

PREMIER WORLD DISCOVERY

ave \$200 Per Couple \$100 Per Person\* 7 Days

December 2 - 8, 2025

# UC Retirees Travel presents

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# Christmas Season in Victoria & Vancouver

Featuring 3-Nights at the Fairmont Empress Hotel in Victoria and 3-Nights at the Fairmont Hotel Vancouver

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# DAY 1: ARRIVE VANCOUVER

Arrive in the seaport city of Vancouver, the crown jewel of Western Canada. Considered one of the most beautiful cities in North America. Vancouver dazzles during the Christmas holiday season along with views of the Pacific Ocean, majestic mountains and a glittering skyline. Meet your Tour Director and transfer to the Fairmont Hotel Vancouver, known as the *'Castle in the City'* and has been the pinnacle of elegance since its debut in 1939. Check-in for a two-night stay and enjoy a Welcome Dinner this evening. (D) Overnight: Vancouver

### **DAY 2: VANCOUVER - CHRISTMAS MARKET**

This morning enjoy a panoramic *Vancouver City Tour* including Stanley Park, famous for its ancient Indian totem poles, Chinatown and Gastown. Next, enjoy a *Grouse Mountain Skyride*. Glide high above towering Douglas firs, breathtaking views of the city of Vancouver, sparkling Pacific Ocean, Gulf Islands, and snowy peaks unfold as you journey up the mountainside. North America's 100-person tramway is your gateway to the majestic nature of The Peak of Vancouver. This afternoon discover Vancouver's European-German themed Christmas Market Holiday Festival. The Shipyards Christmas Market is located in the lively waterfront area of Vancouver offering holiday cheer around every corner. Free time to browse the market with a variety of European-style artisan booths full of decorations, holiday gifts and unique handicrafts. Enjoy gourmet food, festive sweets and authentic German drinks such as the endless supply of delicious warm **Gluhwein!** Enjoy this evening at your leisure to explore this beautiful city at your own pace. (B) Overnight: **Vancouver** 

#### **DAY 3: VANCOUVER - VICTORIA**

Transfer to the port to board the *BC Ferry* for *Vancouver Island*. Sit back and relax as you enjoy a scenic cruise across the Strait of Georgia. Arrive in Swartz Bay and travel by motorcoach to *Victoria*, the capitol of British Columbia. Check into the famous *Fairmont Empress Hotel* for a three night stay and always beautifully decorated for the Christmas season. The Fairmont Empress is famed as Canada's *'Castle on the Coast'* and listed as **"one of the 21 most iconic hotels in the** world". The Empress is an award-winning hotel and National Historic Site dating to 1908. With unparalleled views over

the inner harbor, this historic hotel is where contemporary convenience meets iconic luxury and five-star service meets classic British styling. Later, enjoy a visit to the world famous Butchart Gardens and stroll among fifty-five acres of wonderful displays. While the flowers sleep in the winter, the gardens come to life during the holiday season with colorful displays of lights, including scenes depicting the Twelve Days of Christmas. Bundle up and stroll through the beautiful Christmas displays, sing along to the sounds of the season with traditional Carolers or listen to the festive brass. Maybe stop in at the coffee shop to warm up with a hot chocolate and gingerbread by the fire. 🔀 (B) Overnight: Victoria

#### DAY 4: VICTORIA - HIGH TEA

Today enjoy a *Victoria city tour* featuring the Inner Harbor and the imposing Parliament Building constructed in 1897 and a city filled with Victorian charm. Visit the *Royal British Columbia Museum*. Through its unique galleries, the museum showcases the human and natural history of British Columbia. Enjoy *"High Tea and lunch"* at the Fairmont Empress, a tradition that commenced when the hotel opened in 1908. This isn't just any tea, but a Christmas-themed extravaganza with seasonal treats and delicacies. Sip the





original blend of *"The Empress tea"*, an exceptional experience for everyone. Later visit a *Victoria Christmas Market and Fair.* Browse the charming stalls offering unique crafts, local artisan products and holiday treats. This evening enjoy a panoramic *Victoria Christmas Lights Tour* around the city. See famous landmarks such as the Parliament Buildings and more that are lit up spectacularly for the holiday season. (B,L) Overnight: **Victoria** 

### DAY 5: VICTORIA AS YOU WISH

The entire day is at leisure relax, explore Victoria as you wish or enjoy the amenities of the Empress Hotel. Swim in the indoor pool or enjoy a day at the Willow Stream Spa. Perhaps a visit to the historic Empress Hotel Library for quiet time with a book or enjoy an exquisite bar and lounge offering stunning views over the Inner Harbor or a warm spot around a cozy fireplace. Be sure to visit the Festival of Trees located at the Bay Centre. The Biosphere Certified Bay Centre is a "must shop" located in the heart of downtown Victoria's shopping district. The festival of trees traditionally has over eighty Christmas trees on display during the holiday season. 🛞 (B) Overnight: Victoria

#### **DAY 6: VICTORIA - BC FERRY - VANCOUVER**

This morning board the BC Ferry and cruise through the Gulf Islands enroute to Vancouver. Stop for another visit to the Vancouver Shipyards Christmas Market with free time to stroll at your leisure and shop for souviners. Check into the Fairmont Vancouver Hotel for an overnight stay. Later step into a botanical holiday wonderland at VanDusen Festival of Lights. Explore fifteen-acres adorned with over one million twinkling lights, featuring a new interactive installation, dancing lights, themed light areas and a display inspired by the Great Bear Rainforest of BC. This evening enjoy a Farewell Dinner with your traveling companions.

