



INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION VALLÉS OCCIDENTAL **BARCELONA**

2nd Edition

IPA SUPER TOUR

JAPAN & VIETNAM

From May 4th to 25th 2026









The IPA POLICE SUPER TOUR 2026 consists of TWO AMAZING DESTINATIONS. On the one hand a wonderful VIETNAM visiting its most impressive and amazing cities and sites, such as **HANOI**, Bach Ma Temple, Mai Chau Rice Fields, Navigation and night on board in HALONG Bay (one of the new 7 Wonders of UNESCO) HUE (Imperial City and Purple City), HOI AN (city of lanterns) HO CHI MIN (ancient Saigon), War Museum, Ngoc Hoang Pagoda and Cu Chi Tunnels (tunnels of the Vietnam War), enjoy an unforgettable experience and in secondly JAPAN along the most emblematic and legendary cities like TOKYO, KYOTO, OSAKA and HIROSHIMA, visiting its most beautiful temples and most fascinating places like Shibuya, Senso-Ji, Asakusa, Hakone (Mount Fuji), Nara, Miyajima Island, Arashiyama, Hiroshima Peace Memorial, Atomic Bomb Dome etc etc, and more!!!

- Would you like to enjoy an unforgettable trip, discovering, sailing and touring the main cities and the most beautiful and exotic areas of VIETNAM and JAPAN?
- Would you like to visit and experience unforgettable places such as Shibuya, Senso-Ji, Asakusa, Hakone (Mount Fuji), Nara, Miyajima Island, Arashiyama, Halong Bay, Hoi An Lantern City, Cu Chi Tunnels and many others?
- Would you like to participate in this amazing program specially designed and directed by IPA to experience all those breathtaking sceneries and places of VIETNAM AND JAPAN places?

If so, take a look and discover our program and JOIN US!!









VIETNAM

(MAY 4th to 15th 2026)



MONDAY MAY 4th 2026 ARRIVAL TO HANOI (VIETNAM)

- ❖ Transfer to the hotel
- ❖ Free day with no scheduled activities











TUESDAY MAY 5th 2026 HANOI

Vietnam's vibrant capital will captivate you with its blend of ancient Vietnamese culture and modernity, its historic temples, bustling markets and elegant colonial boulevards, the charm of the Old Town, a vibrant nightlife and its delicious Vietnamese cuisine.

- Breakfast in the hotel
- ❖ We'll begin a guided walk to Bach Ma Temple, Hanoi's oldest and most historic temple. We'll then explore the bustling Dong Xuan Market, where locals do their daily shopping. We'll stop in front of the impressive St. Joseph's Cathedral, known as "Little Notre Dame". Next, we'll head to the serene Hoan Kiem Lake to visit Ngoc Son Temple and hear its intriguing legend of the golden turtle. We'll pause for an optional bánh mi while observing life around the lake.





















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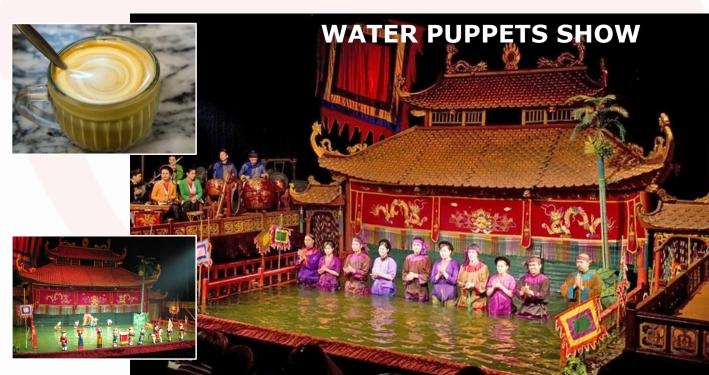


❖ Our walk will continue to the majestic **Opera House**, a symbol of French influence in Hanoi.





- **Lunch** in a local restaurant.
- We'll end our tour with the option of a traditional coffee with egg before enjoying a Water Puppets Show, a cultural experience that will mark the end of our day.



Return to the hotel and free time.









