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Cover Image: Classic car in Havana
Letter Panel Image: Havana Cathedral

Viñales Valley
DEAR ALABAMA TRAVELERS,

Steeped in history and riddled with architectural gems, Cuba stirs visions of jewel-toned vintage cars and smoldering cigars, of grand baroque churches and idyllic, emerald-green valleys. Step aboard the beautifully appointed MS Saint Laurent to experience a groundbreaking, 360-degree cruise around this captivating Caribbean island.

Join fellow alumni on an iconic voyage in American history—specially designed to showcase Cuba like never before—with exclusive access to the country’s off-the-beaten-path towns, pristine national parks, and UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Watch glorious landscapes unfold as the MS Saint Laurent, the first luxury boutique ship to cruise from Miami to Cuba, brings you the best of this culturally rich island. Take in the artistic treasures of Old Havana, where cobbled streets twist past towering cathedrals and art deco masterpieces. Witness Santiago de Cuba’s soulful musical tradition, and see Trinidad’s history reflected in majestic colonial mansions. Your adventure continues to serene national parks, providing a delightful contrast to the island’s energetic cities. From the dramatic limestone hills of the Viñales Valley, a surreal visual feast, to the prized Alejandro de Humboldt National Park, a bird-watching paradise surrounded by pine-clad mountains, encounter scenes of incredible natural beauty.

This extraordinary cruise includes fascinating onboard lectures to enrich your travel experience. In addition, complimentary expert-led excursions offer the exciting chance to connect with the country’s diverse locals, such as artists, musicians, and naturalists. Space is limited and sure to sell out quickly, so sign up now to take advantage of this incredible offer. Don’t miss the opportunity to circumnavigate Cuba, one of the world’s most spellbinding countries, with perfect ease and elegance.

Sincerely,

Ashley Olive
Alumni Tour Coordinator

AVAILABLE TO ALUMNI, THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS.
TRAVEL INSURANCE

We strongly suggest purchasing travel insurance. Travel insurance information will be sent to you by The University of Alabama Alumni Association with your confirmation letter.

OPERATOR/PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT

Go Next, Inc. (hereafter GN), located at 8000 West 78th Street, Suite 345, Minneapolis, MN 55431, is not responsible for full payment by you of the amounts specified, is responsible to arrange for the transportation, accommodations and other services specified as included in this brochure and as to the extent you have selected them, and subject to the conditions of this brochure, are expressed exclusively as specified by including this brochure, services, taxes and fees are not included.

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AIR TRANSPORTATION: Airlines are capacity controlled and may have restrictive terms and conditions. After tickets are issued, penalties up to 100% of the ticket may be assessed by the airline or cruise line in the event of nonperformance of transportation. GN must be commenced within 1 (one) year after scheduled termination of the trip or GN reserves the right to substitute equipment but is not obliged to do so. GN reserves the right to substitute air carriers and cruise lines, but is not obliged to do so. GN CANNOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST OR DAMAGED LUGGAGE. YOU SHOULD GIVE IMMEDIATE NOTICE OF ANY LOST OR DAMAGED LUGGAGE TO THE INVOLVED AIR CARRIER, HOTEL, CRUISE LINE AND TO YOUR OWN INSURANCE COMPANY. LUGGAGE FEES ARE IN ADDITION. ALL FLIGHTS HAVE LUGGAGE RESTRICTIONS.

AIRCRAFT AND CRUISE LINE BOARDING: The air carrier and cruise line reserve the right to substitute equipment but is not obliged to do so. GN reserves the right to substitute air carriers and cruise lines, but is not obliged to do so. GN CANNOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR AIRLINE OR CRUISE LINE DELAYS. Aircraft and cruise line boarding privileges are limited to persons whose full payment and signed agreement have been received by GN and whose names are on the manifest given to the carrier before departure. All persons must also present a passport with at least six months validity beyond their return date when boarding, proper documentation, adequate proof of identity, inadequate proof of age for children under 2, or any other reason may result in denial of boarding privileges. The air carrier and cruise line reserve the right to decline, accept or return any person on the flight or cruise at any time within their sole discretion. If you are denied boarding privileges, you forfeit all monies paid and will be assessed any non-refundable costs.

PROGRAM OPERATION: Haimark Line, Ltd. operates the cruise operated in the various ports of call by local tourist service companies arranged by Haimark Line, Ltd. They are responsible to arrange for the transportation, accommodations, and other services we arrange as described in the brochure.

