters. As you stroll through this well-preserved, picturesque city you will be transported back in time and absorbed in its charm.

April 12  Arrive in Venice and transfer to the 4-star Hotel Papadopoli or similar accommodations. Spend the remainder of your day at leisure.

April 13  Set out on an inspiring half-day tour of Venice. Peruse the ornate décor of Scuola Grande di San Rocco while enjoying the best works of the Renaissance painter, Tintoretto. Visit Ca’ Foscari University of Venice for spectacular views from the Rialto Bridge to the Accademia Bridge. Immerse yourself in the Venice tradition of carnival mask making at the Ca’ Macana Workshop before taking a relaxing stroll across the Accademia Bridge into Campo Santo Stefano- a popular city square. Then, enjoy one of the finest Italian theatres as you take in the beauty of Teatro la Fenice. Finally, stand in awe and admire what Napoleon called "the world's most beautiful drawing room" - Piazza San Marco (St. Mark’s Square). Return to the hotel by private motor launch and spend the rest of day at your leisure.

April 14  After breakfast, transfer to Trieste and embark Riviera.

Note: This is a walking tour with uneven terrain and over stone bridges, and may not be suitable for those with walking difficulties. The order of sights may vary.

+ Hotel check-in date is April 12

Explore Venice on this tour designed to give well-deserved attention to an incredible destination that would otherwise be missed. This pre-cruise tour is the ultimate accessory to a remarkable trip.

**INCLUSIONS**

- 2 nights at Hotel Papadopoli or similar accommodations, with breakfast
- 1 half-day sightseeing excursion
- Professional tour guide
- Exclusive Go Next Program Manager and hospitality desk
- Transfers between Venice airport,* hotel, and cruise ship pier in Trieste, with related luggage handling

*FOR GUESTS BOOKING THEIR OWN AIRFARE: Airport transfers are only applicable on program dates. You must provide your complete flight details to Go Next 30 days prior to departure in order to ensure airport transfers.

**HOTEL PAPADOPOLI**

Situated 300 meters from the Piazzale Roma, Hotel Papadopoli offers guests the comfort and elegance of the Venetian Enlightenment. Canopy beds, chandeliers, and luxury fittings are all part of the Papadopoli experience. Here, guests have the benefits of a luxury chain with the charm and service of a boutique accommodation. In addition, guests have views of the nearby Papadopoli gardens and the Tolentini Canal.