WEDNESDAY MAY 6th 2026 HANOI – MAI CHAU

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ We'll begin our adventure by transferring to the beautiful Mai Chau Valley, home to diverse Vietnamese ethnic groups, where we'll experience authentic rural life. Upon arrival, we'll feast on a wide variety of traditional Vietnamese dishes, refueling for the tour with our local expert quide. We'll visit picturesque villages surrounded by rice paddies, corn, and cassava fields, discovering the rich traditions and customs of the local inhabitants. During the tour, we'll enjoy fresh fruit and tea from the region while the friendly locals welcome us into their homes and share their daily lives with us.



- ❖ We'll hotel for the qo to dinner, where we'll enjoy an traditional performance and the opportunity to taste the area's famous rice wine.
- Overnight in Mai Chau hotel











THURSDAY MAY 7th 2026 MAI CHAU - HANOI

- ❖ Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ Free time to enjoy this authentic rural setting.







- Lunch
- Transfer from Mai Chau to Hanoi



Free time in Hanoi









FRIDAY MAY 8th 2026 HALONG BAY

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ Transfer to Halong Port, whose name means "falling dragon." Upon arrival, we will board a traditional wooden boat. After a refreshing welcome drink, we will begin our cruise through Halong Bay, declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the New 7 Wonders of the World. During the cruise, we can enjoy lunch on board while marveling at the breathtaking landscapes that surround us. After a short break on deck, we can enjoy a kayak ride, take a refreshing dip in the bay's waters, or simply relax with the spectacular views of Halong Bay.





❖ To end the day, we will enjoy dinner on board and a party on deck, with the option to participate in squid fishing, a typical dish of the region, before

retiring to rest.

Overnight on board.









SATURDAY MAY 9th 2026 HALONG BAY - HANOI - HUE

We'll start the day at sunrise with an invigorating Tai Chi session on the boat deck, followed by a hearty breakfast to replenish our energy. Afterward, we'll board a local-style boat to explore Hon Co Beach and the hidden Thien Canh Son Cave. Don't forget your swimsuit! Upon returning to the boat, we'll enjoy an entertaining Vietnamese cooking class, and over lunch, we'll sail back out into the bay, enjoying the last views of this spectacular landscape. Once ashore, we'll transfer to Hanoi Airport for your flight to Hue.







- Transfer to the hotel.
- Dinner and Overnight.











SUNDAY MAY 10th 2026

HUE

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ Hue, the ancient capital of the empire. We will sail on a traditional boat along the Perfume River to Thien Mu Pagoda. Our next stop will be The Citadel, an impressive fortress built in the 17th century by order of Emperor Gia Long. Within its walls, we will visit three precincts: The Imperial City, The Civic City or Capital, and The Forbidden Purple City, which only the Emperor had access to. After the Citadel, we will visit the Imperial Tombs: the Tomb of Tu Duc, the most beautiful in Hue, used by the emperor as a summer palace and place of spiritual retreat. Then, the Tomb of Khai Dinh, built as a majestic monument and mausoleum. At the end of the visit, we will be transferred to Hoi An.



Transfer to the hotel and overnight.









MONDAY MAY 11th 2026 HOI-AN

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- Hoi An, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Walking through its charming streets, we'll immerse ourselves in its rich history and culture. We'll visit the iconic Japanese Covered Bridge, which separated the Japanese and Chinese districts. We'll explore Phung Hung House, the residence of one of Hoi An's wealthiest families, and Tan Ky House, an excellent example of traditional 17th-century architecture. We'll also visit the Tran Family Chapel, an influential Chinese family, and the Cantonese Assembly Hall.











❖ Free afternoon and evening to explore at your leisure. Stroll through its charming historic center, discover its vibrant markets, and photograph the colorful lanterns that adorn the streets and envelop the city in an absolutely spectacular atmosphere.















TUESDAY MAY 12th 2026

HOI-AN - HO CHI MIN (ancient SAIGON)

- ❖ Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ At the scheduled time, transfer to Da Nang Airport for your flight to Ho Chi Minh City. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Ho Chi Minh City, also known as Saigon, is the largest city in Vietnam. This bustling city blends French colonial charm with the modern energy of Asia.





Arrival at your hotel and overnight.