(B,D) Overnight: Vancouver

#### **DAY 7: VANCOUVER - FLIGHT HOME**

Transfer to the Vancouver Airport to board your flight home with wonderful memories of the *Christmas Season in Victoria & Vancouver experience.* (B)

# TOUR ACTIVITY LEVELEasy1234Active

## HIGHLIGHTS:

- ▶ 3 Nights Victoria Fairmont Empress Hotel
- ▶ 3 Nights Fairmont Hotel Vancouver
- Vancouver Christmas Market
- Vancouver City Tour
- Grouse Mountain Skyride
- VanDusen Festival of Lights
- Roundtrip BC Ferry to Victoria
- Victoria
- Butchart Gardens
- Royal British Columbia Museum
- "High Tea" at the Fairmont Empress Hotel
- Victoria Christmas Market

# **INCLUSIONS:**

- Roundtrip Airfare From SFO/LAX (Other gateways available)
- ▶ Air Taxes, Fuel, Fees
- 6 Nights Deluxe Hotel Accommodations
- ▶ 9 Meals: 6B, 1L & 2D
- Professional Tour Director
- Motorcoach Transportation
- Admissions & Sightseeing per Itinerary
- Baggage Handling at Hotels
- Hotel Transfers

## DELUXE ACCOMMODATIONS:

- ▶ 2 Nights Fairmont Hotel Vancouver
- ▶ 3 Nights Fairmont Empress Hotel, Victoria
- ▶ 1 Night Fairmont Hotel Vancouver

• Hotels, Itinerary and Inclusions are subject to change.



# TOUR RATES:

| Booking Discount*:                                 | \$4499 pp double |  |
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| Regular Rate:                                      | \$4599 pp double |  |
| Single Supplement: +\$1450                         |                  |  |
| *See Reservation Info for Booking Discount details |                  |  |