NOTICES: Any complaints or claims against GN must be made in writing and received within 90 days after scheduled termination of the trip. Any action or suit against GN must be commenced within 1 (one) year after scheduled termination of the trip or be forever barred.

The rights and remedies relating to cancellations made available under this agreement are in addition to any other rights or remedies available under applicable law. However, we offer any refunds under this agreement with the express understanding that the receipt of the trip in its entirety satisfies your travel requirements.

FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION PROTECTION: Under Public Law 89-777, the FMC requires vessels having berth or stateroom accommodations for 50 or more passengers and which embark passengers from U.S. ports to maintain acceptable evidence of financial responsibility to indemnify passengers for nonperformance of transportation. Haimark Line, Ltd. maintains an escrow agreement to protect passenger payments for water transportation. This escrow agreement has been reviewed and approved by the Federal Maritime Commission.

INSURANCE: Travel insurance is available and can provide coverage for unforeseen circumstances that could disrupt your trip. See panel above for details.

INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS ONLY: International travel involves stringent identification and travel documentation requirements. Be sure you are familiar with them sufficiently in advance and early in your planning. Be sure that you are familiar with them sufficiently in advance and early in your planning. Be sure that you are familiar with them sufficiently in advance and early in your planning.

ADVISORY: When you are traveling outside of the United States, please be aware that significantly different health, safety and legal standards may prevail. You should plan and act accordingly and exercise good personal judgment for your own health and safety at all times when abroad. If you have special medical or physical requirements, you should investigate your destination(s) beforehand and ensure the care and conditions you need will be available.

REFUNDS AND CANCELLATIONS: If you change plans or cancel, your rights to a refund are limited. Upon receipt of written cancellation from you, the following cancellation charges will apply in days prior to initial flight departure in addition to any applicable airline cancellation fees.

Cruise Program Cancellation Fees: 120 days or more = $200 per person
119-90 days = 25% of total fare
89-60 days = 50% of total fare
59-0 days = 100% of total fare, no refund

Any requests for cancellation must be communicated to GN in writing. Applicable refunds, if any, will be made within 14 days after the cancellation.

HEALTH: Any physical or mental condition requiring special medical attention or equipment must be disclosed in writing to GN at the time the participant makes a reservation. GN may reject the reservation of any person who, in the opinion of GN, is unfit for travel or might be a danger to themselves or to others with whom they are traveling. GN reserves the right to provide special assistance, including without limitation those who permanently or periodically use a wheelchair, must be accompanied by someone who agrees to provide the required assistance. GN reserves the right to terminate the participation of any participant whose conduct or condition materially inconveniences other participants.

THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS OF ANY KIND (INCLUDING MEDICAL EXCEPTIONS) TO THESE POLICIES. No refunds will be made for any portion of the arrangements we have made for you that are not actually utilized by you. There is no variance from these policies for the services we arrange as described in this brochure.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (265-1)
APRIL 23 – MAY 2, 2016
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PLEASE MAKE MY/OUR RESERVATION FOR THE GRAND CUBAN VOYAGE PROGRAM

PLEASE NOTE: Airfare and airport transfers are not included.
I/We will make my/our own air arrangements. Please contact me/us to discuss air options.
State/room/Suite category requested: 1st choice _____________ 2nd choice _____________ Bed request: Twin (2 beds) Queen

Single and Triple accommodations are an additional cost and subject to availability.

Please reserve _____________ space(s) for the GO NEXT MIAMI PRE-CRUISE PROGRAM, $299 per person, double occupancy. Single occupancy is $424 and subject to availability.

All passengers must travel with a passport valid at least 6 months beyond their return date.

I/WE PREFER GO NEXT CORRESPONDENCE VIA:
☐ Email
☐ Mail

I/We have read, received a copy of, understand, and accept the terms and conditions stated in the Operator/Participant Agreement.

SIGN HERE X

DEPOSIT AND FINAL PAYMENT:
A deposit of $950 per person (plus a $200 deposit per person for each Pre- and/or Post-Cruise Program, if applicable) is due with your reservation application. Make checks payable to Go Next. Deposits may also be made by credit card. Full payment is required by January 4, 2016. Reservations received after this date must be accompanied with full payment.