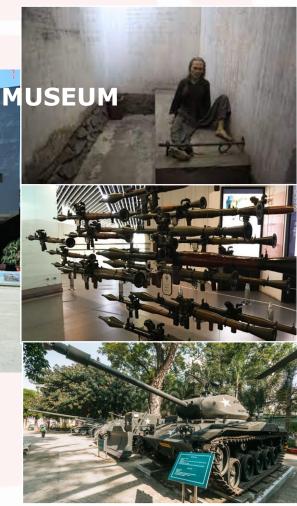


WEDNESDAY MAY 13th 2026

HO CHI MIN (ancient SAIGON)

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ We'll begin with a visit to the War Remnants Museum, a striking site that offers a profound account of the history of the war in Vietnam.













❖ We'll continue our city tour, stopping at the striking Saigon City Hall and **the Saigon Opera House**. We'll continue to **Notre Dame Cathedral**, whose façade is made of locally quarried stone and covered with red tiles imported from France. We'll visit the **Central Post Office**, a magnificent example of French colonial architecture, designed by Gustave Eiffel in the late 19th century.

















- Lunch
- ❖ Then, we'll head to Ngoc Hoang Pagoda, dedicated to the Jade Emperor. We'll end our tour at Ben Thanh Market, where you can wander around at your leisure among handicrafts, food, and more.





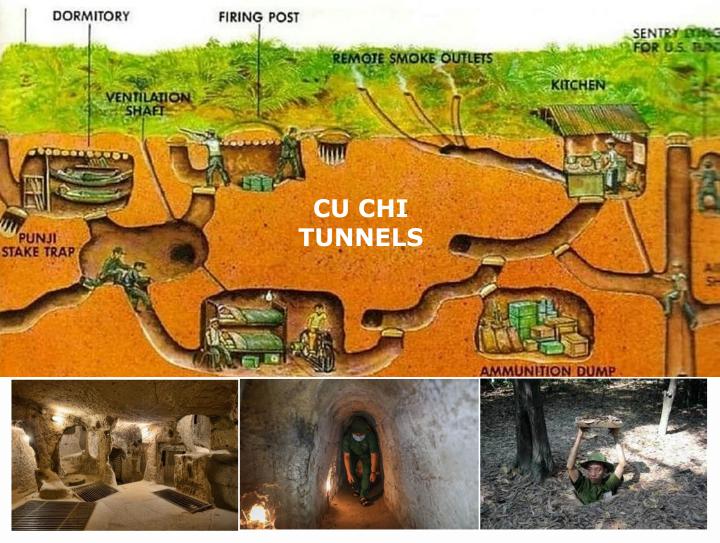








❖ At the end of the visit, we'll head to **the Cu Chi Tunnels** to learn how the peasant guerrillas fought using their 200 km of hand-dug passages and chambers. Here we'll experience what life was like underground (not for the claustrophobic) and how their ingenuity enabled them to resist, inventing all kinds of tricks and tools to escape. This is where the Viet Cong planned their assault on Saigon during the Tet (New Year) celebrations of 1968. In 1990, the government opened the tunnels to the public. Entering the complex means crawling in the dark through narrow tunnels for several meters. Although they have been enlarged, we'll likely touch the walls with our shoulders.



❖ After this experience, we'll return to your hotel in Ho Chi Minh City. Overnight.









THURSDAY MAY 14th 2026 HO CHI MIN -MEKONG RIVER DELTA

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- The Mekong River Delta, a region famous for its intricate canals. We'll cross the Rach Mieu Bridge to board our boat and begin a tour that will allow us to discover the daily life of the Mekong people. We'll visit a traditional brick kiln and learn about the countless uses of rice. At a craft center, we'll see how different local products are made.





















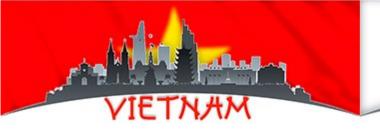
- Lunch
- We'll continue our journey on a traditional boat, navigating the narrow canals of the Mekong River until we reach the mainland.



❖ There, our driver will be waiting for us to transfer us back to the hotel. Overnight.