| Reservation Form (Canada):<br>Christmas Season in Victoria<br>& Vancouver<br>December 2 - 8, 2025 | Contact Information/Mail Reservation Form to:<br>UC Retirees Travel • c/o Premier World Discovery<br>1650 So Pacific Coast Hwy, Suite 202<br>Redondo Beach, CA 90277<br>Phone : 877.953.8687 Fax : 310.372.0637<br>UCRetireesTravel@gmail.com | DEPOSIT & FINAL PAYMENT: Deposit of \$400 per person is due with<br>Reservation Form to secure reservations. Reservations are taken or<br>a first come, first served basis. Final Payment Due Date is 90 day<br>prior to departure.<br>*BOOKING DISCOUNT: Make your Final Payment by check prior to<br>the Final Payment Due Date & receive \$200 per couple/\$100 p<br>Booking Discount! Initial Deposit can be made by check or credicard to be eligible. Payments after Initial Deposit are considered par<br>of Final Payment be read by the person of the p |
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| Booking #196097 (Web Code)  | https://res.premierworlddiscovery.com   | of Final Payment & must be made by check.  |
| ·   | yable to: PREMIER WORLD DISCOVERY   | ONLINE BOOKING OPTION: Save time, postage & secure your seat for<br>this group departure. Simply type https://res.premierworlddiscover   |
|   | amount of \$ (\$400 per person)   | <u>com</u> into your web browser & use the Booking Number (Web Code<br>from this flyer to make your Deposit online in just a few minutes. N<br>need to submit a Reservation Form if booking online.  |
| to secure reservations for  | # of people.  |  |
| Premier's Travel Protection Plan (TP<br>(TPP must be purchased with initial deposit               |   | PREMIER'S TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN (TPP) - \$450 per person<br>(TPP Must Be Purchased with Initial Tour Deposit)<br>Part A – Cancellation Waiver provided by PWD   |
| Enclosed please find payment in th to secure the Premier's Travel Prote                           | e amount of \$ (\$450 per person)<br>ection Plan (TPP).   | I. Trip Cancellation Waiver (TCW) - Guarantees full refund on all payments   |
| see flyer for included group gateway airp   | AX ROOMMATE'S GATEWAY AIRPORT: SFOLAX<br>ort/departure city, additional charges apply for other airport packages<br>ddle/last) exactly as they appear on Passports.   | rote transferable, may not be redeemed for cash and does not include an<br>credit for the Trip Cancellation Waiver Fee. <u>The Trip Cancellation Waiver Fee</u><br><u>must be paid for with Initial Deposit and is refundable until 180 days pric</u><br><u>to departure</u> . The Trip Cancellation Waiver does not cover any single sup<br>plement charges due to an individual's traveling companion canceling pric<br>to departure. The Trip Cancellation Waiver is non-transferable and valid fc<br>each applicant only. The Trip Cancellation Waiver does not cover any service  |
| Passport Cards n  | ot accepted for Air travel to/from Canada.  | such as airline tickets not purchased through PWD. Cancellations, Refunds &<br>Inquiries under Part A will be handled by PWD. Certain Exclusions and Restrictions apply.   |
|   | Gender M F  | Part B – Post Departure Travel Protection Plan* provided by USI  |
|   | Gender M F<br>Exp Date (MM/DD/YY)   | Includes coverage for: Trip Interruption (\$1,000); Trip Delay (\$100/Day-Ma<br>\$500); Baggage & Personal Effects (\$2,000); Baggage Delay (\$500); Emergenc<br>Accident/Sickness Medical Expense - excess coverage (\$30,000); Emergenc<br>Evacuation/Repatriation (\$150,000); Accidental Death & Dismembermer  |
|   |   | (\$25,000); Non-Insurance and Emergency Travel Assistance Services** (24/7<br>Claims & Inquiries under Part B will be administered by USI.   |
|   | Check if Roommate's address is the same   | For full Part A and Part B plan details visit: premierworlddiscovery.com/TPP<br>All Benefits described on this page are for general information basis only. Ther   |
|   | StateZIP  | are certain restrictions, exclusions and limitation that apply to all insuranc coverages. Plan benefits, limits and provisions may vary by state jurisdiction.   |
|   |   | **NO RISK DEPOSIT - NO CHANGE FEES: Deposits & TPP payments for an<br>Bookings made for this tour are fully refundable until 180 days prior t  |
|   |   | departure. Should your plans change inside of 180 days you can use the fu<br>value (Future Travel Credit**) of your Deposit or TPP on a different program a<br>long as you change plans or let us know prior to the Final Payment Due Date.<br>**FTC's are valid for 12 mos from dep date & non-transferable.  |
|   |   | **FTC's are valid for 12 mos from dep date & non-transferable. CANCELLATION FEES**   |
|   |   | Cancellations not covered by the Travel Protection Plan (TPP) or if the TPP is no<br>purchased, are subject to the following per person fees:  |
| Notes or TSA/KTN #:<br>Roommate's Passport Name:  |   | - Cancel more than 180 days prior to departure:     - Cancel 179-90 days prior to departure:     - Cancel 89-60 days prior to departure:     - Cancel 89-60 days prior to departure:     - Cancel 89-60 days prior to departure:   |
| DOB (MM/DD/YY)   Gender   M   F   |   | - Cancel 59-30 days prior to departure: 50% of total pric<br>- Cancel 29-15 days prior to departure: 75% of total pric   |
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|   |   | and transportation, hold themselves free of responsibility for any damage occasioned from any cause whatsoever. PWD will not be responsible for an   |
|   | Card)   | damages or inconvenience caused by late arrivals, departures and change c<br>schedule or other conditions nor will they be responsible for any act, omissior<br>or event during the time the passenger is not on board their conveyance. Th  |
| Credit Card #   | Exp Date:   | or passenger. PWD does not hold any responsibility for the conduct of any of it<br>members, hotel, motorcoach, cruiseline, train, airline or other personnel. PW<br>reserves the right to decline to accept or retain any person as a member of  |
| CVV# Amount to  | o be charged \$   | tour/cruise at its discretion. PWD &/or its Tour Director retain the right to requir<br>any participant to withdraw from a tour/cruise at any time, if determined to b   |
|   | heck if address is the same as above  | in the best interests of health, safety & general welfare of the tour/cruise grou<br>or of the individual participant. Arbitration - I/We agree, any and all dispute<br>concerning this contract or any other material concerning the trip, or the tri   |
| -   | City  | itself must be resolved exclusively pursuant to binding arbitration in the stat<br>of California, pursuant to the then current rules of the American Arbitratio  |
|   | ZIPTel#   | Association. Payment of the deposit for this tour/cruise constitutes acceptance  |
|   | Date  |  |
| SIGNATURE REQUIRE *I (We) agree to pay according to t   | <b>D</b> (for credit card use & acceptance of terms*)<br>the credit card issuer agreement. I understand and accept the<br>ation fees/policy and other terms.  | this tour and is the responsibility of each passenger. Passports should be valid<br>for up to six (6) months beyond the travel dates. All names must be submitted<br>to Premier exactly as they appear on passenger passports.<br><b>US Passport Cards are not accepted for Air Travel to/from Canada.</b>   |
| United States   | USTOA<br>Tour Operators Association<br>Velers Assistance Program  | AIR NOTE: Air Schedules may not be available until Final Trip Documentation<br>is received. Air seats are assigned by the airline and sometimes not assigne<br>until the day of travel. Air seat changes can only be attempted upon receip<br>of e-tickets and Final Trip Documentation at which time availability may b<br>limited. If specific seat assignments or airline choice is extremely important t<br>your reservation, we recommend you book land only and make your own a<br>reservations. Please make this adjustment to land only/own air at time of tou<br>reservation.   |





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