Please reserve _____________ space(s). Enclosed is my/our deposit for $ ________________.

All FINAL payments are required to be made by check or cash.

I/We authorize Go Next, Inc. to charge my/our deposit for $ ____________________________

SIGN HERE X

Making a deposit or acceptance or use of any vouchers, tickets, goods, or services shall be deemed consent to and acceptance of the terms and conditions stated in the applicable Operator/Participant Agreement, including limitations on responsibility and liability.
Onboard guest lectures will deepen your understanding of Cuba, a mesmerizing country on the verge of great transformation. Leading compelling presentations and thought-provoking discussions on the island’s rich history and evolving U.S.-Cuba diplomatic relations, these handpicked specialists combine a colorful range of interests. Whether attending a lecture in the Compass Lounge, or enjoying an impromptu discussion in the Seascape Tavern, your lecturers’ in-depth knowledge and passion will truly bring the country’s heritage into sharper focus.
APR 23: MIAMI, FLORIDA
From the Port of Miami, embark on your luxury cruise aboard the MS Saint Laurent. This evening, enjoy a special Welcome Reception as well a highly informative talk that highlights the journey ahead.

APR 24: HAVANA, CUBA
Begin the day with a fascinating lecture on the heritage of Havana, Cuba’s effervescent capital. Then head ashore to take in the magnificent sights of Old Havana, a UNESCO World Heritage Site filled with timeless Spanish colonial buildings, unique artist studios, and graceful cobbled plazas. Visit the 1920s-era Hotel Ambos Mundos, where Ernest Hemingway resided in Room 511 and began *For Whom the Bell Tolls*. Following lunch, join a local architecture expert for a panoramic tour of Havana’s architectural gems. After dinner, perhaps enjoy an evening performance at Tropicana, the city’s iconic open-air cabaret, or experience the retro flavor of Café Taberna.

APR 25: HAVANA/VIÑALES, CUBA
This morning, head west into the province of Pinar del Río to the lush Viñales Valley, offering an exquisite portrait of rural Cuban life. Known for producing the island’s best tobacco, the UNESCO-listed Viñales also boasts awe-inspiring scenery, from palm-studded valleys to towering limestone outcrops (known as mogotes) and dramatic caves. Discover the region’s lost-world atmosphere on a riverboat ride through a cave; explore an orchid garden with staff from the University of Pinar del Río; visit a tobacco plantation run by three generations; meet with workers at a tobacco-sorting facility; and stop at a family-owned organic farm to enjoy a freshly prepared lunch and to sample homegrown vegetables.

APR 26: MARÍA LA GORDA/GUANAHACABIBES NATIONAL PARK, CUBA
Sail to Cuba’s forested Península de Guanahacabibes, where the bayside settlement María la Gorda beckons with beautiful coastal vistas. Connect with a local naturalist at Guanahacabibes National Park, the largest of Cuba’s nature reserves. Awash with a striking array of orchids and epiphytes, this UNESCO Biosphere Reserve is a haven for butterflies, hummingbirds, and yellow-headed warbler. Cap off the day with a visit to a Honey House, or Casa de la Miel, for a discussion on beekeeping and local honey production.

APR 27: CIENFUEGOS, CUBA
The only Cuban city founded by French settlers, Cienfuegos, dubbed the “Pearl of the South,” spreads around a lovely natural bay and offers a superb model of 19th-century urban planning in Latin America. Accompanied by a local specialist, set out on a walking tour of the UNESCO-protected city center. Visit a graphic arts workshop where you’ll hear about the transformative power of art in the lives of Cubans. After a performance by the Cienfuegos Choir, you’ll have the opportunity to join the world-renowned choir in song.
APR 28: TRINIDAD, CUBA
Spanish colonial beauty reaches a pinnacle in wonderfully preserved Trinidad. Today, experience a historian-led walking tour of this UNESCO World Heritage Site. Mingle with local residents and call on artists in their studios; stroll past beautiful paintings, sculptures, and antiques at the Romantic Museum; browse the Architecture Museum; and learn about traditional ceramic techniques at the Casa del Alfarero, a pottery house founded and operated by the Santander family for generations.