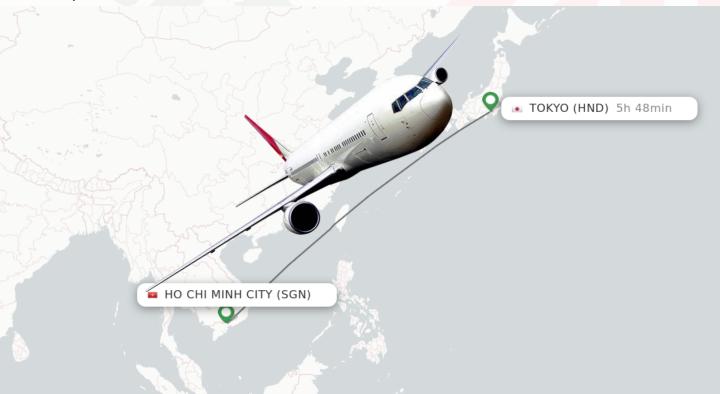






FRIDAY MAY 15th 2026 JAPAN IPA TRIP ENDS AND VIETNAM IPA TRIP STARTS

- Departure of participants returning to their homes.
- ❖ We continue our journey to Japan (flight from Ho Chi Min to Tokio), transfer to airport











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(MAY 15th to 25th 2026)

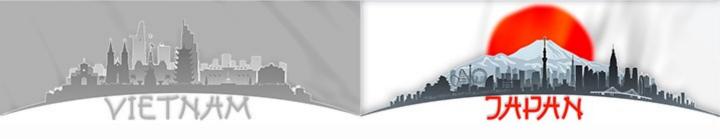


FRIDAY MAY 15th 2026 Arrival to TOKYO (JAPAN)

❖ Meet & Greet at the hotel, free day with no scheduled activities







SATURDAY MAY 16th 2026 TOKYO (ASAKUSA + ODAIBA)

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ We will start the trip in Asakusa heading to the Tokyo Sky Tree that rises above the skyline of the capital at 634 meters high, and enjoys fantastic panoramic views of the city. On a clear day, you can't see infinity, but it is one of the few places in Tokyo from where you can see Mount Fuji. After visiting the Tokyo Skytree, we will return to the Senso-ji area until we reach Kaminarimon, the iconic Thunder Gate. Senso-ji is one of the most important Buddhist temples in Tokyo and a place steeped in history and spirituality. There we will enjoy the traditional atmosphere, browse the stores inside the grounds and experience up close the experience of visiting one of Japan's great religious icons. After exploring the traditional heart of Tokyo in Asakusa, the tour continues to Odaiba, an iconic man-made island in Tokyo Bay. To get there, the entire group will meet for a Cruise Tour that will drop us off in the Odaiba area, where you will see such items as a replica of the Statue of Liberty. To end the day, we will visit the TeamLab Planets museum, a unique experience with immersive works of art to enjoy with all the senses and that will leave visitors with their mouths open.









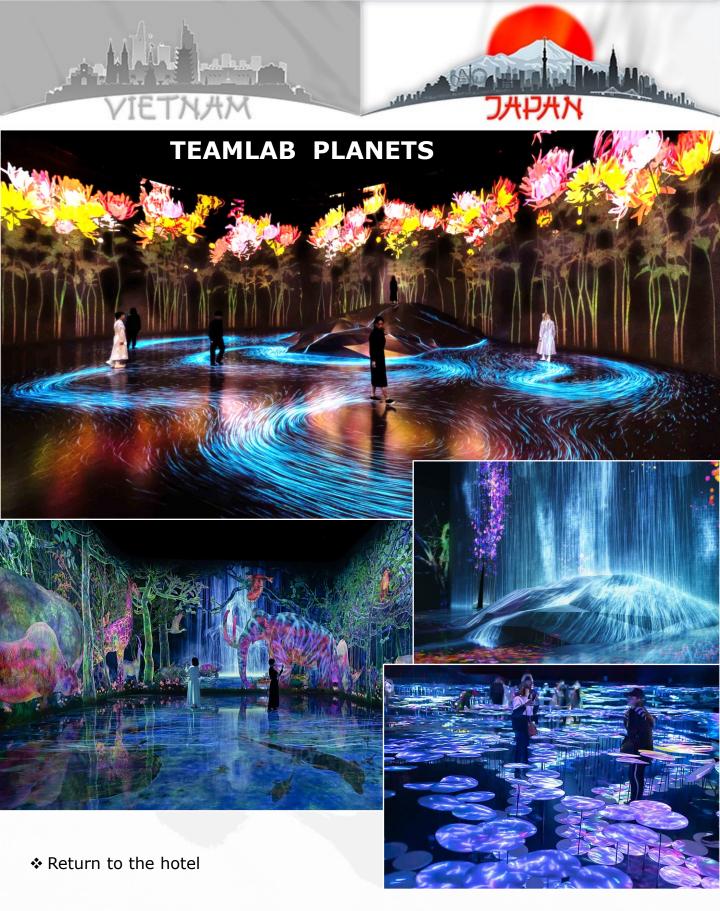


















SUNDAY MAY 17th 2026 TOKYO (SHIBUYA + SHINJUKU)

- Breakfast in the hotel
- ❖ A visit to Meiji Jingu, a Shinto shrine surrounded by a lush forest in the heart of Tokyo, dedicated to Emperor Meiji (1852-1912) and Empress Shoken, who made Japan a modern nation, is a must. Meiji Jingu is our first stop in the city of Tokyo, because any visit to the bustling neighborhoods of Shibuya and Harajuku combines perfectly with a leisurely stroll along the popular paths leading to the main shrine. Afterwards, we will head for Japan's economic district par excellence, Shinjuku. Upon arrival we will see major department stores such as Isetan, Takashimaya, Keio, Odakyu, Kinokuniya Bookstore, Tokyu Hands, Bic Camera, Yodobashi and Labi. In the immediate vicinity there are thousands of stores and, if you walk in any direction from the station, there are thousands of other stores, restaurants, bars, nightclubs and cinemas. Shinjuku is a space of contrast, on the one hand, the sobriety of the Tokyo Metropolitan Government Office building to Kabukicho where the party is. Often called the district that never sleeps, to be more precise, it loses consciousness a couple of hours well into the morning.



















* Return to the hotel







MONDAY MAY 18th 2026 HAKONE

- ❖ Breakfast in the hotel
- ❖ Hakone is located in Kanagawa Prefecture and is a tourist site that fuses nature with history, attracting numerous visitors. Hakone is famous for offering breathtaking natural scenery and majestic views of Mount Fuji, which can be enjoyed during the different seasons of the year. We will visit Hakone's most iconic landmark, Lake Ashi. This beautiful lake offers, on clear days, the possibility to see Mount Fuji in the distance.









❖ We will head to the historic Hakone checkpoint station. This place was an important barrier protecting the Tōkaidō Road during the Edo period, and here you can see what the strict surveillance measures of the time were like and get a glimpse of how travelers lived in those days. Nearby is Hakone Yumoto, a former post town that prospered during the Edo period.



❖ One of Hakone's best-known tourist attractions is the **Owakudani Volcanic Valley**, where one of the specialties is the "black egg" cooked in the geothermal heat of the volcano. Eating one of these eggs is said to extend one's life. In addition, from Owakudani you can see an impressive natural landscape, with sulfur fumaroles emerging from the earth, showing the powerful force of nature.





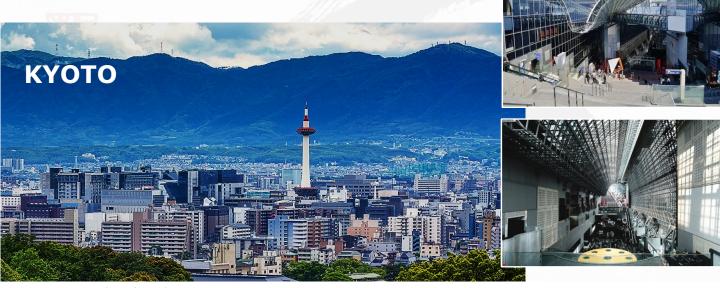




❖ After the tour of Hakone, buses will drop us off at Hakone - Yumoto train station to take the "bullet train" to our next destination, Kyoto.