APR 29: SANTIAGO DE CUBA, CUBA
Cradled between the velvety Sierra Maestra mountains and the sparkling Caribbean, Cuba’s second-largest city welcomes visitors with its eye-catching plazas, distinctive Afro-Cuban culture, and vibrant music scene. Meet with locals for special insight into the region’s traditional dances, and explore the history of the Santería religion. Then revel in the spectacular views from the imposing Castillo de San Pedro de la Roca, designated a World Heritage Site by UNESCO.

APR 30: ALEJANDRO DE HUMBOLDT NATIONAL PARK/BARACOA, CUBA
This morning, venture ashore for an excursion into Alejandro de Humboldt National Park, touted by UNESCO as “one of the most biologically diverse tropical island sites on earth.” Named after German naturalist-explorer Alexander von Humboldt who first came here in 1801, this biodiverse utopia protects endangered bird species, including Cuban Amazon parrots, hook-billed kites, and ivory-billed woodpeckers. Or, choose to relax among the quaint colonial buildings and peaceful, tree-lined streets of Baracoa, the oldest town in the country.

MAY 1: GIBARA/HOLGUÍN, CUBA
Arrive in Gibara, a sleepy fishing village on the northeastern coast of Cuba, and travel to Holguín, the country’s fourth-largest city. Characterized by elegant plazas and monuments, this laid-back provincial capital draws visitors with plentiful parks and nearby beaches.

MAY 2: MIAMI, FLORIDA
After breakfast, disembark at the Port of Miami and transfer (on your own) to the airport for your return flight home.

Itinerary is subject to change and subject to final approval by the Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC).

Optional premium excursions may be available for an additional charge.

PARTICIPANTS SHOULD BE IN GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION. This program involves light hiking and walking tours with more than a moderate amount of walking on cobblestone streets, stairs, and uneven ground. Excursions can include moderate to strenuous walking up to 2.5 miles, primarily over natural and uneven surfaces. All guests must be able to ascend and descend the flight of stairs required to embark and disembark the ship. Many shore excursions require guests to climb in and out of small boats to tender ashore.

Haimark Line, Ltd. may modify the cruise itinerary up to and during the voyage. All cruise accommodations and shore excursions are arranged by Haimark Line, Ltd., which may use other suppliers or providers to render services. The agreement in this brochure is the exclusive and entire statement of the agreement between you and Go Next, Inc. It should be read carefully.
LUXURY STATEROOMS

Smartly designed and tastefully furnished, each stateroom features premium mattresses draped in high-thread-count bedding, pillow menus, bathrobes and slippers, L’Occitane® bath amenities, hair dryer, LCD flat-screen TV, safe, individual climate control, and nightly turndown service.

PROGRAM INCLUSIONS:
- 10-day voyage aboard the luxurious 210-guest MS Saint Laurent
- Select complimentary expert-led shore excursions daily
- All onboard meals and beverages, including coffee, water, juice, soft drinks, beer, wine, and cocktails (excluding premium brands)
- Daily cocktail hour featuring cold canapés and bar snacks one hour prior to dinner
- Private Go Next reception, including hot and cold canapés and beverages
- An experienced Go Next Program Manager
- Smart-casual attire throughout your journey—no formal wear required
- Attentive service from a caring staff of 85 to ensure a remarkable voyage
- Informative and enriching lectures from carefully selected onboard speakers
- Comprehensive pre-departure information
- Certification of travel to Cuba under the U.S. Department of the Treasury general license
- Gratuities for local Cuban guides and drivers

NOT INCLUDED:
Airfare between home and Miami; airport transfers; passport fees; onboard gratuities; port charges of $399 per person; Cuban mandated travel insurance, departure tax, and visa fee of $135 per person; and other items not specifically mentioned as included. The fees above are approximate and subject to change.

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G $5,699 $5,199*

INSIDE STATEROOM

H $5,099 $4,599*

*These categories have limited availability.

†Prices are per person, based on double occupancy, and reflect the $1,000 early booking savings per couple ($500 per person) if booked by December 1, 2015.

Air Services are available for an additional cost. Please call Go Next for details.
**Miami Pre-Cruise Program**

**APR 22–23 • $299 per person, double occupancy**

- 1 night at the 4-star Crowne Plaza® Miami International Airport Hotel or similar accommodations, with breakfast
- Transfers from the hotel to the cruise ship with related luggage handling
- Half-day panoramic excursion of Miami

Program includes accommodations, sightseeing, transfers from the hotel to the cruise ship, an exclusive Go Next Program Manager/hospitality desk, and a professional tour guide.

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