❖ Arrival in Kyoto and overnight at the hotel



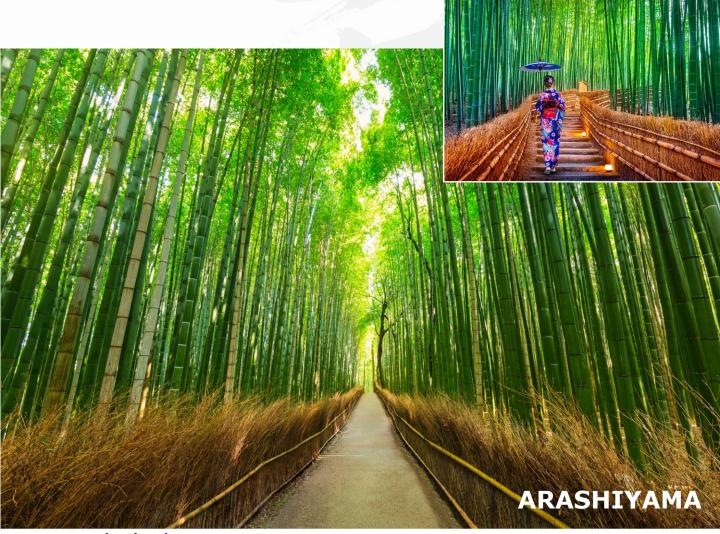






TUESDAY MAY 19th 2026 KYOTO (WEST)

- ❖ Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ We will visit the Arashiyama Bamboo Forest, a place of unparalleled natural beauty. Walking among its tall, dense bamboos, you can experience a unique sense of peace and serenity, which perfectly reflects the spirit of Kyoto. This forest is one of the most representative landscapes of the city and one of the most iconic images of Japan.









❖ We will visit Tenryuji Temple, an important Zen Buddhist temple founded in the 14th century, which is considered one of the most important temples in Kyoto. This temple is not only famous for its architecture, but also for its impressive garden, which has been designed following the principles of the Zen garden, creating an atmosphere of calm and reflexion. The temple is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site due to its historical and cultural value.



❖ We will finish the tour by visiting the **Golden Pavilion (Kinkaku-ji)**, one of the most famous temples in Japan. This temple, covered in gold leaf, reflects beautifully on the surrounding pond, creating a spectacular sight, especially on a sunny day. The surrounding environment, with its carefully landscaped gardens, completes the magical and unique atmosphere of the place.



Return to the hotel.







WEDNESDAY MAY 20th 2026 KYOTO (EAST)

- Breakfast in the hotel
- ❖ Today we explore one of the most important areas of the ancient capital, the old Geisha quarter of Gion. We will start the route in Gion, where the picturesque streets of Ninenzaka and Sannenzaka will lead us to the Kiyomizudera, one of the most emblematic temples of Kyoto. These narrow streets, reserved almost exclusively for pedestrians, are lined with souvenir stores and traditional food.









❖ Once in Kiyomizu-dera, located on top of a small mountain east of Kyoto, we will be greeted by spectacular views of the city. The temple, with its stage supported by huge wooden pillars, is one of Japan's most iconic images. However, the visit goes beyond the panoramic views; the four temples that converge at Kiyomizu-dera offer a unique spiritual experience.







❖ After exploring these temples, we return to Gion to immerse ourselves in Kyoto's past. This charming neighborhood is home to traditional residences, quaint teahouses, restaurants serving local dishes, and venerable temples and shrines. It is also known as the "entertainment district", famous for the refined Geisha and Maiko (apprentice) performers who have captivated onlookers for centuries. Among their homes, we will enjoy the experience of a traditional Tea Ceremony led by one of these GEISHAS.









Note: Visit to **Fushimi Inari-taisha** (known as the Shrine of the Ten Thousand Sacred Gates) is **NOT** included in the program, **as the tour requires a 4-km walk up and down some 1,200 steps**. This visit can be taken as an optional extra outside of the official program only.



THURSDAY MAY 21st 2026

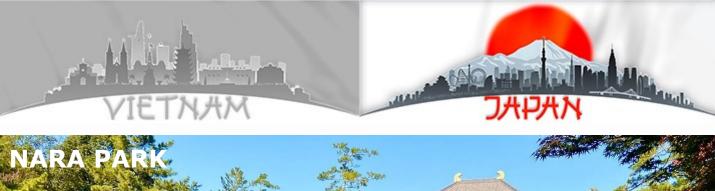
KYOTO - NARA - OSAKA

- ❖ Breakfast in the hotel
- ❖ We'll explore the historic city of Nara, Japan's first capital and a return to the most traditional Japan. We'll visit impressive Buddhist temples, Shinto shrines, and the immense Nara Park at the bottom of Mount Wakakusa. Here, we'll encounter a multitude of friendly sacred deer, considered messengers of the gods. It's a natural setting with temples in pristine forests and a lake filled with turtles and carp.











❖ We'll visit Kofuku-ji Temple (its pagoda and garden area; the treasure room is not accessible), and Todai-ji Temple, founded during the Nara period (710–784) and designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It's the largest wooden structure in the world. And finally, we'll arrive at the Kasuga Taisha Shrine, which is considered one of the most sacred places in all of Japan, dedicated to a large number of gods. The shrine attracts both devotees and tourists who want to experience an iconic Shinto ritual.













Return to the hotel.

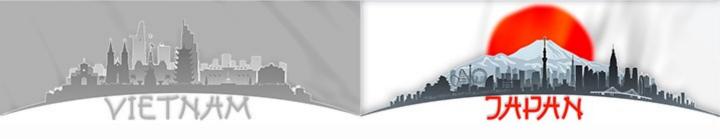
FRIDAY MAY 22nd 2026 OSAKA

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ We'll visit Osaka's most popular sites and locations learning about their important role in some of the key moments in Japan's history.









• We'll tour Osaka Castle and its gardens, the Shinsekai district, famous for its retro atmosphere that gives a glimpse into what the future looked like decades ago, and, of course, Dotombori, the area around the city's canal, filled with shops, restaurants serving local delicacies, and thousands of neon lights that light up at dusk.









SATURDAY MAY 23rd 2026 OSAKA

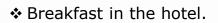
- ❖ Breakfast in the hotel.
- ❖ OSAKA (Free Day with NO activities scheduled).







SUNDAY MAY 24th 2026 HIROSHIMA Y MIYAJIMA



Journey by High Speed Train to Hiroshima.











The city of Hiroshima is marked by its tragic recent history, having been completely destroyed by an atomic bomb at the end of World War II. Despite this painful event, it has rebuilt itself with a message of peace. Furthermore, Hiroshima is known for its culinary culture, featuring specialties such as okonomiyaki and oysters. Miyajima Island, meanwhile, stands out for its dazzling natural beauty and cultural and mystical significance. It is considered sacred and one of the three most beautiful scenic landscapes in Japan.



❖ We will begin the route by touring Hiroshima Peace Park, visiting the various monuments and memorials to the victims and the Genbaku Dome. We will continue to the Peace Memorial Museum, where artifacts and testimonies (photographs, recordings, etc.) of the atomic bombing and its aftermath are on display.









❖ We'll then travel to Miyajima on a 15-minute ferry ride from Miyajima-guchi Port. On the island, we'll enter the Itsukushima Shrine and see its famous Torii gate. Depending on the tide, we'll see it immersed in the water or walk to it. We'll walk through the traditional Omotesando shopping alley and visit Daisho-in Temple.



After the visit, we'll take the train back to **Osaka**, where buses will be waiting at the station to take us to the hotel.









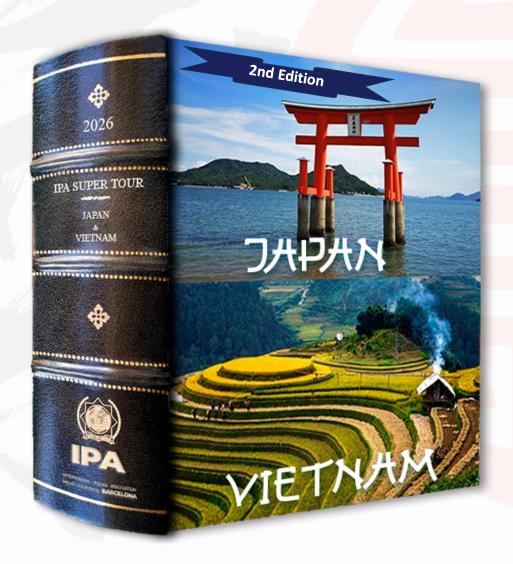


MONDAY MAY 25th 2026

END OF THE IPA TRIP TO VIETNAM AND IPA SUPER TOUR 2026

❖ The IPA trip & adventure has come to its end.

We hope you had a memorable and exciting experience with IPA!!











PRICES (per person)

* Price based in a double occupancy (single accommodation incurs an extra charge)



1875 €/pp

IPA TRIP to VIETNAM (only)

(12 Days / 11 Nights)

<u>IPA TRIP to JAPAN</u> <u>(only)</u>

(11 Days / 10 Nights)



3750 €/pp



+400 €/pp

IPA TRIP to VIETNAM + JAPAN (entire IPA Super Tour 2026)

(22 Days / 21 Nights)

Includes international flight HO CHI MIN (Vietnam) to TOKIO (Japan), May 15th 2026









VIETNAM - JAPAN

THE PRICE INCLUDES

- IPA Trip Package to Japan as described in the official program May 15th to 25th 2026
- 3 nights in Tokyo, Hotel 4*** May 15th to 18th 2026
- 3 nights in Kyoto, Hotel 4**** May18th to 21st 2026
- 4 nights in Osaka, Hotel 4**** May 21st to 25th 2026
- Transfers to excursions and visits in Japan as described in the official program from May 15th to 25th 2026
- Breakfasts in Japan from May 16th to 25th 2026
- Lunches in Japan from May 16th to 24th (except May 23rd)
- Entrance Ticket to Tokyo Sky Tree
- Entrance Ticket to Senso-Ji Temple
- Odaiba Island Cruise
- Entrance Ticket to TeamLab Planets
- Entrance Ticket to Meiji Jingu Sanctuary
- High Speed Train Hakone Kioto
- Entrance Ticket to Tenryuji Temple
- Entrance Ticket to Golden Pavillion (Kinkaku-ji)
- Entrance Ticket to Kiyomizu-dera Temple
- Tea Ceremony with Geishas
- Entrance Ticket to Osaka Castle
- Entrance Ticket to Kofuku-ji Temple
- Entrance Ticket to Todai-ji Temple
- Entrance Ticket to Kasuga Taisha Sanctuary
- High Speed Train Osaka Hiroshima
- Entrance Ticket to Hiroshima Peace Museum
- Ferry to Miyajima
- Entrance Ticket to Itsukushima Sanctuary
- Entrance Ticket to Daisho-in Temple
- International flight Ho Chi Min Tokio May 15th 2026 (Only For those participating in the whole event Japan + Vietnam)
- Transfer Hanoi Airport / Hotel May 4th 2026
- IPA Trip Package to Vietnam as described in the official program May 4th to 15th 2026
- 3 nights in Hanoi, Hotel 4**** May 4th to 6th + May 7th to 8th 2026

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THE PRICE INCLUDES

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- 1 night On Board in Halong Bay Cruise May 6th to 7th 2026
- 1 nights in Hue, Hotel 4**** May 8th to 9th 2026
- 2 nights in Hoi-an, Hotel 4**** May 9th to 10th 2026
- 3 nights in Ho Chi Min (Saigon), Hotel 4**** May 12th to 15th 2026
- Transfers to excursions and visits in Vietnam as described in the official program from May 4th to 15th 2026
- Breakfasts in Vietnam from May 5th to 15th 2026
- Lunches in Vietnam May 5th,6th,7th,8th,9th,10th,13th & 14th
- Dinners in Vietnam May 6th, 8th & 9
- Entrance Ticket to Bach Ma Temple
- Entrance Ticket to Ngoc Son Temple
- Entrance Ticket to Water Puppets Show
- Halong Bay Cruise
- Flight Hanoi Hue May 9th 2026
- Navigation Perfume River
- Entrance Ticket to Thin Mu Pagoda
- Entrance Ticket to Hue Citadel
- Entrance Ticket to Phung Hung House
- Entrance Ticket to Tan Ky House
- Entrance Ticket to Tran Family Chapel
- Entrance Ticket to Vietnam War Museum (Ho Chi Min)
- Entrance Ticket to Ngoc Hoang Pagoda
- Entrance Ticket to Cu Chi Tunnels (Tunnel of Vietnam War)
- Mekong River Delta Navigation
- Transfer Ho Chi Min Hotel / Airport May 15th 2026
- Tolls and Parkings
- All Taxes
- 24 / 7 IPA assistance during the whole itinerary.







VIETNAM - JAPAN

THE PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Trip and / or Medical Insurance
- Tips
- Personal and / or private expenses
- Flights from / to origin
- No other service, visit, excursion, transportation and/or similar that are not expressly described in the section "The Price Includes"

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

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Deadline Enrollment:

December 15th 2025 or Upon Sold Out.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Prices are based on double occupancy. Accommodation in a single room incurs an additional charge. If you have any questions regarding the type of accommodation, please contact us.







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